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Use the checklist below to help you:

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- ,?! at the end of the speech
- full stop at the end of the sentence
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TASK 1: Be the teacher! Imagine you are marking the sentences below. Give each sentence a target e.g. Use a question mark for questions.

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- 2. "Thank you they said," to the lady.
- 3. "good bye," he said as he walked down the street.
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- 5. Come in she said, "the dinner is ready."

TASK 2: Edit and improve the speech sentences by correcting punctuation and making the sentences more interesting e.g. by adding split speech, adding more detail, adding character/setting description.