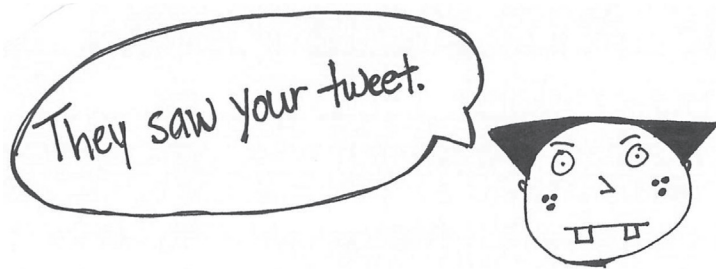


# Capitalize the first word in a quotation

Ex:



He whispered in her ear,

(1st word in quote)

"They saw your tweet."

## PRACTICE THE CONVERSATION:

**A:** Will you please read the sentence?

**B:** *He whispered in her ear, "They saw your tweet."*

**A:** Great. But why is the word *they* capitalized?

**B:** It's the beginning of the quote.

**A:** Yes, but it's not the beginning of the whole sentence.

**B:** True, but that doesn't matter. All quotes start with capital letters.

**A:** Aha. Nice work.

