

# Brackets, Dashes and Commas

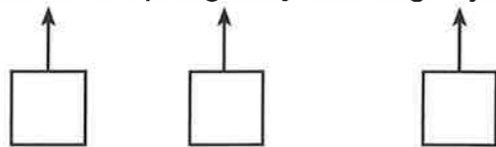
1 Which sentence below has been **punctuated** correctly?

- Tick **one**.
- After, our long sleep we woke up feeling refreshed.
  - After our long sleep, we woke up feeling refreshed.
  - After our long, sleep we woke up, feeling refreshed.
  - After our long sleep we woke up feeling, refreshed.

1 mark

2 Tick **one** box to show where a **dash** should go in the sentence below.

Daffodils are usually associated with spring they are bright yellow flowers



with long, straight leaves.

1 mark

3 Explain how the use of **commas** changes the meaning in each sentence below.

Fruit and vegetables which are fresh and organic are the healthiest food choice.

Fruit and vegetables, which are fresh and organic, are the healthiest food choice.

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1 mark

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4 Insert a pair of **brackets** in the sentence below.

My grandmother who only last year suffered a broken ankle has just completed the London Marathon.

1 mark

5 Rewrite the sentence below using a **different** pair of punctuation marks on either side of the words which is called Sheba.

My gran's cat (which is called Sheba) likes to drink cream.

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1 mark

6 Insert a **pair of commas** to show **parenthesis** in the sentence below.

My big brother Miles a rugby fanatic travels all over the country to watch his favourite team.

1 mark

7 Rewrite the sentence below, inserting a pair of **dashes** in the correct place.

Louie always keen to be the first fell over in his rush to the playground.

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1 mark

Total marks ..... /7

How am I doing?

