Statements, Questions, Exclamations and Commands

There are four sentence types: statements, questions, exclamations and commands.

A statement tells you a fact, an idea or an opinion e.g. Hens lay eggs.

A question is what we ask to find something out e.g. What is the time?

An exclamation shows strong emotion or excitement e.g. What a great picture!

A command gives a clear instruction e.g. Clean your shoes.

1) Draw a line to match each sentence to the correct sentence type.

| What amazing weather we had today |
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| Finish your homework |
| Who is the tallest in your class |
| There are twelve months in one year |

| statement |
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| question |
| exclamation |
| command |
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2) Read each sentence and decide if it is a statement, question, exclamation or command. Write your answer in the box.

| | Is the sentence a statement, question, exclamation or command? |
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| Brush your hair. | |
| What a fantastic day out we've had! | |
| Put your trainers in the cupboard. | |
| Did you enjoy your trip to the beach? | |
| The crayons are on the table. | |
| Tidy your bedroom. | |

3) Add the missing punctuation to the sentences below.

Have you ever visited London _____

How wonderful to ride on an elephant _____

Eat your dinner _____

China is a country in Asia _____

