

Year 5 Spring Term 1 Answers

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Can you circle the relative pronoun in this sentence?

The kaka parrot, **which** had brightly coloured plumage, perched high up in the rainforest canopy.



Can you think of a word that ends in either -cial or -tial that matches this definition?

Absolutely necessary

essential

Tick the sentence that uses the plural possessive apostrophe correctly:

The pupils lessons' were much more interesting now that they had a new teacher. ☐

The pupil's lessons were much more interesting now that they had a new teacher. ☐

The pupils' lessons were much more interesting now that they had a new teacher. ☒

Tick to show whether the underlined word is being used as an adverb or an adjective.

Sentence	Adverb	Adjective
The fisherman pulled <u>hard</u> at his line.	☒	☐

Choose the correct form of the verb 'to have' to fit into these sentences. Draw a line to match each sentence to the correct verb.

Later today, we are ___ a party for my Grandma's 65th birthday.

The boys ___ a fantastic time at cub scout camp.

My friends all ___ very different personalities.

had

have

having

Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Y5 spelling words. Can you spot what it is?

r i t e a v y

variety

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Can you circle the relative pronoun in this sentence and add commas around the relative clause?

The kaka parrot, which had brightly coloured plumage, perched high up in the rainforest canopy.



b
Can you think of a word that ends in either -cial or -tial that match these definitions?

Absolutely necessary

essential

Top secret!

confidential

c
Explain why this plural possessive apostrophe sentence is incorrect.

The pupil's lessons were much more interesting now that they had a new teacher.

Accept an appropriate explanation that there is more than one pupil and more than one lesson so the apostrophe should be after the 's', i.e. the pupils' lessons.

d
Tick to show whether the underlined word is being used as an adverb or an adjective.

Sentence	Adverb	Adjective
The fisherman pulled <u>hard</u> at his line.	✓	
It was a <u>direct</u> flight to Greece.		✓

e
Choose the correct form of the verb 'to have' to fit into these sentences.

Later today, we are **having** a party for my Grandma's 65th birthday.

The boys **had** a fantastic time at cub scout camp.

My friends all **have** very different personalities.

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Can you add a relative clause to this sentence? What punctuation marks would it need?

The kaka parrot _____ perched high up in the rainforest canopy

Accept any sentence with an embedded relative clause, e.g. The kaka parrot, which had brightly coloured plumage, perched high up in the rainforest canopy.

b
Can you think of words that ends in either -cial or -tial that match these definitions?

Absolutely necessary
essential

Top secret!
confidential

Relating to money
financial

c
Explain why this plural possessive apostrophe sentence is incorrect. Rewrite it correctly.

The pupil's lessons were much more interesting now that they had a new teacher.

Accept an appropriate explanation that there is more than one pupil and more than one lesson so the apostrophe should be after the 's', i.e. the pupils' lessons.

d
Tick to show whether the underlined word is being used as an adverb or an adjective.

Sentence	Adverb	Adjective
The fisherman pulled <u>hard</u> at his line.	✓	
It was a <u>direct</u> flight to Greece.		✓
The family arrived <u>early</u> to the pantomime.	✓	

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Choose the correct form of the verb 'to have' to fit into these sentences.

Later today, we are **having** a party for my Grandma's 65th birthday.

The boys **had** a fantastic time at cub scout camp.

My friends all **have** very different personalities.

Now write a present perfect sentence using the correct form of the verb 'to have'.

Accept any accurate sentence that contains 'has' or 'have' and a past participle, e.g. Tony has seen every episode of his favourite TV programme ever made.

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