

# Spring Term 1

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Before bedtime, Joshua always brushes his teeth.

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a

Look at these sentences.

Underline the root word that could have an il-, ir- or im- prefix added. Write each new prefix word.

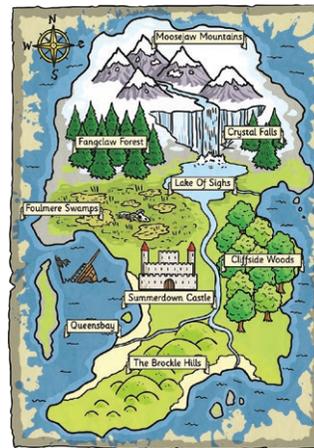
a) The trains from our local station are very regular.

\_\_\_\_\_

b) The junior doctor's handwriting was legible.

\_\_\_\_\_

b



Read the sentence below and underline the two words that are modal verbs.

We must travel north from Summerdown Castle and eventually we should arrive at the Moosejaw Mountains.

c

Can you think of a more formal synonym to replace this past tense verb? (Use a thesaurus if you need to!)

cried \_\_\_\_\_

d

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up an antonym of 'polite'. Can you help him to unjumble it?

rdeu

\_\_\_\_\_



e

Can you add dashes around the parenthesis in this sentence?

The Beatles the world-famous Liverpoolian band first began recording songs in 1962.



f

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**rude**

Look at these sentences.

b

Underline the root word that could have an il-, ir- or im- prefix added. Write each new prefix word.

a) The trains from our local station are very **regular**.

**irregular**

b) The junior doctor's handwriting was **legible**.

**illegible**

Can you think of a more formal synonym to replace this past tense verb? (Use a thesaurus if you need to!)

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cried **Accept more formal synonyms, e.g. wept, bawled, sobbed, snivelled, etc.**

Can you add dashes around the parenthesis in this sentence?

f

The Beatles the world-famous Liverpoolian band first began recording songs in 1962.

**Accept dashes around the parenthesis, i.e. The Beatles - the world-famous Liverpoolian band - first began recording songs in 1962.**

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Is this sentence active or passive?

Underline the object of the sentence.

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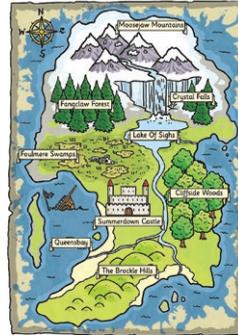
a) The trains from our local station are very regular.

\_\_\_\_\_

b) The new arrangements were extremely practical for everyone to follow.

\_\_\_\_\_

Look at the sentence below and add two modal verbs.



We \_\_\_\_\_ travel north from Summerdown Castle and eventually we \_\_\_\_\_ arrive at the Moosejaw Mountains.

Can you think of more formal synonyms to replace these past tense verbs? (Use a thesaurus if you need to!)

cried \_\_\_\_\_

bought \_\_\_\_\_

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two antonyms of 'polite'. Can you help him to unjumble them?



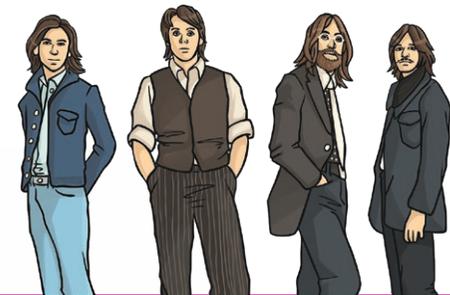
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Can you add appropriate punctuation around the parenthesis in this sentence?

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Underline the object of the sentence.

Before bedtime, Joshua always brushes his teeth.

**active**

Look at the sentence below and add two modal verbs. **c**

We \_\_ travel north from Summerdown Castle and eventually we \_\_ arrive at the Moosejaw Mountains.

**Accept two modal verbs that make sense in the sentence, i.e. must/ought to/will/could/should/may/might, etc.**

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two antonyms of 'polite'. Can you help him to unjumble them? **e**

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**rude inconsiderate**

Look at these sentences. **b**

Underline the root word that could have an il-, ir- or im- prefix added. Write each new prefix word.

a) The trains from our local station are very regular.

**irregular**

b) The new arrangements were extremely practical for everyone to follow.

**impractical**

Can you think of more formal synonyms to replace these past tense verbs? **d**

cried **Accept more formal synonyms, e.g. wept, bawled, sobbed, snivelled, etc.**

bought **Accept more formal synonyms, e.g. acquired, purchased, procured, etc.**

Can you add appropriate punctuation around the parenthesis in this sentence? **f**

The Beatles the world-famous Liverpoolian band first began recording songs in 1962.

**Accept brackets, dashes or commas around the parenthesis, i.e. The Beatles - the world-famous Liverpoolian band - first began recording songs in 1962.**

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Write an active sentence about this boy, Joshua. Underline the object of the sentence.

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b

Look at these sentences. Underline the root word that could have an il-, ir- or im- prefix added. Write each new prefix word.

a) The trains from our local station are very regular.

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b) The junior doctor's handwriting was legible.

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Now, write down another root word that an ir- prefix could be added to.

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c

Look at the sentence below and add two modal verbs.

We \_\_\_\_\_ travel north from Summerdown Castle and eventually we \_\_\_\_\_ arrive at the Moosejaw Mountains.

Now, write your own sentence about the map that contains a different modal verb and underline it.

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d

Can you think of more formal synonyms to replace these past tense verbs? (Use a thesaurus if you need to!)

cried \_\_\_\_\_

bought \_\_\_\_\_

climbed \_\_\_\_\_

e

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two antonyms of 'kind'. All the letters from the two words are muddled together- can you help him to unjumble them?

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f

Rewrite this sentence about the Beatles with added parenthesis, which must be accurately punctuated.

The Beatles first began recording songs in 1962.

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# Spring Term 1 Answers

a

Write an active sentence about this boy, Joshua. Underline the object of the sentence.

**Accept any active sentence with an underlined object, e.g. Before bedtime, Joshua always brushes his teeth.**

b

Look at these sentences. Underline the root word that could have an il-, ir- or im- prefix added. Write each new prefix word.

a) The trains from our local station are very regular.

**irregular**

b) The junior doctor's handwriting was legible.

**illegible**

Now, write down another root word that an ir- prefix could be added to.

**e.g. responsible, relevant, etc.**

c

Look at the sentence below and add two modal verbs.

We \_\_ travel north from Summerdown Castle and eventually we \_\_ arrive at the Moosejaw Mountains.

**Accept two modal verbs that make sense in the sentence, i.e. ought to/will/could/should/may/might, etc.**

Now, write your own sentence about the map that contains a different modal verb and underline it.

**Accept any sensible sentence that contains an underlined modal verb, i.e. can, could, may, might, shall, should, will, would and must.**

d

Can you think of more formal synonyms to replace these past tense verbs?

cried **Accept more formal synonyms, e.g. wept, bawled, sobbed, snivelled, etc.**

bought **Accept more formal synonyms, e.g. acquired, purchased, procured, etc.**

climbed **Accept more formal synonyms, e.g. ascended, scaled, clambered, etc.**

e

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two antonyms of 'kind'. All the letters from the two words are muddled together- can you help him to unjumble them?

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**rude    inconsiderate**

f

Rewrite this sentence about the Beatles with added parenthesis, which must be accurately punctuated.

The Beatles first began recording songs in 1962.

**Accept brackets, dashes or commas around an aside of extra information, e.g. The Beatles - the world-famous Liverpudlian band - first began recording songs in 1962.**