

Q1.

Put one letter in each box to show the word class.

noun
A

adverb
B

adjective
C

verb
D

The lazy lion snored noisily.

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1 mark

Q2.

Rewrite the sentence below in the **present tense**.

Jack wrote a card.

1 mark

Q3.

Rewrite the sentence below in the **present tense**.

Tom baked a cake.

1 mark

Q4.

Which sentence contains **two** verbs?

Tick **one**.

The lambs played happily.

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The cows sleep in the field.

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The puppies growl and bark.

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The horses eat grass and hay.

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1 mark

Q5.

Complete the table with the **present tense** form of the verb.

One has been done for you.

Present tense	Past tense
We dance	We danced
We	We stirred
We	We were
We	We ate

1 mark

Q6.

Which word shows **what** Ricky did?

Tick **one** box.

Ricky shouted loudly so that his friends could hear him.

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1 mark

Q7.

In the sentence below, what **word class** is stand?

Stand up and put your chairs under the table.

Tick **one**.

a verb

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an article

☐

a connective

☐

a noun

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1 mark

Q8.

Circle the **verb** in the sentence below.

The aeroplane sped noisily down the runway.

1 mark

Q9.

Label each of the words below as either a **verb** or a **noun**.



The lion approached silently as the zebra rested in the grass.

1 mark

Q10.

Which sentence uses the word book as a **verb**?

Tick **one**.

We decided to book tickets for the football match.

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Arin wrote a book review for the school magazine.

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The scientist's ideas are explained in his latest book.

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Book club meets every Wednesday in the library.

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1 mark

Q11.

Write a sentence using the word cover as a **noun**.
Remember to punctuate your answer correctly.

1 mark

Write a sentence using the word cover as a **verb**.
Remember to punctuate your answer correctly.

1 mark

Q12.

Write a sentence using the word point as a **verb**.
Do not change the word.
Remember to punctuate your sentence correctly.

1 mark

Write a sentence using the word point as a **noun**.
Do not change the word.
Remember to punctuate your sentence correctly.

1 mark

Q13.

In which sentence is lock a **verb**?

Tick **one**.

Aisha closed the box and fastened the lock.

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Make sure you lock the gate before you leave.

I think I need to buy a new bike lock.

The lock can only be opened with this special key.

1 mark

Q14.

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

I taught my sister to skateboard.



1 mark

Q15.

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.

1 mark

Q16.

Circle the **modal verb** in the sentence below.

Kate hoped that she would see goats and sheep at the farm.

1 mark

Q17.

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.

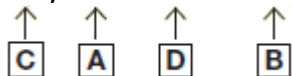


1 mark

Mark schemes

Q1.

The lazy lion snored noisily.



Award **1 mark** for all four correct.

1 mark

Q2.

Award 1 mark for a correctly punctuated response written in the present tense, eg:

- *Jack writes a card.*
- *Jack is writing a card.*
- *Jack's writing a card.*

1 mark

Q3.

Tom bakes a cake.

OR

Tom is baking a cake.

OR

Tom's baking a cake.

Do not accept responses that include any other present tense verb, eg:

- *Tom eats / decorates / presents a cake.*

1 mark

Q4.

The puppies growl and bark.

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1 mark

Q5.

Award 1 mark for all three present tense forms correct.

Present tense	Past tense
We dance	We danced
We stir / are stirring	We stirred
We are / are being	We were
We eat / are eating	We ate

1 mark

Q6.

shouted ☒

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1 mark

Q7.

a verb ☒

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1 mark

Q8.

Award 1 mark for the verb encircled.

The aeroplane sped noisily down the runway.

1 mark

Q9.

Award 1 mark for all three labels correct.

verb



noun



verb



The lion approached silently as the zebra rested in the grass.

Also accept the use of 'V' or 'v' for verb and 'N' or 'n' for noun'.

1 mark

Q10.

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Q11.

Award 1 mark for a grammatically correct sentence that uses cover as a noun and is correctly punctuated, e.g.

- *Where is the cover for your mobile phone?*
- *I put a cover over the food.*

Award 1 mark for a grammatically correct sentence that uses cover as a verb and is correctly punctuated, e.g.

- *You should cover your mouth when you cough.*
- *We decided to cover the paper with glitter.*

Do not accept responses that add inflected endings to cover, e.g.

- *I covered it up.*
- *The covers were put over the plants.*

2 marks

Q12.

Award 1 mark for a grammatically correct sentence that uses point as a verb and that is correctly punctuated, e.g.

I saw the teacher point at the board.

Do not accept responses that use an inflected ending of point, e.g.
Ushma pointed at the book she wanted.

1 mark

Award 1 mark for a grammatically correct sentence that uses point as a noun and that is correctly punctuated, e.g.

I sharpened my pencil to a fine point.

Do not accept responses that use an inflected ending of point, e.g.
The red team scored more points than the blue team.

1 mark

Q13.

Award 1 mark for the correct box ticked.

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Do not accept misspellings of verb forms.

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