

## School House Rap – it –Up!

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**School House Rock** was used in the '70's to give small children a quick five minute lesson on important educational aspects. I remember vividly singing: "I am a bill, sitting on Capitol Hill," or "conjunction, junction, what's your function?". Below are the lyrics to the Interjection song.

(Cough! Cough! Cough!)

When Reginald was home with flu, uh-huh-huh,  
The doctor knew just what to do-hoo.  
He cured the infection  
With one small injection  
While Reginald uttered some interjections..

**Hey! That smarts!**

**Ouch! That hurts!**

**Yow! That's not fair givin' a guy a shot down there!**

Interjections (**Hey!**) show excitement (**Yow!**) or emotion (**Ouch!**).  
They're generally set apart from a sentence by an exclamation point,  
Or by a comma when the feeling's not as strong.

Though Geraldine played hard to get, uh-huh-huh  
Geraldo knew he'd woo her ye-het  
He showed his affection  
Despite her objections  
And Geraldine hollered some interjections...

**Well! You've got some nerve!**

**Oh! I've never been so insulted in all my life!**

**Hey! You're kinda cute!**

Interjections (**Well!**) show excitement (**Oh!**) or emotion (**Hey!**).  
They're generally set apart from a sentence by an exclamation point,  
Or by a comma when the feeling's not as strong.

So when you're happy (**Hurray!**) or sad (**Aw!**)  
Or frightened (**Eeeeeek!**) or mad (**Rats!**)  
Or excited (**Wow!**) or glad (**Hey!**)  
An interjection starts a sentence right.

The game was tied at seven all, uh-huh-huh,  
When Franklin found he had the ba-hall.  
He made a connection  
In the other direction,  
And the crowd starting shouting out interjections...

**Aw! You threw the wrong way!**

**Darn! You just lost the game!**

**Hurray! I'm for the other team!**

Interjections (**Aw!**) show excitement (**Darn!**) or emotion (**Hurray!**).  
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Interjections show excitement or emotion,  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah... YEA!

**Darn! That's the end!**

Your assignment is to modernize the old concepts of *School House Rock*. You are going to be creating a School House Rap, set to modern music, teaching young people about something you have learned this year. You can work in a group of four. Topic must be approved by the teacher and you must use 10 vocabulary words **correctly!** You must have at least five stanzas and a chorus! Look at the example above.

Worth **30** points! Have Fun!