Test Your Grammar Skills

What's the Point...? Punctuation Practice 2

Circle the correct punctuation mark below:

1. This is a colon:							
	!		"	••	_	()
O. This is a humban.							,
2. This is a hyphen:	1	•	66	,,		()
		•			_	()
3. These are called sp	peech ma	rks:					
	!	:	66	"	-	()
4. This is an exclama	tion mark:						
	!	•	"	"	_	()
5. These are called be	raakata						,
5. These are called bi	lackers.	•	66	,,		(1
	!	•			_	()
6. We use these pund	ctuation m	arks to s	how \	when some	eone is sp	oeaki	ng or to quote someone:
	!	•	"	"	-	()
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7. We use this punctu	iation mar	K to link i	ogetr	ner two rei	ated word	1S:	`
	!	•		, ,	-	()
8. We use these pund not vital to the meaning				nd informa	ation that,	while	e it may be interesting, is
	!	:	66	"	_	()
9. We use this punctuhumour, disbelief or a		k at the e	end o	f a senten	ce to sho	w a s	trong feeling, e.g.
	!	:	66	"	_	()
10. We use this punci			end	of a phras	e to show	that	there is related
	!	•	"	"	-	()

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Answers:										
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2. This is a hyphen:	!	:	"	"	-	()			
3. These are called sp	oeech ma	arks:	••	,,)	-	()			
4. This is an exclamate	tion mark	: :	"	,,	-	()			
5. These are called be	rackets:	•	66	,,	-					
6. We use these pund	ctuation m	narks to s	how v	vhen so	omeone is s _l	peaki	ng or to quote someone:			
7. We use this punctu	ation ma	rk to link	togeth	ner two	related word	ds:)			
8. We use these punctuation marks to surround information that, while it may be interesting, is not vital to the meaning of the sentence:										
	!	:	66	"	-))			
9. We use this punctuation mark at the end of a sentence to show a strong feeling, e.g. humour, disbelief or anger:										
	!)	•	66	"	-	()			
10. We use this punctuation mark at the end of a phrase to show that there is related information to follow in the next phrase:										
	! (:	66	,,	-	()			

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