16.6 Joining Sentences with and: 10-minute Pack

about 10 minutes

Name: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / _____

Answer ALL questions.

A Picnic at Sunnyfield Park

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On Friday, Chestnut Class had a picnic in Sunnyfield Park. The sun was warm and the sky was clear.

Priya carried the picnic basket and Sam carried a blanket. Mr Doyle spread the blanket on the grass.

Priya took out sandwiches and Sam took out apples. Rex the dog sniffed the basket and wagged his tail.

'Sit down and eat your lunch,' said Mr Doyle. The children ate sandwiches and drank juice.

After lunch, Priya and Sam played catch. Rex ran and barked and chased the ball. Everyone laughed and had a wonderful afternoon.

1 This sentence joins two smaller sentences into one. Tick the word that joins them together.

Priya carried the basket and Sam carried the blanket.

- ☐ A) Priya
- ☐ B) carried
- ☐ C) and
- ☐ D) blanket

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2 Underline the joining word 'and' in each sentence.

(a) The sun was warm and the sky was clear. **(1)**

(b) Rex sniffed the basket and wagged his tail. **(1)**

(c) The children ate sandwiches and drank juice. **(1)**

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3 Write the joining word 'and' in the gap to complete each sentence correctly.

(a) Priya ___ Sam played catch. **(1)**

(b) Rex ran ___ barked. **(1)**

(c) The sky was blue ___ the sun was bright. **(1)**

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4 Each sentence uses the joining word 'and' twice by mistake. Cross out the word that is not needed, then write the sentence correctly.

(a) Rex ran and and barked. **(1)**

(b) The children ate sandwiches and and apples. **(1)**

5 Write your own sentence using 'and' to join two things that Priya and Sam might eat at a picnic. Remember a capital letter at the start and a full stop at the end.

(2)

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Question 1

C ticked only (cao) **B1**

Answer: **C**

Question 2

(a) underlines 'and' cao **B1**

(a) Answer: **and**

(b) underlines 'and' cao **B1**

(b) Answer: **and**

(c) underlines 'and' cao **B1**

(c) Answer: **and**

Question 3

(a) writes 'and' in the gap (cao) **B1**

(a) Answer: **and**

(b) writes 'and' in the gap (cao) **B1**

(b) Answer: **and**

(c) writes 'and' in the gap (cao) **B1**

(c) Answer: **and**

Question 4

(a) removes the extra 'and' so it appears only once: 'Rex ran and barked.' (cao) **B1**

(a) Answer: **Rex ran and barked.**

(b) removes the extra 'and' so it appears only once: 'The children ate sandwiches and apples.' (cao) **B1**

(b) Answer: **The children ate sandwiches and apples.**

Question 5

sentence makes sense and uses 'and' to join two suitable picnic foods (oe) **B1**

sentence starts with a capital letter and ends with a full stop (cao) **B1**

Answer: **e.g. They ate crisps and grapes.**

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