

Sentences

1 Read the sentence below. Tick **one** box to show the sentence's **function**.

The bus stop is at the end of the road

Tick **one** box.

- a statement
- an exclamation
- a command
- a question

1 mark

2 Write a **question** on the line below that begins with the word '**what**'.

What

1 mark

3 Look at the table below. Change the question into a **command**. Write the command in the right-hand column.

Question	Command
Will you buy the rabbit?	

1 mark

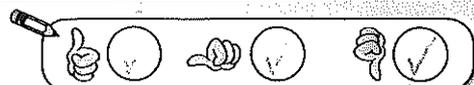
4 Read the sentences below. Tick the sentence which is an **exclamation**.

Tick **one** box.

- Come over here
- I'm riding my bike
- Where are you going
- What a loud noise that was

1 mark

"I can identify different types of sentences."



Clauses and Phrases

1 Read the sentences below. Underline the **main clause** in each sentence.

When he saw us, the otter swam away quickly.

You must do your chores, even though you don't want to.

I returned the jumper because it was too big.

Since it was Friday, Yasmin was allowed to stay up late.

1 mark

2 Look at the table below. Put a tick in each row to show whether the clause in **bold** is a **main clause** or a **subordinate clause**.

Sentence	Main clause	Subordinate clause
I took the dog for a walk before going to school.		
Although it was raining , we went to the beach.		
While we waited for the train, we chatted about our trip .		

1 mark

3 Read the sentence below.
What is '**until the train was empty**' an example of?

The passengers weren't allowed to get on until the train was empty.

Tick **one** box.

a subordinate clause

a noun phrase

an adverbial phrase

a main clause

1 mark

Clauses and Phrases

4

Read the sentence below.
Underline the longest **noun phrase** there is in the sentence.

The happy little bird flew around the garden.

1 mark

5

Read the sentences below.
Underline the **subordinate clause** in each sentence.

While I am on holiday, I go to bed later than usual.

I ate the whole cake although I soon felt sick.

Tristram joined a tennis club because he wanted to make new friends.

Since she had been caught, the robber confessed to her crime.

1 mark

6

Look at the table below. Add your own words before and after the noun to make your own **noun phrase**. One has already been done for you.

Noun	Noun phrase
the watch	the gold watch on my wrist
the dog	

1 mark

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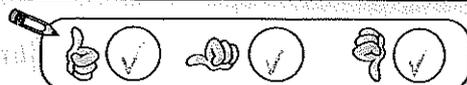
Rewrite the sentence below so it starts with the **adverbial**. Only use the words from the sentence, and make sure you use correct punctuation.

We're going to buy some sweets after school.

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1 mark

"I can identify different clauses and phrases."



Conjunctions

1

Read the sentences below.

Choose a **conjunction** from the box to fill each gap and write it on the line.
You can only use each conjunction **once**.

and but while

Pari went to the school disco, Omar felt too unwell to go.

Yesterday, Joe went to the park to the shopping centre.

Juliette's dad cooked dinner her mum was at the dentist.

1 mark

2

Read the sentences below.

Circle all the **conjunctions**.

We should stay inside so we don't get wet. It will be sunny again

soon and we will continue our walk, but the ground may still be wet.

1 mark

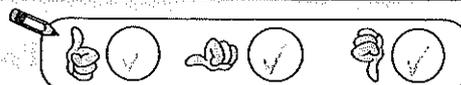
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Put a tick in each row of the table below to show whether the conjunction in bold is a **co-ordinating conjunction** or **subordinating conjunction**.

Sentence	Co-ordinating conjunction	Subordinating conjunction
Joey plays the violin and Lily plays the trombone.		
The class enjoyed the book because it was funny.		
We could go bowling or to the cinema.		

1 mark

"I can link ideas together using conjunctions."



Active and Passive

1

Read the sentences below.
Tick the sentence which is written in the **active voice**.

Tick **one** box.

An assembly was called by the headmaster.

He talked about helping others.

A bake sale was organised by Year 6.

The money raised was donated by the school.

1 mark

2

Read the sentences below.
Tick a box in each row to show whether the sentence
is written in the **passive voice** or the **active voice**.

Sentence	Passive	Active
The eggs were whisked by the chef.		
My bedroom is often very cold in the winter.		
The article was written by a famous scientist.		

1 mark

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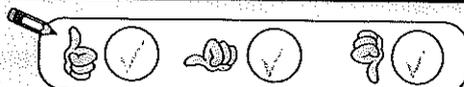
Rewrite the sentence below so that it is in the **passive voice**. Use
the words from the sentence, and add extra words where appropriate.

Ellis watered the plant.

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1 mark

"I can identify active and passive sentences."



Tenses

1

Read the sentences below.

Tick the sentence which is written in the **present tense**.

Tick **one** box.

The dogs slept in the kitchen or outside the house.

Georgia told Niall about her holiday in France.

That coat in the window is not for sale.

Before the concert, we had dinner with our friends.

1 mark

2

Read the passage below. Change all the underlined verbs from the **present tense** to the **simple past tense**. One has been done for you.

At lunchtime, Jim, Lucy and I play football in the playground.



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Marco asks to play with us. He joins Lucy's team as the goalkeeper.





Lucy and Marco win the game, but we'll win next time.



1 mark

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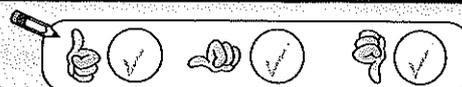
Read the passage below. Underline the verb form that is in the **present perfect**.

My hamster is called Butter. We got her two years ago.

She has lived in a cage in my bedroom ever since.

1 mark

"I can recognise and use different tenses."



Formal and Informal Writing

- 1 Read the sentence below. Replace the underlined word with a **more formal** word. Write the word in the box.

Mrs Daniels asked me to watch the younger kids.

1 mark

- 2 Read the sentences below. Tick the **two** sentences which are **formal**.

Tick **two** boxes.

I look forward to receiving your reply shortly.

The view is beautiful, isn't it?

My family usually remains at home for Christmas.

Nicole wasn't keen to go to the play.

1 mark

- 3 Look at the table below. Put a tick in each row to show whether each sentence is **formal** or **informal**.

Sentence	Formal	Informal
Crossing the road without looking is unwise.		
We'll go to the pool before breakfast, won't we?		
She wasn't on her way to the library.		

1 mark

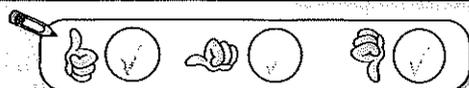
- 4 Rewrite the sentence below so that it is **more formal**.

Jane isn't going to the party.

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1 mark

"I can recognise formal and informal writing."



Standard and Non-Standard English

1

Read the sentences below. In each box, write a **Standard English form** of the word that is underlined.

Yesterday, we was helping my aunt paint her kitchen.

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We done all of the work easily, so we haven't got nothing to do now.

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1 mark

2

Read the sentences below. Complete the sentences using **Standard English** by circling one verb from each pair in brackets.

Claire and Lila (**goes / go**) to Australia on Saturday.

Peter (**saw / seen**) an excellent musical when he was in London.

Unfortunately, I haven't got (**none / any**) left.

1 mark

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Read the sentences below.
Tick the sentence that's written in **Standard English**.

Tick **one** box.

My brothers hadn't seen nobody.

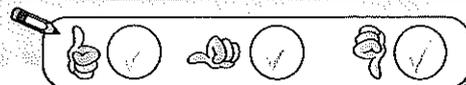
Finish your lunch quickly so we can play outside.

Cho threw the ball perfect into the net.

Rowan said he hadn't done nothing wrong.

1 mark

**"I know the difference between
Standard and non-Standard English."**



Answers

- Q6 It was raining **yesterday**, so we **reluctantly** cancelled the match. (1 mark)
- Q7 She said she **would** leave her house at lunchtime.
You **can** have a pudding when you finish your vegetables.
I know there **must** be a mop around here somewhere. (1 mark)
- Q8 After — B
her — A
the — C
enjoyable — D (1 mark)

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Sentences

- Q1 a statement (1 mark)
- Q2 *Example of a question beginning with 'what':*
What time is it? (1 mark)
- Q3 Buy the rabbit. (1 mark)
(This command could also end with an exclamation mark.)
- Q4 What a loud noise that was (1 mark)

Clauses and Phrases

- Q1 When he saw us, **the otter swam away quickly**.
You must do your chores, even though you don't want to.
I returned the jumper because it was too big.
Since it was Friday, **Yasmin was allowed to stay up late**. (1 mark)
- Q2 main clause
subordinate clause
main clause (1 mark)
- Q3 a subordinate clause (1 mark)
- Q4 The happy little bird (1 mark)

- Q5 **While I am on holiday**, I go to bed later than usual.
I ate the whole cake **although I soon felt sick**.
Tristram joined a tennis club **because he wanted to make new friends**.
Since she had been caught, the robber confessed to her crime. (1 mark)
- Q6 *Example of a noun phrase:*
the brown dog in the garden (1 mark)
- Q7 After school, we're going to buy some sweets. (1 mark)
(The adverbial must be followed by a comma.)

Conjunctions

- Q1 Pari went to the school disco, **but** Omar felt too unwell to go.
Yesterday, Joe went to the park **and** to the shopping centre.
Juliette's dad cooked dinner **while** her mum was at the dentist. (1 mark)
- Q2 We should stay inside **so** we don't get wet. It will be sunny again soon **and** we will continue our walk, **but** the ground may still be wet. (1 mark)
- Q3 co-ordinating conjunction
subordinating conjunction
co-ordinating conjunction (1 mark)

Active and Passive

- Q1 He talked about helping others. (1 mark)
- Q2 passive, active, passive (1 mark)
- Q3 The plant was watered by Ellis. (1 mark)

Tenses

- Q1 That coat in the window is not for sale. (1 mark)

- Q2 Marco **asked** to play with us. He **joined** Lucy's team as the goalkeeper. Lucy and Marco **won** the game, but we'll win next time. (1 mark)
- Q3 My hamster is called Butter. We got her two years ago. She **has lived** in a cage in my bedroom ever since. (1 mark)

Formal and Informal Writing

- Q1 children (1 mark)
- Q2 I look forward to receiving your reply shortly.
My family usually remains at home for Christmas. (1 mark)
- Q3 formal, informal, informal (1 mark)
- Q4 *Example of a possible answer:* Jane is not going to the party. (1 mark)

Standard and Non-Standard English

- Q1 Yesterday, we **were** helping my aunt paint her kitchen. We **did** all of the work easily, so we haven't got **anything** to do now. (1 mark)
- Q2 go, saw, any (1 mark)
- Q3 Finish your lunch quickly so we can play outside. (1 mark)

Mixed Practice

- Q1 Although we won the game, **we thanked the other team**.
Lisa showed me her story while Jan was busy in the kitchen.
My mum made me stay at home because I felt unwell. (1 mark)
- Q2 Bring your work here — command
Which cake did you want — question
My house is on the next road — statement
How wonderful the show was — exclamation (1 mark)

