

Year 6 Summer Term 2 SPaG Mat

Section 1

Can you place dashes around the additional detail (parenthesis) in this sentence:

Usain Bolt the outstanding Jamaican sprinter won the first heat of the 100 metres.



Section 2

Circle the TWO words that are antonyms of each other in the following sentence:

It would be possible to count the number of sweets inside a jar but impossible to count all the stars in the night sky.

Section 3

Can you write Adam's words into a direct speech sentence that uses inverted commas?



Would you like an apple, Amy?

Section 4

Add a relative clause to this sentence that begins with a relative pronoun:

Billy, _____

let the spider he had caught go free in his back garden.

Section 5

Match the prefix to the correct root word:

ir

secure

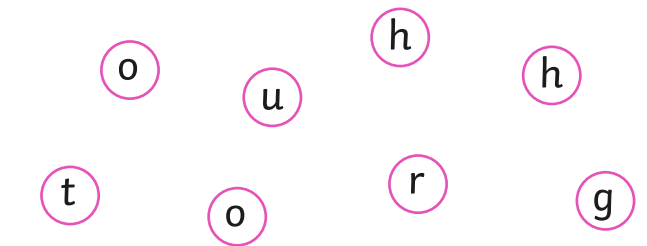
il

legal

in

regular

Section 6



Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Y6 spelling words - can you spot what it is?

t_____h

Year 6 Summer Term 2 SPaG Mat

2

Section 1

Can you place dashes around the additional detail (parenthesis) in this sentence:

Usain Bolt the outstanding Jamaican sprinter won the first heat of the 100 metres.



Section 2

Circle the TWO words that are antonyms of each other in the following sentence:

You should always look both ways before crossing a road and never cross from behind a parked vehicle.

Section 3

Can you invent Adam's reply and write it in a direct speech sentence that uses inverted commas?



Would you like an apple, Amy?

Section 4

Rewrite the sentence below with an embedded relative clause about Billy. Don't forget to mark it with commas!

Billy let the spider he had caught go free in his back garden.

Section 5

Match the prefix to the correct root word:

ir

secure

il

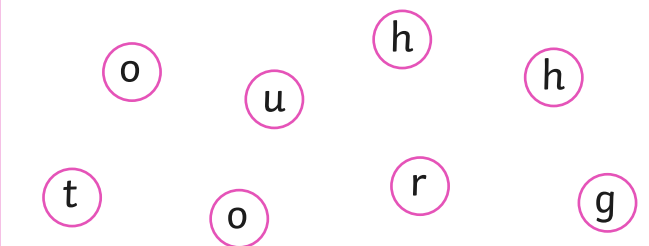
legal

in

regular

Which of the words you have made is a synonym of unlawful? _____

Section 6



Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Y6 spelling words - can you spot what it is?

t_____h

Year 6 Summer Term 2 SPaG Mat

2

Section 1

Can you write a sentence about Usain Bolt that has a parenthesis marked with dashes?



Section 3

Can you invent a question that Amy says in reply and write it in a direct speech sentence that uses inverted commas?



Would you like an apple, Amy?

Section 5

Match the prefix to the correct root word:

ir

secure

il

legal

in

regular

Which of the words you have made is a synonym of unlawful? _____

Which of the words you have made is an antonym of self-confident? _____

Section 2

Circle the TWO words that are antonyms of each other in the following sentence:

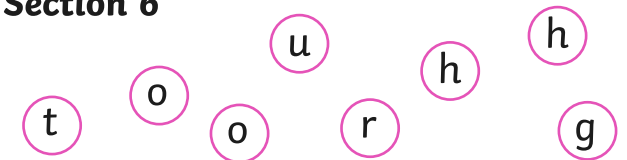
The government committee approved the plans for the new supermarket but rejected the petition for a bypass.

Section 4

Rewrite the sentence below with an embedded relative clause about Billy.

Billy let the spider he had caught go free in his back garden.

Section 6



Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Y6 spelling words - can you spot what it is?

t_____h

Year 6 Summer Term 2 SPaG Mat Answers

2

Section 1

Can you place dashes around the additional detail (parenthesis) in this sentence:

Usain Bolt the outstanding Jamaican sprinter won the first heat of the 100 metres.

Usain Bolt- the outstanding Jamaican sprinter- won the first heat of the 100 metres.



Section 2

Circle the TWO words that are antonyms of each other in the following sentence:

It would be possible to count the number of sweets inside a jar but impossible to count all the stars in the night sky.

possible impossible

Section 3

Can you write Adam's words into a direct speech sentence that uses inverted commas?



Would you like an apple, Amy?

"Would you like an apple, Amy?" said Adam as he offered it to her.

Section 4

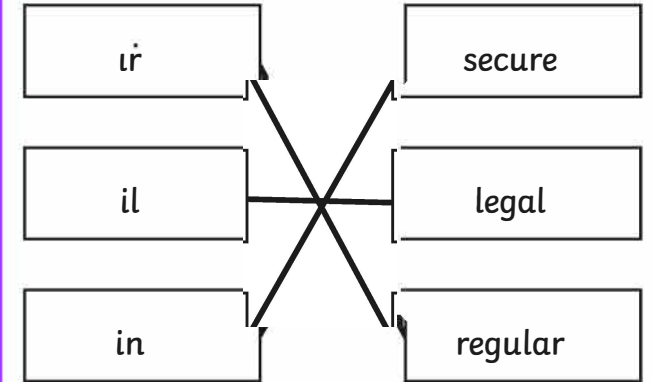
Add a relative clause to this sentence that begins with a relative pronoun:

Billy, _____ let the spider he had caught go free in his back garden.

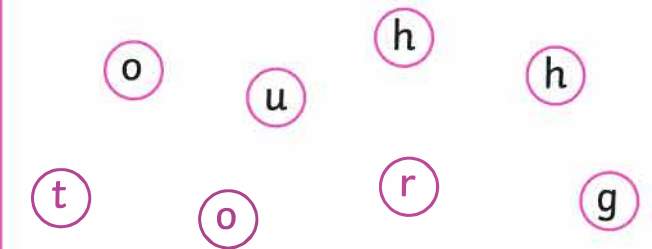
Accept any relevant relative clause that begins with who, whom or whose, e.g. 'who was a lover of animals'

Section 5

Match the prefix to the correct root word:



Section 6



Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Y6 spelling words - can you spot what it is?

thorough

Year 6 Summer Term 2 SPaG Mat Answers

2

Section 1

Can you place dashes around the additional detail (parenthesis) in this sentence:

Usain Bolt the outstanding Jamaican sprinter won the first heat of the 100 metres.

Usain Bolt- the outstanding Jamaican sprinter- won the first heat of the 100 metres.



Section 2

Circle the TWO words that are antonyms of each other in the following sentence:

You should always look both ways before crossing a road and never cross from behind a parked vehicle.

always never

Section 3

Can you invent Amy's reply and write it in a direct speech sentence that uses inverted commas?



Would you like an apple, Amy?

Accept any accurately-punctuated reply, e.g. "That would be lovely," replied Amy.

Section 4

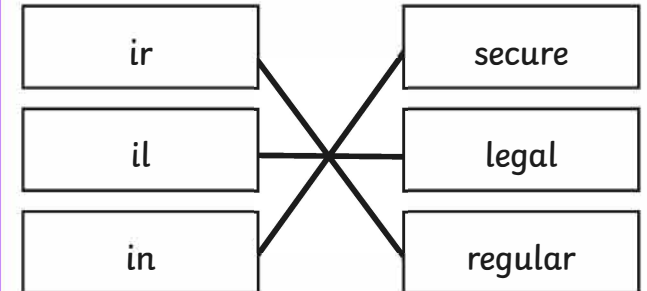
Rewrite the sentence below with an embedded relative clause about Billy. Don't forget to mark it with commas!

Billy let the spider he had caught go free in his back garden.

Accept any relevant embedded relative clause that begins with who, whom or whose with the correct use of commas, e.g. Billy, who was a lover of animals, let the spider he had caught go free in his back garden.

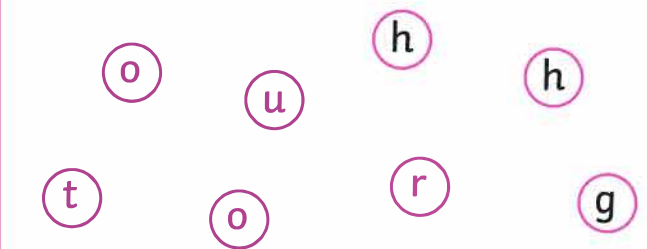
Section 5

Match the prefix to the correct root word:



Which of the words you have made is a synonym of unlawful? **illegal**

Section 6



Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Y6 spelling words- can you spot what it is?

thorough

Year 6 Summer Term 2 SPaG Mat Answers

2

Section 1

Can you write a sentence about Usain Bolt that has a parenthesis marked with dashes?

Accept any sentence with additional details (an aside) given inside dashes, e.g. Usain Bolt- the outstanding Jamaican sprinter - won the first heat of the 100 metres.



Section 2

Circle the TWO words that are antonyms of each other in the following sentence:

The government committee approved the plans for the new supermarket but rejected the petition for a bypass.

approved rejected

Section 3

Can you invent a question that Amy says in reply and write it in a direct speech sentence that uses inverted commas?

Accept any accurately-punctuated question as a reply, e.g. "Do you have any grapes instead?" replied Amy as she gazed at the picnic basket.

Section 4

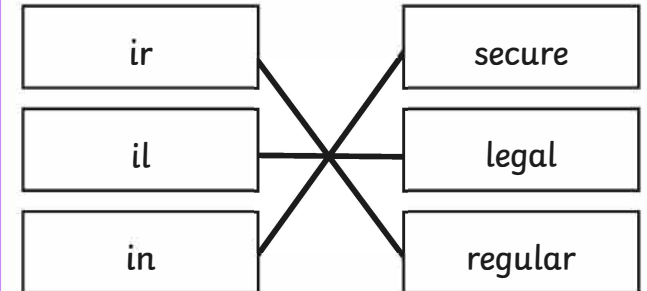
Rewrite the sentence below with an embedded relative clause about Billy.

Billy let the spider he had caught go free in his back garden.

Accept any relevant embedded relative clause that begins with who, whom or whose with the correct punctuation, e.g. Billy, who was a lover of animals, let the spider he had caught go free in his back garden.

Section 5

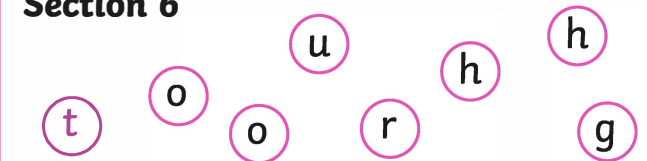
Match the prefix to the correct root word:



Which of the words you have made is a synonym of unlawful? **illegal**

Which of the words you have made is an antonym of self-confident? **insecure**

Section 6



Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Y6 spelling words - can you spot what it is?

thorough