

Homework/Extension

Step 1: The Alphabet

National Curriculum Objectives:

English Year 1: [Name the letters of the alphabet in order](#)

Differentiation:

Questions 1, 4 and 7 (Varied Fluency)

Developing Circle the letter which comes before a given letter in the alphabet. The question includes three letters in consecutive alphabetical order.

Expected Circle the letters which come before a given letter in the alphabet. The question includes more than three letters in consecutive alphabetical order.

Greater Depth Circle the letters which come before a given letter in the alphabet. The question includes more than three letters in non-consecutive alphabetical order.

Questions 2, 5 and 8 (Varied Fluency)

Developing Underline the word which would come last in alphabetical order. The question includes three words in consecutive alphabetical order.

Expected Underline the word which would come last in alphabetical order. The question includes more than three words in consecutive alphabetical order.

Greater Depth Underline the word which would come last in alphabetical order. The question includes more than three words in non-consecutive alphabetical order.

Questions 3, 6 and 9 (Application and Reasoning)

Developing Explain whether a child has chosen the correct position for their word on an alphabetical list. The question includes three words in consecutive alphabetical order.

Expected Explain whether a child has chosen the correct position for their word on an alphabetical list. The question includes more than three words in consecutive alphabetical order.

Greater Depth Explain whether a child has chosen the correct position for their word on an alphabetical list. The question includes more than three words in non-consecutive alphabetical order.

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The Alphabet

1. Look at the letter in the box.

d

Which letter below comes before it in the alphabet? Circle it.

e

c



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2. Look at the first letter of each word below. Which word would come last if they were put in alphabetical order? Underline it.

not

mum

old

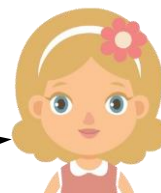


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3. The words on the list below are in alphabetical order:

saw, to

The word 'under' should go after 'to'.



Emma

Is Emma correct? Explain how you know.



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4. Look at the letter in the box.

h

Which letters below come before it in the alphabet? Circle them.

j

g

i

k

f



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5. Look at the first letter of each word below. Which word would come last if they were put in alphabetical order? Underline it.

big

from

dog

egg

cat

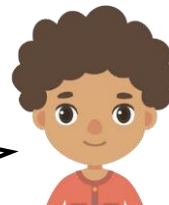


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6. The words on the list below are in alphabetical order:

she, under, very, what

The word 'that' should go after 'under' and before 'very'.



Ali

Is Ali correct? Explain how you know.



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7. Look at the letter in the box.

w

Which letters below come before it in the alphabet? Circle them.

q

f

z

x

e



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8. Look at the first letter of each word below. Which word would come last if they were put in alphabetical order? Underline it.

get

asked

jump

you

very



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9. The words on the list below are in alphabetical order:

but, down, into, now, people, their

The word 'kick' should go after 'down' and before 'into'.



Pat

Is Pat correct? Explain how you know.



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Developing

1. **c**
2. **old**
3. **Emma is correct, because the letter u comes after t.**

Expected

4. **f, g**
5. **from**
6. **Ali is incorrect, because the letter t comes after s and before u. 'That' should go after 'she' and before 'under'.**

Greater Depth

7. **e, f, q**
8. **you**
9. **Pat is incorrect, because the letter k comes after i and before n. 'Kick' should go after 'into' and before 'now'.**