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## Colons and semicolons

Use of colons to introduce lists and semicolons within lists.

Look at the lists below and write sentences containing the same information.

Use colons and other appropriate punctuation.



There are exciting  
acts at the circus

Clowns  
Fire juggling  
Trapeze artists

A really good custard pie  
requires the following

Pie dish  
Ready-made custard  
Aerosol whipped cream  
Very large shoes  
A red nose  
Good face paints  
A sense of fun

Things that I took  
to the circus

My jacket  
A book  
A peanut butter sandwich  
A hat  
A pair of gloves

Circus opening days

Monday  
Tuesday  
Thursday  
Friday afternoon

I was lucky to meet  
the circus staff

Pete, the ringmaster  
Jerry, the clown  
Marissa and Theresa,  
the trapeze artists  
Azaan, the fire juggler  
Fatima, the lion tamer

### Year 6 Answers

In some questions, alternative answers may be acceptable. The likeliest answers are given below. If questions have more than one answer, teachers should use their own judgement when marking.

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There are exciting acts at the circus: clowns, fire juggling and trapeze artists.

A really good custard pie requires the following: a pie dish, ready-made custard, aerosol whipped cream, very large shoes, a red nose, good face paints and a sense of fun.

The things that I took to the circus were my jacket, a book, a peanut butter sandwich, a hat and a pair of gloves.

Circus opening days are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoon.

I was lucky to meet the circus staff: Pete, the ringmaster, Jerry, the clown, Marissa and Theresa, the trapeze artists, Azaan, the fire juggler and Fatima, the lion tamer.