

## Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

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

The rations were not at all *delisious* / *delicious* / *delitious* and barely *nutrious* / *nutricious* / *nutritious*. We had *precious* / *pretious* / *prescous* little to eat.

2. Look at the sentence below. Explain why the author has used a hyphen.

During that first four-day stint in the trenches, two events really stood out.

3. Underline two **modal verbs** in the sentence below.  
They must not cheer loudly because the Germans might hear them and then attack.

4. Complete these sentences using **which** or **that**.

- a) The food, \_\_\_\_\_ was not very tasty, was enough to give them the energy to survive in the trenches.
- b) The biscuits, \_\_\_\_\_ were in abundant supply, were hard and tasteless.
- c) Neville preferred biscuits \_\_\_\_\_ were creamy and buttery.

5. Complete this sentence with a suitable **adverbial of place**.

\_\_\_\_\_, we ate our tasteless food and dreamed of home comforts.