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Add a possessive pronoun:

The girl, who was very interested in science, had been given a white lab coat - it was _____ to keep.



a

A prefix word in each of these sentences is incorrect. Rewrite the prefix words correctly.

The dishonest man had made an illegal transaction at the bank.

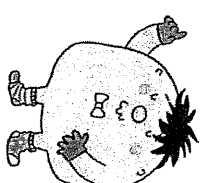
The autobiography had been written in a very informal tone.

c

Mr Whoops has made **three**

clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentences. Can you underline them and correct them?

I have a sergous problem with my new washing mashine. I may need an electritian to fix it.



e

Rewrite this sentence with the adverbial at the beginning.

Mandeep watered her bean plant very carefully.



b

If this is the answer, what was the question?

Usually, at the weekends.

Spaghetti bolognaise.

d

Circle the error in this sentence:

The driver was lost and weren't sure which direction to go.

How would you correct it?

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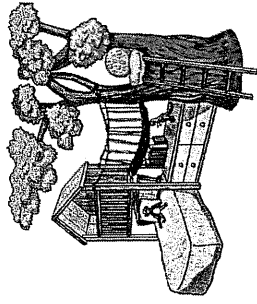
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a

Rewrite this sentence with an added fronted adverbial. Then, circle the relative pronoun in this sentence?

Kayden had a bed that looked like a treehouse.



b

Can you think of a word that ends in the sound /shuhl/ that matches this definition?

not real

top secret

c

Explain why this possessive apostrophe sentence is incorrect.

The familys' holiday was now booked.



d

Tick to show whether the underlined word is being used as an adverb or an adjective.

Sentence	Adverb	Adjective
The woman looked <u>angry</u> .		
The <u>lovely</u> teacher praised her class.		

e

Choose the correct form of the verb 'to have' to fit into these sentences.

Today, Darcie and Oscar _____ been learning about Greek mythology.

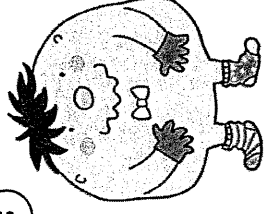
Last month, Max _____ the best time at scout cub camp.

Florence's guinea pig _____ the softest fur.

f

Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Y5 spelling words- can you spot what it is?

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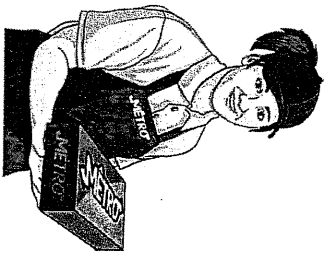
d _____

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Can you rewrite the reported sentence below as direct speech?

a



The sandwich shop worker asked politely what she could help the customer with.

Write a sentence using the word 'march' as a verb.

b

Write a suitable conjunction in the gap to complete the following sentence.

c

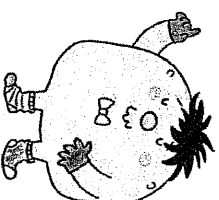
The children still played the football match _____ it

was raining.

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two modal verbs. Can you help him to unjumble them?

d

odluhs tghim



Underline the relative clause and circle the modal verb in the following sentence:

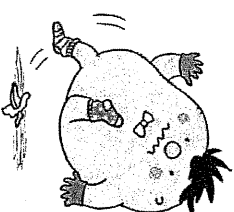
e

Ostriches, which are one of the few flightless birds, can run up to 70 kilometres per hour.



Write an exclamation sentence about the picture.

f



Write a question sentence about the picture.

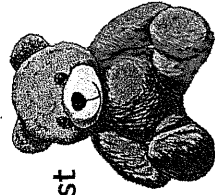
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a

Add brackets around the parenthesis in this sentence.

The teddy bear had been lost for a long time almost three months before someone found it under the bed.



c

Which two homophone words do you think are missing from these sentences?

The children performed the poem _____ to the class.

Liam was not _____ to watch the scary film.

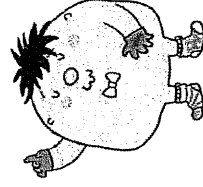
d

Mr Whoops has got in a terrible muddle adding the word endings -cious and -tious. Can you help him?

mali _____

infec _____

conten _____



b

Circle the verb that shows the past tense in each sentence below.

In Greece, we were very happy by the side of the pool.

The flight there though was rather tiring.

The weather in Greece is usually dry and very warm although one day it rained for several hours.

e

Tick the sentence that uses 'since' as a conjunction.

Since the early ages, people had told stories of mythical creatures. ☐

Saint George reached for his sword since the dragon was approaching quickly. ☐

Since Harry Potter became popular, many more authors have tried to write children's fiction with fantastical beasts as characters. ☐

f

Find one word that can complete both sentences below. Tick the sentence that uses the word as an adjective.

The family lived in a top-floor _____ ☐

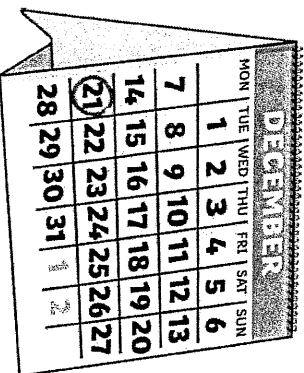
The _____, reflective surface of the pond made it look like a mirror. ☐

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Add a comma in the correct places in this sentence and underline the relative pronoun.

Georgia was looking forward to December 21st which was the day she was leaving for Lapland.



Circle the conjunctions in the sentences below.

When Susan fell off the swing, she grazed her knee.

Grandpa Joe leapt with joy because Charlie now owned the chocolate factory.

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up his verb suffixes. Which suffix belongs to each root word?

final

ify

solid

ise

design

ate

Tick all the sentences that contain an adverb of possibility:

Cassie could be named star of the week.

☐

Surely, you must agree with me?

☐

They certainly are a special group of people.

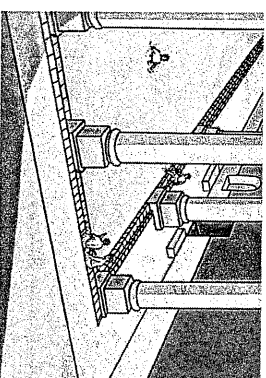
☐

Now, use a different adverb of possibility in a present progressive sentence.

Insert ONE comma in the correct place in each sentence below:

In ancient Roman times only men were allowed to attend the public baths.

Unfortunately women were not permitted within the building.



'Light' can be used as a verb and a noun. Write a sentence where 'light' is used as a verb.

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a

Can you add modal verbs in the following sentence?

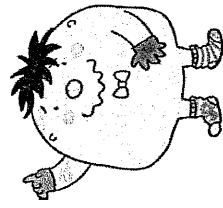


The Olympic swimmer _____ break the 200m breaststroke world record this year; she believes she _____ do it.

c

Poor Mr Whoops can't work out whether to add the word endings 'able' or 'ible'. Can you help him with these words?

consider _____
flex _____
convert _____



b

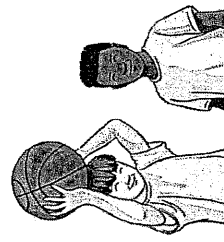
Circle all of the nouns in the sentence below.

When making the mask, Safina carefully cut out the shape of eyes and a mouth.

d

Rewrite this sentence so that it includes a time adverbial at the beginning of the sentence. Don't forget a comma!

The boys played basketball.



e

Rewrite the sentence below in the simple present tense.

Roland, the plumber, fitted the new sink.

f

Can you think of an adverb of possibility and an adjective beginning with...

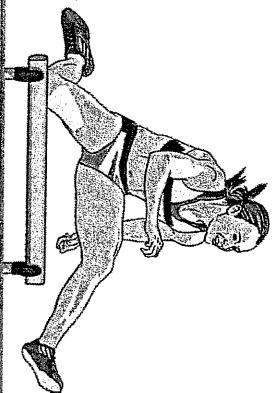
	adverb of possibility	adjective	past tense verb
the letter s?			
the letter d?			

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4

Place dashes around the parenthesis in this sentence.

Jessica Ennis-Hill the Olympic athlete won her gold medal on Super Saturday.



a

Clumsy Mr

Whoops has lost some opposite words. Can you help him?



probable

necessary

c

Can you think of the word to match each definition?

(CLUE: They both contain a 'y' that sounds like an 'i')

The country ruled by Tutankhamen.

A puzzling situation. _____

e

Write TWO different adverbs that describe the verbs in these sentences.

The hungry dog ate _____.

The ferocious tiger growled _____.

b

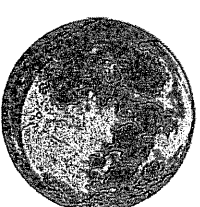
Can you think of a modal verb, an adverb and a proper noun beginning with...

	modal verb	adverb	proper noun
The letter c?			
The letter m?			

d

Rewrite the sentence so that the subordinate clause is at the beginning. Don't forget the correct punctuation.

Neil Armstrong bounced off to explore the Moon's surface after planting his flag.



f



a
Circle the TWO modal verbs in the sentences:

James knew he could win the game but Anna thought she might beat him!

d
Write the co-ordinating conjunction that fits best into each sentence:

Diane likes chocolate _____ she adores pizza.

Chris knew the answer _____ he wrote it confidently.

b

Can you write a pair of homophones to match the clues?

Cutlery is often made of this material.

To take something without permission.

The gangway down the middle of a plane.

An island. _____

c

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up TWO relative pronoun words. Can you help him to unjumble them?

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e

Sort these words into the word class table:

the should after inside ten below may firstly

modal verbs	prepositions	adverbs	determiners

f

'Answer' can be used as a verb and a noun. Write a sentence where 'answer' is used as a verb.

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Add two possessive pronouns in the following sentence:

"Get off the dinosaur! It's _____ and not _____!"
bellowed Henry as he
snatched back the toy.



a

Write these homophone words in the correct sentences:

allowed aloud

Because of his bad behaviour,
Luke wasn't _____ to go to
the party.

Victoria confidently read her
poem _____ to the class.

c

Sort these words into the table:

which later who soon

relative pronoun	adverb

Add another word to each column.

e

Complete these present perfect sentences using the correct form of the verbs:

Even though I _____ eaten
my dinner, I still feel hungry.

When it _____ been raining
outside, we have to wear our
wellies.

b

Mr Whoops has got in a
terrible muddle turning these
nouns into verbs using the
suffixes 'ify' or 'ise'. Can you
help him?

legal - _____

simple - _____



d

Rewrite the sentence below in Standard English.

The children couldn't find no more eggs. They
would of been better looking in the bushes.



f

a

Can you place brackets (parenthesis)

around additional detail in this sentence?

Saint George the patron saint
of England famously defeated
a dragon.



b

Can you think of the -cious or -tious word
to match this definition?

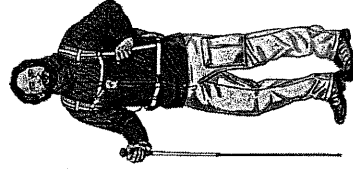
Very healthy to eat Acting in a guilty way

n _____ s _____

c

Are you ready to go hiking, Max?

Can you write Claire's words into
a direct speech sentence that uses
inverted commas?



d

Choose TWO different adverbs of possibility that best fit in these
sentences:

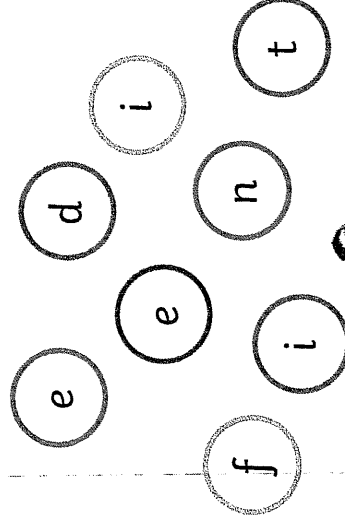
The sky had turned pitch black and it was _____ going to rain.

Because the game is so expensive, I _____ can't afford to buy it.

f

Mr Whoops has been juggling with the
letters from one of his Y5 spelling words -
can you spot what it is?

d _____



e

Choose the
correct form
of the verb 'to go'
to fit into these
sentences.

We'll _____
to the shopping
centre later.

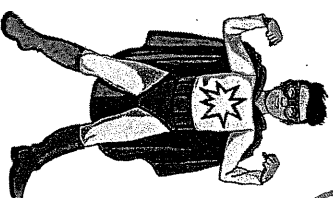
I'm _____
shopping
tomorrow.

Last Saturday,
I _____
shopping.

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Write a sentence about the superhero Laser Vision Man that contains a modal verb and a fronted adverbial. Underline them.



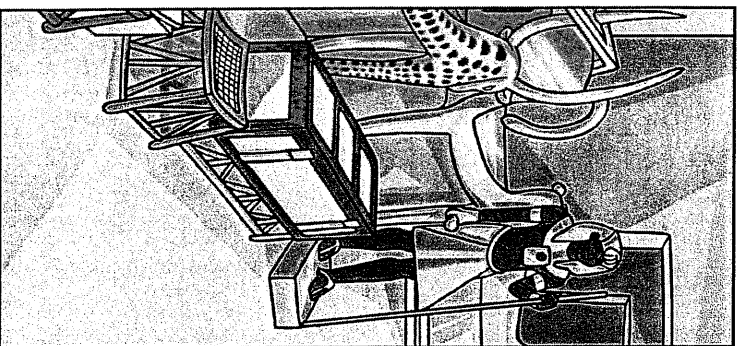
a

Rewrite the sentences and add in the relative pronouns and punctuation that is missing.

Class 12 went to a museum had an Ancient Egyptian exhibition.

Joe was one of the tour guides showed us around.

b



Do these root words need im- or in- prefixes to make a word with the opposite meaning?

_____ capable

_____ proper

c

Do these phrases need 'a' or 'an' as a determiner in front of them?

_____ unlucky

_____ pale colour

_____ honest man

d

Mr Whoops has made THREE clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentences. Can you underline them and correct them?

There was a sudden shrieking noise at the cemetery and Josh's stumach dropped to the floor. Just a second later, the temprature dropped.

e



Can you change these adjectives into adverbs?

considerable – _____

incredible – _____

f

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a
Add an appropriate relative clause to this sentence adding in the correct punctuation.

The magician

_____ was

performing at a birthday party.



c
Circle both of the adverbs in this sentence.

Tomorrow, Gita will proudly represent her athletics club in the county competition.

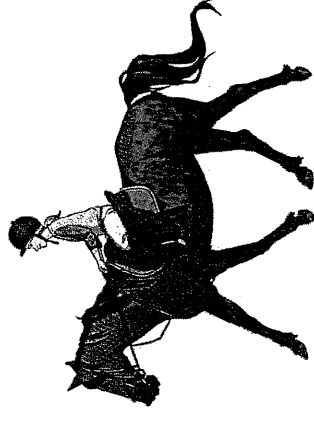
e
Can you think of the silent letter word to match the definition?

A piece of land surrounded by water.

A medieval soldier that wore armour. _____

f
Rearrange this sentence so that it has a fronted adverbial. Don't forget the correct punctuation.

The racehorses picked up speed to try to win the race as they neared the finish line.



d
Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled two adjectives that he uses to describe his fantastic yet naughty new puppy. Can you help him to unjumble them?

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b
Look at the choices of words within the brackets. Circle the correct word to fit the sentence.

Shivering and cold, the children tried to block the (draft/ draught) that was coming from under the door.

The businesswomen had made a sizable (prophet/profit) on her investment.

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Add dashes around the parenthesis in this sentence.

More than 300,000 dominoes were knocked down in one domino rally a new world record by a man from China.



a

Write these homophone words in the correct sentences:

draught draft

The was a strong _____ coming through the open window.

The student wasn't happy with the first _____ of the assignment so he began to edit it.

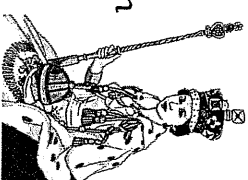
b

Tick all the sentences where 'until' is used as a conjunction.

☐ Until sunset, the children played out in the garden.

☐ Until she became our reigning

monarch, The Queen was known as Princess Elizabeth.



☐ Roald Dahl was the best-selling children's author until his sales were overtaken by J.K. Rowling.

c

Mr Whoops has got in a terrible muddle adding the suffixes '-ance' and '-ence'. Can you help him?

brilliant _____

confident _____

tolerant _____

d

What does the root word cent mean in the word family below? Tick one: percentage centimetre century

☐ breaking down into parts

☐ mathematical

☐ a hundred

☐ in a group

Can you think of another word that belong in the same word family? _____

e

Write out the sentences again using correct Standard English.

Velma seen her friends at the shopping centre.

I been to the restaurant with my parents.

f

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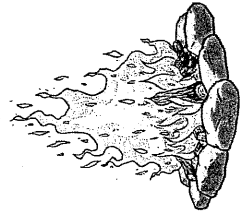


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a

Add commas in the correct places in this sentence and underline the relative pronoun:



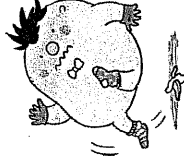
The campfire which was now burning brightly had taken two hours to light.

c

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two determiners.

Can you help him to unjumble them?

vryee yanm



d

Write the subordinating conjunction that fits best into each sentence:

The cyclist now took more care on his bike rides _____ he had his accident.

_____ they drove to their destination, the family played I-Spy.

b

Circle the modal verbs in these sentences:

The student might pass the test if he works harder.
Sabena will go to the party tonight.
Connor must complete his homework later.

e

Insert **one** comma in the correct place in each sentence below:

Trudging wearily the exhausted mountaineer made it to the top of the cliff.

Deep inside the cave the family of bears slept soundly.



f

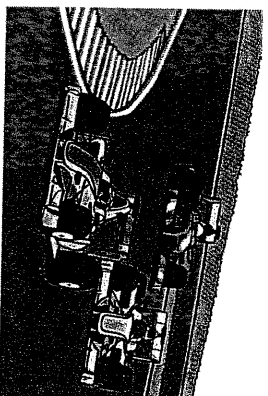
'Object' can be used as a verb and a noun. Write a sentence where 'object' is used as a verb.

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4

a Can you add modal verbs in the following sentence?

The green car _____ win the championship if he _____ just stay in front of the following pack.



b Circle all the determiners in the sentence.

During the night, the fox crept into the garden.

d Can you think of an adverb of possibility, an adjective and a past tense verb beginning with...

	the letter p?	the letter c?
adverb of possibility		
adjective		
past tense verb		

f Add appropriate punctuation to show the parenthesis in this sentence.

Tom Daley the Olympic bronze medallist is a great role model for young people in society.




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a

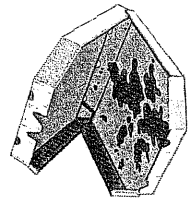
Add a possessive pronoun:



The children were thrilled that the idea that had been chosen for the final product was _____.

b

Rewrite this sentence with the adverbial phrase at the beginning.



There wasn't one piece of pizza left after the sleepover party.

c

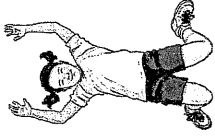
A prefix word in each of these sentences is incorrect. Rewrite the prefix words correctly.

The training session being cancelled was very inconvenient.

The hospital needed to find the circumdote for the snake venom.

d

Tick **all** the sentences written in the past progressive tense:



Millie was jumping during the PE lesson. ☐

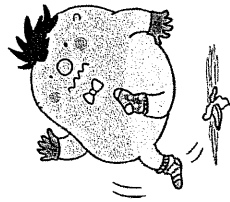
In the future, she hoped to be an Olympic gymnast. ☐

The 9-year-old was always climbing on the bars at the park. ☐

e

Mr Whoops has made three clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentences. Can you underline them and correct them?

I had to cue at the accident and emergency department because I had fallen ackwardly and damaged my shoalder.



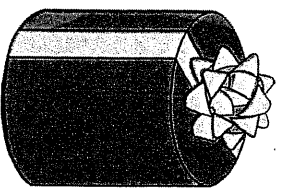
f

Choose 'a' or 'an' as determiners in this sentence:

From the charity shop, I bought _____ old-fashioned suitcase, _____ fancy dress costume and _____ unicorn ornament.

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Can you circle the relative pronoun in this sentence and add any extra punctuation needed to demarcate the relative clause?

The beautifully-wrapped present was a present for Harry whose birthday was tomorrow.

a

Can you think of a word that ends in either -ible or -able that match these definitions?

fragile/able to be broken

able to be seen/in your line of sight

b

Choose the correct form of the verb 'to do' to fit into these sentences.

The boys had _____ a very kind thing by volunteering at the school fayre.

"Everything I _____ seems to end in disaster!" cried the gloomy man.

Last year, I _____ a tour of the islands of Greece.

c

Explain why this plural possessive apostrophe sentence is incorrect. Rewrite it correctly.

The peoples' beliefs were all different but that is what made them all unique and special.

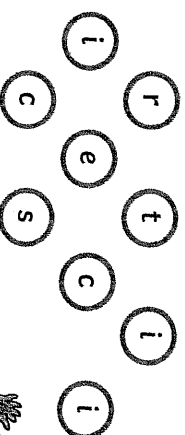
d

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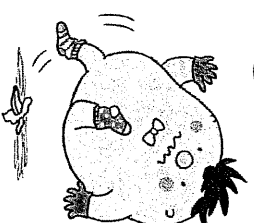
Sentence	Adverb	Adjective
The racing driver drove the car <u>fast</u> .		
The helicopter flew <u>low</u> over the trees.		

e

Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Year 5 spelling words. Can you spot what it is?



c _____

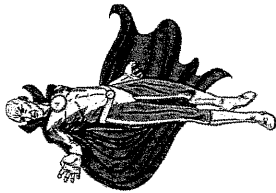


f

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1

a



Can you write
pantomime villain's
words in a direct speech
sentence with the
reporting clause before
the inverted commas?

**The pantomime villain said
that he had a cunning plan and
chuckled slyly.**

b

Write a sentence using the
commonly-confused homophone
word 'stationary'.

c

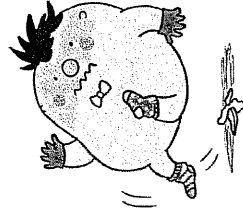
**Local Man Captures Escaped
Tiger in His Pyjamas!**

Why is this headline ambiguous?

d

Mr Whoops has accidentally
jumbled up three words containing
silent letters. Can you help him
unjumble it?

oslenm isletht



e

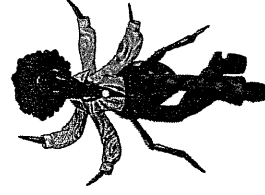
Underline the **adverb of possibility** or
modal verb in the following sentences,
and say what type of word it is.

1. **After a fantastic election speech,**
Yasmina was surely going to be chosen
as the new school councillor.

2. **As his floor was covered in dirty clothes,**
Joey ought to go and tidy his room.

f

Insert commas around the relative
clause in this sentence and underline
the relative pronoun.



**The disco spider who was
wearing flared trousers
and platform shoes
partied relentlessly on
the dance floor.**

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6

Add a modal verb to the following sentence.

Due to the hot weather, Polly _____
eat her ice cream quick enough.



a

Write these homophone words in the correct sentences.

(miner / minor)

The hardworking _____ was digging on the coal face.

The engineer had a _____ problem with his machinery.

c

Complete this present perfect sentence using the correct form of the verb:

Mr Brown _____ been the school caretaker for almost twenty-five years.

The twins _____ baked a cake for their mum's birthday.

b

Sort these words into the table:

possessive pronoun	adverb

their soon perhaps ours

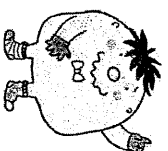
Add another word to each column.

e

Mr Whoops has got in a terrible muddle with his -ant and -ent suffixes. Can you help him add a suffix to these root words to create an adjective?

independence

ignorance



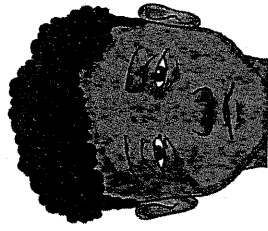
d

Rewrite the sentences below in Standard English.

I seen you yesterday as you was getting off the bus. I was in town taking back the faulty phone what I bought.

f

a
Add commas around the relative clause in this sentence:



Adam who had terrible hay fever couldn't stop sneezing.

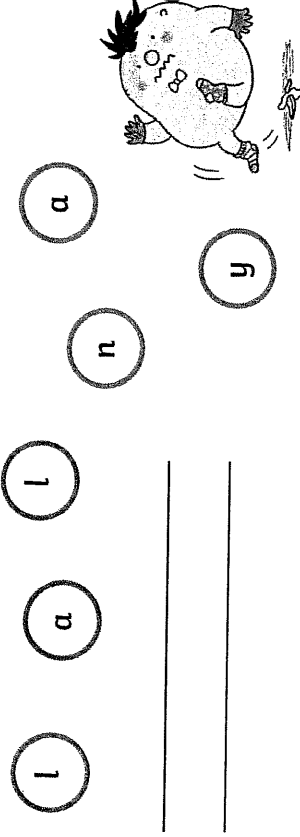
d
Write the subordinating conjunction that fits best into each sentence:

Georgina took a deep breath _____ she dived into the pool.
_____ he slipped on the ice, Jeremy needed his ankle bandaged.

b
Can you write the past tense of these words?



c
Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up **two** determiners. Can you help him to unjumble them?



e
Write two words into each section of this table:

adjectives	pronouns	proper nouns

f
'Balance' can be used as a verb and a noun. Write a sentence where 'balance' is used as a noun.

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4

Add a modal verb to the following sentence:

Nadia was learning sign language so that she _____ communicate with her friend.



a

Write **two** different adverbs that describe the verb in the sentence.

Wicked Mr Twit sniggered _____ at his latest trick.

Tim Peake, the British astronaut, _____ accepted his award from the Queen.

b

Can you think of a relative pronoun, a verb and an adjective beginning with...

	Relative pronoun	Verb	Adjective
...the letter W?			
...the letter T?			

d

Can you think of the word to match the definition?

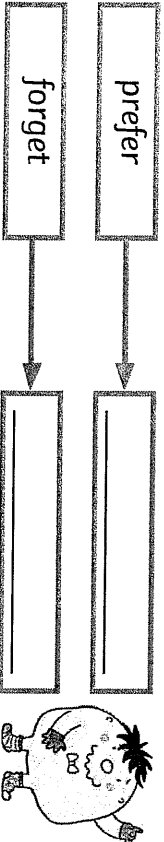
(Clue: They are all words with an 'i' sound spelt with a 'y')

A legendary story _____ Words to a song _____

A religious song _____

e

Clumsy Mr Whoops has forgotten the rule about the suffix '-ing'. Can you help him with these words?



c

Rewrite the sentence so that the subordinate clause is at the beginning. Don't forget the correct punctuation.

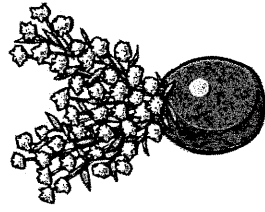
Rosie and Susan went on the teacups for the fifth time although they were feeling a little sick.



f

Add a possessive pronoun.

Nancy was very flattered and surprised that the flowers were _____.



a

Can you place the plural possessive apostrophe in the correct place within this sentence:

The geeses wings flapped gracefully as they set off on their journey.



d

Write a sentence about this picture with the adverb at the beginning. Don't forget the appropriate punctuation!

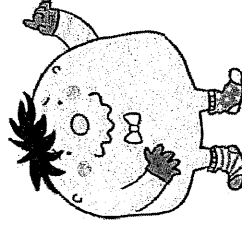
The Chinese performers did the Dance of the Nine Dragons along the street.



b

Mr Whoops has made three spelling mistakes in his sentence. Can you underline and correct them?

As he entered the foriegn country, the passport control officer checked Mr Whoop's identitty. The officer immediatally let him through.



e

Add the prefix dis- or mis- to these root words to make a word with the opposite meaning.

_____ loyal _____ print

c

Can you change these adjectives into adverbs?

magical → _____

official → _____

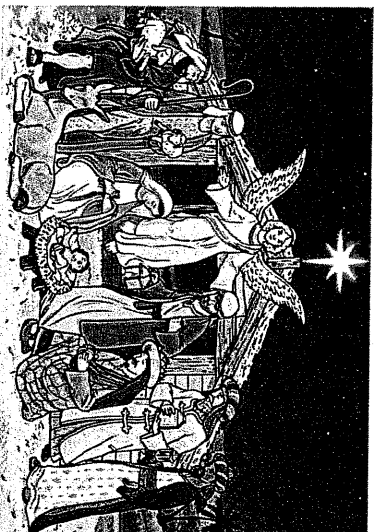
f

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1

Underline the parenthesis in this sentence and add some appropriate punctuation marks.

Baby Jesus who was laid in a manger had many special visitors.



a

Look at these homophone words. Circle the correct word to fit the sentence.

The Olympians (rowed / rode / road) successfully into the coxless four final.

Despite being thrown from her horse, the jockey (rowed / rode / road) to the finish.

Now write a complex sentence using the remaining homophone.

b

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two year 5 spelling words. Can you help him to unjumble them?



(Clue: They are both adverbs!)

s e p e l l i a c y

e n i c r y l e s

d

Stolen Painting Found By Tree!

Why is this newspaper headline ambiguous?

c

Can you add appropriate adverbs of possibility to these sentences?

I am _____ coming to your party - I wouldn't miss it for the world!

e

Underline the subordinate clause in this sentence.

Suddenly, Peter's palms were covered in thick fur after the full moon appeared.

f



a
Add appropriate punctuation around the parenthesis in this sentence.

He finally answered after taking almost a minute to think that he did not understand the question.



c
Write these homophone words in the correct sentences:

vain vein

My _____ older brother spends most of his time doing his hair in the bathroom mirror.

The nurse at the blood donation clinic inserted the needle into the donor's _____.

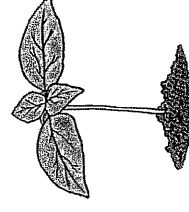
e
Tick all the sentences where 'before' is used as a conjunction.

I always call at the newsagents before school. ☐

Before he left, David put on his thick coat. ☐

Liam went before Jill in the queue for dinner. ☐

f
Write a sentence about the bean plant that contains a fronted adverbial and an adjective. Underline them.



d
Mr Whoops has got in a terrible muddle with his suffixes to create adjectives. Can you help him add a different suffix each time to these root words to create an adjective?

comfort → _____

self → _____

use → _____

b
Write out the sentences again using the correct Standard English.

Sam dranked all of his milkshake in one go.

She stirred the cake mixture really good.

Year 5 Spring Term 1

5

Add commas in the correct places in this sentence and underline the relative pronoun:

Fun Land which has only been open three months has around 10 000 visitors every week.



a

Circle the modal verbs in these sentences:

Yasmin might win the fancy dress competition.

Gary should feed his pet goldfish tonight.

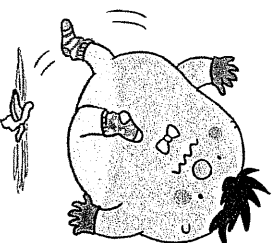
Cameron will do his homework before tea.

b

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two pronouns. Can you help him to unjumble them?

rthie

mlh



c

Write the subordinating conjunction that fits best into each sentence:

_____ they are potentially harmful, x-rays help to diagnose many medical conditions.

The school team carried on training _____ it pouring with rain.

d

Write two words into each section of this table:

adverbs of possibility	
adjectives	
determiners	

e

'Thunder' can be used as a verb and a noun. Write a sentence where 'thunder' is used as a noun.

f

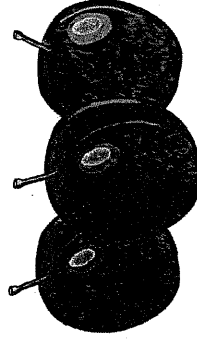
Add modal verbs in the following sentence:

The crime scene investigator _____
 _____ find some vital evidence
 and then he _____
 charge the man in custody.



Circle all the determiners in the sentence.

Three ripe plums fell from the tree.



Can you think of the words to match the definitions?

(Clue: They are all words with an 'ei' letter pattern.)

To be sent something _____
 The top of a room _____
 Meat and fish are good sources of this _____

Can you think of an adverb of frequency, a verb and a preposition beginning with...

the letter r?		
adverb of frequency	verb	preposition
the letter o?		
adverb of frequency	verb	preposition

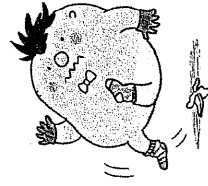
Rewrite the sentence so that the subordinate clause is at the beginning. Don't forget the correct punctuation.

Ramesh and Jennifer emptied out their picnic basket before they started eating.

Poor Mr Whoops can't work out whether to add 'cious' or 'tious'.

Can you help him with these words?

ambi _____
 deli _____
 ficti _____

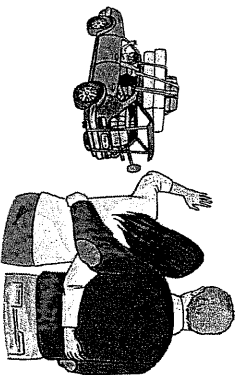


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3

Add a possessive pronoun:

Bobby packed up everything that was _____ and set off for a new life at university.



a

A prefix word in each of these

sentences is incorrect. Rewrite the prefix words correctly.

It is inappropriate to talk back to an adult.

The stolen trophy was ilreplaceable.

c

Mr Whoops has made three

clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentences. Can you underline them and correct them?

As I'm now head coach, I tried hard to cumunicate the nessecary information to my team. If they follow my strict training programme, we can win the league.

e

Rewrite this sentence with the adverbial at the beginning.

Lucy measured her height every few weeks.

b

Rewrite each sentence in the tense shown in brackets.

We look after my neighbour's pet snake. (present progressive)

Last night, the snake escape. (past perfect)

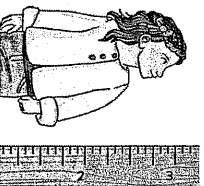
d

Choose 'a' or 'an' as determiners in these sentences:

When she grows up, my sister wants to be either _____ acrobat or _____ ballerina.

She gives me _____ headache talking about it.

f



Year 5 Spring Term 1

1

a

Can you rewrite the sentence below as direct speech?

The shop assistant told him that the cost was six pounds exactly.



c

Students Cook & Serve Grandparents!

Why is this newspaper headline ambiguous?

e

Underline the adverb of possibility or modal verb in the following sentences and say what type of word you have underlined.

a) Bridget might be able to attend the party.

b) Perhaps Joe had lost his wallet when he was at the shopping centre.

b

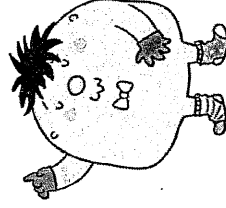
Write a sentence using the commonly-confused homophone word 'practise'.

d

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two words containing the 'ough' letter string. Can you help him unjumble them?

loguhath

goulph



f

Insert commas around the relative clause in this sentence and underline the relative pronoun.

The war veterans who were now all in their eighties paraded proudly down the street.

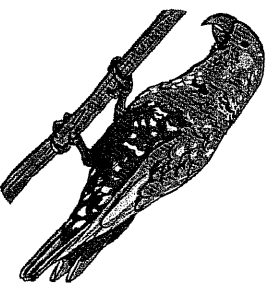


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2

a Can you circle the relative pronoun in this sentence and add commas around the relative clause?

The kaka parrot which had brightly coloured plumage perched high up in the rainforest canopy.



c Explain why this plural possessive apostrophe sentence is incorrect.

The pupil's lessons were much more interesting now that they had a new teacher.

b Can you think of a word that ends in either -cial or -tial that match these definitions?

Absolutely necessary

Top secret!

d Tick to show whether the underlined word is being used as an adverb or an adjective.

Sentence	Adverb	Adjective
The fisherman pulled <u>hard</u> at his line.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
It was a <u>direct</u> flight to Greece.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

e Choose the correct form of the verb 'to have' to fit into these sentences.

Later today, we are _____ a party for my Grandma's 65th birthday.

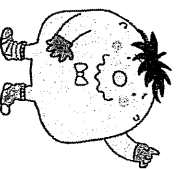
The boys _____ a fantastic time at cub scout camp.

My friends all _____ very different personalities.

f Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Y5 spelling words. Can you spot what it is?

- r
- i
- t
- e
- a
- v
- g

v _____



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1

a

Add a fronted adverbial to this sentence and the appropriate punctuation.

Dad prepared some delicious, home-made pancakes.



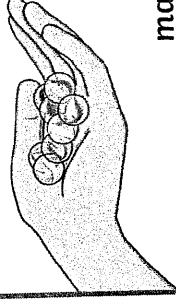
b

Look at the choices of words within the brackets. Circle the correct word to fit the sentence:

The head teacher had invited a mystery (guessed/ guest) to today's assembly. Because of his unruly behaviour, Jeremy was not (aloud/ allowed) out of the house today.

c

Add a determiner to this sentence.



Carys held _____ marbles in her hand.

f

Underline the subordinate clause in this sentence:

As it was a ferocious beast, the chimera was feared by many Greek people.



e

Can you think of a word spelt with a silent letter to match the definition:

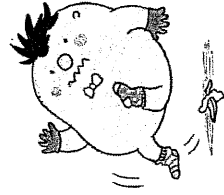
A baby sheep

To question whether something is correct

d

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two Y5 spelling words. Can you help him to unjumble them? (CLUE: They are both body parts!)

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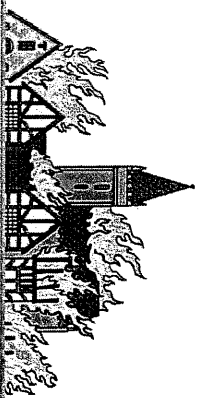


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2

a Can you place commas around the relative clause in this sentence:

The Great Fire of London which started on Pudding Lane destroyed many buildings in England's capital city.



d Circle the pronouns in these sentences:

We live at number 18 Greenwood Road.

He bought a new dog.



b Can you think of the -ough words to match these definitions?

You bake it to turn it into bread

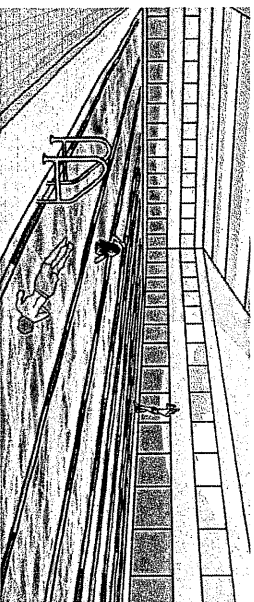
Zero _____

e Choose the correct form of the verb 'to be' to fit into these sentences.

Today, we _____ going swimming.

Just a moment ago, the birds _____ singing in the trees.

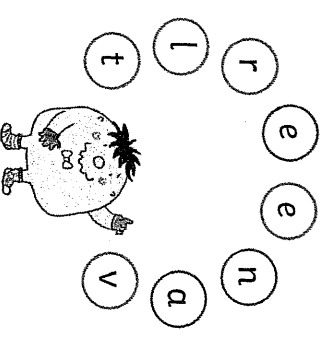
Yesterday, I _____ at school all day.



c I'm Ronald Rock from The Daily Gazette. Can you write the reporter's words into a direct speech sentence that uses inverted commas?



f Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Y5 spelling words- can you spot what it is?



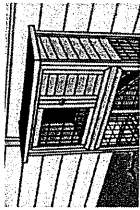
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3

a
Add a possessive pronoun:

Mopsy and Topsy have a new hutch.

It is _____.



c

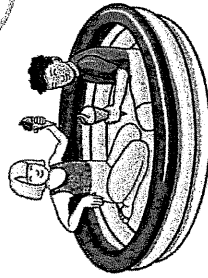
Do these root words need il- or im- prefixes to make a word with the opposite meaning?

_____ mature

_____ legible

b

Rewrite this sentence with the adverbial at the beginning. Don't forget the appropriate punctuation!

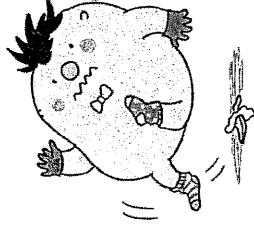


Libby and Isaac always play in their paddling pool during the summer holidays.

e

Mr Whoops has made THREE clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentences. Can you underline them and correct them?

Remembrance Day is an important event where we remember and appreciate the soljiers that lost their lives in battle. Often, people wear poppies as a symbol of respect.



f

Can you change these adjectives into adverbs?

crazy _____

idle _____

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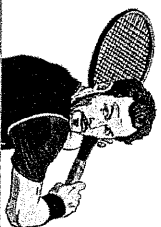
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Can you add a modal verb in the following sentence:

If he plays well, Andy Murray

_____ win the next

Grand Slam tennis tournament.

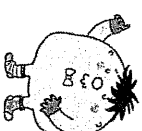


a

Clumsy Mr Whoops has lost some opposite words. Can you help him using prefixes?

mature

regular



c

Can you think of a preposition, a verb and a collective noun beginning with...

d

	preposition	verb	collective noun
the letter b?			
the letter f?			

Can you think of the word to match the definition?

(CLUE: They contain a 'ch' that sounds like a 'k')

A bounced back sound _____

A place to go to get medicines _____

A person in a book or film _____

e

Write TWO different adverbs that describe the verb in the sentence.

b

Furious that the doorbell had woken him, Larry answered the

door _____.

Jumping for joy, the actress collected her award _____.

f

Rewrite the sentence so that the subordinate clause is at the beginning. Don't forget the correct punctuation.

Adam went on the biggest slide in the water park since he was feeling brave.

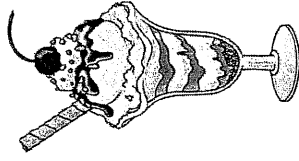


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5

a
Add a modal verb to the following sentence:

I _____ eat all of the gigantic ice cream sundae.



c
Write these homophone words in the correct sentences:

morning mourning

Yesterday _____, I went to football training.

After the tragic accident, the grieving widow was in _____.

b
Complete these present perfect sentences using the correct form of the verbs:

Mrs Green _____ lived next door for 20 years.

We _____ finished our school project.

d
Mr Whoops has got in a terrible muddle with his verb prefixes. Can you help him add a prefix to these root words?



connect _____

inform _____

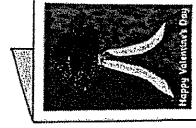
e
Sort these words into the table:

pronoun	verb

you went am his
Add another word to each column.

f
Rewrite the sentence below in Standard English.

Alex didn't get none Valentine's cards. He should of got his mum to send him one!

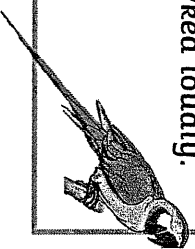


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6

Add an appropriate fronted adverbial to this sentence followed by the appropriate punctuation mark:

the rainbow parrot squawked loudly.



Can you write a 'can' word to match these definitions?

A person who plays a musical instrument. _____

A person who performs tricks for a living. _____

A person who solves equations. _____

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up THREE determiners. Can you help him to unjumble them?

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Write the subordinating conjunction that fits best into each sentence:

_____ climbing the tallest tree, the chimpanzee swung in the high branches.

Brecon United lost the match _____ most of the players were injured.

Write two words into each section of this table:

prepositions	adverbs	determiners

'Fly' can be used as a verb and a noun. Write a sentence where 'fly' is used as a noun.

