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Year 6 English Grammar and Punctuation Test 3

1. **Fill in the gap** in the sentence below using the present perfect form of the verb in the box.

You since I last saw you.

↑
 to grow

1 mark

2. **Circle** the word or words that make this sentence a question.

You went to Ireland for your holiday, didn't you?

1 mark

3. Which sentence uses inverted commas correctly? **Tick one.**

“Harry! Come quickly! shouted Mum”.

“Harry!” Come quickly!” shouted Mum.

“Harry! Come quickly!” shouted Mum.

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4. What type of word is underlined in this sentence? **Tick one.**

1 mark

Alex said that we could go to his house to play.

noun

verb

determiner

5. Which box shows where a comma should be used? **Tick one.**

1 mark

Since moving to the city Tanya had struggled to make new friends.

6. **Circle** the modal verbs in this sentence.

1 mark

If I can leave early, I would like to meet Anna at the park, as she said she might be there.

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7. **Complete** the sentence below using the correct conjunctions. Use each conjunction once only.

You can have butter jam marmalade on your toast, we don't have any honey.

and but or

1 mark

8. Read this sentence. Which words in the table below show a synonym and an antonym for the word 'considerate'? **Tick one pair.**

Cinderella was nothing like her sisters - she was sweet and considerate.

| synonym | antonym | Tick one pair |
|------------|----------|---------------|
| kind | naughty | |
| thoughtful | selfish | |
| generous | uncaring | |

1 mark

9. **Add the correct possessive determiner** to the sentence below.

Gran smiled slowly and reached out hand.

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10. Tick **one box** to show whether the word ‘before’ is used as a preposition or a subordinating conjunction.

1 mark

| Sentence | ‘before’ used as a subordinating conjunction | ‘before’ used as a preposition |
|---|--|--------------------------------|
| We left the cinema before the film had ended. | | |
| Simon finished before Paul in the race. | | |
| Train tickets are often cheaper before 9am. | | |



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1 You since I last saw you. 1 mark

2 You went to Ireland for your holiday, 1 mark

3 "Harry! Come quickly!" shouted Mum". 1 mark
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4 noun 1 mark
 verb
 determiner

5 Since moving to the city Tanya had 1 mark
 struggled to make new friends.

6 If I leave early, I like to meet Anna at the park, as she said she be there. 1 mark

7 You can have butter jam marmalade on your toast, we don't have any honey. 1 mark

8 1 mark

| synonym | antonym | Tick one pair |
|------------|----------|---------------|
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| thoughtful | selfish | x |
| generous | uncaring | |

9 Gran smiled slowly and reached out hand. 1 mark

10 1 mark

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