What Kind Am I? Mixed Sentence Practice

Reading and Discussion

Do you remember? There are four kinds of sentence:

- 1. TELLING SENTENCES tell a fact or make a statement. They end with a period.
 - Benjamin Franklin started the first library.
- 2. ASKING SENTENCES ask a question. They often begin with asking words such as who, what, and where. Asking sentences end with a question mark.
 - Did Benjamin Franklin really fly a kite in a storm?
- **3. COMMAND SENTENCES** command someone to do something. Like telling sentences, they end with a **period**.
 - Come out of the rain, Benjamin.
- 4. EXCLAMATORY SENTENCES show great emotion or excitement. They end with an exclamation mark.
 - Look out for the lightning!

Activities

<u>Activity A:</u> What kind of sentence am I? Write a T if the sentence tells. Write C if the sentence commands. Write E if the sentence shows excitement. Write A if the sentence asks a question.

- 1. _____ Look out for the ball!
- 2. _____ Put the balls and bats away.
- 3. _____ Do you like to play baseball?
- 4. _____ Baseball is a fun game to play.
- 5. _____ How many home runs did you hit?
- 6. _____ It's a fly ball!

Answer Key

Activity A

- 1. <u>E</u> Look out for the ball!
- 2. <u>C</u> Put the balls and bats away.
- 3. <u>A</u> Do you like to play baseball?
- 4. <u>T</u> Baseball is a fun game to play.
- 5. <u>A</u> How many home runs did you hit?