

## APPOSITIVES WORKSHEET

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### Part 1: Combine the sentences into one sentence with an appositive.

1. My mother lost her favorite ring. It was a gift from her great grandmother.
2. The Han River flows through Seoul. It is South Korea's second longest river.
3. The first man in space was from Russia. He was Yuri Gagarin.
4. I sat beside Mr. Jones. He is a city policeman.
5. Jack's dog sat beside a tree and panted. His dog is a big black mutt.
6. Jenny loves to bake bread, cake and cookies. She is a prize-winning baker.
7. I just purchased a house near Central Park. The house is a 30-year old duplex.
8. Polar bears are large and furry animals. They eat seals but not penguins.
9. My grandfather's dog is a black poodle. It is cute. The dog loves to run and catch rubber balls.
10. I watched a movie on the weekend. It was Frozen. It is my favorite movie.

### Part 2: Practice

Read the text. Rewrite the text with appositives.

Pepper spray is an effective weapon that can easily irritate the eyes and result in temporary blindness. Pepper spray is an organic based agent that comes from cayenne peppers. The spray will normally come in canister form, which is often small enough to be carried in a pocket.

## APPOSOTIVES WORKSHEET - Answers

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1. My mother lost her favorite ring. It was a gift from her great grandmother.  
My mother lost her favorite ring, a gift from her great grandmother.
2. The Han River flows through Seoul. It is South Korea's second longest river.  
The Han, South Korea's second longest river, flows through Seoul.
3. The first man in space was from Russia. He was Yuri Gagarin.  
The first man in space, Yuri Gagarin, was from Russia.
4. I sat beside Mr. Jones. He is a city policeman.  
I sat beside Mr. Jones, a city policeman.
5. Jack's dog sat beside a tree and panted. His dog is a big black mutt.  
Jack's dog, a big black mutt, sat beside a tree and panted.
6. Jenny loves to bake bread, cake and cookies. She is a prize-winning baker.  
Jenny, a prize-winning baker, loves to bake bread, cake and cookies.
7. I just purchased a house near Central Park. The house is a 30-year old duplex.  
I just purchased a house, a 30-year old duplex, near Central Park.
8. Polar bears are large and furry animals. They eat seals but not penguins.  
Polar bears, large and furry animals, eat seals but not penguins.
9. My grandfather's dog is a black poodle. It is cute. The dog loves to run and catch rubber balls.  
My grandfather's dog, a cute, black poodle, loves to run and catch rubber balls.
10. I watched a movie on the weekend. It was Frozen. It is my favorite movie.  
I watched my favourite movie on the weekend, Frozen.

## Part 2: Practice

Original:

Pepper spray is an effective weapon that can easily irritate the eyes and result in temporary blindness. Pepper spray is an organic based agent that comes from cayenne peppers. The spray will normally come in canister form, which is often small enough to be carried in a pocket.

Rewritten with appositives:

Pepper spray, an effective weapon, can easily irritate the eyes and result in temporary blindness. An organic based agent made from cayenne peppers, the spray is normally sold in a canister that is small enough to be carried in a pocket.