Why learn the rules?

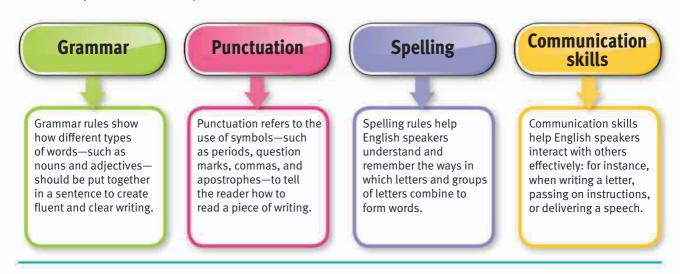
THERE ARE MANY BENEFITS TO LEARNING AND MASTERING THE RULES OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

The rules of English are indispensable and will help English speakers of all ages in a variety of situations, from sending a simple e-mail and giving travel directions to writing the next best-selling novel.

Ways with words

The rules or skills of English can be divided into four major areas. These areas show how words should be organized in a sentence, how they should be spelled and punctuated, and how they should be used in specific situations.





Access all areas

A solid grasp of English will help students succeed in all subject areas, not just in English lessons. Whether writing a science report, instructing a basketball team as captain, or auditioning for a play, English language skills help students fulfill their potential.

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Report Card

Student: Paul Drislane

Course	Percentage	Grade
English	97%	A
Math	94%	A
Science	90%	A
History	92%	A
Geography	97%	A
Drama	93%	A
Phys. Ed.	95%	A

Dream job

When applying for jobs, good English language skills can make all the difference. Knowing the rules will help a candidate write a perfect application, and speak clearly and confidently in an interview. All employers, regardless of the industry, look for candidates who can express themselves correctly and assertively because these skills are valuable in most jobs every day.



Time out

Language is used creatively in a variety of social situations, from a rowdy sports game to a sophisticated stage show. At a big game, fans sing rhyming and repetitive chants filled with playful jokes or insults directed at the opposing team. In the theater, actors perform dramatic, evocative lines to express feelings of love, passion, sadness, or anger. Whether watching a funny movie, reading a newspaper, or listening to a pop song, a person who has a good working knowledge of English will get the most out of these experiences.

Is love a tender thing? It is too rough, too rude, too boisterous, and it pricks like thorn.

William Shakespeare's character Romeo compares love to a sharp thorn, suggesting that love hurts. An audience with a good understanding of English will appreciate this subtle, visual use of language.

Travel the world

English is one of the most popular languages spoken across the globe, and it's the main language used in the business world. Fluency in the language makes it easier to travel to English-speaking places for work or vacations. What's more, a knowledge of grammatical terms makes learning other languages easier.

