

Commas: All Uses *Answer Key*

The following sentences are correct as written.

1. Because there were no important issues, people were not interested in the election.
2. We tried, however, to get everyone in our precinct to vote.
3. Voters, it seems, were interested mainly in economic issues.
4. Gladys Nolan, the chief of the United Fund Drive, broke her ankle when she went skiing.
5. Yes, we'll be glad to help with the project on March 15.
6. You should see the exhibit in Madrid, Spain, Betty.
7. The exam will be given May 10, 2001, in the library, and the paper is due on May 11, 2001.
8. The Grapes of Wrath, a novel by John Steinbeck, pictures life in Oklahoma and California in in the 1930s.
9. Atlanta, Georgia, is beautiful in the spring, yet the weather can be rainy.
10. Isn't it odd, Ellen, that he never even called?
11. Before the musical began, we rushed to buy a program.
12. I think, on the other hand, he may be right.
13. Yes, I'll go with you, but I can not stay very long.
14. Running down the hill, she slipped and fell.
15. John Smith, the most handsome guy in school, asked me to dance.
16. Because it had a defective tire, the SUV swerved off the road.
17. I fell and cut my chin because the sidewalk was covered with ice.
18. I went to the store and bought milk and bread.
19. The children ate cake, cookies, pizza, and fried apple pies.
20. She was a quiet, thoughtful woman.