

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

1. Choose the correct **spellings** to complete the sentences below.

Initially Gudrun was <u>horrable/horrible</u> to Dan and Seth.

Dan and Seth were not at all <u>comfortable/comfortible</u> in the hole.

Gudrun used her <u>incredable/incredible</u> strength to pull the boys out of the hole.

2. a) What is the name of the **punctuation mark** that has been used between the words 'her' and 'a' in the sentence below?

There was a toughness about her; a wariness and a wiry energy that Seth imagined were necessary ingredients to survive.

b) Why has this punctuation mark been used?

3. Underline the **relative clause** in each sentence.

We are travellers who have fallen in your hole.

Gudrun and the boys followed a barely beaten track through the bracken that sprang up between the tall oaks.

Just as Dan got to a great bit, where the wicked stepmother was raising a storm to drown the prince, Gudrun suddenly raised her hand to silence him.



4. Insert a **pair of commas** in the correct place in the sentence below.

Dan who has a good imagination entertained Gudrun with a tale about a grieving king.

5. Tick the sentence that uses a **dash** correctly.

	Tick one.
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