

- 1 Write the numbers next to the punctuation marks you need in this sentence.

This evening¹ I wanted to do the best piece of writing I have ever produced²
I³ ve written an opening sentence ⁴ it's a bit disappointing so far⁶

full stop _____ apostrophe _____ comma 1
exclamation mark _____ semi-colon _____

- 2 Draw an arrow to insert an intensifying adverb into the sentence below.

Choose from: **extremely** **quite** **rather** **somewhat**

She was grateful for the support.

- 3 Punctuate the sentences correctly.

tigers live in forests in india they have been hunted almost to extinction in the
wild but growing numbers are now living in protected areas of the jungle

- 4 Write comparative (ending in **er**) or superlative (ending in **est**) adjectives to complete these sentences:

This year is cold but last year was _____. It was the _____
year in living memory. Even Mrs Ticknal, the _____ person in the
village, couldn't remember a _____ winter.

- 5 Circle the best modal verb to fill the gap: **shall** **should** **may** **might**

You _____ always choose the answer carefully.

- 6 Write an antonym (word meaning the opposite) of the word underlined in the sentence below:

"I was disgusted by your behaviour!" exclaimed the teacher.

- 7 Write a sentence giving a different meaning of the word underlined in this sentence:

"That remark was in bad taste."

1 P
2 marks

2 G
1 mark

3 G
2 marks

4 G
2 marks

5 G
1 mark

6 V
1 mark

7 V
1 mark

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Total for this test