

The ...  
My ... I ...

First... Then... Next.. So..  
Last... But... Another thing...  
The last time... Soon... At last...  
If... Another time... Because...

Another thing... After a while...  
Although... Afterwards...  
Before...Eventually... Sometimes...  
Often...

Never... Always... Besides... Even though... Before the/the  
Meanwhile... Before very long... However... In addition... Despite...  
An important thing... We always... If/then... I felt as... Although I  
had...I discovered... Having decided... I actually... Despite...  
Use of adjectives eg. The golden sun... The grumpy old man...

Use complex sentence structures appropriately.  
Vary sentence length and word order to keep the  
reader interested.

**Sentence Openers**

Age 5/6  
First.. So..  
because.. next..  
exciting.. afraid..  
lonely.. interesting..

Age 6/7  
beautiful.. awful.. enormous..  
fierce.. adventure.. accident..  
magic..

Age 7/8  
gigantic.. weird.. freezing.. quietly.. silently..  
bravely.. happiness.. joy.. sadness.. fear..  
transport...helter.. baggage.. companion.. vehicle..

Age 8/9  
thunderous.. fearful.. marvellous.. attractive.. generously.. echo..  
nervously.. worriedly.. patiently.. feelings.. courage.. experience..  
peak.. patience.. wasteland.. container.. furnishings.. robe..

Age 9/10  
sensitive/ly.. timid/ly.. aggressively.. imaginatively.. unfortunate.. murderous..  
echoing.. doubtful.. emotion.. anxiety... longing.. system..  
communication.. ingredient.. vibration.. prefer.. nourish.. demonstrate..

Age 10/11  
outstanding/ly.. tender/ly.. biological/ly.. formidable.. outspoken.. stern.. comical.. pathetic.. yearning..  
dwell.. dine.. progress(verb).. create.. adore.. foreboding.. speculation.. silhouette.. terrain.. apparel..

# Ambitious Vocabulary

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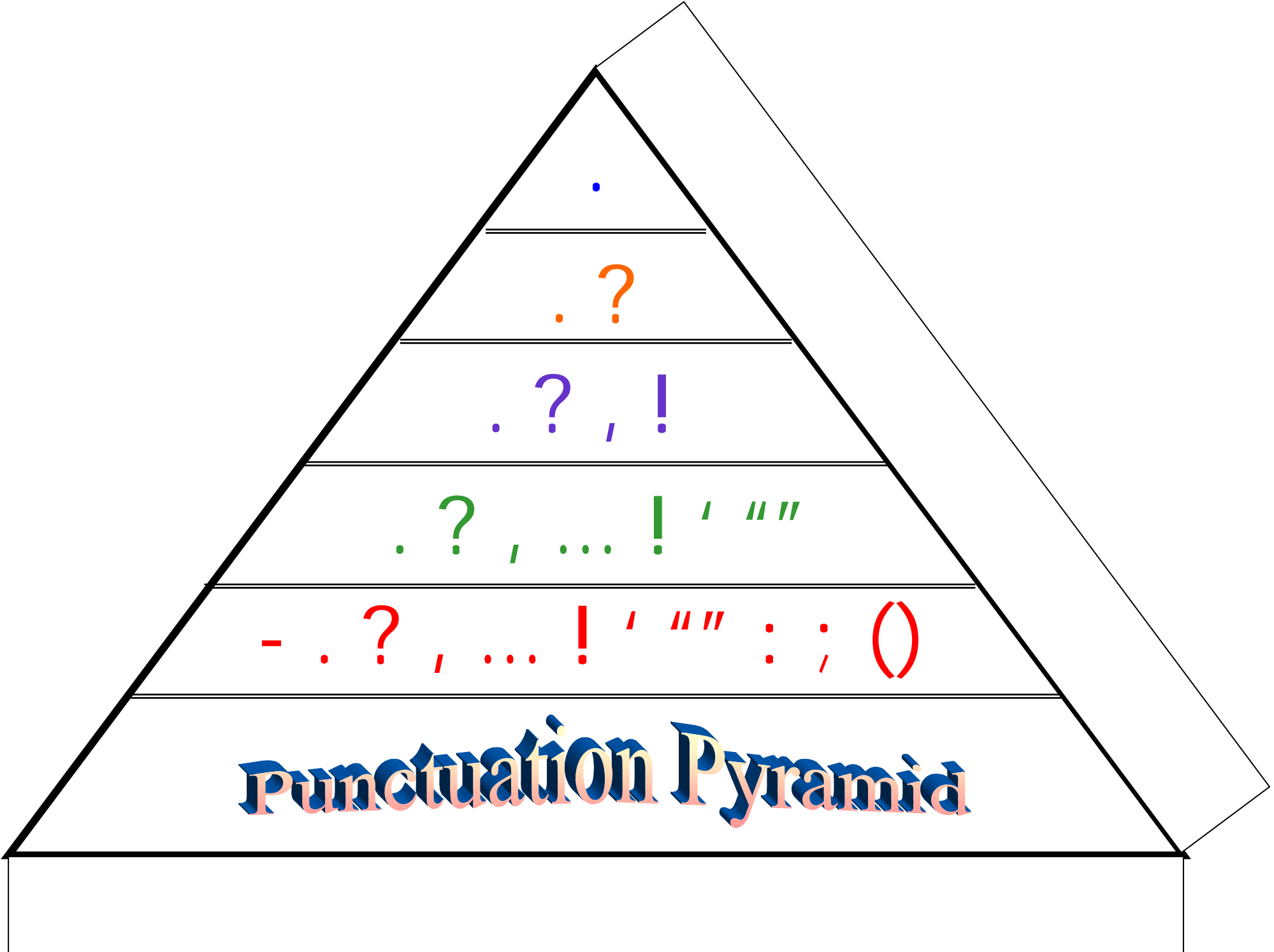
but so then  
when because

if after while as well as  
although however also besides  
even though nevertheless

in addition to contrary to despite so as to

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# Connectives Pyramid



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# Punctuation Pyramid