2024 KS2 Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling Mark Scheme - All on One A4 Sheet

* You may want to check the additional guidance in the mark scheme. AA = Also accept. DNA = Do not accept.
Each question is worth 1 mark unless otherwise stated. Full mark schemes can be found here.

Paper 1 Questions

Q	Answer
1	***Option 1:*** Do you know how long it took for the trees to grow
2	***Option 2:*** After he ate, the lion lay down and slept for many hours
3	It was raining heavily; she had lost her umbrella the week before.
4	***Option 1:*** Sadly, the match had to be cancelled.
5	***Option 4:*** Hold the handrail to keep yourself steady.
6	***Option 1:*** The car's horn beeps loudly.
7	*All **three** correct:* felt collected won Oliver feels proud when he collects his medal after he wins the race. felt collected won DNA *misspellings*
8	*All **three** correct:* That red cycle helmet is mine. – Possessive pronoun ✓ I wear it when I ride the new bike which my uncle gave me. – Relative pronoun ✓ My bike goes much faster than yours. – Possessive pronoun ✓
9	***Option 3:*** If you finish your homework, are you able to stay
10	***Option 4:*** miserable
11	***Option 3:*** The school would benefit from the financial savings
12	I will not tell you any more about the film – you'll have to see it for yourself.
13	***Option 3:*** In July, I will visit my grandparents in Newcastle.
14	The players (both former world champions) waited at the side of the court.
15	Early bicycles did not have pedals, so riders had to push themselves along using their feet.
16	***Option 2:*** a relative clause
17	*All **four** correct:* "You haven't done a bad job!" she told us. – Standard English ✓ "You ain't done a bad job!" she told us. – Non-Standard English ✓ "You've done an excellent job!" she told us. – Standard English ✓ "You done an excellent job!" she told us. – Non-Standard English ✓
18	"Did you see that goal? I thought it was incredible!" exclaimed Ella.
19	***Option 3:*** We request that you put any litter in the bins provided.
20	***Option 1:*** a noun phrase
21	***Option 4***: "Please take out your books," said the teacher calmly, "and finish your poems."
22	We are pleased to announce the three winners of the art competition: Samir, Ben and Ella.

Paper 1 Questions continued

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23	Pair of words – Synonyms – Antonyms rough, smooth – – ✓ courageous, brave – ✓ – vivid, dull – – ✓
24	***Option 3:*** a subordinate clause
25	One of the world's most interesting plants, the Venus flytrap, catches its prey by snapping its leaves shut.
26	***Option 4:*** The meal was enjoyed by everyone.
27	Suffix AA *morpheme or affix*
28	conjunction(s) or subordinating conjunction (s) AA subordinator(s)
29*	*response explaining that the **comma changes the type of items cooked**, referring to one or both sentences, for example:* *• The second sentence says that the chicken and soup are different things but the first says it is chicken flavoured soup.* *• In the first, they cooked chicken soup, but in the second the chicken and soup are separate.* AA *response explaining that the **comma changes the number of items cooked**, referring to one or both sentences, for example:* *• In the first one there are two things but in the second one there are three.* *• It changes the list from 2 things to 3 things.*
30	Hannah said I could share her snack because I had forgotten mine
31	*All **four** correct:* The successful athletes were full of pride when they accepted their medals from the judges
32	Every Saturday, Nadim takes his dog for a walk in the park. ☐ ✓ ☐ ☐
33	over AA *over-* AA *sur*
35	There was a build-up of litter around the bins in the school playground
36	The journey proved difficult as they had to travel by night, but they made good time once the stars came out to guide them.
37	***Option 2***: an adjective
38	*All **three** correct:* The teachers – were taking part in the school play. The teachers' – staffroom was full of books and old armchairs. The teacher's – new mug was a present from her class.
39	immature DNA *misspellings of the prefix im*
40	determiner(s)
41	***Option 2:*** After he sprained his ankle, he could not dance.

Paper 1 Questions continued

Q	Answer
42	***Both** correct:* nobody's won't If nobody is home, your parcel will not be delivered. nobody's won't DNA misspellings
43	***Option 1:*** Although he ran fast, Tom did not win the race.
44	***Both** correct:* drew tore Joseph hurriedly draws the man's portrait, but then tears the page out of his sketchbook. drew tore DNA misspellings
45	***Both** correct:* After playtime, you must stay inside the classroom until it is lunchtime.
46	was walking DNA misspellings Alexandra walked home. was walking
47	*correctly punctuated sentence **using the passive**, for example* *• We were disturbed by the noise of the traffic.* *• We were disturbed.* *• We were disturbed by the traffic noises.* AA *correctly punctuated sentence **using a get-passive**, for example* *• We got disturbed by the noise of the traffic.* DNA *misspellings of verb forms or errors in punctuation or capitalisation*
48	***Option 4***: How strange some deep-sea creatures look
49	We put on our PE kits before the match.
50	***Both** correct:* The street was lined with grand houses; the modest cottage stood out amongst its imposing neighbours.

Paper 2 Spelling

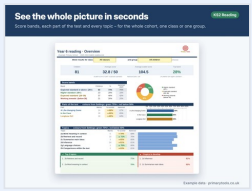
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4	texture	11	veins	18	persuasion
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6	replacing	13	chaos	20	nutritious
7	symbol	14	queue		

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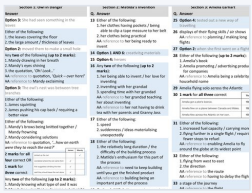
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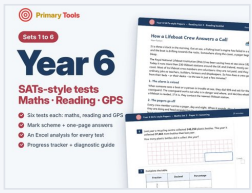
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