

# Year 4 Spring Term 1 SPaG Mat 3

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a

Write a sentence about these children that contains a conjunction and a preposition. Underline them.

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Put an apostrophe in the correct place in this sentence:

The boys outfits  
were ready for the  
party.

b



Add the correct possessive pronoun to these sentences:

c

It's Matthew's new  
football - it's \_\_\_\_\_.

It's Mr and Mrs. Hazim's  
house - it's \_\_\_\_\_.

Circle the **THREE** determiners in these sentences:

d

The three ducklings followed  
Mummy Duck.

After we have been to the cinema,  
we are going to get a burger.

List two more ambitious adjectives to use instead of:

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ugly

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Mr Whoops has made TWO clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentence. Can you underline them and correct them? Use a dictionary if you need to.

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Cobras are a species of poisonous snake.

Mount Vesuvius is a dangerous volcano in Italy.

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a

Accept any accurately-punctuated sentence with an underlined preposition and conjunction, e.g. In front of the computer, the boy and girl were discussing their geography project as they had to choose a country to research.

b

Put an apostrophe in the correct place in this sentence:

The boys outfits were ready for the party.

The boys' outfits were ready for the party.

c

Add the correct possessive pronoun to these sentences:

It's Matthew's new football - it's his.

It's Mr and Mrs. Hazim's house - it's theirs.

d

Circle the **THREE** determiners in these sentences:

The three ducklings followed Mummy Duck.

After we have been to the cinema, we are going to get a burger.

e

List two more ambitious adjectives to use instead of:

ugly

Any synonyms for 'ugly', e.g. hideous, monstrous, dreadful, grotesque, etc.

f

Mr Whoops has made TWO clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentence. Can you underline them and correct them? Use a dictionary if you need to.

Cobras are a species of poisenous snake.

Mount Vesuvius is a dangerouis volcano in Italy.

poisonous

dangerous

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a

Write a sentence about these children that contains a conjunction, a fronted adverbial and a preposition. Underline them.

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Write a sentence that contains a plural apostrophe about the outfits belonging to the boys.

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b

Add the correct possessive pronoun to these sentences:

It's Matthew's new football - it's \_\_\_\_\_.

It's Mr and Mrs. Hazim's house - it's \_\_\_\_\_.

My puppy, who is called Bonnie, has a new lead - it's \_\_\_\_\_.

c

List two more ambitious adjectives to use instead of:

ugly

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e

Circle all the determiners in these sentences:

The three ducklings followed Mummy Duck.

After we have been to the cinema, we are going to get a burger.

d

Mr Whoops has made THREE clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentence. Can you underline them and correct them? Use a dictionary if you need to.

Cobras are a species of poisonous snake.

Mount Vesuvius is a dangerous volcano in Italy.

The courageous knight rode into battle.

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f

# Year 4 Spring Term 1 SPaG Mat 3 Answers

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a

Accept any accurately-punctuated sentence with an underlined fronted adverbial, preposition and conjunction, e.g. Last Tuesday, the boy and girl sat at the computer and discussed their project as they had to research a country together.

b

Write a sentence that contains a plural possessive apostrophe about the outfits belonging to the boys.

Accept any correctly-punctuated sentence with a plural possessive apostrophe, e.g. The boys' outfits were ready for the party.

c

Add the correct possessive pronoun to these sentences:

It's Matthew's new football - it's his.

It's Mr and Mrs. Hazim's house - it's theirs.

My puppy, who is called Bonnie, has a new lead - it's hers.

d

Circle all the determiners in these sentences:

The three ducklings followed Mummy Duck.

After we have been to the cinema, we are going to get a burger.

e

List two more ambitious adjectives to use instead of:

ugly

Any synonyms for 'ugly', e.g. hideous, monstrous, dreadful, grotesque, etc.

f

Mr Whoops has made THREE clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentence. Can you underline them and correct them? Use a dictionary if you need to.

Cobras are a species of poisenous snake.

Mount Vesuvius is a dangerouis volcano in Italy.

The couragous knight rode into battle.

poisonous

dangerous

courageous

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**a**

Write a sentence about these children that contains a conjunction, a fronted adverbial, an adverb and a preposition. Underline them.

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Write a sentence that contains a plural apostrophe about the outfits belonging to the boys.

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**b**

Add the correct possessive pronoun to these sentences:

It's Matthew's new football - it's \_\_\_\_\_.

It's Mr and Mrs. Hazim's house - it's \_\_\_\_\_.

My puppy, who is called Bonnie, has a new lead - it's \_\_\_\_\_.

Now write a sentence where you use 'mine' as a possessive pronoun.

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**c**

List two more ambitious adjectives to use instead of:

**ugly**

Now, write a sentence with a conjunction that contains one of your adjectives. \_\_\_\_\_

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**e**

Circle all the determiners in these sentences:

The three ducklings followed  
Mummy Duck.

After we have been to the cinema, we  
are going to get a burger.

Now write a sentence that uses the determiner 'an'.

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**d**

Mr Whoops has made THREE clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentence. Can you underline them and correct them?

Cobras are a species of poisonous snake.

Mount Vesuvius is a dangerous volcano in Italy.

The courageous knight rode into battle.

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**f**

# Year 4 Spring Term 1 SPaG Mat 3 Answers

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a

Accept any accurately-punctuated sentence with an underlined fronted adverbial, preposition, adverb and conjunction, e.g. Last Tuesday, the boy and girl sat at the computer and politely discussed their project as they had to research a country together.

Write a sentence that contains a plural possessive apostrophe about the outfits belonging to the boys.

Accept any correctly-punctuated sentence with a plural plural possessive apostrophe, e.g. The boys' outfits were ready for the party after visiting the fancy dress shop.

b

It's Matthew's new football - it's his.

c

It's Mr and Mrs. Hazim's house - it's theirs.

My puppy, who is called Bonnie, has a new lead - it's hers.

Accept any sentence where 'mine' is used to replace a noun phrase, e.g. That's not your pencil because it is mine.

d

Circle all the determiners in these sentences:

The three ducklings followed Mummy Duck.

After we have been to the cinema, we are going to get a burger.

Accept any sentence that uses 'an' before a vowel, e.g. An octopus has eight legs.

e

List two more ambitious adjectives to use instead of:

**Any synonyms for 'ugly', e.g. hideous, monstrous, dreadful, grotesque, etc.**

Accept any sentence with a synonym for ugly and a conjunction, e.g. The children ran for their lives because the grotesque beast was chasing them.

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Mr Whoops has made THREE clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentence. Can you underline them and correct them? Use a dictionary if you need to.

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Mount Vesuvius is a dangerouis volcano in Italy.

The couragous knight rode into battle.

poisonous, dangerous, courageous