

# Set 1: Test 3– Grammar & Punctuation

1. Circle the determiner in each of the sentences below.

Whose house is this?

Please put up your hand.

Susan had to go to the hospital.

Darryl went to every session.

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1 mark

2. Read the sentences below. Tick the **two** sentences which are most likely to end with an **exclamation mark**.

Tick **two** boxes.

Alex, this is absolutely brilliant work

[    ]

Would you like to get some cake

[    ]

I am going to be eleven this year

[    ]

Coming through, get out of the way

[    ]

The final score was 2–1 to Harchester

[    ]

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1 mark

3. Circle the correct form of the **verb** in brackets to complete each sentence using **Standard English**.

Blanche ( was / were ) the eldest sister of Tommy.

We ( was / were ) best friends for the rest of our lives.

I ( was / were ) the top scorer for my team last year.

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1 mark

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4. To play cricket, Andrew needs a set of wickets, a bat and a ball. Write what Andrew needs as a list of **bullet points** on the lines below. Remember to punctuate your answer correctly.

For the experiment, Andrew will need:

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

1 mark

5. Read the sentence below and underline the **relative clause**.

Anna walked to the shops, which were a kilometre away, after dark.

\_\_\_\_\_

1 mark

6. Tick the sentence which uses a **dash** correctly.

Tick **one** box.

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|---|--------|
| Aaron went to pay the total – was ten pounds. | [    ] |
| Aaron – went to pay the total was ten pounds. | [    ] |
| Aaron went to pay – the total was ten pounds. | [    ] |
| Aaron went – to pay the total was ten pounds. | [    ] |

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1 mark

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7. Circle the **adverbial phrase** in the sentence below.

Alan won the 100m swimming race last week.

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1 mark

8. Circle the **adverb** in each of the sentences below.

Mum will probably ask you to tidy your room.

The car will run out of petrol soon.

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1 mark

9. Read the words below. Tick the option that describes what the root '**phone**' means in this word family: *homophone*, *telephone*, *phonics*

Tick **one** box.

word	[   ]
sound	[   ]
wire	[   ]
letter	[   ]

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1 mark

10. The sentence below is missing a **semi-colon**. Tick **one** box to show where the semi-colon should go.

Sally went to bed early she had a headache.

[   ]            [   ] [   ]

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1 mark

**END OF TEST**

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## ANSWERS

1. whose/your/the/every
2. Alex, this is absolutely brilliant work!  
Coming through, get out of the way!
3. was/were/was
4. a set of wickets  
a bat  
a ball  
Answers with commas or semi colons after each of the first two items and a full stop after the third are also acceptable. The use of a capital letter at the start of every item is also acceptable.
5. Anna walked to the shops, which were a kilometre away, after dark.
6. Aaron went to pay – the total was ten pounds.
7. Alan won the 100m swimming race last week.
8. probably/soon
9. sound
10. Sally went to bed early; she had a headache.