Key stage 2

English grammar, punctuation and spelling

Paper 1: questions

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Instructions

Questions and answers

There are different types of question for you to answer in different ways. The space for your answer shows you what type of answer is needed. Write your answer in the space provided. Do not write over any barcodes.

Multiple-choice answers

For some questions, you do not need to do any writing. Read the instructions carefully so that you know how to answer each question.

Short answers

Some questions are followed by a line or a box. This shows that you need to write a word, a few words or a sentence.

Marks

The number under each line at the side of the page tells you the number of marks available for each question.

You should work through the booklet until you are asked to stop.

Work as quickly and as carefully as you can. If you finish before the end, go back and check your work.

You have 45 minutes to answer the questions in this booklet.



Although he was the youngest Tom was one of the tallest.

Which sentence must end with a question mark?

	Tick one .
What happened that day might never be known	
What really happened that day	
Someone must know what really happened that day	
I'd like to know what happened that day	/





The prefix <u>re-</u> can be added to the root word <u>play</u> to make the word **replay**.

Tick the meaning of the word **replay**.



1 mark

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Tick **one** box in each row to show whether the sentence is a **question**, a **statement** or a **command**.

Sentence	Question	Statement	Command
In autumn, many trees lose their leaves			
Look at the trees carefully			
Scientists are studying how trees can live for thousands of years			
How can you tell a tree's age			



Add two **commas** to the sentence below to make it clear that Ana has four favourite things.

Ana's favourite things are camping holidays cycling and swimming.

Tick the **adverb** in the sentence below.

Tick one.

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The lively crowd cheered loudly when the rally car race began.





Insert a pair of commas in the correct place in the sentence below.

My father who works at the museum gave my class a guided tour.

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1 mark

8 Which sentence is grammatically correct? Tick one. Tomorrow we went shopping at the sales. In three weeks' time, I will be on holiday. Next weekend, we had gone to the river to fish. Last summer, we swim at the beach and collect seashells.



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Which verb is a **synonym** of the verb <u>produce</u>?

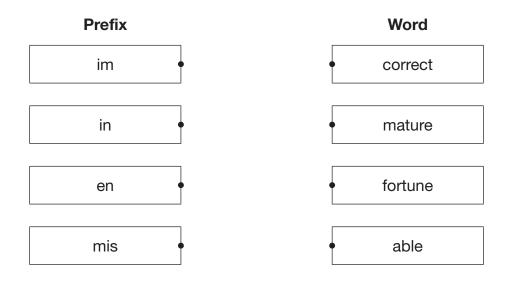
	Tick one .
make	
buy	
sell	
trade	

10	Which sentence is a command ?		
	٢	Гіск one .	
	You should bring a coat.		
	You will need a coat in case it rains.		
	I am going to bring a coat.		
	Bring a coat in case it rains.		 1 mark



Draw a line to match each **prefix** to a word to make **four** different words. Use each prefix only once.

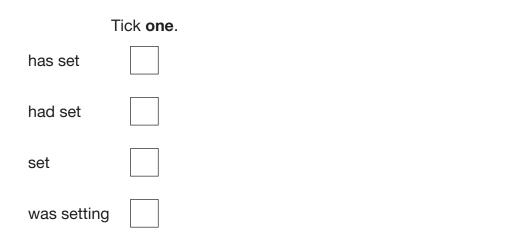
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12 Which option completes the sentence in the **past perfect**?

Soon after a Frenchman ______ the first land speed record, it was broken.





Which sentence is written in Standard English?

	Tick one .
Two sports teams come to our school yesterday.	
My friend was tidying the classroom.	
Today the children done their school play.	
The teachers was going to send a letter next week	K 1 mark

Tick the sentence that uses a **dash** correctly. Tick one. I find baking tricky – there are too many things to go wrong. I find baking tricky there are too many things – to go wrong. I find baking – tricky there are too many things to go wrong. I find baking tricky there are – too many things to go wrong. 1 mark

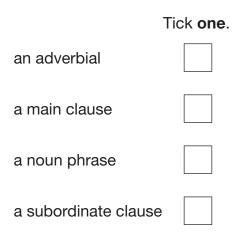


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What is the grammatical term for the underlined part of the sentence?

Charlie spilt his juice, but it didn't go on his shirt.





16 Which sentence must not end with an exclamation mark?



1 mark



17 Insert a **colon** in the correct place in the sentence below.

There are two places that I have always wanted to visit the Arctic and Antarctica.

8	Which sentence uses the underlined word as a noun	?	
		Tick one .	
	Dancers must be very \underline{fit} and athletic.		
	Can I help you with that jigsaw?		
	We heard thunder, but we did not see any lightning.		
	The ocean is grey and angry-looking today.		1 mark



Which sentence is punctuated correctly?

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	Tick one .	
Lately, the days have been growing noticeably longer and, warmer.		
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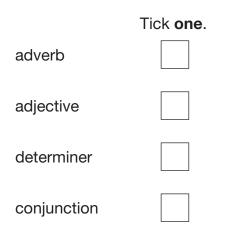
Explain how the **modal verb** changes the meaning of the second sentence.

- 1) Yusuf and his sister go swimming with their dad.
- 2) Yusuf and his sister might go swimming with their dad.



Which word class is the underlined word in the sentence below?

My brother thinks that football is an amazing game.



1 mark

Insert a **subordinating conjunction** to show that we ate lunch and listened to music at the same time.

We listened to the music ______ we ate our lunch.

1 mark



Complete the sentence below with a **noun** formed from the verb <u>invent</u>.

The engineer thought her latest	would
solve the problem.	

1 mark

Replace the underlined words with the correct **pronoun**. Write one pronoun in each box.

When Jack's grandmother came to stay, she gave <u>Jack</u> some money.



Jack used his money to buy a game called Gables. Jack could not



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wait to get home and play the new game.





Which sentence is the most formal?

	Tick one .
Watching too much television should be avoided.	
You shouldn't watch too much TV.	
Watching lots of TV isn't a good idea.	
You really should try not to watch loads of telly.	1 mark

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Jane wants to know if the band is playing at the festival. Write the **question** she could ask to find out. Remember to punctuate your sentence correctly.



Underline the **subject** of the sentence below.

The tightrope walker carried a balancing pole.

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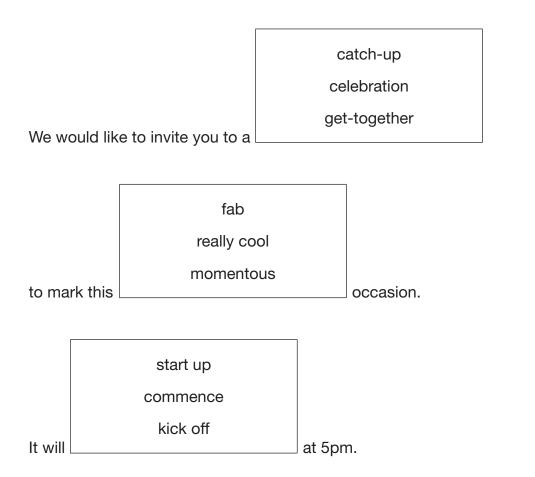
Write the name of punctuation that could be used instead of commas in the sentence below.

Somehow, after much swaying and rocking, the tightrope walker managed to regain his balance.



Circle the most **formal** option in each box below to complete the invitation.

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Tick one box in each row to show whether the underlined noun is **singular** or **plural**.

	Singular	Plural
The <u>customers'</u> hunger was satisfied by the pizza.		
The <u>princess's</u> slippers were made of glass.		
Those are the boys' books.		

1 mark

31 What is the **word class** of each underlined word?

Josef has <u>beautiful</u> writing.

Josef writes <u>beautifully</u>.

1 mark



Which sentence is the most formal?

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Tick one .		
She suggested that her mother be present.		
She really hopes to be ready on time.		
Don't forget to lock the door!		
If Johnny's late, we'll start without him.		I mark

33 Circle the four **prepositions** in the sentence below.

On a mountain bike, you can cycle across rocky ground, along muddy paths and over harsh terrain.



Insert one **hyphen** and one **comma** in the correct places in the sentence below.

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My grandmother is a ballroom dancing champion poet and singer. 1 mark

35 Explain how the position of the **apostrophe** changes the meaning of the second sentence.

- 1. What are your brother's favourite toys?
- 2. What are your brothers' favourite toys?



Which two sentences use punctuation to show parenthesis?

	Tick two .
There are some books – including story books – ir the cupboard.	
To make space, we moved the chairs, tables and the boxes of games.	
Our classroom, at the end of the corridor, has a red door.	
On Tuesday, we will be selling cakes for charity.	1 mark

37 Underline the **relative clause** in each sentence.

We visited the funfair that came to our town.

My uncle who lives in Australia has sent me a present.

My friend whose rabbit I look after is on holiday.

1 mark



Rewrite the underlined verbs in the simple past tense.

During the winter months, the sun does not appear high in

the sky and the days are much shorter than the nights.

What is the grammatical term for the underlined words in the sentence below?

My prize was a fluffy green pencil case with a gold zip.



1 mark

Tick one box in each row to show whether the sentence is written in the active or the passive.

Sentence	Active	Passive
The lost dog was found by the children.		
Everyone heard the thunder.		
Nicole was riding her bike.		

1 mark

41 Rewrite the sentence below as **direct speech**. Remember to punctuate your sentence correctly.

I asked her if she needed any help.

I asked, _____ 1 mark



Circle the **possessive pronoun** in the sentence below.

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When Mum saw that I was wearing Oliver's gloves, she wanted to know where mine were.

1 mark

Rewrite the two sentences below as one sentence using an appropriate **co-ordinating conjunction**. Remember to punctuate your answer correctly.

We have time to play a game. We will have to finish it before dinner.



44 Underline the **adverbial** in the sentence below.

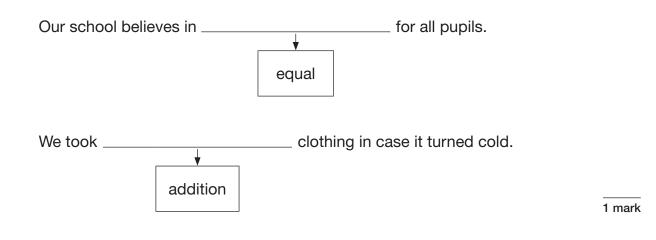
On Wednesday, Felix has a dental appointment. 1 mark

45 Circle the **relative pronoun** in the sentence below.

The boy who knocked on our door was at the wrong house. 1 mark



Add a suffix to the words in the boxes to complete the sentences.



47 Circle each word that should begin with a **capital letter** in the sentence below.

the island called zanzibar is in the indian ocean off the coast

of africa.

1 mark

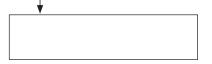


Circle the four **verbs** in the passage below.

There were hundreds of gulls circling in the sky. They gathered near the dock, searching for scraps.

Rewrite the underlined verb in the sentence below so it is in the **present progressive**.

I taught my sister to skateboard.



1 mark



50 Underline the **subordinate clause** in the sentence below.

Hassan and I are going to our dance class; we are going to be late as we missed the bus.



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