



1. Circle all the **prepositions** in the sentence below.

The energetic toddler charged through the room leaving a trail of destruction behind him.

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Give an antonym for <u>energetic</u>.

E.g. Lethargic





2. Which sentence uses the apostrophe correctly?

	Tick one
I've been given a bike for my birthday.	X
Iv'e been given a bike for my birthday.	2
Ive' been given a bike for my birthday.	3
Ive been giv'en a bike for my birthday.	4
	 1 mark

It shows where the letters are missing.

CHALLENGE: Why does the placement of the apostrophe matter?





3. Circle the two words in the sentence that are **synonyms** of each other.

Faisal charged past the creek heading deeper into the forest when a wild boar dashed across the path.

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Write an antonym for <u>deeper</u>.

E.g. shallower







4.	Change	the	following	statement	to a	question.
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Do not use any additional words. Remember to punctuate your answer correctly.

Romesh will arrive late tomorrow.

_____Will Romesh arrive late tomorrow?

1 mark

E.g. When will Miss Message move her hot tub outside?

CHALLENGE: Write a question which could have the answer <u>next week</u>.





1. Tick the pair of **verbs** that completes the sentence below.

The baker	the icing along the edges of the cake as he
the tu	rntable around.
	Tick one

piped	spun	x

spins

piping

pipes spinning 3

1 mark

The baker pipes the icing along the edges of the cake as he spins the turntable around.

<u>CHALLENGE</u>: Rewrite the sentence in the simple present tense.







2. Insert a pair of dashes in the correct place in the sentence below.

Mrs Collins - my favourite teacher from primary school - travelled over 50 miles to attend my

graduation!

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Give a synonym for <u>favourite</u>.

e.g. preferred





3. a) Write a sentence using the word <u>smell</u> as a verb .	
e.g. I can smell the flowers	
1 r	mark
b) Write a sentence using the word <u>smell</u> as a noun .	
e.g. The smell is disgusting.	

<u>CHALLENGE</u>: Write a question containing the word <u>smell</u>. e.g. What can I smell?

1 mark



4. Complete the sentence below by writing the **conjunctions** from the box in the correct places.

whilst until but

Whilst I am cooking dinner, you can do your homework
but you must not switch on the TV until

you have finished.

<u>CHALLENGE</u>: Which of the conjunctions above are subordinating conjunctions?

Whilst until





1. Insert a comma in the sentence below to make it clear that only the sharks and stingrays were in the tank.

Whilst we stood and watched the turtles, the sharks and stingrays swam around in a nearby tank.

Whilst we stood and watched, the turtles, the sharks and stingrays swam around in a nearby tank.

1 mark

<u>CHALLENGE</u>: Where should you insert commas to make it clear that <u>all</u> of the creatures were in the tank?





2. Complete the sentence below with an appropriate subordinating conjunction.

Before	he knew he wasn't
supposed	
to, Pedro ate the rest of the ca	ıke.
	1 mark

Pedro ate the rest of the cake.

<u>CHALLENGE</u>: Identify the main clause in the sentence above.

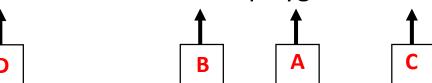




3. Write the correct label in each box.

Noun	Adjective	Adverb	Verb
A	В	С	D

Year 5 rushed out to the small playground excitedly.



1 mark

e.g. Year 5, who had just finished a test, rushed out to the small playground excitedly.

<u>CHALLENGE</u>: Add a relative clause to the sentence.





4. Tick **one** box in each row to show whether the underlined word is an **adjective** or an **adverb**.

Sentence	Adverb	Adjective
a) The docile koala ignored the tourists.		X
b) Soon, the grey clouds covered the sky.	X	
c) The chef was talented and effortlessly made a great dessert.		х

a) e.g. The fast car won the race.

1 mark

b) e.g. The man ran fast.

CHALLENGE: Write a sentence using <u>fast</u> as: a) an adjective b) an adverb.





1. Which **verb form** completes the sentence below?

Whilst she	in the woods, she got lost.		
		Ti	ck one
	has walked		1
	is walking		2
	had walked		3
	was walking		X
		_ 1	mark

Whilst she was walking in the deep, dark woods, she got lost.

<u>CHALLENGE</u>: Add two adjectives to the sentence above.





2. Which sentence uses dashes correctly?

	Tick one
Zara practised for many days – but she still – missed.	1
Zara – practised for many days – but she still missed.	2
Zara practised – for many days – but she still missed.	X
Zara practised for many days but – she still missed.	4
	 1 mark

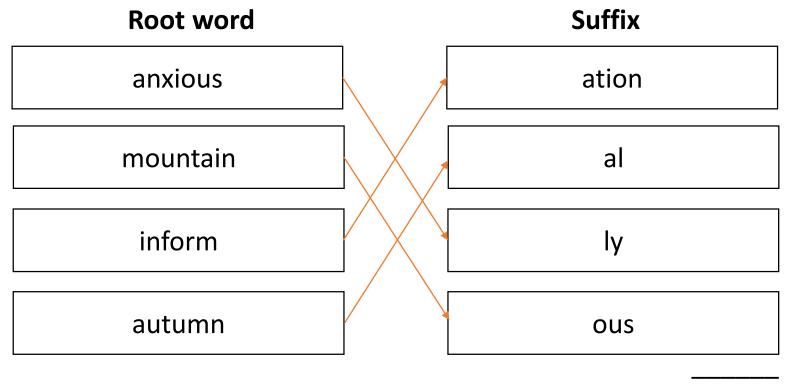
Additional information (NOT the punctuation)

CHALLENGE: What does parenthesis mean?





3. Match the **suffixes** to the **root words** to create four new words.



1 mark

<u>CHALLENGE</u>: How many other words can you create by adding prefixes and suffixes to the root words? Eg informally informed informal





4. Tick the option which should be written as **two sentences**.

	Tick one
Nobody remembered their umbrellas so we all got wet.	1
The car pulled over <u>and</u> a glamorous lady got out.	2
The owl swooped down from the sky he caught a mouse.	X
I walked to the park to meet a friend.	4
	 1 mark

<u>CHALLENGE</u>: Underline any conjunctions in the sentences above.





Tick one

1. Tick the sentence below that uses **commas** correctly.

	TICK OHE
I have one brother, two sisters a hamster, and some stick insects.	1
I have one brother two sisters, a hamster and some stick insects.	2
I have one brother, two sisters, a hamster and some stick insects.	X
I have one brother, two sisters, a hamster, and some stick insects.	4
	 1 mark

<u>CHALLENGE</u>: Write <u>I have</u> as a contraction. I've





2. Tick one box in each row to show the word class of the underlined word.

Sentence	Noun	Verb	Adjective
a) It is important to <u>try</u> your best.		X	
b) It was the best <u>film</u> I have seen so far.	X		
c) The young athlete played best after lunch.			X

1 mark





3. Write a **noun phrase** containing at least three words to complete the sentence below.

____A mysterious man______ was seen at the landing site.

1 mark

<u>CHALLENGE</u>: Identify the longest noun phrase in the following sentence: The grumpy man dropped his worn, woolly scarf.





4. Tick the two sentences that are most likely to end with an exclamation mark.

	Tick two
I need to leave now	1
How beautifully she sings	X
What is the weather like today	3
Stop that immediately	X
	 1 mark

How beautifully she sings is an exclamation, Stop that immediately is a command. (I need to leave now is a statement, and what is the weather like today is a question.)

CHALLENGE: Explain the reasons for your two choices.