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**camrymps** - November 11, 2013, 1:11 pm

I have two questions. One - I was wondering if there was a function to format grammatical errors in php. Say, for instance I do not put a space after a period, is there a function that is already incorporated in the language to fix that. And two - I am trying to do what I just said above (about the periods). I am trying to put a space after the periods in the following paragraph if there is not a space already after it:

Swingline 48207 Optima Grip Electric stapler, Jam Free Stapling, 20 Sheets Compact design lets you take reliable automatic stapling wherever you need it. Intuitive user control puts you in charge of either automatic or manually activated stapling. Includes stack height gauge and staple placement guides. Plug-in or battery operation.

**VipVince** - November 11, 2013, 1:14 pm

Not totally understanding your question, but the implode() function may be what you are looking for.

**camrymps** - November 11, 2013, 1:20 pm

Ok, implode. I would have to use an array for that right?

I got it:

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Code $string = implode(' ', explode('.', $string));  
Thanks VipVince!
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**Mafugsa Bob** - November 12, 2013, 5:01 am

PHP Code

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<?php  
str_replace(".", ". ", $string);
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Use str\_replace, replace \$string with the text you want to fix.