

Punctuation Exercises

Exercise 2.4 B

Practice based on Question 15 (Sample English tests: Grammar, punctuation and spelling Paper 1 – Levels 3-5)

Purpose of exercise: Adding commas to sentences

Which of the sentences below uses **commas** correctly?

1.

Tick **one**.

The dragon, had yellow eyes, long teeth and a purple wig!

The dragon had yellow eyes, long teeth, and a purple wig!

The dragon had yellow eyes, long teeth and a purple wig!

The, dragon had yellow eyes long teeth, and a purple wig!

2.

Tick **one**.

We ate parsnip, sweet potato spinach, and cockroach soup.

We, ate parsnip, sweet potato, spinach and cockroach soup.

We ate parsnip sweet, potato, spinach and cockroach soup.

We ate parsnip, sweet potato, spinach and cockroach soup.

3.

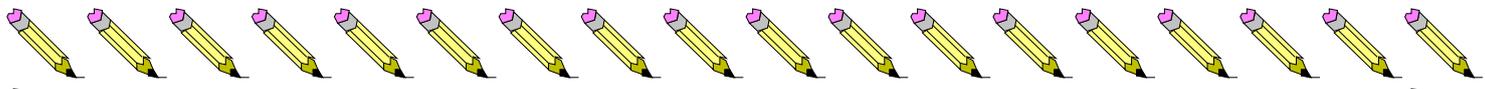
Tick **one**.

Ranjit had a sword, a helmet, two knives and a cloak.

Ranjit had a sword, a helmet, two, knives, and a cloak.

Ranjit, had a sword a helmet two knives and a cloak.

Ranjit had, a sword a helmet, two knives, and a cloak.



4.

Tick **one**.

The gerbil could, speak English, French, Spanish, and German.

The gerbil, could speak English French, Spanish and German.

The gerbil could speak, English, French, Spanish and German.

The gerbil could speak English, French, Spanish and German.

5.

Tick **one**.

Ogres should always carry a club, firewood and a toothbrush!

Ogres, should always carry a club firewood and a toothbrush!

Ogres should always carry, a club, firewood, and a toothbrush!

Ogres should always, carry a club, firewood and a toothbrush!

6.

Tick **one**.

My hobbies are reading, burping, and underwater ironing.

My hobbies are reading, burping and underwater ironing.

My hobbies are reading, burping and underwater, ironing.

My hobbies, are reading burping, and underwater ironing.

7.

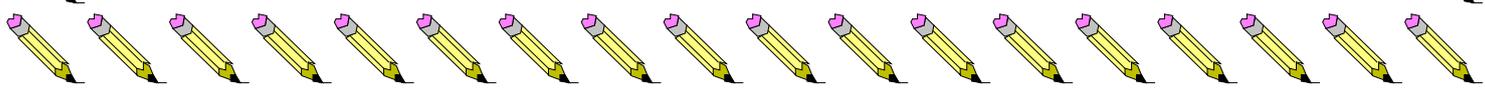
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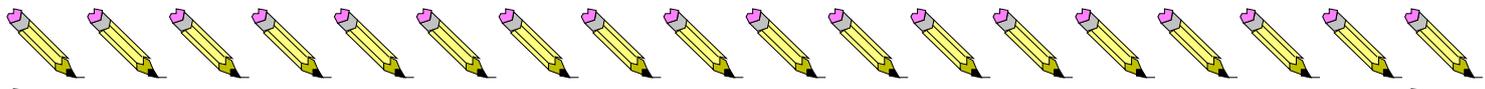
Mars, Neptune, Jupiter and Saturn all have alien towns.

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8.

Tick **one**.

The ghost spider had eight legs, four, eyes, and a moustache!

The ghost, spider had eight legs, four eyes and a moustache!

The ghost spider had eight legs, four eyes and a moustache!

The, ghost spider had eight legs, four eyes, and a moustache!

9.

Tick **one**.

Bradley liked ham, egg, lime, jam, and frogspawn sandwiches.

Bradley, liked ham, egg, lime jam, and frogspawn sandwiches.

Bradley liked ham, egg, lime jam and frogspawn, sandwiches.

Bradley liked ham, egg, lime jam and frogspawn sandwiches.

10.

Tick **one**.

Sally was the top goal-scorer in, April May, June, and August.

Sally was the top goal-scorer in April, May, June and August.

Sally, was the top goal-scorer in April, May, June and August.

Sally was the top goal-scorer, in April May, June and August.

