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Key stage 1

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Grammar, punctuation and spelling

Paper 2: questions

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Practice questions

a. The punctuation mark is missing from the end of each of the sentences below.

Which sentence is a **command?**

Tick one.



Throw the ball



You could throw the ball



Can we throw the ball



How big that ball is

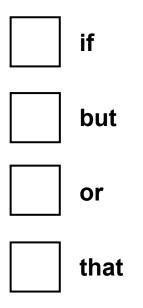
b. Circle the word in the sentence below that must have a **capital letter**.

my class is singing in assembly.

1. Tick the correct word to complete the sentence below.

I wanted to read my book ______ it was too dark.

Tick one.



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

Where are the pens and pencils

3. Circle **ONE** word in the sentence below that can be replaced with the word **because**.

Ava wore her sun hat when it was hot.

4. Add a **full stop** to mark the two sentences below.

My friend has a dog I have a cat and a goldfish.

5. What does the **apostrophe** in the word **Dean's** show?

Dean's new trainers are white.

Tick one.



The new trainers belong to Dean.



The word has some missing letters.



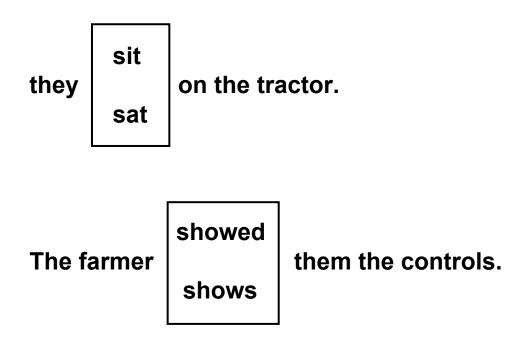
It shows a pause in the sentence.



Dean's is a plural word.

6. Circle one word in each box to complete the sentences in the **past tense**.

The children saw the farm animals and



Tick the **two** sentences that must end with a question mark.

Tick **two**.

7.

What a great time we had on the trip

Yesterday, I asked my friend to stay

Who has he invited to the party

Is anyone else coming today

When I get home, I will read my book





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

Dad wrote a **<u>short</u>** list before he went shopping.

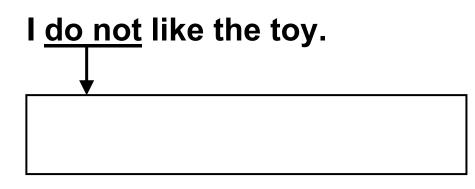
Tick **One**.

a verb
a noun
an adjective
an adverb

9. Add a **Suffix** to make the word **proud** an **adverb**.

Seth walked proud_____ across the stage.

10. Write the words <u>do not</u> as one word, using an apostrophe.



- 11. Add **two** commas to the sentence below in the correct places.
 - My teacher can understand English Polish Urdu and sign language.

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

Anita and her dad **<u>cleaned</u>** the car.

Tick one.



13. Add **two** letters to the word <u>finished</u> to make a word that means <u>not finished</u>.

The teacher told me to put

my _____finished work in the tray.

14. Add one **exclamation mark** in the correct place below.

How wet it is Will I need my wellies today?

15. Tick the sentence where the underlined word is a **NOUN**.

Tick **one**.



The **big** ball bounced over the gate.



Jo chased the ball across the **field**.



She **quickly** threw the ball to her friend.



Her friend kicked the ball.

16. Which sentence uses **capital letters** correctly?

Tick one.



Alice and I went to the Cinema.



Last month We visited Spain.



Hedgehogs come out at Night.



The weather was warm last Friday.

17. Add a **Suffix** to the word <u>COlOUr</u> to complete the sentence below.

The costume was very colour_____ with bright

red ribbons.

18. Write a **statement** using only the four words in the box.

Remember to use correct punctuation.

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19. The punctuation mark is missing from the end of each of the sentences below.

Which sentence is an **exclamation?**

Tick one.



Sasha, are you nearly ready



What are we going to do today



We need a packed lunch



What great fun we had

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