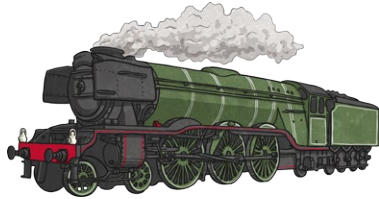


Add the missing verb to this sentence so that it is grammatically correct.



Racing down the track, the steam train \_\_\_\_\_ nearly up to top speed.

a

Which of these sentences is missing an apostrophe? Where should it go?

**"Whos that knocking at my door?" asked Grandma.**

**The wolf, whose fur was hidden under a cloak, pretended to be Little Red Riding Hood.**

c

Can you insert a plural possessive apostrophe in the correct place in this sentence?



b

**The boys nerves were jangling.**

Mr Whoops has got in a terrible muddle with his 'sc' words that sound like a /s/. Can you help him to match each definition with the correct word?

\_\_\_\_\_ - the shape of the moon at certain times of the month

\_\_\_\_\_ - to go down



d

Sort these words into the table:

determiners	prepositions

among much into every

e



Underline the subordinate clause in this sentence.

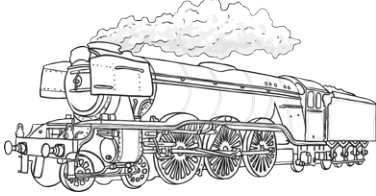
**Van Gogh painted a self-portrait because he couldn't afford a model.**

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**a**  
Add the missing verb to this sentence so that is grammatically correct.



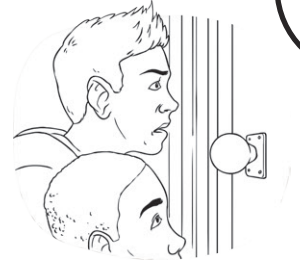
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was nearly up to top speed.

**c**  
Which of these sentences is missing an apostrophe?  
Where should it go?

**"Who's that knocking at my door?" asked Grandma.**

**The wolf, whose fur was hidden under a cloak, pretended to be Little Red Riding Hood.**

**b**  
Can you insert a plural possessive apostrophe in the correct place in this sentence?



**The boys' nerves were jangling.**

**d**  
Mr Whoops has got in a terrible muddle with his 'sc' words that sound like a /s/. Can you help him to match each definition with the correct word?

crescent - the shape of the moon at certain times of the month

descend - to go down



**e**  
Sort these words into the table:

determiners	prepositions
much every	among into

among much into every



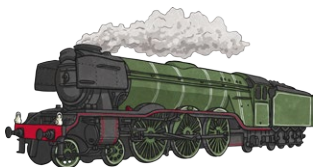
**f**  
Underline the subordinate clause in this sentence.

**Van Gogh painted a self-portrait because he couldn't afford a model.**

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Add the missing verbs to these sentences so that they are grammatically correct.



Racing down the track, the steam train \_\_\_\_\_ nearly up to top speed.  
The passengers on board \_\_\_\_\_ thoroughly enjoying their journey.

a

One of these sentences needs the contracted apostrophe word 'who's' and the other needs the pronoun 'whose' – which is which?

“\_\_\_\_\_ that knocking at my door?” asked Grandma.

The wolf, \_\_\_\_\_ fur was hidden under a cloak, pretended to be Little Red Riding Hood.

c

Can you write a plural possessive apostrophe sentence about these boys.



b

Mr Whoops has got in a terrible muddle with his 'sc' words that sound like a /s/. Can you help him to match each definition with the correct word?

\_\_\_\_\_ - the shape of the moon at certain times of the month  
\_\_\_\_\_ - to go down  
\_\_\_\_\_ - biology, chemistry or physics



d

Sort these words into the table:

determiners	prepositions

among much into every

Add another word to each column.

e



Rewrite this sentence with the subordinate clause at the beginning and appropriate punctuation.

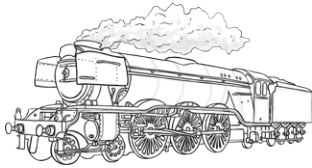
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f

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Add the missing verbs to these sentences so that they are grammatically correct.



Racing down the track, the steam train was nearly up to top speed.  
The passengers on board were thoroughly enjoying their journey.

a

One of these sentences needs the contracted apostrophe word 'who's' and the other needs the pronoun 'whose' – which is which?

“ Who's that knocking at my door?” asked Grandma.

The wolf, whose fur was hidden under a cloak, pretended to be Little Red Riding Hood.

c

Can you write a plural possessive apostrophe sentence about these boys.



b

Accept any plural possessive apostrophe sentence,  
e.g. The boys' nerves were jangling.

Mr Whoops has got in a terrible muddle with his 'sc' words that sound like a /s/. Can you help him to match each definition with the correct word?

crescent - the shape of the moon at certain times of the month  
descend - to go down  
science - biology, chemistry or physics



d

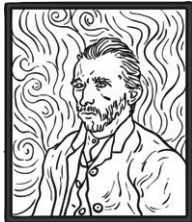
Sort these words into the table:

determiners	prepositions
much	among
every	into

e

Add another word to each column.

Accept any determiners and prepositions added to the correct column.



Rewrite this sentence with the subordinate clause at the beginning and appropriate punctuation.

Because he couldn't afford a model, Van Gogh painted a self-portrait.

f

Add the missing verbs to these sentences so that they are grammatically correct.



Racing down the track, the steam train \_\_\_\_\_ nearly up to top speed. The passengers on board \_\_\_\_\_ thoroughly enjoying their journey. They \_\_\_\_\_ paid a lot of money for the luxurious journey.

a

Write two separate sentences – one that contains the contracted apostrophe word 'who's' and the other that uses the pronoun 'whose'.

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c

Can you write a plural possessive apostrophe sentence about these boys that also has a fronted adverbial.



b

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Mr Whoops has got in a terrible muddle with his 'sc' words that sound like a /s/. Can you help him to match each definition with the correct word?

- \_\_\_\_\_ - the shape of the moon at certain times of the month
- \_\_\_\_\_ - to go down
- \_\_\_\_\_ - biology, chemistry or physics



d

Can you think of another word with a /s/ sound spelt with a 'sc'? \_\_\_\_\_

Sort these words into the table:

determiners	prepositions

**among much into every**  
Add another word to each column.

Now write a sentence that contains one of the determiners and one of the prepositions that also has a subordinating conjunction.

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e



Rewrite this sentence with the subordinate clause at the beginning and appropriate punctuation.

**Van Gogh painted a self-portrait because he couldn't afford a model.**

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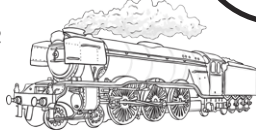
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Add the missing verbs to these sentences so that they are grammatically correct.



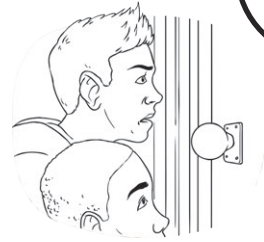
Racing down the track, the steam train was nearly up to top speed. The passengers on board were thoroughly enjoying their journey. They had paid a lot of money for the luxurious journey.

a

Accept a sentence where 'who's' is used as a contracted apostrophe word, e.g. "Who's that knocking at my door?" asked Grandma AND a sentence where 'whose' is used as a pronoun, e.g. The wolf, whose fur was hidden under a cloak, pretended to be Little Red Riding Hood.

c

Accept any plural possessive apostrophe sentence, e.g. Hiding in the cupboard, the boys' nerves were jangling.



b

Mr Whoops has got in a terrible muddle with his 'sc' words that sound like a /s/. Can you help him to match each definition with the correct word?

- crescent - the shape of the moon at certain times of the month
- descend - to go down
- science - biology, chemistry or physics



d

Can you think of another word with a /s/ sound spelt with a 'sc'? e.g. scissors, scene, scenery



Rewrite this sentence with the subordinate clause at the beginning and appropriate punctuation.

Because he couldn't afford a model, Van Gogh painted a self-portrait.

f

Sort these words into the table:

determiners	prepositions
much	among
every	into

e

Accept any determiners and prepositions added to the correct column.

Accept any sentence with a subordinating conjunction and a determiner and preposition from the table, e.g. Every child went into the hall after the bell rang.