

## Answers to starter task

1. Below are two **phrases** and two **clauses**. Write 'P' in the box beside each phrase and 'C' beside each clause.

so that I could see what was happening

C

the grumpy old lady

P

seven large angry snakes

P

but he chose the big one instead

C

(4 marks)

2. **Underline** the **subordinate clause** in this sentence:

The boy kicked the football towards the goal and scored his first hat-trick of the season.

(1 mark)

3. **Underline** the **main clause** in this sentence:

Although I was very tall, I was never very good at netball.

4. Insert **commas** in the correct places in the list below.

A good friend must be kind, patient, forgiving and fun.

(2 marks)

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

Creeping quietly, the cat walked across the wall and disappeared into the darkness.

(1 mark)

6. Add a **fronted adverbial** of your choice to the sentence below.

(E.g. Heart fluttering in panic), Moji dashed down the street and knocked on his grandmother's door.

(1 mark)