Using the dictionary: Challenge 1

1. The Oxford Primary Illustrated Maths Dictionary contains over 600 words in alphabetical order. Look at the jumbled words below and list them in alphabetical order. Use the dictionary to check your answers.

   set   quadrant   share   bearing
   sequence   quadrilateral   year
   shallow   adjacent   yard

   a) ..............................................................
   b) ..............................................................
   c) ..............................................................
   d) ..............................................................
   e) ..............................................................
   f) ..............................................................
   g) ..............................................................
   h) ..............................................................
   i) ..............................................................
   j) ..............................................................

   If more than one word starts with the same letter, put the words in alphabetical order according to the second letter, and then the third...

2. Look up the definition of sequence in the dictionary. The words listed in the box underneath the definition are called link words. These are words that are linked to the headword and can be found in the dictionary. Look up the headwords below in the dictionary and then list their link words.

   a) Headword: discount

      Link words:

   b) Headword: acute angle

      Link words:

   c) Headword: perpendicular

      Link words: