

Day 1 - questions

1. Draw a line to match each sentence with the correct **determiner**.

1) Lisa had ____ amazing time at netball.

the

2) I have ____ really nasty cold.

an

3) The class voted for ____ best performance.

a

1 mark

**CHALLENGE: How do you know whether to use a or an before a word?
What is the rule?**

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2. Explain the difference between the **simple past tense** and the **past progressive tense**.

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Write a sentence for each tense to support your answer.

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3. Draw lines to match each sentence with the most appropriate **conjunction**. Use each conjunction only **once**.

1) For dinner, I would like lamb _____
new potatoes.

whilst

2) _____ the film was very long, it
was still brilliant.

although

3) She pulled the cord _____ she was
hurtling through the sky.

and

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Write your own version of the first sentence, including a list of things that you would like to eat for dinner.

Day 2 - questions

1. Add a prefix to the beginning of each word listed below to form its **antonym**.

_____ correct

_____ behave

_____ possible

_____ clockwise

_____ agree

_____ fair

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Create an adverb from any of the words above.

Day 2 - questions

2. Tick the box which correctly identifies this **sentence type**.

Chop down all the overhanging branches.

Tick **one**

question

1

statement

2

command

3

exclamation

4

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Which word in the sentence above has a prefix?

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3. Replace the underlined words with the correct **possessive pronoun**.

1) The backpack belongs to you. The backpack is _____ .

2) The newspaper belongs to the man. The newspaper is _____ .

3) That pen belongs to me. That pen is _____ .

1 mark

**CHALLENGE: Is although a subordinating or coordinating conjunction?
Explain your answer.**

Day 3 - questions

1. Rewrite the sentence below inserting the correct punctuation, including **inverted commas**.

mum asked how are you feeling

1 mark

CHALLENGE: How many different punctuation marks did you use in the sentence above?

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2. Tick the sentence that is most likely to end with an **exclamation mark**.

Tick **one**

What do insects eat

1

How many insects do birds eat in a day

2

What an unusual insect that is

3

How long is a bird's beak

4

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Write an exclamation sentence starting with the word how.

Day 3 - questions

3. Circle the **preposition** in the sentence below.

The tree had ivy wrapped around its trunk .

1 mark

CHALLENGE: How many nouns are there in the sentence above?

Day 4 - questions

1. Circle all the words that should start with a **capital letter** in the sentence below.

in April 1961 , yuri gagarin - a russian - was the first man in space.

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Identify the main clause in the sentence above.

Day 4 - questions

2. Circle the **adjectives** in the sentence below.

The old, weary man always rested at the shabby benches on his way to town.

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Find synonyms for all the adjectives used in the sentence above.

Day 4 - questions

3. Write one word on the line below to complete the sentence in the **past tense**.

I _____ my dinner.

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Complete the sentence in the present tense by only adding one word.

Day 5 - questions

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

Before lunchtime we tidied up the classroom.

↑
a

↑
b

↑
c

↑
d

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Underline the fronted adverbial.

Day 5 - questions

2. Draw lines to match each sentence with the most appropriate **conjunction**. Use each conjunction only **once**.

1) Yaz would like visit Australia _____
New Zealand.

after

2) I went to the shops _____ I had
walked my brother to the park.

or

3) She pulled her hair back _____ she
examined the petri dish.

as

1 mark

CHALLENGE: List five coordinating conjunctions.

Day 5 - questions

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

Zac has had a great season, so I expect him to win several trophies at the football tournament.

1 mark

CHALLENGE: Find a compound word in the sentence above.