

Vocabulary

1 Use a **suffix** to turn the verbs in brackets into appropriate nouns and write them in the gaps in the sentences below. Be careful to spell the nouns correctly.

He felt great _____ for his teacher. (admire)

There was lots of _____ on the noticeboard. (inform)

You need careful _____ before you take exercise. (prepare) 1 mark

2 a) Use the **prefixes** below to make new **verbs**. Use each prefix only **once**. Write the new verbs in the boxes.

One has been done for you.

mis- de- re- over- dis-

appear

disappear

understand

work

scale

send

b) Write a sentence using one of the **verbs** you created in question 2a.

2 marks

3 Draw a line to join each word on the left to its correct **antonym** on the right.

gentle

calm

flustered

flood

drought

boisterous

miserable

joyful

1 mark

4 Rewrite the sentence below using an appropriate **synonym** from the box to replace the underlined word.

horrible fragrant damp musty

After the rain, the garden smelt really sweet.

After the rain, the garden smelt really _____.

1 mark

5 Choose the correct words from this **word family** to match the clues.

wood wooden woodland wooded

- This word is an adjective meaning made of wood.

- This word is a noun meaning material we get from a tree.

- This word is an adjective meaning covered with trees.

- This word is a noun meaning place where many trees grow together.

1 mark

6 Circle the two words which could be used as **synonyms** for 'polite'.

rude courteous nice civil friendly

1 mark

7 Draw a line to match the words from the same **word family** to their definitions.

beauty

a **verb** meaning *to make beautiful*

beautician

an **adjective** meaning *very pretty*

beautiful

an **abstract noun** meaning *loveliness, attractiveness*

beautify

a **noun** meaning *someone who gives beauty treatments*

2 marks

8 Complete the following sentences by adding the words a **synonym** or an **antonym** as appropriate.

Crowded is _____ of deserted.

Alone is _____ of solitary.

Valley is _____ of dale.

1 mark

9 a) Write an explanation of the word **synonym**.

1 mark

b) Write a **synonym** for the word 'friend'.

1 mark

10 Write two possible **antonyms** for the word 'right'.

1 mark

Answers and Mark Scheme

| Qu. | Requirement | Mark |
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| 1 | <p>Award 1 mark for all three words correct and accurately spelt.</p> <p>He felt great <u>admiration</u> for his teacher.</p> <p>There was lots of <u>information</u> on the noticeboard.</p> <p>You need careful <u>preparation</u> before you take exercise.</p> | 1m |
| 2 | <p>Award 1 mark for all four words written with correct prefixes, e.g.</p> <p>understand misunderstand</p> <p>work overwork</p> <p>scale descale</p> <p>send resend</p> <p>Award 1 mark for a grammatically correct sentence using one of the verbs created in 2a. e.g.</p> <p>My mum had to descale the kettle.</p> <p>Accept different tenses in the verb if they are correctly spelt, e.g.</p> <p>It was embarrassing when I misunderstood the arrangements.</p> | 2m |
| 3 | <p>Award 1 mark for:</p> | 1m |
| 4 | <p>Award 1 mark for use of the correct synonym.</p> <p>After the rain, the garden smelt really fragrant.</p> | 1m |
| 5 | <p>Award 1 mark for all answers correct.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This word is an adjective meaning made of wood. wooden • This word is a noun meaning material we get from a tree. wood • This word is an adjective meaning covered with trees. wooded • This word is a noun meaning place where many trees grow together. woodland | 1m |
| 6 | <p>Award 1 mark for both words circled.</p> <p>rude <u>courteous</u> nice <u>civil</u> friendly</p> | 1m |
| 7 | <p>Award 2 marks for all answers correctly matched. Award 1 mark for 2 or 3 answers correct.</p> | 2m |

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| 8 | <p>Award 1 mark for all three correctly added words.</p> <p>Crowded is <u>an antonym</u> of deserted.</p> <p>Alone is <u>a synonym</u> of solitary.</p> <p>Valley is <u>a synonym</u> of dale.</p> | 1m |
| 9 | <p>Award 1 mark for a correct explanation of the word synonym, e.g.</p> <p>A synonym is a word that means the same or almost the same as another word</p> <p>Award 1 mark for a word that is a synonym of the word friend, e.g.</p> <p>mate, pal, comrade, companion.</p> | 2m |
| 10 | <p>Award 1 mark for a correct antonyms, e.g.</p> <p>wrong, incorrect, left.</p> | 1m |