

2019 national curriculum tests

Key stage 1

English grammar, punctuation and spelling

Paper 2: questions

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Practice questions

a Write one word to complete the sentence below.

I want to be a pilot _____ I grow up.

b What is needed in the sentence below?

the boys raced to the park.

Tick **one**.

a capital letter


a question mark

a comma

an apostrophe

1 Draw lines to join two words that can become one word.

One has been done for you.


Word 1		Word 2
white		ship
rain		board
tooth		coat
space		paste


1 mark

2 The sentences below have their punctuation marks covered.

Which sentence is a **question**?

Tick **one**.

I have finished my puzzle 

Find me a new puzzle 

Where is my puzzle 

What a tricky puzzle this is 


1 mark

3

Tick the correct word to complete the sentence below.

We will go cycling _____ we arrive home in time.

Tick **one**.

that

or

but

if



1 mark

4

Which sentence is punctuated correctly?

Tick **one**.

There are some foxes living in the woods

there are some foxes living in the woods

There are some foxes living in the woods.

there are some foxes living in the woods.



1 mark

5

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

Tick **one**.

tie

big

hot

sit



1 mark

6

Circle **one** word in the sentence below that can be replaced with the word but.

Paul and Anil went to music club and Joe went home.



1 mark

7

Add one **exclamation mark** in the correct place below.

Our school play was amazing I loved the costumes.



1 mark

8

Rewrite the verb in the box to complete the sentence in the correct **tense**.

Emily _____ to school and met Li at the gate.

run



1 mark

9

Tick the sentence with the correct punctuation.

Tick **one**.

We saw sheep cows, and birds on our walk.

We saw sheep, cows and birds on our walk.

We saw sheep cows and birds, on our walk.

We saw, sheep cows and birds on our walk.



1 mark

10

Circle the **two** adjectives in the sentence below.

The new supermarket is the biggest in town.



1 mark

11

Which sentence needs one more **capital letter**?

Tick **one**.

They moved house last March.

They live in a city called Chester.

Their friend is called ben Edwards.

Their school play is on Tuesday.



1 mark

12

Circle the **noun** in the sentence below.

The talented dancer moved gracefully.



1 mark

13 What type of word is flew in the sentence below?

The green parrot flew to the top of the tree.

Tick **one**.

an adjective

a noun

an adverb

a verb



1 mark

14 Add one **question mark** and one **full stop** in the correct places below.

Can you swim yet Tom can swim without a float



1 mark

15

Add a suffix to the word light in the sentence below to make an **adverb**.

It was raining light_____ at playtime today.



1 mark

16

Use only the words in the box below to write a **statement**.

<i>flower</i>	<i>the</i>	<i>grow</i>	<i>will</i>
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Remember to use correct punctuation.



2 marks

17

Circle the correct option in each box to complete the sentences.

Were

We're

going on a treasure hunt.

Shall we start looking for

clues

clue's

?

Robs

Rob's

team found the treasure first.



1 mark

18

Write one **verb** to complete the sentence below.

Fred is _____ to the teacher.



1 mark

19

Tick to show whether each sentence is in the **past tense** or the **present tense**.

Sentence	Past tense	Present tense
Samir enjoys cooking.		
Eva laughed at the joke.		
Poppy caught the ball.		



1 mark

End of test



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