

punctuation

[ˌpʌŋktʃən(ə)n]

1. пунктуация
punctuation marks - знаки препинания
2. прерывание речи (*возгласами, аплодисментами и т. п.*)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

punc·tu·ation [punctuation punctuations] *BrE* [ˌpʌŋktʃuːeɪʃən] *NAmE*[ˌpʌŋktʃuːeɪʃən] **noun uncountable**

the marks used in writing that divide sentences and phrases; the system of using these marks

Word Origin:mid 17th cent.: from medieval Latin *punctuatio(n)-*, from the verb *punctuare*, from *punctum* 'a point'.**punctuation**

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the marks used to divide a piece of writing into sentences, phrases etc

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