SATs-Style Questions

Cut along the lines to provide children with different questions.

1. What is the **function** of the following sentences?

   How amazing! _____

   The swimming pool was freezing. _____

   What is your dog's name? _____

   Put your books away now. _____ (1 mark)

2. Tick **one** box in each row to show whether the sentence is a **statement**, a **question** or a **command**.

Sentence	Statement	Question	Command
In summer, many fruits grow			
Will you plant any vegetables this year			
Pull out the weeds before sowing the seeds			
The greenhouse is overflowing with tomatoes			

   (1 mark)

3. Turn this question into a **statement** using exactly the same words.

   Will you visit Mark later?

   _____

   (1 mark)

4. Draw a line to match each sentence to its correct **function**. Use each function box only **once**.

Sentence	Function
I hope we have fun on holiday this year	command
Where are you going on holiday	question
What a fantastic time we had on holiday	statement
Pack your case carefully	exclamation

(1 mark)

5. Tick the sentences that must end in a **full stop.** Tick **two.**
   ○ What a beautiful sunset
   ○ There are so many colours in the sky
   ○ Have you ever seen such a sight
   ○ I hope the sunrise is as magnificent in the morning

(1 mark)

6. Tick the sentences that must end in a **question mark**. Tick **two.**
   ○ Tomorrow, we are meeting at the bowling alley
   ○ Would you like a burger or pizza
   ○ I'll order the food when I book the bowling lanes
   ○ You'll meet me at the bowling alley, won't you

(1 mark)

7. Turn this statement into a **question** using exactly the same words.

   Jamal will eat later.

   _____

(1 mark)

8. Which of these statements is true of **commands**? Tick **two**.
   ○ End with a question mark.
   ○ Give an instruction.
   ○ Have an answer.
   ○ Usually end with a full stop.

   (1 mark)

9. Tick the sentences that must end in an **exclamation mark**. Tick **two**.
   ○ What an amazing garden
   ○ I've never seen so many beautiful flowers
   ○ How many roses are growing in your garden
   ○ How quickly they've grown

   (1 mark)

10. Turn this statement into an **exclamation** sentence. Remember to punctuate your sentence correctly.

    You have cool new trainers.

    _____

    (1 mark)

SATs-Style Questions **Answers**

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The swimming pool was freezing.	**statement**
What is your dog's name?	**question**
Put your books away now.	**command**

(1 mark)

2. Tick **one** box in each row to show whether the sentence is a **statement**, a **question** or a **command**.

Sentence	Statement	Question	Command
In summer, many fruits grow	✓		
Will you plant any vegetables this year		✓	
Pull out the weeds before sowing the seeds			✓
The greenhouse is overflowing with tomatoes	✓		

(1 mark)
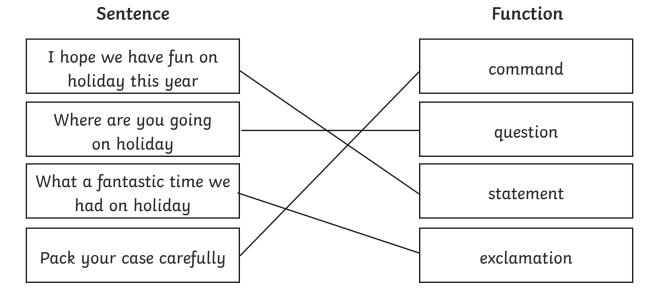
3. Turn this question into a **statement** using exactly the same words.

Will you visit Mark later?

Award 1 mark for 'You will visit Mark later.'

(1 mark)

4. Draw a line to match each sentence to its correct **function**. Use each function box only **once**.

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7. Turn this statement into a **question** using exactly the same words.

   Jamal will eat later.

   Award 1 mark for 'Will Jamal eat later?'

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(1 mark)

10. Turn this statement into an **exclamation** sentence. Remember to punctuate your sentence correctly.

You have cool new trainers.
Award 1 mark for an appropriate, grammatically correct and accurately punctuated sentence, e.g. What cool new trainers you have!

(1 mark)