

Q1.

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

Q2.

Replace the underlined words with the correct **pronoun**. Write one pronoun in each box.

When Jack's grandmother came to stay, she gave Jack some money.



Jack used his money to buy a game called *Gables*. Jack could not



wait to get home and play the new game.



1 mark

Q3.

Circle the three **determiners** in the sentence below.

William didn't have any cereal in the house, so he went out to buy some cornflakes.

1 mark

Q4.

Circle the two words in the sentence below that are **synonyms** of each other.

He was lucky to win first prize - he knew it was fortunate that his closest rival had decided not to take part.

1 mark

Q5.

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

Q6.

Tick **one** word to complete the sentence below.

The police confirmed that there were several _____ responsible for the crime.

Tick **one**.

thief

☐

thieves

☐

thiefes

☐

thiefs

1 mark

Q7.

Draw a line to match each word to the correct **suffix**.
Use each suffix only once.

Word

accomplish

forgive

joy

fool

Suffix

ful

ment

ish

ness

1 mark

Q8.

Draw a line to match each **prefix** to the correct word to make a
different word. Use each prefix only once.

Prefix

inter

dis

semi

anti

Word

approval

circle

social

action

1 mark

Q9.

Circle the two words that are **synonyms** in the passage below.

The café serves delicious snacks and cakes
until noon.

After midday, you can also order hot lunches,
sandwiches or soup.

1 mark

Mark schemes

Q1.

Award 1 mark for both correct.

During the winter months, the sun does not appear high in

↓
did

the sky and the days are much shorter than the nights.

↓
were

Do not accept misspellings of verb forms.

1 mark

Q2.

Award 1 mark for the correct pronoun inserted in each box.

When Jack's grandmother came to stay, she gave Jack some money.

↓
him

Jack used his money to buy a new game called Gables. Jack could not

↓
He

wait to get home and play the new game.

↓
it

Do not accept misspellings of pronouns.

1 mark

Q3.

Award 1 mark for all three correct.

William didn't have any cereal in the house, so he went out to
buy some cornflakes.

1 mark

Q4.

Award 1 mark for **both** words encircled.

He was lucky to win first prize – he knew it was fortunate that his closest rival had decided not to take part.

1 mark

Q5.

Award 1 mark for all four correct.

There were hundreds of gulls circling in the sky.

They gathered near the dock, searching for scraps.

1 mark

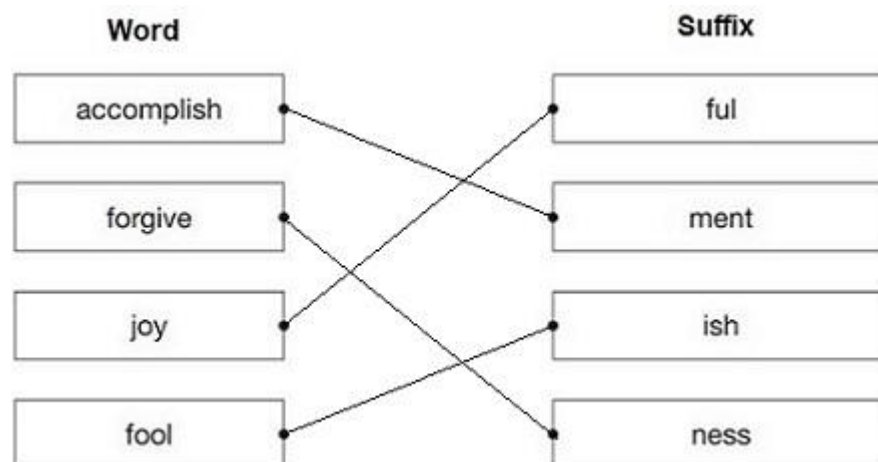
Q6.

thieves ☐
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1 mark

Q7.

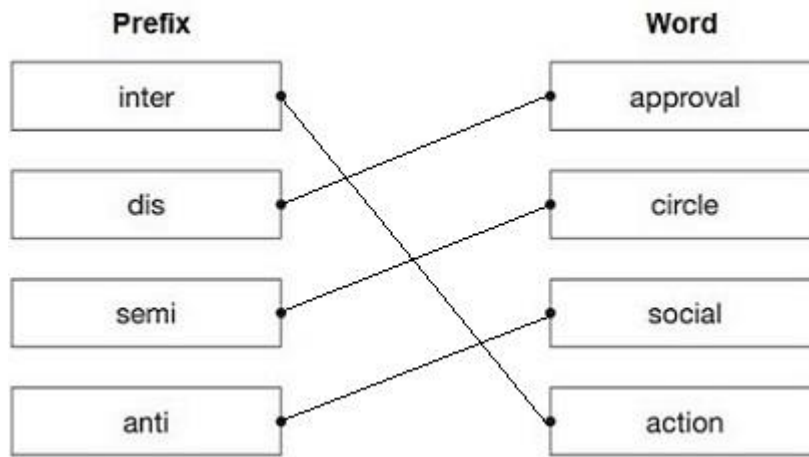
Award 1 mark for all **four** lines correctly drawn.



1 mark

Q8.

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



1 mark

Q9.

Award 1 mark for both synonyms encircled.

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