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## Dialogue Under Construction

Welcome! In this tutorial, you'll be BUILDING your knowledge about dialogue. Much like a construction worker follows blueprints to build a building, dialogue in text is constructed in a specific way. By the end of this tutorial, you'll be able to demonstrate the use of commas and quotation marks in dialogue. Let's get started!

### Attachments

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### General Information

**Subject(s)**: English Language Arts  
**Grade Level(s)**: 3  
**Intended Audience**: [Students](#)

**Keywords**: dialogue, quotation marks, quotation, comma, capitalization, quote, conventions

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### Aligned Standards

Name	Description
	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. a. Capitalize appropriate words in titles.

[LAFS.3.L.1.2:](#)

- b. Use commas in addresses.
- c. Use commas and quotation marks in dialogue.
- d. Form and use possessives.
- e. Use conventional spelling for high-frequency and other studied words and for adding suffixes to base words (e.g., sitting, smiled, cries, happiness).
- f. Use spelling patterns and generalizations (e.g., word families, position-based spellings, syllable patterns, ending rules, meaningful word parts) in writing words.
- g. Consult reference materials, including beginning dictionaries, as needed to check and correct spellings.

**Particular alignment to:**

**LAFS.3.L.1.2c:** Use commas and quotation marks in dialogue.