

Commas in lists

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- 1 **Insert one comma in the correct place.**

The farm keeps geese ponies and pigs.

- 2 **Insert two commas in the correct places.**

My cousin has lived in Leeds Bristol Cardiff and Dundee.

- 3 **Insert one comma in the correct place.**

In the rock pool we spotted crabs limpets and anemones.

- 4 **Insert one comma in the correct place.**

The garden was full of bees butterflies and hoverflies.

- 5 **Insert one comma in the correct place.**

My cousin has lived in Leeds Bristol and Cardiff.

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On the shelf she keeps pebbles shells and dried seedpods.

- 7 **Insert two commas in the correct places.**

This term we have studied rivers mountains glaciers and coastlines.

- 8 **Insert one comma in the correct place.**

In the rock pool we spotted limpets anemones and shrimps.

- 9 **Insert one comma in the correct place.**

Our team needs bibs cones and a whistle.

- 10 **Insert two commas in the correct places.**

We lifted up the log and found worms woodlice snails and slugs.

- 11 **Insert one comma in the correct place.**

This term we have studied mountains glaciers and coastlines.

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The museum has rooms about the Vikings the Tudors and the Victorians.

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At the market we bought apples pears and plums.

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The recipe uses flour butter sugar and eggs.

15 Insert one comma in the correct place.

The old box held buttons ribbons and thimbles.

16 Insert one comma in the correct place.

The orchestra tuned up its cellos flutes and trumpets.

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The museum has rooms about the Romans the Vikings and the Tudors.

18 Insert two commas in the correct places.

The orchestra tuned up its violins cellos flutes and trumpets.

19 Insert two commas in the correct places.

Our team needs bibs cones a whistle and a first aid kit.

20 Insert two commas in the correct places.

The old box held buttons ribbons thimbles and reels of thread.

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