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Year 4 English Grammar and Punctuation Test 1

1. Which sentence uses a **possessive apostrophe** accurately? Tick one.

Taylor's dog's are very noisy.

Taylor's dogs are very noisy.

1 mark

2. **Underline the fronted adverbial** in the sentence below.

Cautiously, she slowly pushed open the door.

1 mark

3. **Underline** all the **direct speech** in the sentence below.

"Shhh," whispered Dad. "We are trying to listen."

1 mark

4. Read this sentence. Which pair of **possessive pronouns** would fill the spaces? **Tick one.**

Roger took the map from pocket. was crumpled and wet.

her / It

their / They

his / It

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5. The passage below has an error in it. **Underline** the error and **write the correction** in the box.

There are no seats anywhere. We should of come earlier.

1 mark

6. Read the sentences below. **Add a comma** after each fronted adverbial.

After a long and often chilly spring we are finally experiencing some warm weather.

According to local weather forecaster Sunni Shine the good weather could be with us for weeks.

Speaking to us from the weather centre Sunni urged everyone to remember the importance of applying sunscreen when going outdoors.

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

The Christmas tree in the marketplace gets bigger every year.

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8. Read the passage. Which **pronoun** fits in both of these sentence? Write it in the boxes.

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Jamie had a day at home as school was closed.

It was a sunny day so dad took to the beach.

Dad also bought an ice-cream.

9. Which sentence uses Standard English? **Tick one.**

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We was all really excited about our holiday.

We is all really excited about our holiday.

We are all really excited about our holiday.

10. **Underline** the **noun phrase** in the sentence below.

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I sat next to the friendly lady with brown curly hair.

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| <p>1 Taylors dog's are very noisy. <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Taylor's dogs are very noisy. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> | <p>1 mark</p> | <p>6 After a long and often chilly spring, we are finally experiencing some warm weather.</p> <p>According to local weather forecaster Sunni Shine, the good weather could be with us for weeks.</p> <p>Speaking to us from the weather centre, Sunni urged everyone to remember the importance of applying sunscreen when going outdoors.</p> | <p>1 mark</p> |
| <p>2 Cautiously, she slowly pushed open the door.</p> | <p>1 mark</p> | <p>7 <u>The</u> Christmas tree in <u>the</u> marketplace gets bigger <u>every</u> year.</p> | <p>1 mark</p> |
| <p>3 "Shhh," whispered Dad. "We are trying to listen."</p> | <p>1 mark</p> | <p>8 Jamie had a day at home as school was closed.</p> <p>It was a sunny day so dad took him to the beach.</p> <p>Dad also bought him an ice-cream.</p> | <p>1 mark</p> |
| <p>4 her / It <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>their / They <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>his / It <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> | <p>1 mark</p> | <p>9 We was all really excited about our holiday. <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>We is all really excited about our holiday. <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>We are all really excited about our holiday. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> | <p>1 mark</p> |
| <p>5 There are no seats anywhere. We should of come earlier.</p> <p><input type="text" value="have"/></p> | <p>1 mark</p> | <p>10 I sat next to the friendly lady with brown curly hair.</p> | <p>1 mark</p> |