

Name _____

Language Conventions

Clowns

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[2] Clowns hav big, floppy feet.

[3] I like clowns, don't you?

[4] Them run and jump and fall down.

[5] i want to be a clon and act silly too.

1	<p>How should this sentence end?</p> <p>Clowns are funny to watch</p> <p>Ⓐ .</p> <p>Ⓑ ?</p> <p>Ⓒ !</p>
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2	<p>What is the correct way to spell the underlined word?</p> <p>Clowns <u>hav</u> big, floppy feet.</p> <p>Ⓐ haf</p> <p>Ⓑ hav</p> <p>Ⓒ have</p>
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3 What two words make up the word don't?

- Ⓐ will not
- Ⓑ do not
- Ⓒ are not

4 What should the underlined word be to make this sentence correct?

Them run and jump and fall down.

- Ⓐ They
- Ⓑ There
- Ⓒ Them

5 There are two mistakes in this sentence. Write the sentence correctly.

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TEACHER DIRECTIONS AND SCORING GUIDE

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Directions: I am going to read some sentences to you. Then I will read some questions to you about the sentences. Listen as I read the sentences.

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1. Put your finger on the number 1. Listen as I read the question.
How should this sentence end? "Clowns are funny to watch."

Now fill in the circle next to the correct answer.

(Pause while students fill in their answers.)

2. Put your finger on the number 2. Listen as I read the question.
What is the correct way to spell the underlined word? "Clowns hav big, floppy feet."

Now fill in the circle next to the correct answer.

(Pause while students fill in their answers.)

Now turn to the next page.

3. Put your finger on the number 3. Listen as I read the question.
What two words make up the word don't?

- A. will not
- B. do not
- C. are not

Now fill in the circle next to the correct answer.

(Pause while students fill in their answers.)

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4. Put your finger on the number 4. Listen as I read the question.
 What should the underlined word be to make this sentence correct?
 “Them run and jump and fall down.”
 A. They
 B. There
 C. Them

Now fill in the circle next to the correct answer.

(Pause while students fill in their answers.)

5. Put your finger on the number 5. Listen as I read the question.
 There are two mistakes in this sentence. Write the sentence correctly.
 “i want to be a clon (clown) and act silly too.”

(Pause while students fill in their answers.)

TEACHER SCORING GUIDE

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Item Number	Answer	Standards Indicator
1	A or C	1.6.6
2	C	1.6.8
3	B	1.6.4
4	A	1.6.5
5	I want to be a <u>clown</u> and act silly too. capitalization of “I.” correct spelling of “clown”	1.6.7, 1.6.8