



ANSWERS

1 Write a **noun phrase** containing at least **three words** to complete the sentence below.

Remember to punctuate your answer correctly.

_____ was organising a surprise party.

1 mark

Award 1 mark for an appropriate noun phrase of three or more words inserted into the sentence, e.g.

My best friend was organising a surprise party.

The woman with the red scarf was organising a surprise party.

A group of excited friends was organising a surprise party.

Our neighbour from down the street was organising a surprise party.

Additional guidance: do not award the mark if the initial capital letter has been omitted.

2 Underline the **longest possible noun phrase** in the sentence below.

That documentary about whales was interesting.

1 mark

3 Tick the sentence below that has a **noun phrase**.

Tick **one**.

She was hungry and tired.

She wore a pair of heels.

She wanted to be brave.

She was extremely nervous.

1 mark

4 Underline the **two noun phrases** in the sentence below.

The class gave her a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

1 mark

5 Write a **noun phrase** containing at least **three words** to complete the sentence below.

Remember to punctuate your answer correctly.

_____ won the trophy.

1 mark

Award 1 mark for an appropriate noun phrase of three or more words inserted into the sentence, e.g.

That boy from Liverpool won the trophy.

The team from our school won the trophy.

My amazing dad won the trophy.

Additional guidance: do not award the mark if the initial capital letter has been omitted.

6 Underline the **longest possible noun phrase** in the sentence below.

Her painting of the sunset was breathtaking.

1 mark

7 Underline the **two noun phrases** in the sentence below.

A young girl with a red backpack carried a stack of books.

1 mark

8 Tick the **noun phrase** below.

Tick **one**.

- very fast
- has been singing
- so wonderful
- a broken pen

1 mark

9 Underline the **longest possible noun phrase** in the sentence below.

We explored the ancient, overgrown trail next to the castle.

1 mark

10 Write a **noun phrase** containing at least **three words** to complete the sentence below.

Remember to punctuate your answer correctly.

_____ were waiting at the finish line.

1 mark

Award 1 mark for an appropriate noun phrase of three or more words inserted into the sentence, e.g.

A group of cheering spectators were waiting at the finish line.

The runners from the race before were waiting at the finish line.

My embarrassing parents were waiting at the finish line.

Additional guidance: do not award the mark if the initial capital letter has been omitted.

11 Read the sentences below. Tick **yes** or **no** to determine whether they include a **noun phrase**.

Sentence	Yes	No
That velvet lamp on the table needs fixing.	✓	
My best friend is coming over.	✓	
Henry looked at Mia.		✓
Would you like some fresh candyfloss?	✓	

1 mark

12 Underline the **longest possible noun phrase** in the sentence below.

The clown with a spotted bow made me laugh the most.

1 mark

13 Expand the **noun** into a **noun phrase** by adding words **before** and **after** the noun.

One has been done for you.

Noun	Noun phrases
rainbow	that vibrant rainbow beyond the bridge
puppy	Award 1 mark for an appropriate noun phrase including at least a determiner (or determiner and adjective(s) as well as a post modifier e.g. my playful puppy with floppy ears

1 mark

14 Tick the sentence below that has a **noun phrase**.

Tick **one**.

- Dad planted some sunflower seeds.
- Dad was always late.
- Dad liked cycling to work.
- Dad was angry and upset.

1 mark

15 Tick the **noun phrase** in the sentence below.

The tired teacher left school slightly early, then rested.

1 mark

16 Underline the **longest possible noun phrase** in the sentence below.

I really think that my comfy new running shoes helped me win today.

1 mark

17 Underline the **two noun phrases** in the sentence below.

Have you tried the sausage rolls at that brand-new bakery at the top of the hill?

1 mark

18 Tick the **noun phrase** below.

Tick **one**.

- is dancing
- in summer
- some money
- without warning

1 mark

19 Expand the **noun** into a **noun phrase** by adding words **before** and **after** the noun.

One has been done for you.

Noun	Noun phrases
chair	her rocking chair by the window
car	Award 1 mark for an appropriate noun phrase including at least a determiner (or determiner and adjective(s)) as well as a post modifier e.g. the red car with new alloys

1 mark

20 Write a **noun phrase** containing at least **three words** to complete the sentence below.

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_____ roared loudly as we passed.

1 mark

Award 1 mark for an appropriate noun phrase of three or more words inserted into the sentence, e.g.

The large, fierce lion in the cage roared loudly as we passed.

The dark storm clouds roared loudly as we passed.

The huge engine on the train roared loudly as we passed.

Additional guidance: do not award the mark if the initial capital letter has been omitted.