

Grammar and Punctuation Quiz 9

1. Match each sentence to the sentence type.

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| Help him to tidy up | Command |
| I need help to tidy up | Exclamation |
| I can't help tidy up, can you | Statement |
| What a tidy room it is | Question |

1 mark

2. Circle both the **determiners** in the sentence below.

Unfortunately, some pupils won't be able to attend the concert later today.

1 mark

3. Which sentence uses **hyphens** correctly?

Tick **one**

The ten-year-old girl won first prize.

The ten-year-old-girl won first prize.

The ten year-old-girl won first prize.

The ten-year old girl won first-prize.

1 mark

4. Underline the **subject** in each sentence below.

Megan spent over an hour hoovering the carpet.

Usually, Liam buys a newspaper from his local shop.

Last week, the team won all of their matches.

1 mark

5. Complete each sentence below with a different **possessive pronoun**.

That car is _____.

Those bags are _____.

1 mark

6. Tick one box in each row to show how the **modal verb** affects the meaning of the sentence.

| Sentence | Modal verb indicates certainty | Modal verb indicates possibility |
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| Mr Gray should be on time. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| You must wash the cups. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| They can walk into town. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| I shall finish before dinner. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

1 mark

7. Tick one box to show where a **semi-colon** should be inserted into the sentence below.

Everyone in the race ran as fast as they possibly

could nobody wanted to miss out on the prize!

1 mark

8. Add a **prefix** to each of these root words to form its **antonym**.

_____ correct

_____ logical

_____ aware

_____ mortal

1 mark