

Markhor Junior Contest 2021

LEARNER LEVEL (CLASS III & IV) ENGLISH LANGUAGE

There are 25 questions, each question carries 2 marks.

Time allowed: 60 minutes Maximum Marks: 50

1. Which of the following is a proper noun?

- a) car
- b) India**
- c) animal
- d) house

2. Which of the following pairs is correct?

- a) bull - hen
- b) tiger - tigress**
- c) horse - cow
- d) peacock - lioness

3. What type of pronoun is "those" in this sentence?

"Those are very beautiful flowers."

- a) Personal pronoun
- b) Possessive pronoun
- c) Demonstrative pronoun**
- d) Reflexive pronoun

4. Identify the error in this sentence:

"Me and my sister went shopping."

- a) Replace "Me" with "I"**
- b) Replace "my" with "mine"
- c) Add "to" after "shopping"
- d) No error

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5. **What is the helping verb in this sentence?**
"We have been working on the project for hours."
a) have
b) been
c) working
d) project
6. **Choose the correct verb for the sentence:**
"Everyone ____ excited about the trip."
a) is
b) are
c) were
d) be
7. **What type of adjective is "ten" in this sentence?**
"I have ten apples in my bag."
a) Descriptive
b) Quantitative
c) Comparative
d) Superlative
8. **What is the correct order of adjectives for this sentence?**
"She wore a ____ dress to the party."
a) long silk red
b) silk long red
c) red silk long

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d) long red silk

9. Choose the correct sentence:

- a) She bought an orange dress.**
- b) She bought a orange dress.
- c) She bought the orange dress.
- d) She bought a orange dresses.

10. Identify the preposition in this sentence: "The dog ran across the road."

- a) ran
- b) across**
- c) the
- d) road

11. Identify the preposition of place in this sentence:

"The park is _____ the school and the library."

- a) between**
- b) in
- c) over
- d) from

12. Identify the type of sentence:

"What time does the show start?"

- a) Declarative
- b) Interrogative**
- c) Exclamatory

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d) Imperative

13. Which sentence is properly capitalized and punctuated?

a) I am reading a book called the secret garden.

b) I am reading a book called The Secret Garden.

c) I am reading a book called the Secret Garden.

d) i am reading a book called The Secret Garden.

14. Which verb shows the future tense?

a) Walked

b) Will walk

c) Walks

d) Walking

15. Fill in the blank with the correct conjunction:

"I studied hard, ____ I didn't pass the test."

a) and

b) but

c) or

d) so

16. Choose the correct conjunction:

" ____ she tried hard, she couldn't finish the puzzle."

a) Because

b) Although

c) If

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d) So

17. Identify the predicate in the sentence:

"The children are playing soccer in the park."

a) The children

b) are playing soccer in the park

c) soccer

d) are playing

18. Which word is an antonym for "dark"?

a) Light

b) Bright

c) Shiny

d) Dim

19. Which word correctly completes the sentence?

"Please take your ____ to the next class."

a) seat

b) sit

c) see

d) set

20. "The classroom was a circus during the recess break." This is an example of:

a) Simile

b) Metaphor

c) Alliteration

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d) Personification

21. What is an antonym for "soft"?

- a) Smooth
- b) Hard**
- c) Silky
- d) Fluffy

22. What does the proverb "Actions speak louder than words" mean?

- a) Speaking is always better than doing.
- b) What people do is more important than what they say.**
- c) Words are louder than sounds.
- d) Actions cannot be heard.

Read the passage and answer the given MCQs (23, 24, 25) below.

Ryan got a new bicycle for his birthday. It was red and had a shiny bell. He rode it around the neighborhood, waving at his friends. Ryan practiced every day until he became a skilled cyclist.

23. What color was Ryan's bicycle?

- a) Blue
- b) Red**

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- c) Green
- d) Yellow

24. What feature did the bicycle have?

- a) A basket
- b) A shiny bell**
- c) A horn
- d) A mirror

25. What did Ryan do to become skilled?

- a) Took cycling lessons
- b) Practiced every day**
- c) Watched videos
- d) Rode with friends