

Year 6 Autumn Term 1 SPaG Mat

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beautiful

beautify

beautician



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Prince William the Duke of Cambridge is second in line to the throne.



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Place the correct punctuation into this sentence to show the relative clause.

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Can you think of more formal synonyms to replace these past tense verbs? (Use a thesaurus if you need to!)

found _____

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Add a suffix to the word 'beauty' to create a verb:



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Look at the sentence below and add two modal verbs:

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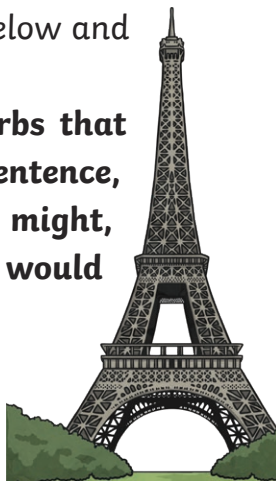
beautify



Section 3

Look at the sentence below and add two modal verbs:

Accept two modal verbs that make sense in the sentence, i.e. can, could, may, might, shall, should, will, would and must.



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Can you add appropriate punctuation around the parenthesis in this sentence?

Prince William the Duke of Cambridge is second in line to the throne.

Accept brackets, dashes or commas around the parenthesis, e.g. Prince William (the Duke of Cambridge) is second in line to the throne.

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Rewrite this sentence and add an embedded relative clause.

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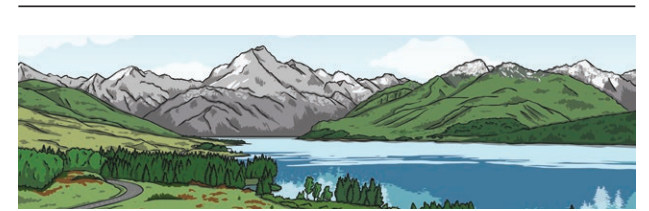
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Section 3

Look at the sentence below and add two modal verbs:

I _____ go to Paris next year and

I _____ make sure that I visit the Eiffel Tower while I'm there.

Now write your own sentence about something you might possibly do in the future - make sure it contains at least one underlined modal verb.



Section 4

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two adverbs that show frequency. All the letters from the two words are muddled together- can you help him to unjumble them?

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Rewrite this sentence with added parenthesis, which must be accurately punctuated.

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Rewrite this sentence and add an embedded relative clause.

Kirsty performed in the school musical.

Accept any sentence with an embedded relative clause demarcated with commas that starts with who, whom or whose, e.g. Kirsty, who was a very talented dancer, performed in the school musical.

Section 2

Can you think of more formal synonyms to replace these past tense verbs? (Use a thesaurus if you need to!)

found - **Accept more formal synonyms, e.g. discovered/ located/ unearthed, etc.**

asked - **Accept more formal synonyms, e.g. enquired/requested/questioned, etc.**

guessed - **Accept more formal synonyms, e.g. speculated/ inferred/ presumed, etc.**

Section 5

Add a suffix to the word 'beauty' to create a verb: **beautify**

Accept any sensible sentence with the verb 'beautify', e.g. The estate agent tried hard to beautify the tired, decrepit house as he was desperate for a sale.



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Accept two modal verbs that make sense in the sentence, i.e. can, could, may, might, shall, should, will, would and must.

Now write your own sentence about something you might possibly do in the future- make sure it contains at least one underlined modal verb.

Accept any sensible sentence that contains a modal verb and a possible future event.



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Rewrite this sentence with added parenthesis, which must be accurately punctuated.

Prince William is second in line to the throne.

Accept brackets, dashes or commas around an aside of extra information, e.g. Prince William (the Duke of Cambridge) is second in line to the throne.