# Varied Fluency Step 1: Recognising Commas in a List

### **National Curriculum Objectives:**

English Year 2: (2G5.5) <u>Learning how to use both familiar and new punctuation correctly</u> (see English appendix 2) including: commas for lists

English Year 2: (2G5.5) Commas to separate items in a list

#### Differentiation:

Developing Questions to support recognising commas in a list. Lists include 3 items. Expected Questions to support recognising commas in a list. Lists include up to 4 items. Greater Depth Questions to support recognising commas in a list. Lists include groups of words.

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1a. Circle the comma in the sentence below.	1b. Circle the comma in the sentence below.
Carl had fish, chips and peas	My cat has got black, brown
from the chip shop.	and white fur.
<b>V</b> F VF	VF
2a. Tick the sentence that uses a comma correctly.	2b. Tick the sentence that uses a comma correctly.
A. Mum reads newspapers,	A. Mr Brown has three sons
books and magazines.	called Martin Jack, and Alex.
B. Mum reads, newspapers	B. Mr Brown has three sons
books and magazines.	called Martin, Jack and Alex.
<b>☆</b> ∨F	<b>₩</b> VF
3a. Circle the incorrect comma in the sentence below.	3b. Circle the incorrect comma in the sentence below.
The flowers in the pot, are	I am going to the park on
yellow, pink and red.	Monday, Tuesday and, Friday.
<b>♦</b> VF	<b>V</b> F
4a. Tick the sentence that includes a list.	4b. Tick the sentence that includes a list.
A. The weather is cold, windy	A. I need to get some food
and rainy today.	from the shop.
B. The weather is very cold	B. I need to get bread, sugar
today.	and milk from the shop.
<b>☆</b> ∨F	<b>₩</b> VF

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9a. Circle the commas in the sentence below.	9b. Circle the commas in the sentence below.
Sara has PE on Monday morning,	We ate roast chicken, mashed
Tuesday afternoon, Thursday	potatoes, green beans and
morning and Friday morning.	gravy for dinner.
VF	VF VF
10a. Tick the sentence that uses commas correctly.	10b. Tick the sentence that uses commas correctly.
A. I saw two worms, three moths, six ants and four bees.	A. I love my mum, my dad, my, brother and my sister.
B. I saw two, worms, three, moths six, ants and four bees.	B. I love my mum, my dad, my brother and my sister.
VF VF	VF
11a. Circle the incorrect comma in the sentence below.	11b. Circle the incorrect comma in the sentence below.
There is an old woman, a young	Jacob got video games, football
man, a teenage, boy and a	boots, shin pads and football,
little girl at the bus stop.	stickers for his birthday.
<b>V</b> F	VF.
12a. Tick the sentence that includes a list.	12b. Tick the sentence that includes a list.
A. The dog had cute eyes, big paws, soft fur and a wet nose.	A. The nice boy had a really big smile.
B. The dog was very lovely to look at.	B. His baby had blue eyes, short hair, soft skin and a big smile.
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#### <u>Developing</u>

1a. Carl had fish chips and peas from the chip shop.

2a. A

3a. The flowers in the pot oare yellow, pink and red

4a. A

#### **Expected**

5a. Max's best friends are Liam. Joe. Maisy and Connie.

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7a. Dad made us sausages, mash, peas and gravy for dinner.

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#### **Greater Depth**

9a. Sara has PE on Monday morning.
Tuesday afternoon. Thursday morning and Friday morning.

10a. A

11a. There is an old woman, a young man, a teenage boy and a little girl at the bus stop.

12a. A

#### <u>Developing</u>

1b. My cat has got black brown and white fur.

2b. B

3b. I am going to the park on Monday, Tuesday and Friday.

4b. B

#### **Expected**

5b. Lexi's favourite subjects are Maths<sub>()</sub> Music<sub>()</sub>Art and PE.

6b. B

7b. I want<sub>v</sub> to go to Italy, America, Barbados and Cuba.

8b. A

#### **Greater Depth**

9b. We ate roast chicken mashed potatoes green beans and gravy for dinner.

10b. B

11b. Jacob got video games, football boots, shin pads and football stickers for his birthday.

12b. B

