

LEVEL 4 - DOUBLE ADJECTIVES AND COMMA SERIES

Directions: You are the teacher. A student in your class has submitted an assignment where the goal was to have a paragraph with all complete sentences and thoughts, using commas appropriately. Proofread the student's essay, labelling each sentence if it uses commas appropriately or not.

Text:

(1) Michigan State University is a fun, exciting place to be, especially on gamedays. (2) The campus is large and sprawling and green. This past weekend, I went to State to see my friends tailgate for the game, and watch State beat Oregon. (3) The game was a rematch from last year but without Heisman trophy winner Marcus Mariota. (4) Michigan State fought valiantly and ended up winning the game. (5) However, their special teams needs to work on wrapping up tackles stopping big plays and restricting the run game. (6) Mark Dantonio is a stern caring coach who has consistently developed players into all stars. (7) I am excited for the exciting matchup between Michigan State and Ohio State later this year.

Directions: Respond in the appropriate space if each student's sentence actually uses commas accurately, and explain **why, using words from our notes/practice problems**.

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Directions: What areas does this student still need to work on? Do you feel this student has mastered Simple Sentences? **Explain and justify your answer in 2 sentences.**