

Tick the sentence that uses the colon correctly.

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I saw several memorable creatures at the aquarium: an octopus, an anemone and a sea turtle.

I saw several memorable creatures: at the aquarium an octopus, an anemone and a sea turtle.



Should these words end in -ance or -ence?

b

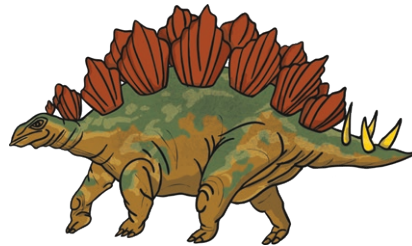
obedi_____

ignor_____

Underline the relative pronoun in this sentence.

c

Dinosaurs were a breed of reptiles, which became extinct millions of years ago.



Read these words:

d

aqueduct aquatic

Tick what you think the prefix aqua- means:

to swim ☐

geography ☐

water ☐

Underline the object in this sentence.

e

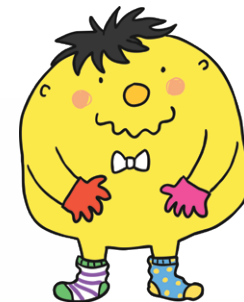
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Forgetful Mr Whoops is very confused about noun phrases, prepositional phrases and subordinate clauses. Can you help him by saying which is underlined in this sentence?

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From behind the door, there was a peculiar sound.



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I saw several memorable creatures at the aquarium: an octopus, an anemone and a sea turtle.

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prepositional phrase

Add a colon to this sentence in the correct position.

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at the aquarium an octopus, an
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obedi_____

ignor_____

extravag_____

Combine these two sentences into
one sentence containing a relative
clause.

c

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years ago.

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Tick what you think the
prefix aqua- means:

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Can you think of another word with
aqua- as a prefix? Use a dictionary if
you need to. _____

Label the boxes with V (verb),
S (subject) and O (object) to show
the parts of the sentence.

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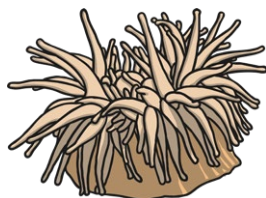
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Combine these two sentences into
one sentence containing a relative
clause.

Accept any embedded or final
relative clause, e.g. **Dinosaurs were
a breed of reptiles, which became
extinct millions of years ago.**

c

Read these words:

aqueduct aquatic

Tick what you think the
prefix aqua- means:

water

Accept any other 'aqua' derivative,
e.g. aquarium, aquamarine

d

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S

V

O

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noun phrase

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c Add a relative clause to this sentence.

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Can you give a synonym for 'tightly'?

b Should these words end in -ance or -ence?

obedi_____

ignor_____

extravag_____

Now, use one of the words in a present perfect sentence.

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Rewrite this sentence adding the appropriate punctuation mark.

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Accept obedience, ignorance or extravagance in a sentence with has/have + past participle verb, e.g. I have met a trainer who runs dog obedience classes.

c
Add a relative clause to this sentence.

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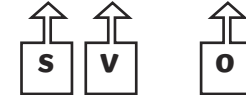
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Can you give a synonym for 'tightly'?
e.g. firmly, securely

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