

EXAMPLE QUESTIONS

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Use 2B or HB
pencil **only**



READING

Read *How to grow a pizza* and answer questions 1 and 2.

1 Which word or group of words from the last paragraph tells the reader when to take the vegetables out of the garden?

- every day*
- Soon*
- when they are ready*
- ever*

2 Shade the bubbles to show whether the plant is a herb or a vegetable.

Shade **one** bubble in **each** row.

	Vegetable	Herb
basil	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
capsicum	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
onion	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Read *The escape artist* and answer questions 3 and 4.

3 Which details are included to show that octopuses are clever?

Choose **three**.

- They can use their arms to loosen bolts.
- They like to eat shellfish.
- They can live in tanks.
- They can open doors.
- They can find food in other tanks.

READING

- 4 What should aquarium owners do to make sure an octopus is safely kept in its tank?

You may choose **more than one**.

- Check that the tank is well lit.
- Add plenty of shells to the tank.
- Seal all cracks leading out of the tank.
- Put more than one octopus in the tank.
- Lock the octopus tank.

LANGUAGE CONVENTIONS

There is one spelling mistake in this sentence.
Write the correct spelling of the word in the box.

5 He has (bloo) eyes.

For questions 6 to 8, shade one bubble, or two bubbles if the question says, to show your answer.

6 Shade **two** bubbles to show where the missing quotation marks should go.

Have you heard the news? said Donna.



7 Which is incorrect?

- an ox
- an elephant
- an tiger
- an antelope

8 Which pair of words correctly completes this sentence?

I was scared the dog was barking, I stayed in the house.

- of after
- of or
- because after
- because so

LANGUAGE CONVENTIONS

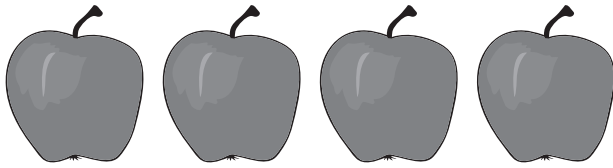
9 What is the word *I'm* a contraction of in this sentence?

I'm going to school today.

- I am
- I may
- I must
- I might

NUMERACY

10 How many apples are shown?



3

4

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6

11 Write a number in the box to make this number sentence correct.

$6 + 4 = \boxed{}$

12 Select the **two** even numbers in the list below.

Shade **two** bubbles.

1

2

3

4

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13 Ben has *one hundred and thirteen* black rabbits and *eighty-one* white rabbits.

Write these as numbers.

black rabbits

white rabbits

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