### Basic embedding activity

Put the following clauses and phrases into existing sentences in the right place.

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<th><strong>Existing sentences</strong></th>
<th><strong>Clauses and phrases</strong></th>
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<td>The girl was talking.</td>
<td>with the ribbon</td>
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<td>Russia is a country.</td>
<td>large and important</td>
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<td>I did not wear my coat yesterday.</td>
<td>although it was cold</td>
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<td>The dog chased the cat.</td>
<td>that was barking</td>
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<td>Albert wrote an important paper.</td>
<td>about energy</td>
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<td>The ball rolled before I could get it.</td>
<td>under the car</td>
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<td>The school is down the street.</td>
<td>where my mom works</td>
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### An advanced embedding activity: “Say More!”

**Directions:** Squeeze the following sentence parts into already existing sentences to make them “say more.”

**Example #1**

**Sentence parts:** with the beautiful hat, that had hopped all the way from the swing, next to the piece of paper, after finding the critical clue

**Sentences:**
- The girl was riding a bike.
- The pencil rolled on my desk.
- There was a frog on the slide.
- The detective determined the identity of the burglar.

**Example #2**

**Sentence parts:** instead of a period, when the boy was surprised, that the Governor should be impeached, between the words "if" and "you"

**Sentences:**
- I don’t agree with the politician’s opinion.
- Our teacher told us to write an exclamation point at the end of the sentence.
- The comma should be removed.

### Activities

- **Ordering a hamburger at a fast food restaurant with extras and/or without some condiments.**
- **Use conjunctions or relative pronouns to explain the rules for a favorite game.**
- **Write down the words ahead of time, and cross off as used.**

### Example Statements

- "I would like a hamburger with extra ketchup and no mustard."
- "Decide who goes first before you start."
- "You can pick up the card that the other person laid down."