



# Spring Term 1 Answers

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**a** Is this sentence active or passive?

Underline the object of the sentence.

Before bedtime, Joshua always brushes his teeth.

**active**

**b**

Look at these sentences.

Underline the root word that could have an il-, ir- or im- prefix added. Write each new prefix word.

a) The trains from our local station are very regular.

**irregular**

b) The new arrangements were extremely practical for everyone to follow.

**impractical**

**c**

Look at the sentence below and add two modal verbs.

We \_\_\_ travel north from

Summerdown Castle and eventually

we \_\_\_ arrive at the Moosejaw

Mountains.

**Accept two modal verbs that make sense in the sentence, i.e. must/ought to/will/could/should/may/might, etc.**

**d**

Can you think of more formal synonyms to replace these past tense verbs?

cried **Accept more formal**

**synonyms, e.g. wept, bawled, sobbed, snivelled, etc.**

bought **Accept more formal synonyms, e.g. acquired, purchased, procured, etc.**

**e**

Mr Whoops has accidentally jumbled up two antonyms of 'polite'. Can you help him to unjumble them?

rude    csneionidtera

**rude    inconsiderate**

**f**

Can you add appropriate punctuation around the parenthesis in this sentence?

The Beatles the world-famous Liverpoolian band first began recording songs in 1962.

**Accept brackets, dashes or commas around the parenthesis, i.e. The Beatles - the world-famous Liverpoolian band - first began recording songs in 1962.**