

Please can you replace the underlined words with synonyms from the boxes below:

help

absurd

quantity

aim

entirely

modify

livid

nearly

breadth

startled

resemblance

liberated

1	The <u>width</u> of the swimming pool was ten metres.
2	There is a strong <u>likeness</u> between the two sisters.
3	The prisoners were <u>released</u> at the end of the war.
4	The idea that little green men live on Mars is <u>ridiculous</u> .
5	The farmer's barking dog <u>alarmed</u> the whole flock of sheep.
6	We can climb out of the window with the <u>aid</u> of a rope.
7	Grannie has <u>almost</u> finished her crossword.
8	Bertie's <u>ambition</u> is to play tennis at Wimbledon.
9	Amy wasn't <u>altogether</u> happy with her new laptop so she returned it to the shop for a refund.
10	We have a huge <u>amount</u> of paper in our recycling bin.
11	The organisers decided to <u>alter</u> the route for the half-marathon.
12	Pippa was absolutely <u>enraged</u> when she realised her mobile phone had been stolen.

Please can you match up the adult animals to the names for their young?

tadpoles
kids
gosling
lamb
foal
calf
caterpillar
fawn
cub
chick
cygnet

sheep
bear
chicken
cow
frogs
swan
butterfly
deer
goats
horse
goose



Please can you underline two words in each sentence below that are antonyms of each other?

1	The local rowing boats appeared minute next to the massive cruise liner docked at the harbour.
2	There may be a simple solution to what seems to be a complex problem
3	Sam drained all the cold, dirty water from the bath before refilling it with hot, soapy water.
4	Please remain in your seats until you are asked to leave.
5	You will need a good, sturdy container in which to transport the fragile crockery.
6	Jack was a learner driver for over two years before he passed his driving test and it will be a long time before he will be an expert on the road.
7	In the icy winter months it is important to wrap up well and keep warm.
8	Pippa was a little disappointed with her hotel room; it was very cramped and she really would have liked some more spacious accommodation.
9	We spent a delightful weekend in London although the journey back was extremely unpleasant due to a thunderstorm.

Cloze - in the following passage, there are some words missing.

Please can you complete the passage by choosing the correct words from the table below?

operate	lower	whole	plural	organs	hand	referred	chest	connected
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The framework of bones in the human body is called the skeleton. The bones provide support for the **Q1.** body and they also give protection for important **Q2.** such as the brain, heart and lungs. The bones in our arms and legs **Q3.** with our muscles so that we can move about. The main bones in the head are joined together to form the skull. The skull is **Q4.** to the backbone, which itself is made up of smaller bones. Each of these bones in the back is called a vertebra. The **Q5.** of vertebra is vertebrae.

The ribs are long curved bones that are joined on to the vertebrae in the upper part of the body. They form the framework of the **Q6.** forming a protective cage around the heart and lungs.

The bone that forms the upper part of the arm is called the humerus. The two bones of the lower arm, the radius and the ulna, meet the humerus at the elbow and are joined to the **Q7.** at the wrist. The hand and fingers have lots of bones.

The upper part of each leg also only one bone, called the femur. The **Q8.** part of the leg has two bones, the tibia and fibula, which meet the femur at the knee. The bone of the front of the knee is called the patella but it is commonly **Q9.** to as the kneecap. The tibia and fibula are joined to the foot at the ankle. Like the hand, the foot has lots of bones.

# Answers

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## Words

1	borrow
2	brag
3	bread
4	buzzard
5	burrow
6	bungalow
7	buckle
8	broccoli
9	breeze
10	brain
11	bowl
12	bonnet
13	boomerang
14	bolt
15	blunt
16	blizzard
17	blazer
18	blend
19	beginner
20	basin

## Cloze

1	whole
2	organs
3	operate
4	connected
5	plural
6	chest
7	hand
8	lower
9	referred

## Antonyms

1	minute/massive
2	simple/complex
3	cold/hot
4	remain/leave
5	sturdy/fragile
6	learner/expert
7	icy/warm
8	cramped/spacious
9	delightful/unpleasant