

**a** Underline the modal verbs in the following sentence:

The crime scene investigator might find some vital evidence and then he could charge the man in custody.



**b** Poor Mr Whoops can't work out whether to add 'cious' or 'tious'. Can you help him with these words?

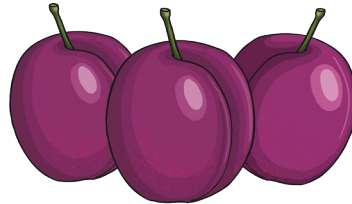
ambi \_\_\_\_\_

deli \_\_\_\_\_



**c** Circle all the determiners in the sentence.

Three ripe plums fell from the tree.



**d** Can you think of an adverb of frequency and a verb beginning with...

the letter r?	
adverb of frequency	verb
the letter o?	
adverb of frequency	verb

**e** Can you think of the words to match the definitions?

(Clue: They are all words with an 'ei' letter pattern.)

To be sent something \_\_\_\_\_

The top of a room \_\_\_\_\_

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

Ramesh and Jennifer emptied out their picnic basket before they started eating.



# Year 5 Spring Term 1 Answers

a

Underline the modal verbs in the following sentence:

The crime scene investigator **might** find some vital evidence and then he **could** charge the man in custody.



b

Poor Mr Whoops can't work out whether to add 'cious' or 'tious'. Can you help him with these words?

ambitious \_\_\_\_\_

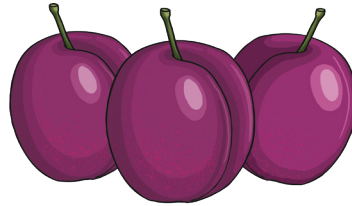
delicious \_\_\_\_\_



c

Circle all the determiners in the sentence.

**Three** ripe plums fell from **the** tree.



d

Can you think of an adverb of frequency and a verb beginning with...

the letter r?      the letter o?

**Accept any adverbs of frequency and verbs starting with the suggested letters, e.g. regularly and raced; often and ordered.**

e

Can you think of the words to match the definitions?  
(Clue: They are all words with an 'ei' letter pattern.)

To be sent something receive \_\_\_\_\_

The top of a room ceiling \_\_\_\_\_

f

Underline the subordinate clause in this sentence:


Ramesh and Jennifer emptied out their picnic basket before they started eating.



**a**

Add modal verbs in the following sentence:

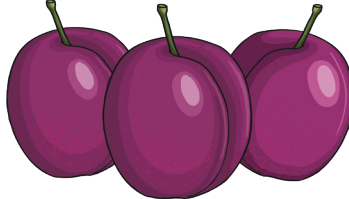
The crime scene investigator \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ find some vital evidence  
 and then he \_\_\_\_\_  
 charge the man in custody.



**c**

Circle all the determiners in the sentence.

Three ripe plums fell from the tree.



**e**

Can you think of the words to match the definitions?  
 (Clue: They are all words with an 'ei' letter pattern.)

To be sent something \_\_\_\_\_

The top of a room \_\_\_\_\_

Meat and fish are good sources of this \_\_\_\_\_

**d**

Can you think of an adverb of frequency, a verb and a preposition beginning with...

the letter r?		
adverb of frequency	verb	preposition
the letter o?		
adverb of frequency	verb	preposition


**b**

Poor Mr Whoops can't work out whether to add 'cious' or 'tious'. Can you help him with these words?

ambi \_\_\_\_\_

deli \_\_\_\_\_

ficti \_\_\_\_\_



**f**

Rewrite the sentence so that the subordinate clause is at the beginning. Don't forget the correct punctuation.

Ramesh and Jennifer emptied out their picnic basket before they started eating.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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a

Add modal verbs in the following sentence:

The crime scene investigator \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ find some vital evidence  
and then he \_\_\_\_\_  
charge the man in custody.

**might/ may/ could/ should/ can etc.**



b

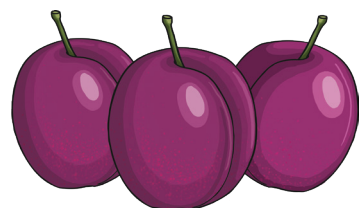
Poor Mr Whoops can't work out whether to add 'cious' or 'tious'. Can you help him with these words?

**ambitious** \_\_\_\_\_  
**delicious** \_\_\_\_\_  
**fictitious** \_\_\_\_\_

c

Circle all the determiners in the sentence.

**Three** ripe plums fell from **the** tree.



d

Can you think of an adverb of frequency, a verb and a preposition beginning with...

the letter r?      the letter o?

**Accept any adverbs of frequency, verbs and prepositions starting with the suggested letters, e.g. regularly, raced and round; often, ordered and on.**

e

Can you think of the words to match the definitions?  
(Clue: They are all words with an 'ei' letter pattern.)

To be sent something **receive** \_\_\_\_\_

The top of a room **ceiling** \_\_\_\_\_

Meat and fish are good sources of this **protein** \_\_\_\_\_

f

Rewrite the sentence so that the subordinate clause is at the beginning. Don't forget the correct punctuation.

Ramesh and Jennifer emptied out their picnic basket before they started eating.

**Before they started eating, Ramesh and Jennifer emptied out their picnic basket.**

**a**

Can you write a sentence that contains two modal verbs about a crime scene investigator? Underline them.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**c**

Circle all the determiners in the sentence.

**One hot summer day, several ripe plums fell from the tree.**

**e**

Can you think of the words to match the definitions?  
(Clue: They are all words with an 'ei' letter pattern.)

To be sent something \_\_\_\_\_

The top of a room \_\_\_\_\_

Meat and fish are good sources of this \_\_\_\_\_

Can you think of another word where the 'e' comes before the 'i'?

\_\_\_\_\_

**b**

Poor Mr Whoops can't work out whether to add 'cious' or 'tious'. Can you help him with these words?

ambi \_\_\_\_\_

deli \_\_\_\_\_

ficti \_\_\_\_\_

Now use one of the words you have created in a sentence with a subordinate clause.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**d**

Can you think of an adverb of frequency, a verb and a preposition beginning with...

the letter r?		
adverb of frequency	verb	preposition

the letter o?		
adverb of frequency	verb	preposition

Can you use all three words from one row in a single sentence?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**f**

Add a subordinate clause to the beginning of this sentence. Don't forget the correct punctuation.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Ramesh and Jennifer emptied out their picnic basket.**

# Year 5 Spring Term 1 Answers

a

Can you write a sentence that contains two modal verbs about a crime scene investigator? Underline them.

**A crime scene investigator might find some vital evidence and then he could charge the man in custody.**

b

Poor Mr Whoops can't work out whether to add 'cious' or 'tious'. Can you help him with these words?

**ambitious   delicious   fictitious**

Now use one of the words you have created in a sentence with a subordinate clause.

**Accept delicious, fictitious or delicious in a complex sentence, e.g. Before beginning the story, the author dreamt up a fictitious character.**

c

Circle all the determiners in the sentence.

**One hot summer day, several ripe plums fell from the tree.**

d

Can you think of an adverb of frequency, a verb and a preposition beginning with...

the letter r?      the letter o?

**Accept any adverbs of frequency, verbs and prepositions starting with the suggested letters, e.g. regularly, raced and round; often, ordered and on.**

Can you use all three words from one row in a single sentence?

**e.g. Mr Whoops often visited the restaurant and ordered the most fattening things on the menu.**

e

Can you think of the words to match the definitions?

(Clue: They are all words with an 'ei' letter pattern.)

To be sent something receive

The top of a room ceiling

Meat and fish are good sources of this protein

Can you think of another word were the 'e' comes before the 'i'?

**deceive, perceive, seize, etc.**

f

Add a subordinate clause to the beginning of this sentence. Don't forget the correct punctuation.

Ramesh and Jennifer emptied out their picnic basket.

**Accept any appropriate subordinate clause (containing a verb) marked with a comma at the beginning of the sentence, e.g. Before they started eating, Ramesh and Jennifer emptied out their picnic basket.**