

## English Planning and Ideas



**Week Commencing: 18<sup>th</sup> May 2020**

**Year Group: 4**

**Focus: Reading and Grammar**

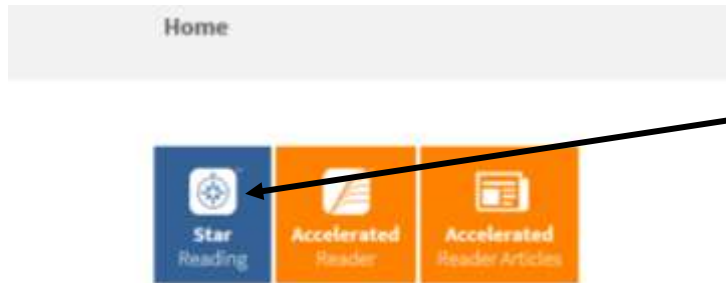
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Area of Learning	Reading – Summarising and Giving Opinions	Star Reader Quiz	LC: Can you use fronted adverbials?	LC: Can you identify and use co-ordinating conjunctions?	Grammar Quiz
Activity	<p><b>Starter:</b> Spelling Shed <a href="https://play.edshed.com/login">https://play.edshed.com/login</a></p> <p><b>Main:</b></p> <p>Please Mrs Butler by Allan Ahlberg.</p> <p>Follow the instructions and complete the activities on the web page below:</p> <p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zr93bdm">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zr93bdm</a></p>	<p><b>Starter:</b> Spelling Shed <a href="https://play.edshed.com/login">https://play.edshed.com/login</a></p> <p><b>Main:</b></p> <p>Log in to Accelerated Reader using the link below:</p> <p><a href="https://ukhosted40.renlearn.co.uk/1893591/">https://ukhosted40.renlearn.co.uk/1893591/</a></p> <p>Complete a Star Reader Quiz.</p> <p>There are instructions below to help you.</p>	<p><b>Starter:</b> Spelling Shed <a href="https://play.edshed.com/login">https://play.edshed.com/login</a></p> <p><b>Main:</b></p> <p>Exploring Fronted Adverbials</p> <p>Follow the instructions, watch the videos and complete the four activities on the web page below:</p> <p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z7v4kmn">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z7v4kmn</a></p>	<p><b>Starter:</b> Spelling Shed <a href="https://play.edshed.com/login">https://play.edshed.com/login</a></p> <p><b>Main:</b></p> <p>Co-ordinating Conjunctions</p> <p>Follow the instructions, watch the videos and complete the three activities on the web page below:</p> <p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z48xt39">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z48xt39</a></p>	<p><b>Starter:</b> Spelling Shed <a href="https://play.edshed.com/login">https://play.edshed.com/login</a></p> <p><b>Main:</b></p> <p>Your task today is to complete the grammar quiz – don't worry if you find any questions tricky, just miss it out and move on to the next one.</p> <p>Answers to the quiz are below but no peeking until after you have finished it all!</p> <p>We would love to know your scores – email these to <a href="mailto:oxcloseyear4@durhamlearning.net">oxcloseyear4@durhamlearning.net</a></p>

## Instructions for Star Reader Test

### Step One:

You must use the following website link to get to our school site on Accelerated Reader: <https://ukhosted40.renlearn.co.uk/1893591/>

### Step Two:



**Click on Star Reader**

### Step Three:



**You will be asked to enter an authorisation password. You will need to enter:  
admin**

**Step Four: Work through the test – do not rush. It should take about 20 to 25 minutes.**

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

Grammar Quiz

Name:

Date:

10  
total marks

**Year 4 English Grammar and Punctuation Test 1**

1. Which sentence uses a **possessive apostrophe** accurately? Tick one.

Taylor's dog's are very noisy.

Taylor's dogs are very noisy.

1 mark

2. **Underline the fronted adverbial** in the sentence below.

Cautiously, she slowly pushed open the door.

1 mark

3. **Underline all the direct speech** in the sentence below.

"Shhh," whispered Dad. "We are trying to listen."

1 mark

4. Read this sentence. Which pair of **possessive pronouns** would fill the spaces? **Tick one.**

Roger took the map from  pocket.  was crumpled and wet.

her / It

their / They

his / It

1 mark

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**Year 4 English Grammar and Punctuation Test 1**

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5. The passage below has an error in it. **Underline** the error and **write the correction** in the box.

There are no seats anywhere. We should of come earlier.

1 mark

6. Read the sentences below. **Add a comma** after each fronted adverbial.

After a long and often chilly spring we are finally experiencing some warm weather.

According to local weather forecaster Sunni Shine the good weather could be with us for weeks.

Speaking to us from the weather centre Sunni urged everyone to remember the importance of applying sunscreen when going outdoors.

1 mark

7. **Circle the determiners** in the sentence below.

The Christmas tree in the marketplace gets bigger every year.

1 mark

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8. Read the passage. Which **pronoun** fits in both of these sentence? Write it in the boxes.

1 mark

Jamie had a day at home as school was closed.

It was a sunny day so dad took  to the beach.

Dad also bought  an ice-cream.

9. Which sentence uses Standard English? **Tick one.**

1 mark

We was all really excited about our holiday.

We is all really excited about our holiday.

We are all really excited about our holiday.

10. **Underline** the **noun phrase** in the sentence below.

1 mark

I sat next to the friendly lady with brown curly hair.

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# Grammar Quiz Answers

## Year 4 English Grammar and Punctuation Test 1

Answers

1	Taylor's dog's are very noisy. <input type="checkbox"/> Taylor's dogs are very noisy. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1 mark	6	After a long and often chilly <b>spring</b> , we are finally experiencing some warm weather. According to local weather forecaster Sunni <b>Shine</b> , the good weather could be with us for weeks. Speaking to us from the weather <b>centre</b> , Sunni urged everyone to remember the importance of applying sunscreen when going outdoors.	1 mark
2	<b>Cautiously</b> , she slowly pushed open the door.	1 mark	7	The Christmas tree in the marketplace gets bigger every year.	1 mark
3	" <b>Shhh</b> ," whispered Dad. " <b>We are trying to listen</b> ."	1 mark	8	Jamie had a day at home as school was closed. It was a sunny day so dad took <b>him</b> to the beach. Dad also bought <b>him</b> an ice-cream.	1 mark
4	her / It <input type="checkbox"/> their / They <input type="checkbox"/> his / It <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1 mark	9	We was all really excited about our holiday. <input type="checkbox"/> We is all really excited about our holiday. <input type="checkbox"/> We are all really excited about our holiday. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1 mark
5	There are no seats anywhere. We should <b>of</b> come earlier. <input type="text" value="have"/>	1 mark	10	I sat next to <b>the friendly lady with brown curly hair</b> .	1 mark

## **Where can I complete further work?**

[Twinkl](#) – Subscription service used by schools is offering a free premium service for teachers, parents and children to use whilst schools are closed. Enter the code **UKTWINKLHELPS** for access to worksheets, PowerPoints and interactive games to support all areas of learning.

[Classroom Secrets](#) – Free Maths, Reading and Grammar home learning packs and interactive resources for all ages.

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[Oxford Owl](#) – Free eBooks and reading resources available when you create a free login.

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