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Key stage 1

ENGLISH

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Grammar, punctuation and spelling

Paper 2: questions

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Practice questions

a. Which option is a **command**?

Tick **one**.

Throw the ball

You could throw the ball

Can we throw the ball

How big that ball is

b. The children rode their bikes.

Write the **present tense** of rode in the box.

1. Tick the word that completes the sentence.

You can join the red team _____ the green team.

Tick **one**.

because

but

or

when

2. Add the correct punctuation mark in the box below.

Are we going to the shops now

3. Tick the **adjective** in the sentence below.

Anna shut the heavy door in a hurry.

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4. Add two **full stops** in the correct places below.

Amir gave a picture to his sister Zara really
liked it

5. Tick one box to show where the **comma** should go in the sentence below.

We play with balls bats or hoops in the afternoon.

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6. What type of sentence is below?

A wild forest surrounded the castle.

Tick **one**.

a question

an exclamation

a statement

a command

7. Circle **one** word in the sentence below that can be replaced with the word **if**.

When it is cold, I wear a warm coat and
a hat.

8. **This** afternoon, we will play games outside.

Why does the word **This** start with a capital letter?

9. Tick to show which **two** options are **questions**.

Tick **two**.

What a hot day it is today

When you go, put your coat on

Where did I put my bag

How excited I am

How did you guess where I was hiding

10. Circle the **nOUN** in the sentence below.

The beautiful stars are shining brightly.

11. Which sentence should end with an **exclamation mark**?

Tick **one**.

What time does the match start

What a great goal he scored

How are you getting there

How did he score from there

12. Write one word, using an **apostrophe**, to show that the football belongs to Dom.

This is _____ football.

13. Write the **past tense** of the word **borrow** on the line below.

I _____ three books from the library.

14. Add an **apostrophe** to the sentence below in the correct place.

R i a w a s n t l a t e t o d a y .

15. What type of word is underlined in the sentence below?

Put the pens away neatly.

Tick **one**.

a noun

a verb

an adjective

an adverb

16. Circle the **verbs** in the sentence below.

Anna read a funny poem and everyone
laughed.

17. Tick one box in each row to show if the sentence is in the **past tense** or the **present tense**.

Sentence	Past tense	Present tense
Alex was planting some seeds.		
Alex planted some seeds.		
Alex is planting some seeds.		
Alex plants some seeds.		

18. Tick to show the correct **plural** ending for each underlined word.

Word	s	es
We put the <u>dish</u> on the table.		
We tied <u>ribbon</u> around the present.		
We took the <u>parcel</u> to the post office.		

19. Tick the sentence below that has a **noun phrase**.

Tick **one**.

He was sleepy and tired.

He wore a red jumper.

He wanted to be kind.

He was very excited.

20. Add **capital letters** and a **full stop** to correct the sentence below.

the pool is shut on fridays

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