



Commas — Mixed Practice

Grade 4

Name: _____

Read the passage. Add all missing commas. Think about which comma rule applies each time.

Rules that may appear: **lists** · **Yes/No/Well** · **direct address** · **compound sentences** · **introductory phrases**

Example: Well I packed it but Maya forgot her bag. → **Well, I packed it, but Maya forgot her bag.**



The Monarch's Long Journey

Monarch butterflies are famous for their incredible migration. Well these tiny creatures are truly amazing. Every autumn millions of monarchs fly south from Canada and the United States to warmer places like Mexico and California. They travel thousands of miles across continents oceans and mountains. Did you know Maria that some monarchs fly all the way from Canada to Mexico? Before their long migration begins young monarchs eat constantly to store energy. They feed on milkweed nectar and water. This journey is very dangerous but they are strong flyers. Many challenges await them including storms predators and exhaustion. They cannot survive cold winters so they fly south to warmer climates. After spending the winter resting they begin their journey north again in spring. It is a true wonder of the natural world.

