KS2 GPS Question Examples

5 Which sentence below is written in the **past tense**?

Tick **one**.

- That is the oldest house in our village. ☐
- The original part of the house dates from 1760. ☐
- The roof was replaced in 1970. ☐
- The owners plan to open the house to the public. ☐

9 Which sentence uses an **apostrophe** correctly?

Tick **one**.

- The children's clothes were hanging up. ☐
- The childrens' clothes were hanging up. ☐
- The childrens clothe's were hanging up. ☐
- The childrens clothes' were hanging up. ☐

12 Complete the sentence with an **adjective** formed from the verb create.

The artist was very _____ and produced many original works.

18 Circle all the **conjunctions** in the sentences below.

Once Harry had checked the weather forecast, he set off on his walk.

Whilst climbing up the mountain, he was unaware of the dangers ahead.

He needed to turn back immediately since a storm was coming.

16 What is the name of the **punctuation mark** used between the two main clauses below?

My sister loves team sports; my brother, on the other hand, prefers individual sports – such as athletics.

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15 Tick one box in each row to show how the **modal verb** affects the **meaning** of the sentence.

Sentence	Modal verb indicates **certainty**	Modal verb indicates **possibility**
It will be very cold tomorrow.		
John might have missed the train.		
Ann can speak six languages.		
You could finish your work by the end of the lesson.		

29 Tick one box to show where a **dash** should go in the sentence below.

African elephants are the largest animals in the world ☐ they can weigh up ☐ ☐ ☐ to 10 tonnes.