

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

1. Choose the correct spellings to complete the sentences below.

Josh didn't have permission/permition/permician to go to the supermarket before school. He didn't want to have a discussion/discution/discuscian with his mum about why he needed to go there. Josh left his house early and, without any hesitassion/hesitation/hesitacian, Fluffy, the cat from the alley, approached him.

2. Underline the **pronouns** in the sentence below.

Fluffy and a few of his followers waited for Josh to leave school and demanded he buy them all another fish.

3. Why has a **comma** been used in the sentence below?

With that offer, Fluffy and the rest of the cats turned and ran down the street like a streak of mini tigers.

4. Which sentence uses the present perfect form?

Tick one.

The cats watched Josh march into the supermarket and appear five minutes later with a plastic bag in his hand. Josh has bought a huge fish for the cats to share.	
Josh pulled out the wrapped-up fish from the plastic bag.	
They were like a school of piranhas, finishing off the fish in seconds.	



5. Rewrite the sentence below using **direct speech**. Remember to

punctuate your sentence correctly.
Josh said that he didn't have enough money to keep buying fish.