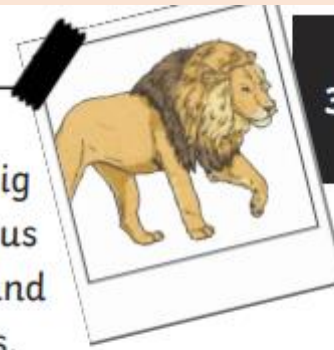Test Two

Big Cats Liberated from Captivity

After months of careful planning and preparation, 14 big cats were liberated last night from the infamous Circus Circat. The operation followed years of petitions and demonstrations from numerous animal rights groups.

A spokesperson told us that there had been growing concerns over the welfare of the animals. A few months ago, an undercover reporter managed to take photos of the squalid conditions that the animals were being kept in. This evidence enabled us to take legal action.

So, what now for the animals? We've been told that they are currently receiving veterinary care. After treatment, they will be transferred to a sanctuary where their suitability to be released into the wild will be assessed. One thing is for certain: their future is now looking a lot brighter.

1 Look at the paragraph beginning: *After months of careful planning...* **Find** and **copy one** word from this paragraph that is closest in meaning to 'multiple'.

_____ ☐

2 How many animals were rescued from the circus?

☐

3 Look at the paragraph beginning: *So, what now...* *One thing is for certain: their future is now looking a lot brighter.* What does the writer mean by this?

Tick **one.**

The cats will get to live in a brighter enclosure. ☐

The cats will be living in better conditions. ☐

The cats will remain at the circus. ☐

Some of the cats will be happier in the future. ☐

4 What is currently happening to the animals?

_____

5 Which of the following would be the most suitable summary of the whole text?

Tick **one.**

People are preparing to rescue big cats. ☐

How big cats are treated at all circuses. ☐

Big cats are being rescued from a circus. ☐

People are petitioning to ban animals from circuses. ☐

10 min SATS Buster

on whiteboards

Think of a definition of the word 'device'. How would you spell the other homophone? Define it.

Think of a definition of the word 'practise'. How would you spell the other homophone? Define it.

What is a licence?

TBAT: understand and use near homophones.

Morning   'an important person'

Mourning 'grieving for someone who has died'

Past   'basic truth or belief'

Passed   'before noon'

Precede   'go in front or before'

Proceed   'go on'

       'noun or adjective referring to a previous time'

Principal   'past tense of the word pass'

Principle

Write a start for the phrase '_____-at ten in the morning!'

Times Tables

Use the multiplication facts to continue the sequences of common multiples.

9 and 12:   36   ☐ ☐ ☐

4 and 7:   28   ☐ ☐ ☐

02.04.25 Arithmetic

#	Question		#	Question	
1	$8358 + 561 + 906 = \boxed{}$	◯	19	$614 \times 25 = \boxed{}$	◯
2	$415 \div 1 = \boxed{}$	◯	20	$61.39 \times 100 = \boxed{}$	◯
3	$\boxed{} - 20 = 165$	◯	21	$3\frac{2}{4} + 3\frac{2}{4} = \boxed{}$	◯
4	$2600 \div 2 = \boxed{}$	◯	22	$\frac{3}{4}$ of $16 = \boxed{}$	◯
5	$\boxed{} + 80 = 745$	◯	23	$7 - \boxed{} = 3.677$	◯
6	$1.84 + 5.5 = \boxed{}$	◯	24	$\frac{1}{5} \div 2 = \boxed{}$	◯
7	$490 \div 7 = \boxed{}$	◯	25	$\frac{8}{9} - \frac{1}{2} = \boxed{}$	◯
8	$4053 \div 7 = \boxed{}$	◯	26	$17 - 2.668 = \boxed{}$	◯
9	$7249 - \boxed{} = 4144$	◯	27	25% of $5800 = \boxed{}$	◯
10	$1544 \times 10 = \boxed{}$	◯	28	4% of $8000 = \boxed{}$	◯
11	$120 \div 2 = \boxed{}$	◯	29	$15 \times 4.3 = \boxed{}$	◯
12	$10 \times 8 \times 11 = \boxed{}$	◯	30	90% of $259 = \boxed{}$	◯
13	$1200 \div 10 = \boxed{}$	◯	31	$\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{7} = \boxed{}$	◯
14	$90000 - 90 = \boxed{}$	◯	32	$3\frac{1}{5} - \frac{2}{6} = \boxed{}$	◯
15	$\boxed{} = 518 \times 3$	◯	33	$1034 \div 47 = \boxed{}$	◯
16	$2.82 \div 10 = \boxed{}$	◯	34	$9 - 3\frac{1}{7} = \boxed{}$	◯
17	$605 \div 55 = \boxed{}$	◯	35	$(12 + 3) \times 3 = \boxed{}$	◯
18	$\frac{3}{8} + \frac{5}{16} = \boxed{}$	◯	36	$\frac{2}{10} \times 700 = \boxed{}$	◯

Wednesday 2nd April
TBAT: write a suspense story.

Add **commas** to mark the **relative clause** in this sentence.

Rugby which was invented centuries ago is one of the most popular sports in the county.

Underline the **determiners** in the sentence below.

Her rugby kit was now clean after being on a boil wash for three hours.

Circle the **object** in this sentence.

Susan threw the rugby ball towards her team mate.

Change sentence 3 from the active voice/form into the passive voice/form.

Nearly...oh...not quite...
Finally, her finger touched the tip of the identical doll's small button nose, when...
WHOOOOOSH!
Alma felt her entire body melt away, as though devoured by an unknown black abyss. Each one of her limbs bent and curled and snapped and shrank. It was a feeling like no other – indescribably painful and completely out of her control.
Then, silence. Still.
Alma knew that she was still alive. However, as she wrestled with her eyes to drag them open, she found herself gazing down from the top shelf of the dolls' shop through a pair of still, shiny eyes. All she could hear was her muffled, desperate breaths. She could not move. She could not speak. She could not even scream. She was trapped.
The young girl, with not a care in the world, was no longer a girl. She was a doll...

1. Why has the author chosen to write the word 'Woosh' as 'WHOOOOOSH'?
2. This paragraph is full of suspenseful and impactful writing. Find 3 examples.
3. Why did the author write 'Oh' in the line 'Nearly...oh...not quite'.

Ch – 'Then, silence. Still.' What word would you use to replace the word still. It must have the same impact

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Steps to success:
Third person
Past tense
Parenthesis – this must give useful additional information
Conjunctions- coordinating and subordinating
Short sentences
Relative clause
Literary language: simile, metaphor, expanded noun phrase etc.
Semi-colon to link two closely related independent clauses

1) **Alma touches the doll.**
2) **She whirls through a portal.**
3) **Alma…becomes…the…doll.**

Conversions

The International Space Station orbits the Earth at a height of 250 miles.

What is the height of the International Space Station in **kilometres**?

Use 8 kilometres equals 5 miles.

	km

How many days are there in September, October and November altogether?

	days

Convert the weights below into grams and order them from lightest to heaviest.

1.25 kg	0.99 kg	1.025 kg	0.009 kg

Conversions

Convert the following units into millimetres:

1) 8cm

2) 5.5cm

3) 12cm

4) 3.25cm

5) 0.9cm

Convert the following units into metres:

6) 300cm

7) 800cm

8) 1235cm

9) 832cm

10) 91cm

Convert the following units into centimetres:

11) 70mm

12) 5m

13) 98mm

14) 3.5m

15) 123mm

16) 0.57m

Conversions

Convert the following into millilitres or litres:
1) 7l
2) 3l
3) 4000ml
4) 9000ml
5) 13l
6) 14568ml
7) 12.3l
8) 5637ml

Convert the following into grams or kilograms:
9) 2000g
10) 4kg
11) 11kg
12) 14000g
13) 2.38kg
14) 7653g
15) 0.4kg
16) 767g

Convert the following into metres or kilometres:
17) 5km
18) 8000m
19) 12km
20) 14000m
21) 3.45km
22) 4893m
23) 283m
24) 0.3km

Wednesday 2nd April

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Conversions

Convert the following into millilitres or litres:
1) 15l
2) 13323ml
3) 12.9l
4) 9373ml

Convert the following into grams or kilograms:
5) 1.45kg
6) 4563g
7) 0.72kg
8) 234g

Convert the following into metres or kilometres:
9) 7.27km
10) 6728m
11) 982m
12) 0.213km

Convert the following into centimetres or millimetres:
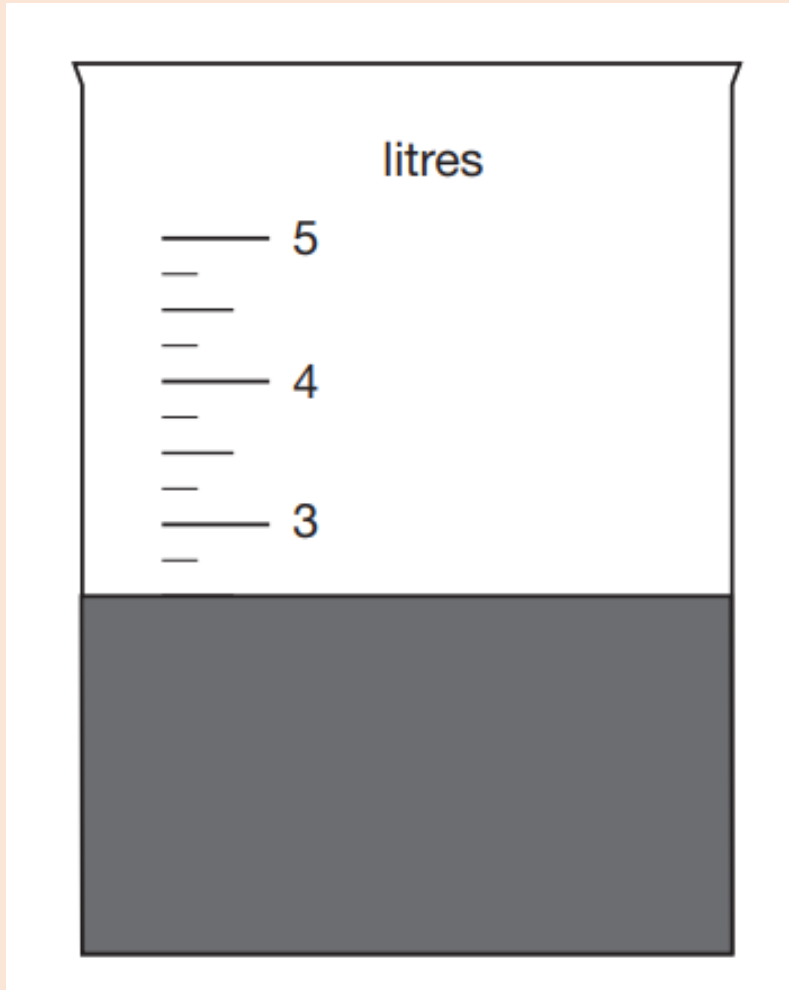13) 34mm
14) 80mm
15) 7cm
16) 4.5cm
17) 8mm

Convert the following into metres:
18) 500cm
19) 300cm
20) 235cm
21) 87cm

Maths Booster Afternoon

Conversions

litres

5

4

3

How much paint is shown here in ml?

A machine pours 250 millilitres of juice every 4 seconds.

How many **litres** of juice does the machine pour every **minute**?