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Grammar, punctuation and spelling

Paper 2: questions

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Practice questions

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

my class is singing in assembly.

- b. Tick **two** words that need **es** at the end to become plural.

Tick **two**.

class

☐

book

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torch

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door

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bag

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

Max had to put his coat on _____ it was cold outside.

Tick **one**.

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that

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because

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or

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but

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

I can see an unusual fish in the pond.

3. Tick the **suffix** that can be added to the word **entertain** to complete the sentence below.

The children enjoyed the entertain_____ in the Year 6 assembly.

Tick **one**.

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4. Tick the sentence that must end with a **question mark**.

Tick **one**.

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Milo thought the bus might be late

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Do you know where my shoes are

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Ron wonders what ducks eat

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I asked if I could finish my picture

5. Tick one box to show where a **comma** should go.

Marek saw donkeys cows and sheep at the farm.

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6. Circle the **adverb** in the sentence below.

The children quickly looked for a good place to sit.

7. Add one **full stop** in the correct place below.

My coat is bright yellow with shiny buttons I like wearing it.

8. Which word can have the letters un in front of it to make another word?

Tick **one**.

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talk

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shout

☐

do

☐

play

9. Add a different punctuation mark to complete the second sentence.

It is very hot today.

It is very hot today

10. Which sentence is written in the past tense?

Tick one.

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The weather forecast is for snow.

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The snow covers the trees.

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The boy made footprints in the snow.

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The snow turns to slush in the sun.

11. Write a different **suffix** on each line to complete Sam's and Katie's sentences.

Amy

I am a fast runner.

Sam

I am a fast _____
runner than you.

Katie

I am the fast _____
runner of all.

12. Tick the **noun** in the sentence below.

We baked a delicious cake and we ate it.

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13. Tick the **two** commands.

Tick **two**.

Blackberry pie tastes great.

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Fresh blackberries are best.

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Put them carefully in the dish.

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A topping makes it really special.

☐

Bake it in the oven.

☐

14. The sentences below have their punctuation marks covered.

Which sentence is an **exclamation**?

Tick **one**.

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We are cooking today ■

☐

What are we doing later ■

☐

What a fast runner she is ■

☐

Walk outside quietly ■

15. The verbs in the sentence below should all be in the **same tense**.

Circle one **verb** that needs to be changed.

The children closed their books, pack their bags and stood behind their chairs.

16. Which sentence is written in the **present tense**?

Tick **one**.

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I went for a long run.

☐

I was playing a game.

☐

I am watching television.

☐

I walked the dog today.

17. The fence **has not** been fixed.

Write the words **has not** as one word, using an apostrophe.

18. Circle the **verb** in the sentence below.

We went on a school visit.

19. Use only the words in the box below to write a question.

Remember to use correct punctuation.

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