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## \*Transformation of an exclamatory sentence into an assertive sentence

- What a wonderful opportunity! (exclamatory)
- **It is a wonderful opportunity. (assertive)**
- O that I were young again! (exclamatory)
- **I wish I were young again. (assertive)**
- How kind of you to help him like that! (exclamatory)
- **It is very kind of you to help him like that. (assertive)**
- How noble he is! (exclamatory)
- **He is truly noble. (assertive)**
- What a great pleasure it is! (exclamatory)
- **This is indeed a great pleasure. (assertive)**
- The moonlight sleeps upon this bank very sweetly.
- **How sweetly the moonlight sleeps upon this bank!**
- Night is very beautiful.
- **How beautiful the night is!**
- It was a wonderful sight.
- **What a wonderful sight it was!**
- Man is a wonderful piece of work.
- **What a piece of work man is!**

## \*Transformation of an interrogative sentence into an assertive sentence

- Is not wisdom better than riches? (interrogative)
- **Wisdom is better than riches. (assertive)**
- Why worry about what people say? (interrogative)
- **It is foolish to worry about what people say. (assertive)**
- Did I ever ask you to do it? (interrogative)
- **I never asked you to do it. (assertive)**
- Is there any sense in doing that? (interrogative)
- **There is no sense in doing that. (assertive)**
- What does it matter whether we win or lose? (interrogative)

- **It matters little whether we win or lose. (assertive)**

**\*Changing an imperative sentence into an interrogative sentence**

- **Stop talking. (imperative)**
- **Will you stop talking? (interrogative)**
- **Shut the door. (imperative)**
- **Will you shut the door? (interrogative)**
- **Please, get me a glass of water. (imperative)**
- **Will you, please, get me a glass of water? (interrogative)**
- **Get out of here. (imperative)**
- **Will you get out of here or not? (interrogative)**

**\*Change the following interrogative sentences into assertive sentences.**

- **Is this the kind of dress to wear to work?**
- **Is that the way a gentleman should behave?**
- **Who does not know the vulture?**
- **Can you gather grapes from thorns?**
- **Shall I ever forget that experience?**

**\*Answers**

- **This is not the kind of dress to wear to work.**
- **This is not the way a gentleman should behave.**
- **Everybody knows the vulture.**
- **You cannot gather grapes from thorns.**
- **I shall never forget that experience.**

