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1. Any suitable answers.

Examples:

Rick whispered urgently, “There are some very dark clouds in that sky.”

“Hurry up,” **barked Angela angrily**. “We’re going to be late.”

2. There are lots of possible answers to this question.

Example:

“Stop that car!” screamed Sayid and Jamala, running as fast as they could towards the road. “They’ve stolen our cat!”

3. “I’ve no idea where we’re going,” moaned Adam. “I keep tripping over.”

Monty yelled, “If you don’t hurry up, Bella will have eaten all the cake!”

“Isn’t it a beautiful sunset?” Mum said to me as we got out of the car.

“Hey, be careful!” said Sara, patting the trembling little dog. “Can’t you see that he’s really scared and nervous?”

(In this pair of sentences, the first sentence of speech can be written in several different ways — e.g. it might have a comma where the exclamation mark is in the example answer above.)

4. “When I went to my new school, I really hated it,” **admitted Lily**, wiping away tears, “and each time my teacher opened the door, I ran away.”