

SPAG Mat Answers

Section 1

Can you place suitable prepositions into the spaces in these sentences?

The monkey had escaped _____ the zoo. Quickly, he ran _____ the road and scurried _____ a tree.

Accept suitable prepositions, e.g. from/down/up/across.



Section 2

Oops! Mr Whoops has accidentally replaced some of the words within his sentence with his favourite fruits! Can you suggest a sensible word to replace each one?

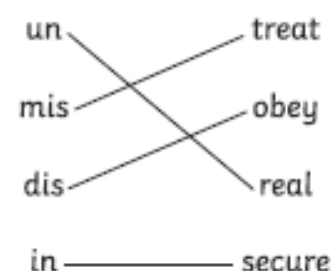
Apple in the garden, the children played happily on the **banana** summer's day **strawberry** it started to rain.

Accept any sensible preposition, adjective and conjunction.



Section 3

Draw lines to join-up the root words with the correct prefixes:



Section 4

Our swimming teacher learnt us backstroke today. I had a gr8 lesson!

Can you rewrite this text message so it is written in Standard English?

Our swimming teacher taught us backstroke today. I had a great lesson!

Section 5

Can you think of an adjective, adverb and a preposition beginning with...

Accept any adjectives, adverbs and prepositions starting with the suggested letters, e.g. attractive, aptly and above; terrific, tiredly and towards.

Section 6

Can you unjumble these Y3 spelling words?

(Clue: They are verbs!)

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EDCIDE **DECIDE**