

# Verbal Reasoning

## Shuffled Sentences 2

### What do I do?

The words in the following sentences are **not in the correct order**. Unscramble the words and write them out again, so that the sentence makes sense.

### Top Tips!

- Read the whole sentence first to get a feel for it. You may recognise the words straight away.
- For trickier sentences, read a couple of words at a time to see if they follow each other correctly. Remember, all of the words will stay the same, they won't change tense or spelling.

### What skills do I need to improve?

Doing lots of practice questions will help with becoming familiar with question types but what else can you do to improve in this area?

- You can create your own shuffled sentence questions at home by choosing a short sentence from a book (5 - 8 words is perfect) and asking a friend to jumble all of the words up. Try this with a range of genres.
- Revise more shuffled sentence type questions. You might be asked to swap two words or to reshuffle every word in the sentence. Read the instructions carefully to avoid unnecessary mistakes.

### Practice Questions

1. yen in currency Japan the the is



2. swung door a room open the revealing



3. cookies them made Heidi and decorated then



4. dog scream noisy silenced her the deafening



5. angry was shoplifter at the manager the



6. on day played console Luke his every



7. delayed hours was two flight by Haseeb's



8. Grandma's enjoyed everyone cake chocolate eating delicious



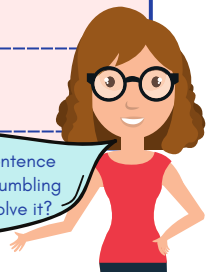
9. into turn ten weeks after froglets tadpoles



10. a is nine lifespan years rabbit's wild



Can you write your own shuffled sentence by writing a seven-word sentence, jumbling the words and asking a friend to solve it?

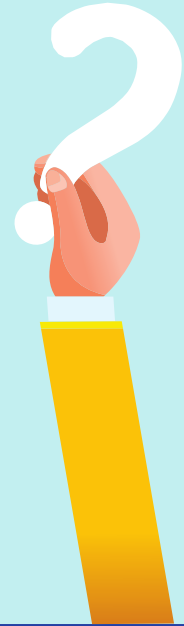


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### Answers

1. The currency in Japan is the yen.
2. The door swung open revealing a room.
3. Heidi made cookies and then decorated them.
4. Her deafening scream silenced the noisy dog.
5. The manager was angry at the shoplifter.
6. Luke played on his console every day.
7. Haseeb's flight was delayed by two hours.
8. Everyone enjoyed eating Grandma's delicious chocolate cake.
9. Tadpoles turn into froglets after ten weeks.
10. A wild rabbit's lifespan is nine years.



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