

## UNIT 2 ANSWERS: Check your punctuation

### Our Skin

Mammals have a thin layer of protection over their entire bodies known as their skin.

Your skin is like a waterproof coat because it prevents you getting too hot or too cold. When it's hot you sweat (sweat is made by the sweat glands). When the sweat dries, it takes the heat from your body.

If you are out in the sun for too long you can get sunburnt and you risk damaging your skin. It's always a good idea to protect your skin from the sun and wind (you can use sunscreen).

The skin you can see is not new skin, but dead skin cells! New skin cells grow underneath and come up to the top, pushing the dead skin cells off. The dead skin cells are flat, flaky cells, but you can't see them (unless you look under a microscope).

### Self-assessment

My punctuation is:

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Improving

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Good

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Great