

# Quotation Marks

Quotation Marks are punctuation symbols used in pairs to set off direct speech, a quotation, or a phrase in several writing systems.

When referring to dialogue, quotation marks should be used. Titles of poems, essays, or shorter works are denoted by quotation marks. The use of quotation marks also indicates the use of sarcasm, irony, euphemisms, or slang.

They are also known as inverted commas, speech marks, and quotes.



Examples & Non Examples of Quotation Marks:

## Examples:

“Can you get the door for me?”, said mom.

“When life gives you lemon, make lemonade.”-Elbert Hubbard.

Brandy said, “You was just a little girl”.

## Non Examples:

“Dr. Pepper is a great drink” says Mom  
Joseph asked that “Would I be there?”