

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

when we visited the museum in birmingham, gareth arranged to travel by train with aunt laura.

1 mark

2. 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

☐

1 mark

3. 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

4.

Which sentence is an **exclamation**?

Tick **one**.

What time did the sun set last night

☐

She said the sunset was particularly beautiful

☐

What a spectacular sunset that is

☐

The sunsets are lovely at this time of year

☐

1 mark

5.

Which sentence is punctuated correctly?

Tick **one**.

Our parents always say "work hard and do your best."

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Our parents always say, "work hard and do your best."

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Our parents always say, "Work hard and do your best."

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Our parents always say "Work hard and do your best."

☐

1 mark

6.

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

He made his way up the cobbled street, striding like the bold and determined man he was.

1 mark

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

Tick **one**.

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

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1 mark

8. Which underlined word is an **adverb**?

Tick **one**.

The spring garden looks lovely.

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My little sister has a wobbly tooth.

☐

The clothes are folded neatly.

☐

Her brown hair is long and curly.

☐

1 mark

9. What is the **word class** of each underlined word?

Josef has beautiful writing. _____

Josef writes beautifully. _____

1 mark

10. What **word class** do the underlined words belong to?

You can have an apple or an orange for your snack.

Since it is sunny, you can eat your snack outside.

Although I prefer oranges, apples are easier to eat.

1 mark

11. 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

12. 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.

1 mark

13. Circle the three **nouns** in the sentence below.

The fire gave the room a cosy feeling.

1 mark

Mark schemes

1. **Award 1 mark** for all five correct.
- when we visited the museum in birmingham, gareth arranged to travel by train with aunt laura.
- 1 mark
2. What really happened that day ☒
- 1 mark
3. **Award 1 mark** for an appropriate, grammatically correct and accurately punctuated sentence in direct speech, e.g.
- I asked, "Do you need any help?"
 - I asked, 'Do you need me to help you?'
 - I asked, "Is any help needed?"
 - I asked, "Would you like me to help you?"
 - I asked, "Do you need any help with that?"
 - I asked, 'Rosie, do you need me to help you?'
- 1 mark
4. What a spectacular sunset that is ☒
- 1 mark
5. **Award 1 mark** for the correct box ticked.
- Our parents always say, "Work hard and do your best." ☒
- 1 mark
6. **Award 1 mark** for all three correct.
- He made his way up the cobbled street, striding like the bold and determined man he was.
- 1 mark
7. The lively crowd cheered loudly when the rally car race began.
- ☐ ☒ ☐ ☐
- 1 mark
8. **Award 1 mark** for the correct box ticked.
- The clothes are folded neatly. ☒
- 1 mark

9.

Award 1 mark for both correct.

Josef has beautiful writing. *Adjective*

Josef writes beautifully. *Adverb*

There are no spelling or punctuation requirements for this question.

1 mark

10.

Award 1 mark for *conjunction(s)*.

There are no spelling or punctuation requirements for this question.

1 mark

11.

Award 1 mark for the correct insertion of an appropriate subordinating conjunction, e.g.

- We listened to the music while we ate our lunch.
- We listened to the music whilst we ate our lunch.
- We listened to the music as we ate our lunch.
- We listened to the music when we ate our lunch.

Do not accept misspellings of the subordinating conjunction.

1 mark

12.

Award 1 mark for all four correct.

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

1 mark

13.

Award 1 mark for all three correct.

The fire gave the room a cosy feeling.

1 mark