



## The English Language Arts Section By Sadie & Shasta

Covers SIX (6) TASKS

Plus COMPREHENSION questions from NUMERIC MINDS Tutoring Lessons

Task 1 – SPELLING

Task 2 – Punctuation and Capitalisation

Task 3 – GRAMMER + RULES

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### GRAMMER RULES

ENSURE NOUN & PRONOUN ACCORD.

ENSURE AGREEMENT OF SUBJECT & VERB AND SUBJECT & PRONOUN

USE NOUNS: COMMON, PROPER, COLLECTIVE, ABSTRACT IN SENTENCES

☺ USE ADJECTIVE: COMPARITIVE & SUPERLATIVE DEGREE

USE PRONOUNS: PERSONAL, POSSESSIVE, REFLECTIVE, RELATIVE



## Let's learn about Grammar and It's Tenses:

Here are twelve important grammar rules in English, along with some questions to help you understand them better. Let's start with the first six rules:

1. All sentences have a **noun** and a **verb**. Nouns are people, objects, animals, or places. **Verbs** are the actions that the nouns **perform**.
2. All sentences must contain a **subject** and a **predicate**. The subject is the **person** or **thing** performing an **action**, and the predicate is what the subject is **doing(verb)**.
3. Use correct punctuation. All sentences must end with a **full stop<sup>UK/period<sup>US</sup></sup>** [ . ], **exclamation mark** [ ! ] or **question mark** [ ? ].
4. Remember to use articles. All single, countable common nouns must be preceded by a **definite article** [ **the** ] or **indefinite article** [ **a/an** ].
5. Remember when to use capital letters. The first word in a sentence is capitalised. The pronoun "I" is capitalised. Proper nouns (names) are capitalised.
6. Use **adjectives** and **adverbs** correctly. **Adjectives** describe nouns, which they precede unless separated by a verb. **Adverbs** describe verbs, adjectives, and other adverbs. Their position varies depending on type.

Read each question carefully, then select the option that provides the best answers.

1. Which of the following sentences demonstrates correct capitalization?  
a. John and Mary went to Paris for their honeymoon.      c. the sun sets in the west.  
b. They visited the empire state building.      d. the river flowed gently downstream.
2. Which of the following correctly describes a noun?  
a. A word that describes an action      b. A person, object, animal, or place  
c. A word that shows possession      d. A word that modifies a verb
3. Which punctuation mark can end a sentence with emphasis?  
a. Comma      b. Semi-colon      c. Colon      d. Exclamation mark
4. When should capital letters be used ?  
a. In every word of a sentence      b. Only for verbs  
c. Only for proper nouns      d. Only for adjectives
5. What is the role of a verb in a sentence?  
a. Describing a noun      b. Naming a person or thing      c. Indicating an action      d. Showing emphasis
6. Which part of speech describes nouns and usually precedes them?  
a. Adjective      b. Adverb      c. Verb      d. Pronoun
7. True or False: All sentences must contain a subject and a predicate.

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8. **What is the function of an adjective in a sentence?**  
a. Describe verbs      b. Describe nouns      c. Describe adverbs      d. Describe punctuation

9. **Which of the following sentences ends with correct punctuation ?**  
a. She likes bananas.  
b. He went to the store;  
c. They shouted stop!  
d. Running through the park?

10. **What is the function of a subject in a sentence?**  
a. Performing an action      b. Describing a noun      c. Modifying a verb      d. Ending the sentence

11. **What are the essential components of a sentence?**  
a. Adjective and adverb  
b. Noun and pronoun  
c. Noun and verb  
d. Subject and predicate

12. **What should all singular, countable common nouns be preceded by?**  
a. Preposition  
b. Pronoun  
c. Definite article [ the ] or indefinite article [ a/an ]  
d. Conjunction

13. **What type of word is "quickly" in the sentence "She ran quickly"?**  
a. Noun  
b. Adverb  
c. Adjective  
d. Pronoun

14. **What is the role of a verb in a sentence?**  
a. Describing a noun  
b. Naming a person or thing  
c. Indicating an action  
d. Showing emphasis

15. **Which of the following is used to precede singular, countable common nouns?**  
a. Adjective  
b. Definite article  
c. Pronoun  
d. Conjunction

16. **When should a sentence end with a question mark?**  
a. When it's a statement  
b. When it's a command  
c. When it's an exclamation  
d. When it's a question

Complete the sentences by filling in the blanks with the words listed in the table below. the

17. **Why is correct punctuation important in writing?**

Correct punctuation helps convey meaning, clarify relationships between words and phrases, and enhances readability. It signals the structure and tone of a sentence.

structure	words	tone	punctuation	phrases	readability
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Answer: Correct punctuation helps convey meaning, clarify relationships between words and phrases, and enhances readability. It signals the structure and tone of a sentence.



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Match Yes or No to answer the questions below.

1. Is it necessary for sentences to end with correct punctuation? Yes  No
2. Are adverbs used to describe nouns? Yes  No
3. Should proper nouns always be capitalized? Yes  No
4. Can a sentence function without a subject? Yes  No
5. Is it important to use articles correctly in writing? Yes  No
6. Can a sentence end with a comma? Yes  No
7. Are adverbs used to describe verbs, adjectives, and other adverbs? Yes  No
8. Should articles always precede single, countable common nouns? Yes  No
9. Is it necessary to use articles before every noun? Yes  No
10. Does every sentence need a subject and a predicate? Yes  No
11. Can a sentence have more than one subject? Yes  No
12. Are adjectives used to describe people, objects, animals, or places? Yes  No
13. Is "the" an indefinite article? Yes  No
14. Do all sentences require a noun and a verb? Yes  No
15. Are adjectives used to describe actions? Yes  No
16. Can an adverb describe another adverb? Yes  No
17. Is proper capitalization important for proper nouns? Yes  No
18. Should nouns be preceded by either a definite or indefinite article? Yes  No
19. Do articles help tell if a noun is talking about something specific or something more general? Yes  No
20. "Are single, countable common nouns required to be preceded by either a definite [ the ] or an indefinite article [ a/an ]?" Yes  No
21. Is the pronoun "I" always capitalized? Yes  No

Select the correct answer for each question based on the use of articles (the, a/an) to fill in the blanks.

1. Which article completes the sentence correctly?  
"I saw \_\_\_ cat chasing \_\_\_ mouse."  
a. an / the      b. a / the      c. the / a      d. a / a
2. In the sentence \_\_\_ which article should replace the blank? ?  
"She found \_\_\_ interesting book at \_\_\_ library."  
a. an / a      b. the / the      c. an / the      d. a / the
3. Which option correctly completes the sentence with the appropriate articles?  
"He wanted to buy \_\_\_ new car, but he couldn't afford \_\_\_ expensive one."  
a. the / the      b. a / an      c. an / a      d. the / a
4. Identify the correct articles for the sentence:  
"Can you please pass me \_\_\_ salt from \_\_\_ kitchen?"  
a. the / the      b. a / an      c. an / the      d. the / a



**5. Which articles should be inserted to complete the sentence accurately?**

"She received \_\_\_\_ award for \_\_\_\_ best performance in the play."

a. a / the      b. an / the      c. the / a      d. a / a

Select the correct answer for each question based on the use of articles (the, a/an).

**1. Select the correct sentence with appropriate articles: "There is apple on table."**

a. There is an apple on the table.      b. There is apple on the table.  
c. There is a apple on the table.      d. There is the apple on the table.

**2. Choose the sentence with correct usage of articles: "She saw cat in tree."**

a. She saw cat in the tree.      c. She saw a cat in the tree.  
b. She saw cat in a tree.      d. She saw a cat in tree.

**3. Correct the sentence with proper articles: "He is doctor."**

a. He is a doctor.      b. He's an doctor.  
c. He is an doctor.      d. He is the doctor.

**4. Which sentence has appropriate articles? "They visited museum."**

a. They visited the museum.      c. They visited museum.  
b. They visited a museum.      d. They visited an museum.

Select the correct answer for each question based on the use of articles (the, a/an) from the drop down box.

1. Is "the" used to refer to something specific? Yes
2. Does "a" come before words that start with a consonant sound? Yes
3. Can "an" be used before words starting with a vowel sound? Yes
4. Is "the" the correct article for the blank in the sentence: "He saw \_\_\_\_\_ sun rise over the horizon."  
– Yes
5. According to Rule #4, should we always use an article before a singular, countable common noun?
6. Can "a" be used before plural nouns? - No

**1. True or False: "An" is the correct article to use in the sentence: "He is waiting for \_\_\_\_ phone call from his friend."**

**2. True or False: "The" should be used before the word "beach" in the sentence: "We went to \_\_\_\_ beach yesterday."**

**3. True or False: "There was dog in yard." is incorrect according to Rule #4.**

**4. True or False: "A" is used before words that start with consonant sounds according to rule #4.**

**5. True or False: Using no article before a singular noun is grammatically correct according to rule #4.**

**6. Which article should be used here? "Can you pass me \_\_\_\_ salt, please?"**

a. the

b. a

c. some

d. an

e. no article needed