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English - Grade 10

Question Paper

1. Which sentence uses a semicolon correctly to improve sentence fluency?

A. We arrived early; the sun was bright and the birds were singing.
B. We arrived early; and waited in the hall.

C. We arrived early; and we waited in the hall.

D. We arrived early; we, waited in the hall.

2. What's the best way to respond when someone compliments your choice of fragrance?

A. Thank you, I love this scent!

B. I don't really care about fragrance

C. I haven't even noticed the fragrance

D. It's nothing special, really

3. What role does repetition play in oral literature in short forms?

A. Decreases engagement

B. Enhances rhythm and memorability

C. Complicates the meaning

D. Adds confusion

4. Pick the imperative sentence from the options provided.

A. The Great Rift Valley offers spectacular views of the landscape.
B. Don't forget to take a boat ride on Lake Bogoria.

C. Make sure to visit the Nairobi National Park for a safari.

D. Try the famous Ugali with Sukuma Wiki in Nairobi.

5. Someone spilled sugar at home. Which third conditional result clause completes the sentence correctly: 'If you had told me, I ____ helped.'

A. I would helped.

B. I had helped.

C. I will have helped.

D. I would have helped.

6. In 'The Gift of the Magi', what did Della buy as a gift for Jim?

A. Watch Chain

B. Tie Pin

C. Comb Set

D. Magazine

7. Who wrote the famous poem 'Vultures' which juxtaposes the cruelty of nature and humanity?

A. David Rubadiri

B. Chinua Achebe

C. Okot p'Bitek

D. Kofi Awoonor

8. What is the correct past participle of 'eat' to complete: "I have ___ all the chapatis"?

A. eating

B. eated

C. ate

D. eaten

9. Which sentence is grammatically correct for the opening line of a formal letter when you do not know the recipient's name?

A. Hello Sir/Madam, I am writing to apply for the post advertised.
B. Dear Friend, I am writing to apply for the post advertised.

C. Dear Sir or Madam, I am writing to apply for the post advertised.
D. To whom it may concern, I am writing to apply for the post advertised.

10. Which writing technique is most effective for creating a captivating story about a nighttime adventure in Tsavo East National Park?

A. Jumping between unrelated events

B. Providing a mere summary of events

C. Building suspense, describing the surroundings, and engaging the senses to
D. Using monotonous language

11. What adjective would you use to describe a positive role model?

A. Unfriendly

B. Positive

C. Unkind

D. Messy

12. Which sentence correctly uses sequencing words to show order of events?

A. Finally we collected rubbish first and then cleaned, sorted it for recycling.
B. We collected rubbish then, finally sorted it for recycling and first cleaned the river bank.
C. Then we finally collected, first we cleaned the river bank and sorted for recycling.
D. First we collected rubbish, then we sorted it for recycling, and finally we cleaned the river

13. Which conjunction can be used to express a condition in the sentence 'He will win the match, _____ he trains hard'?

A. if

B. but

C. and

D. so

14. Who is the author of the book 'Percy Jackson & the Olympians' series?

A. Cassandra Clare

B. Rick Riordan

C. Suzanne Collins

D. Veronica Roth

15. Select the most fluent correction for this poor sentence: 'Because he was late. He missed the assembly.'

A. Because he was late; he missed the assembly.

B. He missed the assembly because he was late.

C. Because he was late, he missed the assembly.

D. Both A and C are correct.

16. Students ____ wear their school uniforms.

A. would

B. must

C. might

D. can

17. What type of sentence is 'When we arrived at the Victoria Falls, we were amazed by its beauty.'?

A. Compound Sentence

B. Compound-Complex Sentence

C. Simple Sentence

D. Complex Sentence

18. What is the impact of noise pollution on wildlife in Kenya?

A. Disrupts mating calls

B. Attracts animals

C. Helps in hunting

D. None

19. Choose the grammatically correct choice of article in this sentence: 'Please bring ___ original birth certificate.'

A. an

B. a

C. no article

D. the

20. How can you demonstrate effective negotiation skills when planning a beach outing with relatives?

A. Putting off the beach outing indefinitely

B. Selecting a beach location without involving relatives

C. Discussing beach preferences with relatives and deciding on a suitable spot

D. Ignoring relatives' beach choices and deciding alone

21. What is the best way to describe the cultural diversity of Kenya in an article?

A. Kenya is home to various tribes and ethnic groups.

B. Cultural diversity thrives in Kenya.

C. Kenya's cultural heritage is a melting pot of traditions and customs from different

D. Explore the rich tapestry of cultures in Kenya.

22. What can writers gain from using writing prompts as part of the rehabilitation process?

A. Enhanced inspiration, creativity, and writing exploration

B. Decrease in writing motivation

C. Increased difficulty in generating new ideas

D. Limitation in creativity and originality

23. In the story 'Echoes of the Sahel', why is Amir considered a hero?

A. He selflessly rescued his fellow travelers from a bandit attack

B. He never took responsibility for his actions

C. He always betrayed his friends

D. He always put his needs above others

24. What should you do if you experience writer's block while working on your fashion article?

A. Take a break and return refreshed

B. Force yourself to write

C. Give up on writing

D. Ignore the deadline

25. Where should the topic sentence be located in a paragraph about energy efficiency in Kenyan homes?

A. At the end of the paragraph

B. In the middle of the paragraph

C. After the supporting details

D. At the beginning of the paragraph

26. In what situations are consumers most vulnerable to unfair trade practices?

A. When they are well-informed about their rights

B. When they are rushed or pressured into making a decision

C. When they only shop at well-known stores

D. When they research products before making a purchase

27. Which sentence correctly uses a question tag at the end of an interactive talk?

A. You will join the environmental club, don't you?

B. You will join the environmental club, isn't it?

C. You will join the environmental club, will you?

D. You will join the environmental club, won't you?

28. Choose the correct article: "I checked _____ glossary at the back of the book."

A. no article (blank)

B. an

C. the

D. a

29. How many players are there in a football team?

A. 9

B. 11

C. 8

D. 6

30. Choose the correct passive form: They will finish the report by Friday.

A. The report will be finished by Friday.

B. The report will finish by Friday.

C. By Friday the report will have finished.

D. The report is finished by Friday.

31. Which spelling is correct for the competitive sport of hitting a ball over a net?

A. Tennnis

B. Tannis

C. Tenniis

D. Tennis

32. Who is a heroic figure in Kenyan history known for his leadership in promoting wildlife conservation and anti-poaching efforts?

A. Dedan Kimathi

B. David Rudisha

C. Robert Mugabe

D. Richard Leakey

33. What is the name of the trophy awarded to the FIFA World Cup winners?

A. FIFA World Cup Trophy

B. Golden Ball

C. Jules Rimet Trophy

D. Golden Boot

34. Which sentence effectively describes the experience of a safari in Kenya?

A. Spotting the Big Five on a safari is a thrilling experience.

B. Kenya is home to a diverse range of wildlife.

C. Safari tours are a popular activity in Kenya.

D. Embark on a safari in Kenya to witness the beauty of nature up close and personal.

35. Select the sentence with correct subject-verb agreement in an argumentative claim.

A. The rise of fake news have been worrying many readers.

B. The rise of fake news has worried many readers.

C. The rise of fake news have worried many readers.

D. The rise of fake news are worrying many readers.

36. How can one show respect for other people's fashion choices?

A. Ignoring what others wear

B. Appreciating different styles and expressions

C. Only praising popular fashion choices

D. Making fun of someone's outfit

37. Which conjunction is used to compare two things or ideas?

A. than

B. or

C. and

D. but

38. Which platform is commonly used for sharing and watching videos?

A. Facebook

B. Instagram

C. Pinterest

D. YouTube

39. Which poem captures the magic of the Serengeti National Park?

A. 4. Ode to the West Wind by Percy Bysshe Shelley

B. 1. The Waste Land by T.S. Eliot

C. 2. Wild Serengeti by Rehana Jawadwala

D. 3. Song of Myself by Walt Whitman

40. Which sentence correctly uses an ellipsis to show omission or trailing off?

A. She hesitated and said, "I thought I might leave early...."

B. She hesitated and said, "I thought I might; leave early."

C. She hesitated and said, "I thought I might, leave early."

D. She hesitated and said, "I thought I might... leave early."

41. What is the polite way to ask for feedback on your school project in Kenya?

A. What do you think?

B. Is this good enough?

C. Tell me how I did!

D. Rate my work, now!

42. To show you have experience (time not specified), choose the right form: I _____ volunteered in community projects before.

A. will have volunteered

B. have volunteered

C. volunteered

D. had volunteered

43. How should you approach the task of writing neatly on human rights issues?

A. Use a variety of different colors in your writing

B. Rush through the writing to finish quickly

C. Take frequent breaks to avoid fatigue

D. Keep a consistent and steady pace

44. Which sentence uses the correct preposition after 'refer'?

A. Please refer on page 20 for the definition.

B. Please refer to page 20 for the definition.

C. Please refer at page 20 for the definition.

D. Please refer in page 20 for the definition.

45. Choose the correct verb to complete the sentence: The community near the river ____ planting trees to stop erosion.

A. have

B. were

C. are

D. is

46. Where would you find information on the pronunciation of a word?

A. Dictionary

B. Thesaurus

C. Encyclopedia

D. Magazine

47. How does deforestation contribute to pollution in Kenya?

A. Decreases greenhouse gases

B. Increases air pollution

C. Reduces soil erosion

D. Promotes wildlife conservation

48. What does the prefix 'under-' mean in a word?

A. Under

B. Around

C. Together

D. Opposite of

49. Which sentence correctly avoids a run-on sentence in a school circular?

A. The hostel was inspected the manager, found no faults.

B. The hostel was inspected and the manager found no faults without pause.

C. The hostel was inspected the manager found no faults.

D. The hostel was inspected; the manager found no faults.

50. Which determiner is used to show choice between two things?

A. either

B. neither

C. all

D. such