

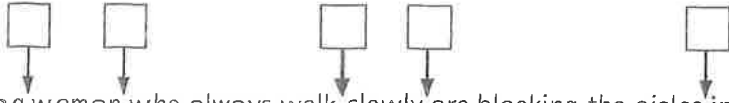
Tick the sentence that is punctuated correctly:

- "I'm so sorry," she said. "I was only trying to help".
- "I'm so sorry!" she said. "I was only trying to help!"
- I'm so sorry," she said, "I was only trying to help".
- "I'm so sorry," she said. "I was only trying to help."

1 P

1 mark

Put ticks in two of the boxes to show where commas should go in the sentence below:



The chattering women who always walk slowly are blocking the aisles in the supermarket.

2 P

1 mark

Choose a different connective to join each pair of sentences:

(a) The cat sat on the chair _____ the fire wasn't lit.

3(a) G

1 mark

(b) He sat there _____ the fire had warmed up the room.

3(b) G

1 mark

Underline the subordinate clause in this sentence:

Although it was raining, we still went out to play.

4 G

1 mark

(a) Write a word in the gap to complete the sentence below. Choose from:

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The sun had _____ shining for 15 hours before the rain started.

5(a) G

1 mark

(b) In the sentence above, circle all of the words in the verb phrase.

5(b) G

1 mark

Tick the sentence below that has the correct grammar:

- Myself and my sister won the competition.
- Me and my sister won the competition.
- My sister and I won the competition.
- My sister and me won the competition.

6 G

1 mark

Choose the best word to complete each of the sentences below:

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(a) "My father is an expert on steam trains," _____ George.

7(a) V

1 mark

(b) The money she earned from washing cars _____ Sally to buy a bike.

7(b) V

1 mark

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Total for this test

1 Tick the two sentences that are correctly punctuated:

- All of the children's toys are in the bedroom.
- All of the childrens' toys are in the bedroom.
- My three son's toys are in their bedroom.
- My three sons' toys are in their bedroom.

1 P
1 mark

2 Tick all the boxes that show where commas should be inserted:

(1) (2) (3) (4)

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 The children all three of them are very badly behaved.

2 P
1 mark

3 Use the sentence to complete the table.

My oldest son will be appearing in the school concert.

part of sentence	word or phrase
adjective	
verb	
preposition	

3 G
2 marks

4 Insert another verb in the gap in this sentence:

She _____ been feeling sick but now she was feeling much better.

4 G
1 mark

5 Draw lines to match the sentence beginnings to their correct endings:

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| The cat sat on the mat unless | he had a nice new cat basket. |
| The cat sat on the mat although | the dog was there before him. |
| The cat sat on the mat and therefore | he could be nearer the fire. |
| The cat sat on the mat in order that | didn't notice how cold the floor was. |

5 G
2 marks

6 Write different articles in the gaps in this sentence:

In the distance I spied _____ elderly dog. As I drew closer, I saw that _____ dog was limping.

6 G
1 mark

7 Cross out the incorrect homophone in each of these sentences:

- (a) You need a lot of practice / practise to get this right.
- (b) Let me give you some good advice / advise.

7 V
2 marks

/10
Total for this test

1 Edit the text below using punctuation to make the meaning clear:

Out Now New Interactive Xoris is the toy of the future you can collect it swap it play with it and learn with it scan the base of the Xoris figure into your phone download the app and you can play virtual Xoris games with other Xoris fans around the globe

1 P
2 marks

2 Write a verb of three or more words to complete the following sentence:

While we were talking, Zak _____ taken to school.

2 G
1 mark

3 Rewrite this sentence as a passive:

Bullies were threatening the little boys.

3 G
1 mark

4 Combine the information in these sentences into one complex sentence that includes the word 'who':

Most important point: The black cat is my favourite cat.

Additional points: The black cat always sits on my homework.

The black cat is a nuisance.

4 G
2 marks

5 Write endings to these sentences which make sense of the connective:

Until the dog was in his basket _____

Although the dog was in his basket _____

As soon as the dog was in his basket _____

5 G
2 marks

6 If a permeable material allows all liquids to pass through it, what do you think a semipermeable material does?

6 V
1 mark

7 Circle the most appropriate word to use in the sentence below:

As they pushed their way across the glacier, they had to be aware of sudden _____ opening up.

- bridges voids crevices cavities

7 V
1 mark

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Total for this test