



Using the SPaG Mat, can you please write the question and then the answer in your neatest writing. If you do not know what certain things are, that's fine but maybe you could research what they are by using the internet! As always, please remember to use your neatest writing!

# Year 5 Spring Term 1

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a  
Can you circle the relative pronoun in this sentence and add commas around the relative clause?

The kaka parrot which had brightly coloured plumage perched high up in the rainforest canopy.



b  
Can you think of a word that ends in either -cial or -tial that match these definitions?

Absolutely necessary

Top secret!

c  
Explain why this plural possessive apostrophe sentence is incorrect.

The pupil's lessons were much more interesting now that they had a new teacher.

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d  
Tick to show whether the underlined word is being used as an adverb or an adjective.

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It was a <u>direct</u> flight to Greece.		

e  
Choose the correct form of the verb 'to have' to fit into these sentences.

Later today, we are \_\_\_\_\_ a party for my Grandma's 65th birthday.

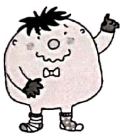
The boys \_\_\_\_\_ a fantastic time at cub scout camp.

My friends all \_\_\_\_\_ very different personalities.

f  
Mr Whoops has been juggling with the letters from one of his Y5 spelling words. Can you spot what it is?

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## Year 5 Spring Term 1 Answers

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Can you circle the relative pronoun in this sentence and add commas around the relative clause?

The kaka parrot, which had brightly coloured plumage, perched high up in the rainforest canopy.



Can you think of a word that ends in either -cial or -tial that match these definitions?

Absolutely necessary

essential

Top secret!

confidential

Explain why this plural possessive apostrophe sentence is incorrect.

The pupil's lessons were much more interesting now that they had a new teacher.

**Accept an appropriate explanation that there is more than one pupil and more than one lesson so the apostrophe should be after the 's', i.e. the pupils' lessons.**

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Choose the correct form of the verb 'to have' to fit into these sentences.

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