

Word Classes

Verbs

1. Underline all the verbs in the sentences below.

- The door to the garden suddenly swung open as the wind blew violently. (1 mark)
- In a month's time, my cousins and I are going to a theme park. (1 mark)
- It was terrible weather yesterday, but today it is sunny. (1 mark)
- Next, boil the water for five minutes. (1 mark)
- Is that my pencil? (1 mark)

2. Underline all the words which show the tense in the sentences below.

- I absolutely love it when my cousins stay at my house. (1 mark)
- Next year, my family is going on holiday for two weeks. (1 mark)
- I attempted my homework last night although I found it very hard. (1 mark)
- When I was little, my family had a dog but it sadly died whilst we were on holiday. (1 mark)

Nouns

3. Underline all the nouns in the sentences below.

- I love my dog; my love for her is very strong. (1 mark)
- Aldi is a great supermarket - it sells lots of amazing things. (1 mark)
- Sunflowers are my favourite type of flower: their colorfulness is beautiful. (1 mark)
- On Saturday, James is going to jump out of a plane for charity. (1 mark)

CHALLENGE: write down as many abstract nouns as you can think of.

Verb or noun?

4. Write a sentence using the word watch as a verb. Do not change the word. Remember to punctuate your sentence correctly. (1 mark)

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Adjectives

6. Underline all the adjectives in the sentences below.

- I am trying to write in my neatest handwriting; however, my left hand is sore. (1 mark)
- My orange trainers are extremely bright - they help me run fast. (1 mark)
- The main entrance to our school is red and has large windows. (1 mark)
- Suddenly, a giant, one-eyed squid swam towards me and my younger brother. (1 mark)

7. Complete each sentence below using an appropriate adjective.

- Jam doughnuts are _____ . (1 mark)
- The _____ dog barked. (1 mark)

8. Complete the sentence with an adjective formed from the noun hope.

- I am absolutely _____ at cricket. (1 mark)

9. Complete the sentence with an adjective formed from the verb amuse.

- I found the play very _____ . (1 mark)

Determiners

10. Underline all the determiners in the sentences below.

- My young sister and I rarely see our busy dad during the week. (1 mark)
- This Friday, I am going to watch that new film and eat two tubes of ice-cream. (1 mark)
- After dinner, I ate some strawberry laces and watched various films. (1 mark)
- Those scary boys that live in my street kicked their football up a tall tree. (1 mark)
- Which bag is yours? (1 mark)
- Your mum won't be happy if you lose her new phone. (1 mark)

Pronouns

11. Underline all the pronouns in the sentences below.

- Gareth and I ate our dinner but it wasn't very nice. (1 mark)
- Which coat is yours? Mine is on the peg behind you. (1 mark)
- My mum told her older brother to behave himself. (1 mark)
- Go and get your work and bring it to me - I want to see it. (1 mark)
- Her new-born kitten uses its paws to clean itself. (1 mark)
- That classroom is theirs - not ours. (1 mark)
- I love chicken nuggets - they are so nice that I even eat them for breakfast. (1 mark)

12. Replace the underlined word or words with the correct pronoun. (1 mark)

- Whenever Sarah goes on holiday, Sarah always packs too many clothes.
- Without thinking, David picked up the frisbee and threw the frisbee.

13. Replace the underlined word or words in each sentence with the correct possessive pronoun. (1 mark)

- These toys belong to my sister. These toys are _____.
- That dog belongs to them. That dog is _____.
- This classroom belongs to us. This classroom is _____.

Conjunctions

14. Tick one box in each row to show whether the underlined word is a co-ordinating conjunction or a subordinating conjunction. (1 mark)

<u>Sentence</u>	<u>Co-ordinating conjunction</u>	<u>Subordinating conjunction</u>
I love swimming <u>and</u> football.		
<u>Since</u> it snowed heavily last night, school is cancelled.		
My sister will go ice-skating <u>if</u> I go with her.		
My sister went rollerblading, <u>but</u> she didn't enjoy it.		

Prepositions

24. Underline all the prepositions in the sentences below.

- Suddenly, my dog darted toward the door, into the street and along the path. (1 mark)
- The shops are beyond the main road, across the river and down the hill. (1 mark)
- Entry is free after 5pm in the evening. (1 mark)
- Before breakfast, I parked my car on the road. (1 mark)

Adverbs

25. Underline all the adverbs in the sentences below.

- The football players celebrated wildly, and we did too. (1 mark)
- Quickly finish your work and go outside. (1 mark)
- Suddenly, the fast car accelerated fast. (1 mark)
- My brother absolutely loves football; I also love it. (1 mark)
- Hopefully it won't rain tomorrow. (1 mark)

26. Complete each sentence below with an appropriate adverb.

- I walked down the corridor _____ . (1 mark)
- _____ , the traffic came to a standstill. (1 mark)
- The dog _____ bit the man. (1 mark)
- It is _____ sunny today. (1 mark)