Mark schemes



Sentence	To replace missing letter	To show something belongs to someone / something
Example: It doesn't go there.	\checkmark	
We're cold.	~	
Anita's coat is very warm.		✓
Ruby's hair is brown.		✓
I mustn't forget my homework.	✓	

Award 1 mark for all four correct.



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Award 1 mark for

We shall not do that again!

∳ shan't

Do not accept misspellings.

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Award 1 mark for all three apostrophes placed correctly.

That comedian's jokes were hilarious.

Ryan's parents are both doctors.

The castle's dungeons are 300 years old.

Also accept:

The castles' dungeons are 300 years old.

1 mark

1 mark

7	Award 1 mark for all three correct contractions.	
	"I <u>cannot</u> find my hat," moaned Asha. " <u>I will</u> ask Mum. ↓ 	
	I bet <u>she has</u> seen it."	
	Do not accept the use of the lowercase 'i'.	1 mark
8	Award 1 mark for both contractions.	
	lm	
	hasn't	
	Do not accept the use of the lowercase 'i'.	1 mark
9	Award 1 mark for a correctly placed apostrophe.	
	Pupils' coats should be hung on the pegs.	1 mark
10	Award 1 mark for the correct word encircled.	
	It's five o'clock. Let's leave early and we'll be able to go to	

Sentence	Apostrophe for a contracted form	Apostrophe for possession
Where is Karen's pen?		~
Joshua's hungry.	~	
Please get the dog's dinner.		~
The cat's outside.	~	

Award 1 mark for a response that demonstrates understanding of the plural possessive apostrophe, e.g.

- In the second sentence, it means that there is more than one brother.
- In the second one, it shows plural possession.
- 1. One brother. 2. Two brothers.

Also accept responses that demonstrate understanding without referring to the second sentence, e.g.

In the first sentence, there is only one brother.

There are no spelling or punctuation requirements for this question.

1 mark

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Award 1 mark for a correctly completed table.

	Singular	Plural
The <u>customers'</u> hunger was satisfied by the pizza.		✓
The princess's slippers were made of glass.	\checkmark	
Those are the <u>boys'</u> books.		\checkmark