

QUIZ

1. Which method of reading is employed when one wants to read for pleasure?
 - a. Drifting
 - b. Browsing
 - c. Shallow reading
 - d. Close reading
2. Three-fourth of the painting _____ the artist muse.
 - a. He and she
 - b. Him and she
 - c. You and I
 - d. You and me
3. The institution took the Principal, the Finance officer and _____ through a series of workshops before we started work.
 - a. She
 - b. I
 - c. He
 - d. Me
4. Emmanuelle _____ my room for the last six hours.
 - a. Has been cleaning
 - b. Have being cleaning
 - c. Have been cleaning
 - d. Has being cleaning
5. Which of the following is NOT part of the SQ4Rs?
 - a. Read
 - b. Questionnaire
 - c. Respond
 - d. Rehearse
6. The process of communication _____
 - a. Starts with the impulse to communicate
 - b. Uses language which is universally accepted
 - c. Always involves words and non-verbal cues
 - d. Deals with the manufacture of new words
7. We play better than _____
 - a. They
 - b. Them
 - c. Him
 - d. Her
8. Since I posted the letter, I had been checking my email account.
 - a. Simple
 - b. Compound

- c. Compound-Complex
 - d. Complex
9. A group of students were given a topic to write for an assignment. The students have to go through the following stages EXCEPT _____
- a. Prewriting
 - b. Drafting
 - c. Submission
 - d. Revision
10. Duncan _____ on the project this time tomorrow.
- a. Would be working
 - b. Will be working
 - c. Would been working
 - d. Will been working
11. When a message is ambiguous, _____
- a. The speaker does not appear honest
 - b. Both the speaker and the receiver disagree
 - c. Different meanings may be read into it
 - d. The source of information is not reliable
12. Poisonous ferns _____ along the winding road to the red house.
- a. Grows
 - b. Has being grown
 - c. Has been growing
 - d. Grow
13. An average person who lives in the Western Hemisphere eats about forty-five _____
- a. SVOA
 - b. SAVOA
 - c. SAVOC
 - d. SVOC
14. When a reader's aim is to examine a text carefully, the reading method _____
- a. Extensive reading
 - b. Close reading
 - c. Browsing
 - d. Intensive reading
15. Regression may occur in all the following EXCEPT _____
- a. Psychological stress
 - b. Poor reading posture
 - c. Divided attention
 - d. Faster reading
16. I arrived before the restaurant opened.
- a. Simple

- b. Compound-Complex
 - c. Complex
 - d. Compound
17. All the following are to be avoided when reading EXCEPT _____
- a. Exposure to much reading
 - b. Psychological stress
 - c. Pointing at words
 - d. Deriving meanings of words
18. This type of reading considers every aspect of the text as well as everything that goes to give meaning to the text.
- a. Intensive reading
 - b. Close reading
 - c. Faster reading
 - d. Extensive reading
19. Selecting relevant points and recording them is termed as _____
- a. Notes making
 - b. Notes writing
 - c. Paraphrasing
 - d. Notes taking
20. Cool water, accompanied by cool winds, _____ like bliss to those in hot deserts.
- a. Sound
 - b. Was sounded
 - c. Sounds
 - d. Sounding
21. What type of reading do we find a reader being motivated to read a text properly?
- a. Diving
 - b. Drifting
 - c. Brainstorming
 - d. Browsing
22. One of the following is NOT an item considered during the skimming of a chapter.
- a. Blurb
 - b. Illustrations
 - c. Topic sentences
 - d. Heading
23. When meaning is lost as a result of the mishandling of the encoding and decoding processes, there has been _____
- a. Selective perception

- b. Perceptual bias
 - c. Psychological noise
 - d. A distortion
24. The following statements are true EXCEPT _____
- a. All non-verbal cues speak for themselves
 - b. Non-verbal cues add more to an oral delivery
 - c. Non-verbal communication is basic to communication
 - d. Non-verbal cues are culturally bound
25. When writing doubles back and leap ahead, it is known as _____
- a. Process of writing
 - b. Transitions
 - c. Recursive
 - d. Brainstorming
26. Sylvester chose _____ volunteered for the English project.
- a. Whom
 - b. Whomever
 - c. Whoever
 - d. Who
27. Two men, neither of _____ I had ever met before, attacked customers at the shopping mall.
- a. Them
 - b. Who
 - c. Which
 - d. Whom
28. I believe the thief is _____
- a. Him
 - b. His
 - c. He
 - d. Her
29. Which of the following is NOT a strategy for making good notes?
- a. Leave margins
 - b. Being verbose
 - c. Use abbreviations
 - d. Identify key words
30. New perspectives are discovered when the author _____ the work.
- a. Simmers
 - b. Proofreads
 - c. Writes
 - d. Edits

31. When ethnicity becomes a barrier to communication, it is associated with one of these _____
- a. Technical noise
 - b. Psychological noise
 - c. Physical noise
 - d. Social noise
32. For a paragraph to be called effective, it must possess the following EXCEPT ____
- a. Unity
 - b. Topic sentence
 - c. Coherence
 - d. Adequate development
33. To _____ are you talking?
- a. Who
 - b. Whom
 - c. Whoever
 - d. Which
34. It was no business of _____ to report the incident.
- a. Yours or mine
 - b. Mine or you
 - c. You or I
 - d. Yours or me
35. It was _____ at the market conference.
- a. Her
 - b. Him
 - c. Them
 - d. She
36. Which of the following is NOT considered at the pre-writing stage?
- a. Statement of purpose
 - b. Clarity of expressions
 - c. Audience analysis
 - d. Purpose of writing
37. All will be well providing you stay alert.
- a. Compound-complex
 - b. Complex
 - c. Compound
 - d. Simple
38. You can select _____ you want.
- a. Who
 - b. How
 - c. Whoever

- d. Whomever
39. A caller to a radio phone-in programme finds himself in the midst of deafening noise that cause a lot of background disturbance in the transmission of the programme. What type of problem in communication is he encountering?
- a. Psychological noise
 - b. Physical noise
 - c. Technical noise
 - d. Social noise
40. Which one of the following is NOT a principle for scanning?
- a. The reader must read the whole passage
 - b. The reader must have an idea about the item he is looking for
 - c. The reader must focus on only one or two items at a time
 - d. The information that the reader is looking for must be a short one
41. It is the Captain of the Black Stars, not the minister who _____ to visit the stadium.
- a. Is expected
 - b. Were expected
 - c. Have been expected
 - d. Are expected
42. Half an hour _____ too long when you are at the doctor.
- a. Seems
 - b. Have seem
 - c. Seeming
 - d. Seem
43. For his flight to Paris, Franklin, who sought no reward, won a prize.
- a. ASAVC
 - b. SVO
 - c. SAVO
 - d. ASAV
44. The institution took the Principal, the Finance officer and _____ through a series of workshops before we started work.
- a. Me
 - b. I
 - c. She
 - d. He
45. An effective communication begins with _____
- a. Sender
 - b. Audience
 - c. Idea
 - d. Feedback