

ANSWERS

(1) Add a colon (:) to the end of each sentence and then complete it.

Possible answers for an example. Make sure ALL punctuation is correct.

As he came closer, he could read what was written on the sign: **danger, keep out!**

The cake has four main ingredients: **flour, eggs, sugar and butter.**

We made five different sort of sandwiches: **jam, ham, cheese, salad and chicken.**

You will need to bring with you the following items: **jumper, torch, hat and thick socks.**

(2) Rewrite each pair of sentences as one sentence. Use a semi-colon (;) rather than a conjunction.

No-one else was in the room; I was quite alone.

The first book was good; the others were disappointing.

Some people like city living; others prefer life in the country.

The red team won; the blues were exhausted.

(3) Match pairs of sentences and then write as ONE sentence. Use a colon (:) rather than a conjunction and remember to think about punctuation.

Remember the second part explain the first part of the sentence.

I did not go out; it was too cold.

They knew his secret; he was really a clown.

The weather forecast was wrong; it rained all day.

Mrs Jones closed her shop; there was no electricity.