



Macmillan English 6

Unit 17 worksheet

Teaching notes

Skills and language practised

	Skill	Language
Activity 1	Spelling	suffix ous
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Activity 3	Grammar	reported questions
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Follow-up activity

Organise students into groups. Get them to play *Report the question*. One student asks a question using the present tense. The next student reports it and adds another question. The next student reports that and so on.

Example:

Student 1: *Do you ever miss lessons?*

Student 2: *He asked him if he ever missed lessons. Where do you live?*

Student 3: *He asked him where he lived. What is a uniform?*

Student 1: *He asked what a uniform was. Why is English so important?*

Student 2: *He asked him why English was so important. Can you swim?*

Answers

- 1** Change the nouns in the box to adjectives.
Write the adjectives in the correct group.

4 marks

dangerous	[1/2 mark]
mountainous	[1/2 mark]
joyous	[1/2 mark]
various	[1/2 mark]
furious	[1/2 mark]
famous	[1/2 mark]
nervous	[1/2 mark]
glorious	[1/2 mark]



2 Complete the sentences with a word from the box. There are three extra words.

5 marks

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| 1 glorious | [1 mark] |
| 2 marvellous | [1 mark] |
| 3 furious | [1 mark] |
| 4 curious | [1 mark] |
| 5 various | [1 mark] |

3 Put the words in the correct order to make a sentence.

5 marks

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| 1 Suzi told the teacher she felt unwell. | [1 mark] |
| 2 Noha said she hadn't finished reading her book. | [1 mark] |
| 3 Dad asked Jamie if he had finished his homework. | [1 mark] |
| 4 Lara asked her younger sister to do the washing up. | [1 mark] |
| 5 Manal said he wanted to see the new film about space. | [1 mark] |

4 Read and report six more questions.

6 marks

Example answers:

- 1 Maisa asked if she/Liz wore school uniform.
- 2 Liz asked if she/Maisa used computers at school.
- 3 Maisa asked how she/Liz got to school.
- 4 Liz asked Maisa how many students there were in her class.
- 5 Liz asked Maisa/her what her favourite subject was.
- 6 Maisa asked if she/Liz had exams.

For each question, give ½ mark for changing the tense and ½ mark for punctuation.