

Missing Punctuation

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question mark	exclamation mark	comma	inverted commas	full stop

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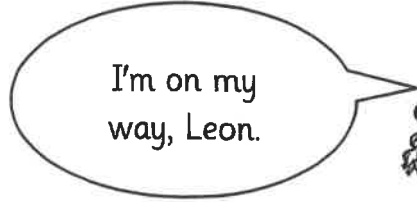


1. Turn these conversations into direct speech sentences.

a)



Aisha, I need your help.

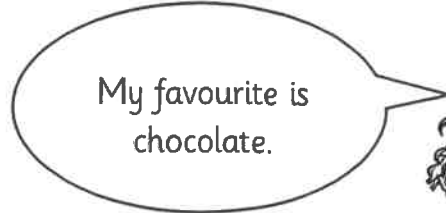


I'm on my way, Leon.

b)



My favourite ice cream flavour is strawberry.

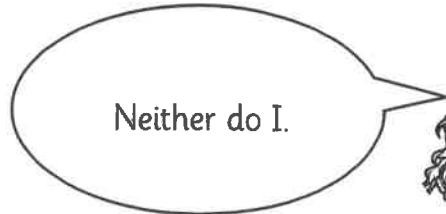


My favourite is chocolate.

c)



I don't like going to bed.



Neither do I.

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