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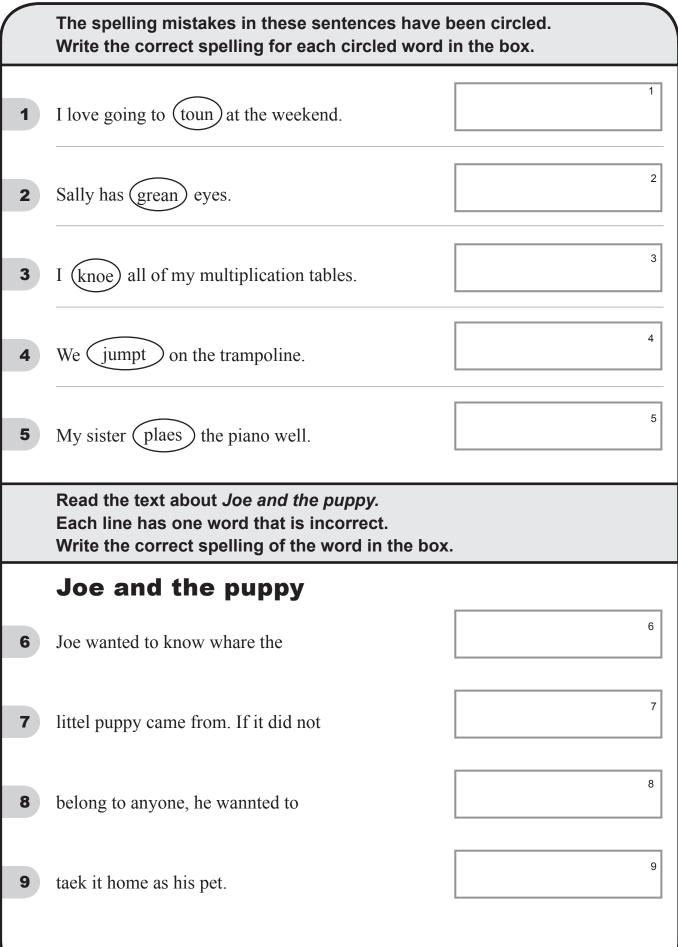
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YEAR 3 SPELLING



YEAR 3 GRAMMAR AND PUNCTUATION Sample 2

	That car belongs to James. Give it back to immediately.				
	it O	him O	them	himself	
				0	
2	Which of the following correctly completes the sentence?				
	My father told me to a new shirt for the party.				
	chose	choose	chosen	choosing	
	0	0	0	\bigcirc	
3	Which of the following correctly completes the sentence?				
	"Never mind," said Mark. "I'll do it ."				
		1 . 10	yourself	themselves	
	myself	himself	5		
	myself	himself	0	0	
	myself O	himself	0	\bigcirc	
	myself	himself	0	\bigcirc	
	myself	himself	0	\bigcirc	
	myself	himself	0		

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YEAR 3 GRAMMAR AND PUNCTUATION Sample 3

Shade two bubbles to show which underlined words should 1 start with a capital letter. Shade two bubbles. Last week, my friend lauren sent me a postcard from perth. \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc Shade two bubbles to show where speech marks ("") should go. 2 May I have some more toast please? asked Jessica. Shade one bubble to show where the missing full stop (.) should go. 3 Shade one bubble. It rained yesterday Today it is sunny.

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