

Wetatoch Genet kg and primary school Grade 6 English December's test

Time allowed 1 hr 20 min

Number of item: 40

Name_____Grade_____Number_____



The Old Man and the Sea

Santiago was an old fisherman who lived alone in a small village on the coast of Cuba. He had been a fisherman all his life, but he had not had a good catch in months. Every day, he would go out in his small boat, but he would always return empty-handed.

One day, Santiago went out fishing further than he had ever gone before. He hoped that he would finally catch a big fish. He baited his line and cast it into the water. He waited patiently for hours, but nothing happened.

Just as the sun was beginning to set, Santiago felt a tug on his line. He pulled with all his might, and eventually, he reeled in a huge marlin. The marlin was much bigger than Santiago's boat, and it fought hard to get away.

Santiago fought with the marlin for days. He was tired and hungry, but he would not give up. He knew that this was his chance to make some money.

Finally, on the third day, Santiago was able to kill the marlin. He lashed it to the side of his boat and headed back to shore. He was exhausted, but he was also happy. He knew that he had finally caught a big fish.

Reading Comparision

I Choose the best answer based on the reading passage you read beyond.

1. Where did Santiago live?

- (A) In a small village on the coast of Cuba (B) In a big city on the coast of Cuba
(C) In a small village in the mountains of Cuba (D) In a big city in the mountains of Cuba

2. What was Santiago's job?

- (A) He was a fisherman (B) He was a farmer.
(C) He was a teacher. (D) He was a doctor.

3. How long had Santiago not had a good catch?

- (A) A few days (B) A few weeks
(C) A few months (D) A few years

4. Where did Santiago go fishing on the day he caught the marlin?

- (A) Further than he had ever gone before
(B) Closer to shore than he had ever gone before
(C) In the same spot he always fished
(D) In a new spot he had never fished before

5. How long did Santiago fight with the marlin?

- (A) A few hours (B) A day
(C) Two days (D) Three days

6. How did Santiago kill the marlin?

- (A) He shot it. (C) He stabbed it.
(C) He drowned it. (D) He hit it with a rock.

Modal auxiliary verb

ii choose the modal auxiliary verbs that best can completes the sentences and write the letter of your choice on the space provided.

7..Since our bags are identical you _____ have taken mine by mistake.

(A) could

(B) can

(C) must

(D) shall

8._____ you excuse me for a moment?

(A) May

(B) Must

(C) Would

(D) Should

9.Plants _____ have sunlight in order to make food.

(A) must

(B) will

(C) may

(D) can

9.I _____ speak French, Hindi and English.

(A) must

(B) can

(C) should

(D) may

10, I think we are lost. The man _____ have given us the wrong directions.

(A) will

(B) would

(C) might

(D) should

11.How _____ you leave the classroom in such a mess?

(A) must

(B) could

(C) will

(D) might

12.She _____stay up late if she takes a nap now.

(A) will

(B) can

(C) must

(D) should

13. andualem _____ be lazy but he is certainly not weak.

(A) may (B) should

(C) must (D) would

Tenses

iii Choose the best appropriate tense and write the letter on the space provided.

12. I _____ my homework yet.

(A) have finish (B) has finished

(C) did finished (D) haven't finished

13. mesi and adugna _____ best friends for a long time but now they have broken up.

(A) are (B) is

(C) were (D) does

14. I a new dress yesterday. (buy)

(A) bought (B) shall buy

(C) buy (D) has bought

15. He to Assosa last year. (go)

(A) goes (B) will go

(C) went (D) has gone

16. My uncle me a pen on my birthday right now. (give)

(A) is giving (B) gave

(C) will gave (D) has given

17. Where did you yesterday? (go)

- (A) went (B) going
(C) go (D) gone

18. My friend to visit us next week. (come)

- (A) came (B) has come
(C) is come (D) will come

Vocabularies

IV Choose the best vocabulary that is related with the word given below write the letter of your choice with the space provided.

19. The meaning of “**Access**” is

- (A) Costing a large amount of money
(B) Opportunity for use
(C) Put something into effect or action
(D) Nutritious grain

20. The meaning of “**Implement**” is

- (A) Nutritious grain
(B) Very disadvantageous
(C) Put something into effect or action
(D) Costing a large amount of money

21. The meaning of “**Cereal**” is

- (A) Cut and dried grass
(B) Limiting factor
(C) Opportunity for use
(D) Nutritious grain

23. The policemen had a hard time trying to _____ order during the riot.

- (A) detain (B) sustain
(C) maintain (D) support

24. When it's pouring down outside you should:

- (A) wear gloves. (B) wear shorts.
(C) take an umbrella. (D) take a shower

25.) When a room is **tiny** it is.

- (A) cold. (B) small.
(C) Light. (D) Enormous

Asking and giving Directions in the Street

IIV Choose the appropriate sentence which perfectly match with the question asked.

26, excuse me, I think I am lost could you tell me where the bus station is ?

- (A) Turn left and go straight and take the third right
(B) Take the second right and you will be there
(C) It is on your left side beside of the post office
(D) All of the above

27. which one of the expression we use for asking direction.

- (A) Go straight ahead
(B) Excuse me, can you help me.....
(C) Go down
(D) Go along

28. which one of the following **is not** expression e use for giving advice ?

- (A) you had better
- (B) you ought to not
- (C) I suggest
- (D) I always

29. all are correct answers except

- (A) disobey traffic rules
- (B) avoid drinking while driving
- (C) Use zebra line to Cross
- (D) all are Correct Answers.

Comparative and Superlative degree of comparison

IIIV Read the following questions and choose your appropriate answer of comparison on the space provided.

30. biruk is _____ debebe.

- (A) tall (C) taller
- (B) teller (D) tallest

31. one of the two I think simret is _____.

- (A) beautiful (C) More beautiful
- (B) beutifuler (D) beauty

32. mom brought a _____ dress than I did.

- (A) pretty (C) Prettiest
- (B) prettier (D) prey

33. United Kingdom is the _____ developed country in the world.

- (A) more (C) most
(B) must (D) sore

34. I can swim_____My brother

- (A) more fast than (C) faster than
(B) the fastest (D) fast

35. MR David is_____ **young** teacher in **our school**.

- (A) er (C) ing
(B) est (D) ed

36. mountain Everest is_____mountain in the world.

- (A)taller (B) taller than
(C) the tallest (D) tall

37. Dog is_____cat;evenmore they have good benefits for military purposes.

- (A) most intelligent than (C) intelligenter
(B) More intelligent than (D) intelligenest

38. most people claim that running is the_____sport of all.

- (A) easy (C) easier
(B) easiest (D) more easy

39. donut has_____test and look than cap cake.

- (A) bitter (C) better
(B) good (D) best

40. you need keep grind and have_____focus on your education from ealier.

(A) most

(C) least

(C) less

(D) more

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