

Editing and Proofreading

A run-on sentence is when two sentences are joined by just a comma or by no punctuation at all. To fix a run-on sentence,

- use a period or a semicolon,
- use a comma and a coordinating conjunction, or
- use a subordinating conjunction or a relative pronoun.

Correct the errors and rewrite the following run-on sentences.

- 1) Jenna found a sandwich in the fridge, she was hungry, so she ate it, it was delicious! Her brother came home he saw she had eaten his sandwich. He got mad at her, he said he had planned to eat it later.

- 2) Walter couldn't decide if he wanted to learn how to play the guitar or the piano, he liked them both, he didn't have enough time for two classes. He thought the guitar was cooler, he finally settled on it.
