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Writing skills practice: An invitation – exercises

Look at the email and do the exercises to practise and improve your writing skills.

Preparation

Match the names of punctuation marks with symbols from the box.

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1.	full sto						
2.	question mark						
3.	comm	а					
4.	capita	l letter					
5.	exclar	nation mark					
		Ib		10:49	_		
		Cancel	Ne	ew Message	Send		
		To: jimmy52@me-mail-uk.com					
	Cc:						
		Subject: This weekend					
		Hi Jim					
	(3	¹⁾ We're meeting at Fistral Beach to go surfing on Saturday ³⁾ morning. Dani and Ru are coming. Do you want to come with ⁴⁾ us? It's going to be sunny and hot :)					
		Speak soon					
		Jen					
		Top Tips for writing					
			entence with a				

- 2. Use capital letters for days of the week.
- 3. Finish a sentence with a full stop.
- 4. Finish a question with a question mark.

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1. Check your understanding: multiple choice Write the best answer to complete the sentence.							
1 sent the email.	Jen Jim						
2. Jen is going surfing with her friends	at the weekend after school						
3. They are meeting at	the surf club the beach						
4. Jen thinks the weather will be	bad good						
5 other people are going surfing with Jen.	Two Four						
6. They are meeting lunch.	before after						
2. Check your writing: error correction – punctuation Rewrite this email and correct the punctuation errors.							
hi jen (2 mistakes)							
2. that sounds great. what time are you meeting. do I need to bring anything. (5 mis	that sounds great. what time are you meeting. do I need to bring anything. (5 mistakes)						
3. I'm going to get the bus what number is the bus to Fistral Beach. (3 mistakes)	I'm going to get the bus what number is the bus to Fistral Beach. (3 mistakes)						
4. see you on saturday. (2 mistakes)							
Jim ©							
Discussion							
What do you usually do when you meet up with your friends?							
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