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Writing – Once upon a time

## How terribly clever!

### Question forms

#### 1 Question words

- 1 **T 13.1** Match the questions and answers. Underline the question words.

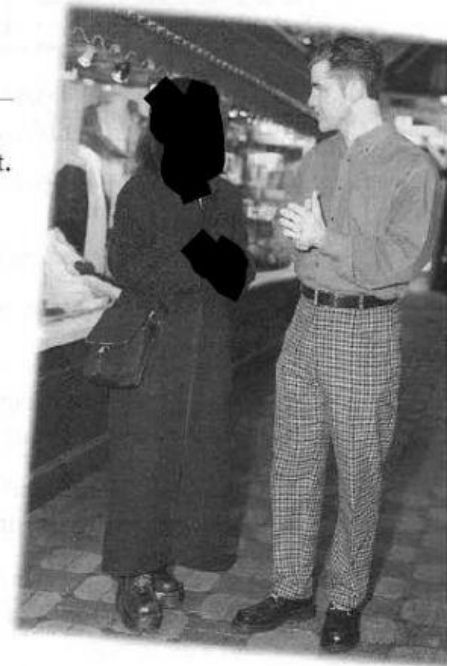
### GENERAL KNOWLEDGE QUIZ

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|---|---|
| 1 When was the First World War?                                 | a Nippon.   |
| 2 What's the capital of Peru?                                   | b Six.  |
| 3 How many players are there in an ice hockey team?             | c Strawberries and cream.                                   |
| 4 Who built The White House?                                    | d Because she was the first woman prime minister in Europe. |
| 5 What do the Japanese call Japan?                              | e Nepal and Tibet.  |
| 6 What food do people traditionally eat at Wimbledon?           | f Dallas, Texas.  |
| 7 Where did President Kennedy die?                              | g From 1914 to 1918.  |
| 8 Mount Everest is on the borders of two countries. Which ones? | h Lima.   |
| 9 Why is Margaret Thatcher famous?                              | i George Washington.  |

- 2 Complete the conversation with words from the box.

where	what
when	why
how	which
who	

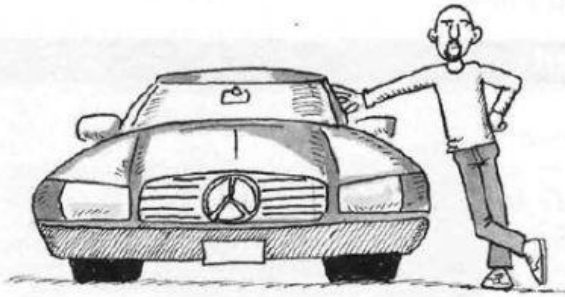
- Lily (1) What do you want to do tonight?  
Tom Well, there's a good film that I want to see.  
Lily (2) \_\_\_\_\_ 's it called?  
Tom 'Les Enfants Terribles.'  
Lily A French film? (3) \_\_\_\_\_ do you want to see a French film?  
Tom Because people say it's very good.  
Lily (4) \_\_\_\_\_ much French do you understand?  
Tom Quite a lot, actually. What about you? (5) \_\_\_\_\_ many years did you study French at school?  
Lily I did it for four years, so I understand quite a bit.  
Tom Do you want to come?  
Lily OK. (6) \_\_\_\_\_ cinema is it at?  
Tom The Odeon.  
Lily The Odeon? (7) \_\_\_\_\_ 's that?  
Tom It's opposite the supermarket.  
Lily Ah! (8) \_\_\_\_\_ do you want to get there?  
Tom There's a bus that goes there.  
Lily Fine. (9) \_\_\_\_\_ does it start?  
Tom At 7.30.  
Lily (10) \_\_\_\_\_ 's in it? Do you know?  
Tom Catherine Deneuve.  
Lily She's great! I can't wait!



## 2 What (sort)?

Complete the questions with *What* and a word from the box.

day sports colour size sort time



- A *What sort* of car do you have?  
B A Mercedes.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ does the football match start?  
B At 3.00.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ is your car?  
B Black.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ is it today?  
B Wednesday.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ do you like best?  
B Tennis and football.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ shoes do you take?  
B Forty-four.

## 3 How (old)?

Complete the questions with *How* and a word from the box.

fast many old often tall big

- A *How old* is your sister?  
B Sixteen. It was her birthday yesterday.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ English lessons do you have a week?  
B Two. One on Mondays and one on Thursdays.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ do you watch TV?  
B Every night.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ can your car go?  
B 150 kilometres an hour.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ are you?  
B About one metre seventy.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ is Peter and Jane's house?  
B Well, there are four bedrooms, a living room, and a dining room.

## 4 Which (one)?

**T B.2** Write questions with *Which one ... ?*.



- A Summer's my favourite season. *Which one do you like?*  
B I like the spring. I love all the flowers.
- A My daughter goes to a very nice school.  
B \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
A St. Clement Dane's School.
- A I liked both the black jumper and the beautiful blue one.  
B \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
A I bought the blue one.
- A There are three films on at the cinema.  
B \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
B I'd like to see the horror film, please. I love horror films!
- A We went to a lovely restaurant last night.  
B \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
B Romano's in Baker Street.
- A I'd like an ice-cream, please.  
B \_\_\_\_\_ ,  
chocolate or strawberry?  
A Chocolate, please.



5 Questions about a famous writer

- 1 Complete the text about the writer Sir Arthur Conan Doyle who created the detective Sherlock Holmes. Use the words and phrases in the box.

1930  
Baker Street, London  
1887  
Edinburgh  
Doctor Watson  
1859  
thirty-two  
medicine  
romances, adventure stories, and historical novels  
fifty

*Sir Arthur Conan Doyle*  
creator of  
*Sherlock Holmes*



SIR ARTHUR CONAN DOYLE is famous as the writer of the **Sherlock Holmes** stories.

Sir Arthur was born in Scotland in

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_. He went to  
(2) \_\_\_\_\_ University and studied  
(3) \_\_\_\_\_. He worked as a doctor for several years, but when he was (4) \_\_\_\_\_, he became a full-time writer.

He wrote (5) \_\_\_\_\_, but it was the detective stories which made him famous. He wrote the first story in (6) \_\_\_\_\_, while he was still a doctor, and in the next twenty years he wrote

- (7) \_\_\_\_\_ more.

Sherlock Holmes lived in (8) \_\_\_\_\_ with his friend and assistant, (9) \_\_\_\_\_. Their enemy in many stories is a man called Moriarty.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle died in (10) \_\_\_\_\_, aged seventy-one.



- 2 Complete the questions for the missing information.

- 1 When *was he born* ?
- 2 Which \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- 3 What \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- 4 How old \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- 5 What sort of \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- 6 When \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- 7 How many \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- 8 Where \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- 9 Who \_\_\_\_\_ with?
- 10 When \_\_\_\_\_ ?

## Adverbs

### 6 Adverb or adjective?

Choose the correct word.

- The children played *happy/happily* in the garden.
- Your children are always very *happy/happily*.
- She sings very *good/well*.
- Yes, she's a very *good/well* singer.
- 'How are you?' 'Very *good/well*, thank you. And you?'
- I just want a *quick/quickly* snack. Just a sandwich, please.
- I had breakfast *quick/quickly* because I was late for work.
- You're speaking very *quiet/quietly*. I can't hear you.
- He's a very *slow/slowly* reader.

### 7 Position of adverbs

Put the adverbs in brackets in the correct place in each sentence. Sometimes more than one place is possible.

- I went to the beach. It rained all the time. (*yesterday/unfortunately*)  
*Yesterday I went to the beach. / I went to the beach yesterday.*  
*Unfortunately, it rained all the time.*
- Listen. I want you to come home. (*carefully/immediately*)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- I work and at night I sleep. (*hard/well*)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- I know Peter because we play tennis. (*well/together*)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- 'I love you.' 'I love you.' (*very much/too*)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- Please speak and explain. (*slowly/clearly*)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- A man with a gun ran into the bank. (*suddenly/quickly*)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

## Vocabulary

### 8 Adjective suffixes

**T 13.3** Many adjectives end in *-ful*, *-y*, *-ous*, *-ic*. Complete the table and mark the stress.

Noun	Adjective
• • colour	• • • <i>colourful</i>
beauty	_____
sun	_____
peace	_____
danger	_____
health	_____
romance	_____
care	_____
noise	_____
anger	_____

### 9 -ed and -ing adjectives

Complete the sentences with an adjective from the box.

worried	interesting
boring	interested
bored	exciting

- I don't want to go to the match. I'm not \_\_\_\_\_ in football.
- The children are \_\_\_\_\_ and they don't know what to do.
- 'If you're bored, read a book!' 'I don't want to read a book. Books are \_\_\_\_\_.'
- What time did you get home last night? I didn't know where you were. I was very \_\_\_\_\_ about you.
- What are you watching on TV? Is it \_\_\_\_\_?
- 'I'm going on a safari in Africa.' 'Really? How \_\_\_\_\_!'

## Writing

### 10 Once upon a time – a fairy story

- 1 Complete the story with the adjectives and adverbs from the box. Use each word once only.

Adjectives	Adverbs
beautiful	carefully
green	happily
hot	quickly
angry	suddenly
deep	immediately
handsome	unfortunately
unhappy	quietly

- 2 Write another fairy story that you know. Write about 200 words. Remember to use adjectives and adverbs.

**Begin** *Once upon a time ...*

**End** *... and they lived happily ever after.*



## The Princess and the Frog



ONCE UPON A TIME there was a (1) *beautiful* princess who had a golden ball. She lived in a palace with her father, the King, and her seven sisters. Every day she played with her ball in the garden of the palace.

At the end of the garden there was a (2) \_\_\_\_\_, dark lake. When the weather was (3) \_\_\_\_\_, the princess liked playing near the lake.

(4) \_\_\_\_\_, one day she dropped her golden ball into the water. She was very (5) \_\_\_\_\_ and she sat on the grass and started to cry.

(6) \_\_\_\_\_ she heard a voice: 'Don't cry, princess.'

She opened her eyes and saw a large (7) \_\_\_\_\_ frog. 'Oh, please help me!' she said, 'I can't get my ball.'

'I'll help you,' said the frog, 'if I can come and live with you in the palace!'

'Yes, yes, of course. I promise,' said the princess.

So the frog jumped into the water and came back with the ball. The princess laughed and took the ball. She ran (8) \_\_\_\_\_ back to the palace and forgot all about the frog.

The frog was very (9) \_\_\_\_\_. He followed the princess into the palace and told his story to the King.

'A promise is a promise,' said the frog.

'Yes,' said the King and called his daughter. 'A promise is a promise, my daughter. Take this frog to your room and look after him (10) \_\_\_\_\_.'

The princess cried again, but she took the frog and put him on her bed. The frog looked at her and said (11) \_\_\_\_\_, 'Please kiss me, princess.' She closed her eyes and kissed him.

(12) \_\_\_\_\_, the frog turned into a (13) \_\_\_\_\_ prince. Of course, he and the princess fell in love. One week later they married and they lived (14) \_\_\_\_\_ ever after.

