

# Answers

## Grammar

### Section 1 — Word Types

#### Page 4 — Nouns

- You should have underlined: **zoo, lions, monkeys, Ella, animals.**  
You should have circled: **excitement, childhood, courage.**
- Any suitable nouns. Examples:  
Everyone feels so much **happiness** about doing more drawings of **cats**.  
The **team** of **cyclists** moves really slowly along the **road**.  
A group of **humans** could be called a **crowd**.

#### Page 5 — Adjectives

- You should have underlined: **cold, dark, howling, leafless, torrential, little, jittery, creaking, tired, old.**
- Any suitable adjectives.  
Examples:  
The **golden** sun shone brightly over the **green** valley and the **hungry** cows stood munching the **long** grass.
- Any suitable sentence.  
Example:  
**The silly, bossy boy made a nasty comment.**

#### Page 6 — Verbs

- Laurie often **goes** to the shop and **buys** some bread.  
Our house **has** a garage and **is** really big.  
We always **visit** Habeeb at the weekend and **take** him out.  
He always **does** the washing and **cleans** the windows.  
The cows **eat** the grass and **watch** the walkers go by.
- Any suitable sentences.  
Examples:  
**The butler serves Lord Lazyton his morning coffee.**  
**The mole claps whenever he sees the sun.**  
**Ruth's pony smiles all day long.**  
**Dylan cries when his TV breaks.**

#### Page 7 — Adverbs

- Any suitable adverbs.  
Examples:  
Jarome **suddenly** decided to book a holiday to Wales.  
The girls **secretively** passed a note to the boys.  
Mum and Dad are **really** pleased with me.  
The test was **extremely** difficult.  
I will **definitely** tell Katie the truth tomorrow.  
The teacher shouted **loudly** at the class.
- Any suitable sentence.  
Example:  
**Jill was really surprised — Edward was probably going to win the race now.**

#### Pages 8 to 10 — Synonyms and Antonyms

- front** — **back**, **big** — **small**, **hot** — **cold**, **dry** — **wet**
- Marvin feels drowsy — he's just so **sleepy** today.  
They live in a huge house — it's simply **enormous**.  
The party was quite rowdy — people kept saying how **noisy** it was.



- Any suitable synonyms.  
Examples:  
untrue — **false**, brave — **courageous**, impolite — **rude**, yell — **shout**, elegant — **graceful**, irregular — **uneven**
- Across:  
**1 first, 2 happy, 3 early, 4 high, 5 wrong**  
Down:  
**1 fast, 2 hard, 3 take, 4 tiny, 5 rich**
- She always exaggerates her achievements — she's so **arrogant**.  
I think Humphrey is a bit strange — his behaviour is very **curious**.  
There are few birds around here. In fact, their numbers are **sparse**.
- Adjective: **simple**  
Any suitable synonyms and antonyms. Examples:  
Synonym: **easy**  
Antonym: **hard**  
Adverb: **quickly**  
Any suitable synonyms and antonyms. Examples:  
Synonym: **speedily**  
Antonym: **slowly**
- Any suitable sentences.  
Examples:  
We are so **near** to the end now.  
I don't like it when my sisters **push** me.  
Louise is a **lovely** girl.  
Rebecca felt very **weak** after her operation.

#### Page 11 — Pronouns

- My dog Rover hates going for walks along the path **which** runs by the canal. When **we** walk there, he barks a lot, especially when he sees Mr Mildew, **whose** Poodle then starts woofing back at us. After a while, Mrs Waterweed, **who** lives in a canal boat, always opens her window and shouts at **us**.
- Carrie decided to do **it herself**.  
Some stories are fictional, **others** are based on real events.  
The dog scratched **itself** when **nobody** was looking.  
The children tasted all of the cakes but thought theirs

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## Section 2 — Clauses and Phrases

### Page 12 — Clauses

1. Main clauses: **We like pizza, I'm going out**  
Subordinate clauses: **while she watched the film, although I'm not sure, If we leave now**
2. Any suitable relative clauses.  
Examples:  
I looked at Caroline, **who seemed very angry**, and ran.  
Liam read the sign, **which was in French**, very slowly.  
We went to the shop, **which sells comics**, with Shaun.  
He met Sasha, **who moved here from Russia**, last year.

### Page 13 — Phrases

1. You should have ticked: **a creepy goblin, very slowly, some pictures, these biscuits, on the top shelf, big birds of prey.**
2. You should have circled: **on the wall, to the zoo, at the back.**  
You should have underlined: **Jim plays golf, he knows Lucy, we hid from them.**
3. Any suitable phrases.  
Examples:  
on the ceiling  
a green lizard

### Page 14 — Sentences

1. **Simple:**  
Professor Thinkalot is inventing a time machine.  
Paul went to Barcelona on Tuesday.  
**Complex:**  
Ruby went outside even though it was snowing.  
Kevin often sings when he's having a shower.  
**Compound:**  
I stood at the bus stop, and I waited for the bus.
2. Any suitable sentences.  
Examples:  
Simple: My favourite subject is German.  
Complex: We go to Wales when the weather is nice.  
Compound: I enjoy tennis, but I don't enjoy badminton.

## Section 3 — Linking Ideas

### Page 15 — Conjunctions

1. We're learning to grow fruits and vegetables **because** we have a new garden at school. Mr Beeman let us plant potatoes **even though** we haven't done it before, **and** Miss Everton says we can plant some carrots **as soon as** we have time, **so** we're getting the soil ready.
2. Example:  
We're building a house because we need more room.  
Dad says I can watch, but I have to be careful since it can be dangerous.

### Page 16 — Linking Paragraphs with Adverbials

1. You should have underlined these phrases:  
I do chores four times a week. Despite this, my sister gets more pocket money than me. Of course, if her chores were harder it would be fair. After all, I do the same jobs as her, and I do them better. For example, I make sure I wash up properly. My sister, on the other hand, makes a mess of it!
2. There are many reasons why we need to have P.E. lessons in school.  
**Firstly**, it's important to keep healthy by doing regular exercise. It would be great for everyone to have the opportunity to keep fit.  
**In addition**, sport can be really good fun. There are lots of different things to try and there's something out there for everyone.  
**Despite this**, some people think that sport isn't as important as other subjects. They think P.E. lessons are a waste of time.  
**However**, I think that we need a balanced school day, both inside and outside the classroom.

### Page 17 — Linking Paragraphs Using Repetition

1. You should have written these phrases:  
Living in London  
At the football
2. Any sentences which link to the previous paragraph and use a repeated word or phrase.  
Examples:  
**Her grandson, Ben**, didn't wear the jumper, even though she thought he wore it every day.  
**The hotel** was in Sunderland, on top of a high hill.

### Page 18 — Using Ellipsis

1. You should have matched these pairs:  
There's a library on Duke Street and Church Street. — there's a library on  
Jason plays tennis on Mondays and Fridays. — he plays tennis on  
I've been to Spain, but my parents haven't. — been to Spain  
Nasreen's puppy, Max, has soft brown fur. — who is called  
She left the class because she wanted to. — leave the class
2. Polly loves baking cakes and biscuits.  
Gordon saw lots of monkeys, but Jade didn't.  
I'm going to stay indoors and read a book.  
(OR) I'm going to stay indoors to read a book.  
Max showed Ian the kitchen and the lounge.