

Morning Starters: Autumn 1 - Teamwork

Word Challenge

Compound words are created when two or more words combine to form a new single word.

Example: team + work = teamwork

Make a list of the compound words that appear on this page.

Grammar Challenge

Click text to edit 

Copy the following sentence, adding the necessary punctuation marks.

Have you seen any juicy scorpions around here lately quizzed grandfather

Challenge: Continue the conversation.

Did You Know?

Meerkats are small mammals that live in the arid regions of southern Africa, such as the Kalahari and Namib deserts. Meerkats are excellent team players. These sociable mammals live in groups (called mobs or clans), working together to forage for food, watch out for predators and care for young. Their cooperative behaviour helps ensure the safety and well-being of the entire group.

Where in the world is the Namib Desert? Click the 



Credit: BBC Two- Wonders of Nature

Number Challenge

27 meerkats were living in a tunnel network. Over the course of a week, each meerkat took turns standing guard for 45 minutes.

What was the total amount of time spent on guard duty by all the meerkats during the entire week?

Critical Thinking

A successful team must have a leader.

Do you agree with this statement? Why? Why not?