

Porchester Park Project

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar - Chapter 1

1. Circle the correct spellings to complete the sentence below.

The trouble/trubble with the park was that it needed a touch/tuch of paint and a good gardener because young/yung children found it difficult get to the play equipment.

2. For each sentence, tick a box to show whether the sentence is written in the present perfect tense or the simple past tense.

Sentence	Present perfect tense	Simple past tense
		tense
Miss Turner has let		
the park become		
overgrown.		
The tennis courts		
haven't been		
repaired.		
A smart man		
arrived at the park.		

3. Add a comma, after the fronted adverbial, to each of the sentences below.

As I arrived that Saturday afternoon I walked past the gates and down to the entrance path.

After Freya had ridden the Flying Fox a few times Miss Turner asked her to help clear up some leaves.

Sternly the man shared his bad news.



4. Add the missing punctuation marks to the sentence below.

Are you serious asked Miss Turner

5. Which sentence shows the correct agreement between subject and verb? Tick one.

Is you Miss Brenda Turner?	
I were just about to have another go when Miss	
Turner came over.	
I knows it's just a length of metal, but I love the	
Flying Fox.	
We were clearing up some leaves when the man	
arrived.	