

1.

Which sentence is grammatically correct?

Tick **one**.

He starting the engine.

Ali is woke by the light from the window.

The baby was enjoying playing with his teddy bear.

Tony hope to see his grandma at the weekend.

1 mark

2.

Tick one box in each row to show if the sentence is in the **present progressive** or the **past progressive**.

Sentence	Present progressive	Past progressive
Joey was playing football in the park after school.		
Joey's football skills are improving all the time.		
Joey is hoping to be a professional footballer.		

1 mark

3.

Tick to show which sentence uses the **past progressive**.

Tick **one**.

After Ali finished his homework, he went out to play.

Gemma was doing her science homework.

Jamie learnt his spellings every night.

Anna found her history homework difficult.

1 mark

4.

Which **verb form** completes the sentence?

After Disha _____ her medal, she gave a television interview.

Tick **one**.

is collecting

had collected

has collected

was collecting

1 mark

5. Rewrite the underlined verbs in the sentence below so that they are in the **present progressive** form.

Jim learns French at school.

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He plans to ski in the Alps in the spring.

↓

1 mark

6. Rewrite the underlined verb in the sentence below so it is in the **present progressive**.

I taught my sister to skateboard.

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1 mark

7. Draw a line to match each sentence to its description.
Use each description once.

Sentence

Description

Jake was cycling. •

• an action in progress in the present

Jake cycled. •

• an action in progress in the past

Jake is cycling. •

• an action in the past

1 mark

8. Circle the four **verbs** in the passage below.

There were hundreds of gulls circling in the sky.

They gathered near the dock, searching for scraps.

1 mark

9. Tick one box in each row to show which form of the verb is underlined in each sentence.

Sentence	Simple past	Past progressive	Past perfect
Nathan <u>had hoped</u> for a part in the school play.			
The children <u>were rehearsing</u> their lines.			
Lots of parents <u>came</u> to watch.			

1 mark

10. Which option completes the sentence using the **present progressive**?

I _____ the photos to the school website.

Tick **one**.

upload

will upload

have uploaded

am uploading

1 mark

Mark schemes

1.

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1 mark

2.

Award 1 mark for a correctly completed table.

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Joey is hoping to be a professional footballer.	✓	

1 mark

3.

Gemma was doing her science homework.

1 mark

4.

had collected

1 mark

5.

Award 1 mark for both correct.

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is learning

↓
is planning

1 mark

6.

Award 1 mark for

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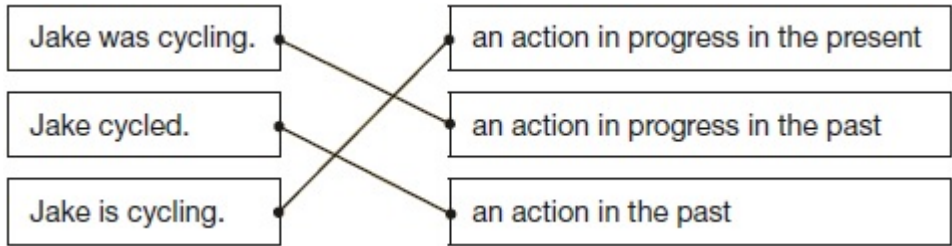
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Do not accept misspellings of verb forms.

1 mark

7.

Award 1 mark for all three correct.



1 mark

8.

Award 1 mark for all four correct.

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1 mark

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1 mark

10.

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1 mark