The Four Functions of Sentences: Types of Sentences

Exercise 1 Recognizing the four functions of sentences. Identify the type of each sentence below. Use **D** for declarative, **INT** for interrogative, **IMP** for imperative, and **E** for exclamatory.

1. Please correct your misspelled words now. ________________
2. Ginseng is an herb used for medicinal purposes. ________________
3. What a terrible accident! ________________
4. Which artist do you admire the most? ________________
5. Mary Pickford starred in *My Best Girl*. ________________
6. How many videotapes do you have in your collection? ________________
7. Drive to the first traffic light and turn right. ________________
8. How happy we all are today! ________________
9. In Greek mythology, Orpheus wrote beautiful music. ________________
10. Stop that shouting at once! ________________

Exercise 2 Writing sentences with different uses. Write a sentence according to the directions given for each of the following items.

1. Write an imperative sentence that begins with a verb.
   
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2. Write an interrogative beginning with *Which*.
   
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3. Write a declarative sentence about your favorite hobby or pastime.
   
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4. Write an exclamatory sentence beginning with *How*.
   
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5. Write a sentence about music you enjoy. Identify which type of sentence it is.
   
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What type of sentence is this? ________________