



1 Which sentence uses an **apostrophe** correctly?
Tick **one**.

- The childrens' coats were hung outside the classroom.
- The childrens coat's were hung outside the classroom.
- The children's coats were hung outside the classroom.
- The childrens' coat's were hung outside the classroom.

1 mark

2 Circle the word that contains an **apostrophe** for **possession**.

I'll have to leave in ten minutes so there's enough
time to get to Daniel's house.

1 mark

3 Write the **contracted form** of the underlined words in the box below.

Had I not been stuck in traffic, I would have been on time.

1 mark

4 Insert an **apostrophe** in the correct place in the sentence below.

The dogs leads are hung up next to their collars.

1 mark

5 Tick one box in each row to show whether the apostrophe is used for a **contracted form** or **possession**.

Apostrophe
for contracted
form

Apostrophe
for
possession

Jake's feeling unwell.

Is this Katie's jacket?

We could all go to Peter's house.

We could've played outside if it was sunny.

1 mark

6 Write the **contracted form** of the underlined words in the box below.

Jasper will not be able to go to the party.

1 mark

7 Explain how the position of the **apostrophe** changes the meaning of the second sentence.

1. My kite landed in the cow's field.

2. My kite landed in the cows' field.

1 mark

8 Circle the word that contains an **apostrophe** for **contraction**.

You're going to have beat Kara's high score if you want to win the game.

1 mark

9 Tick one box in each row to show whether the apostrophe is used for a **contracted form** or **possession**.

	The apostrophe shows that...	True	False	
The boys' PE kits are hanging in the changing room.	There is only one boy.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Grace hasn't met her brothers' friends.	Grace only has one brother.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The book's cover was covered in dust.	There is only one book.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1 mark
The tree's branches needed to be trimmed.	There is more than one tree.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

10 Add the missing **apostrophes** to the following sentences.

Elizas treehouses are the best in our street.

Its the biggest one out of them all.

Shes so lucky to have toys like that.

1 mark

11 Tick **all** the sentences which use are punctuated correctly.

- The dog chased its ball around the field.
- The dog chased it's ball around the field.
- I threw the dog's ball for him.
- I threw the dogs' ball for him.

1 mark

12 Write the **contracted form** of the underlined words in the box below.

I have spoken to Sally and Liam and they are going
to America tomorrow.

1 mark

13 Write the **contraction** for each of the words below.

The first one has been done for you.

cannot can't

shall not _____

we are _____

1 mark

14 Add the missing **apostrophes** to the sentences below.

Alfies hobbies include playing cricket, reading books and running.

Betsy wasnt able to go to school today.

Charlie doesnt want to join the football team.

1 mark

15 Tick one box in each row to show whether the underlined noun is **singular** or **plural**.

Singular

Plural

The customer's order was ready to be collected.

The guests' invitations had all been sent.

Those are the girl's belongings.

1 mark

16 Write the **contracted form** of the underlined words in the box below.

Finley should have done his homework on time.

1 mark

17 Explain how the position of the **apostrophe** changes the meaning of the second sentence.

The clowns' jokes and tricks really made the children laugh.

The clown's jokes and tricks really made the children laugh.

1 mark

18 Circle the word that contains an **apostrophe** for **possession**.

Brendan wasn't happy with the basketball team's performance last week.

1 mark

19 Which sentence is **punctuated** correctly? Tick **one**.

The women's coffee morning is held on Tuesdays.

The womens' coffee morning is held on Tuesdays.

The womens coffee morning is held on Tuesdays.

The women's coffee morning is held on Tuesday's.

1 mark

20 Add the missing **apostrophes** to the following sentences.

Whos going on the school trip to Scotland?

I think itll be really exciting.

Well have a really good time.

1 mark

**Total
marks**