

## What is an interjection, kinds and list with examples?

### What is an Interjection?

An interjection is used to **show your feelings and emotions**. These are the phrases or words that can be used to express **exclamation, surprise, command and attention**.

It has no grammatical relationships with any other word or sentence. Interjection never plays any role of subject and object. It doesn't modify the [sentences](#). Interjection words are **Wow! Hey! Well! Etc.**

Note: Most of the time in sentences we use Interjection symbol [!] , it is also called exclamation sign.

### For Example

- **Well!** I need a laptop to do this project.
- **Wow!** What a beautiful painting.
- **Hurrah!** Our team has won the series.
- **What!** Have you lost all your money?

### Kinds of Interjection with examples

There are basically 6 kinds of interjections that are listed below

- **Joy:** Hurrah! Ha! Ha! Wow!
- **Sorrow:** Ah! Ah me! Alas!
- **Surprise:** Oh! What! Well
- **Approval:** Well done! O.K!
- **Calling:** Halloo! Ho!
- **Attention:** Listen! Look! Behold! Hush.

Let's us get complete idea about kind of interjections with examples

### Express joy

When you want to express your feelings of happiness then you use these Interjection words like Hurrah! Ha! Ha! Wow!

### For example

- **Ha!** Today I am very happy.
- **Wow!** It is a beautiful place to stay.

### Express sorrow

When you want to express your feelings of sadness then you use these Interjection words like Ah! Ah me! Alas!

#### For example

- **Ah!** I have lost my sister's bag.
- **Alas!** She has failed in the exam.

### Express Surprise

When you want to express your feelings of being surprised then you use these Interjection words like Oh! What! Well

#### For example

- **What!** Is it true that you are leaving this school?
- **Oh!** Really you killed a snake, I can't believe this.

### Express Approval

When you want to express your feelings of approval for any task then you use these Interjection words like well done! O.K!

#### For example

- **Well done!** You performed you best.
- **Bravo!** The trophy is yours.

Also Read: [8 parts of speech in English grammar.](#)

### Express Calling

When you call someone for any reason then you use these Interjection words like Halloo! Ho!

#### For example

- **Hello!** Why are you looking here?
- **Hello!** Mark, please come with me.

### Express Attention

When you order anyone to be in attention then you use these Interjection words like Listen! Look! Behold! Hush.

**For example**

- **Listen!** To me, you cannot do this at all.
- **Behold!** The bride comes.

**Interjection list with examples**

<b>Interjection</b>	<b>Meaning</b>	<b>Examples</b>
Wow Ha	Express happiness	<b>Wow!</b> That's great thing. <b>Ha!</b> now
Alas Ah	Express unhappiness	<b>Alas!</b> He is dad now. <b>Ah!</b> I have lost friend.
Oh!What!Well	Express surprise	<b>Oh,</b> What a great person is he? <b>What!</b> Are you coming tomorrow?
Well done!O.K!	To give Approval	<b>Well done!</b> You solved this problem. <b>O.K!</b> This project is over.
Halloo! Ho!	To call someone	<b>Halloo!</b> Where are you going? <b>Ho!</b> Are you talking to me?
Listen!Look!Behold!Hush	Express attention	<b>Listen!</b> All of you come here. <b>Look!</b> You have to do this job. <b>Behold!</b> I am coming with you.

**Sometimes we use interjection in part of speech.**

- **Noun infinitive:** To think that he should die as soon.
- **Noun:** A dog! A dog! My kingdom for a dog!
- **Pronoun:** what a lame excuse it is!
- **Verb:** would that I was young again!
- **Adverb:** How lovely the flowers are.
- **Conjunction:** If I could only see him once again.