

ENGLISH LANGUAGE CONTEST

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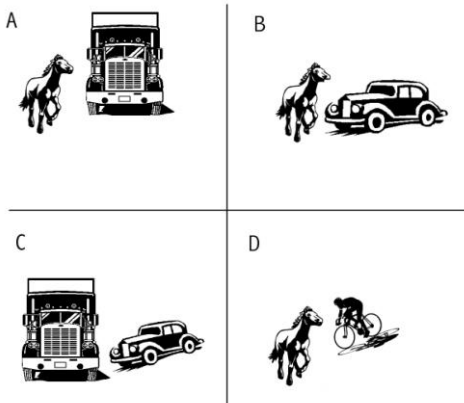
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Secondary school, grades 9 & 10. The duration of the competition is 75 minutes.

The answers must reflect the competitors own work and during the competition, no help is allowed.

Good Luck!

- 1) I love these flowers, they look
A) wonderful
B) more wonderful
C) such wonderful
D) wonderfully
- 2) Pablo Picasso in Malaga, Spain.
A) has been born
B) was born
C) had been born
D) were born
- 3) Who is the of the orchestra.
A) artist B) composer C) conductor D) leader
- 4) Larger than "large" is :
A) tiny B) fair C) huge D) wide
- 5) The highest peak in Britain is
A) Snowdon
B) Dartmoor
C) Oxton
D) Ben Nevis
- 6) Who lives at 10 Downing Street, London?
A) The Prime Minister
B) The Prince of Wales
C) The Queen
D) The President
- 7) If you give a tip to a taxi driver, you may say:
A) Keep the rest.
B) Keep the change.
C) Keep the money.
D) Keep the course.
- 8) If you want to suggest going for a walk, you say:
A) Go for a walk with me, will you?
B) Let's go for a walk!
C) Shall I go for a walk?
D) I'll better go for a walk.
- 9) What happened in "The Horse Whisperer"?

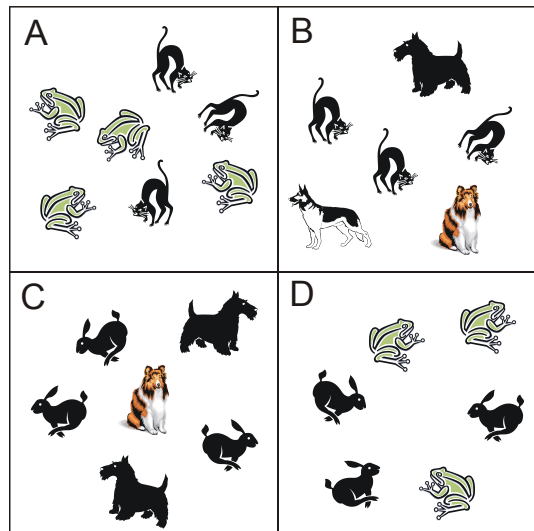


- 10) What does Annie Maclean do according to "The Horse Whisperer"?
- A) She owns a top magazine. C) She writes books.
 B) She is a journalist. D) She works at school.
- 11) He asked me
- A) how my day is. C) how was my day.
 B) how my day had been. D) how may day has been.
- 12) She was accused six robberies.
- A) for B) about C) of D) with
- 13) A curator is a person who:
- A) operates on sick.
 B) looks after prisoners.
 C) runs a museum.
 D) represents his/her country at an embassy.
- 14) Who was the first president of the USA?
- A) Thomas Paine C) Woodrow Wilson
 B) George Washington D) Richard Nixon
- 15) What is the name of the famous statue in Trafalgar Square in London?
- A) The Statue of Liberty C) Nelson's Statue
 B) Churchill's Statue D) Victory Statue
- 16) The picture presents:



- A) An English man's house is his castle.
 B) An English man's house is his tower.
 C) An English man's house is his prison.
 D) An English man's house is his kingdom.

17) It pours..... .



- 18) If you didn't hear what someone said you say:
 A) Pardon? C) Once again, please.
 B) What? D) Excuse me, please.
- 19) What was wrong with Pilgrim according to Tom Booker?
 A) He could trust nobody. C) He had problems with his legs.
 B) He was afraid of children. D) He suffered from TB.
- 20) Who was Diane to Tom Booker?
 A) His sister-in-law. C) His wife's sister.
 B) His best friend's wife. D) His former wife.

21) Write the Past Participle of the following irregular verbs in the crossword:

1. cling	1)							
2. teach	2)							
3. lie	3)							
4. seek	4)							
5. spin	5)							
6. grind	6)							
7. tear	7)							

- The solution is:
 A) languid
 B) lingual
 C) languor
 D) lindane

- 22) The fact of in a foreign country has helped in her career.
 A) bringing up C) having brought up
 B) being bring up D) having been brought up.
- 23) What is the "politically correct" expression meaning "poor"?
 A) vertically disadvantaged C) a guest of the correctional system
 B) a non wage-earner D) financially underprivileged
- 24) Daisy says she didn't want to be chosen but it's just sour, she did really.
 A) grapes B) lemons C) milk D) raisins
- 25) Which of the following wasn't written by W.Shakespeare?
 A) The Merchant of Venice C) The Scarlet Letter
 B) Macbeth D) Midsummer Night's Dream
- 26) SOS means:
 A) Save Our Ship C) Stay On Sails
 B) Save Our Souls D) Stay On, Sailor
- 27) "Could I have the extension 1387?"
 A) "Thank you." C) "Here you are."
 B) "Certainly." D) "I'll look it up."
- 28) "How did you find out we were a couple?"
 A) "Every little helps." C) "It takes all sorts."
 B) "A little bird told me." D) "Oh, this is on me."

29) Which of the following places is not mentioned in "**The Horse Whisperer**"?

A) Chatham

C) Graveport

B) Choteau

D) Casterbridge

30) How many children are mentioned in "**The Horse Whisperer**"?

A) 4

B) 5

C) 6

D) 7