

Just a few reminders before you start on your grammar check-ups. These are all things you've done before.

#### GROUP 1

- Number adjectives are the numbers written in words.
- For plurals of words ending in 'y', take off the y and add ies.  
Eg. lorry- lorries
- Preposition are words that tell you where something is eg. over or under
- The subject of a sentence is the main noun that is doing the verb eg. The dog chased the cat.
- The object of a sentence is the noun that is having something done to it Eg. The dog chased the cat.
- Pronouns are words like you, he etc (words that stand instead of people's names.)
- Collective nouns are a group of something. Eg. A flock of sheep.

#### GROUP 2

- Proper nouns are names, days of the week, towns etc- all the nouns which need a capital letter.
- Comparative adjectives are words that help you compare two things. Eg taller, sadder, fatter.
- Conjunctions is another word for connectives.
- Verbs are doing words and the present tense of these is what you would say if you added 'now' at the beginning of the sentence. Eg. I brush my hair.

### GROUP 3

- Nouns are naming words and adjectives are describing words.
- Plural are when there is more than 1 of something. These words finish with 's' or 'es'. Eg cars or lorries.
- Proper nouns are names, days of the week, towns etc- all the nouns which need a capital letter.
- Pronouns are words like you, he etc (words that stand instead of people's names.)

## GROUP 1



### Check-up 1

#### Proper nouns



#### Adjectives



#### Singular and plural

#### Prepositions



A In your book, write these names correctly.

- |                 |                 |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1 tina robinson | 2 richard smith |
| 3 kamal khan    | 4 doctor finch  |

B Write these book titles correctly.

- |                        |                    |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| 1 a tale of two cities | 2 the twits        |
| 3 the railway children | 4 the silver sword |

A Copy the sentences below.

Underline the **number adjectives**.

- 1 Five ponies are in the field.
- 2 Six thousand people watched the match.
- 3 I planted twenty trees.

B Use these **number order adjectives** in sentences of your own.

- 1 eighth    2 fortieth    3 thirty-second

Write the **plurals** of these words.

- |         |        |          |
|---------|--------|----------|
| 1 berry | 2 key  | 3 post   |
| 4 penny | 5 ruby | 6 kidney |

A Copy the sentences below.

Fill each gap with a **preposition**.

- 1 The bird flew \_\_\_\_\_ the trees.
- 2 I will hide \_\_\_\_\_ the shed.
- 3 "It is very cold \_\_\_\_\_." said Mum.

B Use each of these **prepositions** in a sentence of your own.

- 1 beneath    2 around    3 during



## Sentences



## Pronouns



## Collective nouns

**A** Copy the following sentences.  
Underline the **subject** of each sentence.

- 1 The goat ate the grass.
- 2 We like to ride our bicycles.
- 3 The circus came to town.

**B** Copy the following sentences.  
Underline the **object** of each sentence.

- 1 Mrs Potter cleaned the windows.
- 2 Freda ate an ice cream.
- 3 I like oranges.

**C** Copy these sentences.  
Put **inverted commas** around the **spoken words**.

- 1 Let me bathe that cut, said the nurse.
- 2 The boy muttered, I always get the blame.
- 3 What a mess, Mum shouted.
- 4 I'm very cold, moaned the little girl.

Copy the sentences below.  
Underline the **pronouns**.

- 1 I am going to tidy the garage myself.
- 2 He watched the seagull as it dived for the fish.
- 3 When you go out, see if you can see it.
- 4 You must get yourself ready in good time.

Use the following **collective nouns** in sentences of your own.

- 1 herd    2 band    3 bundle    4 queue





## Check-up 1

### Proper nouns



Copy these sentences into your book.  
Write the **proper nouns** with capital letters.

- 1 I am going sailing on the river dee on tuesday.
- 2 The bus only goes to bangor on saturday.
- 3 We are going to america in july.

### Adjectives



Copy and complete the **comparative adjectives** in this table.

This torch is bright.	That torch is _____.
This coat is old.	That coat is _____.
This road is long.	That road is _____.
This man is strong.	That man is _____.
This bag is light.	That bag is _____.

### Confusing words



Copy the sentences below.  
Choose the right word to finish each sentence.

- 1 It is to/too late to go out.
- 2 I have got too/two minutes too/to catch the bus.
- 3 Can I come to/too?
- 4 The dog likes to/two bury his bone



## Conjunctions



Join each pair of sentences with a **conjunction**.

- 1 I hurt my hand. I cannot write.
- 2 The girls played very well. They won the netball match.
- 3 I did not feel well. I had a headache.
- 4 Alex was late. He missed the bus.

## Verbs



**A** Copy the sentences below.  
Change each verb family name to a **present tense verb**.

- 1 The tree (to grow) near the river.
- 2 People (to visit) the castle.
- 3 The owl (to hunt) at night.
- 4 He (to eat) cereal for breakfast.
- 5 She (to read) her book in bed.

**B** Copy the sentences below.  
Choose the right word to finish each sentence.

- 1 The boys am/are on bicycles.
- 2 Some people is/are fond of animals.
- 3 Our cat am/is lost.
- 4 My brother and I is/are in the team.







## Check-up 1

### Nouns and adjectives



- A** In your book, write a list of the **nouns** you can see in this picture.
- B** Write an **adjective** to go with each noun in your list.

### Plurals



- A** These words are singular.  
Write the **plurals**.

- |        |         |        |
|--------|---------|--------|
| 1 car  | 2 stamp | 3 hat  |
| 4 book | 5 pen   | 6 pig  |
| 7 mat  | 8 road  | 9 shoe |

- B** Use three of the **plurals** in sentences of your own.

### Prepositions

over up  
out on

Copy these sentences.

Fill each gap, using a **preposition** from the box.

- Sam is climbing \_\_\_\_\_ the stairs.
- Rupa found the book \_\_\_\_\_ the shelf.
- The cat jumped \_\_\_\_\_ the fence.
- Raj took the dog \_\_\_\_\_ for a walk.



## Proper nouns



Find the **proper nouns** in this box.  
Write them with capital letters.

tim lamb mrs desai frog  
paul dan cap mr letts

## Pronouns



Copy these sentences.  
Fill each gap with a **pronoun**.

- 1 Ian felt sick because \_\_\_\_\_ had eaten too much.
- 2 If Tina wanted, \_\_\_\_\_ could go to the match.
- 3 Aunt Mary was cross with the dog because \_\_\_\_\_ had chewed the rug.

## Confusing words



Copy these sentences.  
Fill each gap with two or to.

- 1 The sign pointed \_\_\_\_\_ the shops.
- 2 There were \_\_\_\_\_ socks on the washing line.
- 3 Which way do we go \_\_\_\_\_ get home?
- 4 The \_\_\_\_\_ bats were broken.
- 5 I have \_\_\_\_\_ leave in ten minutes.