

## Universal Education

### Verbal Aptitude

1. Choose the option which is synonymous with the meaning of the word: Angry

- A. Furious
- B. Pleased
- C. Precipitous
- D. Hasty

2. Choose the option which is synonymous with the meaning of the word: Offbeat

- A. Ordinary
- B. Unusual
- C. Correct
- D. compassion

3. Choose the option which is opposite to the meaning of the word: Fallacy

- A. Delusion
- B. Hallucination
- C. Misbelief
- D. Truth

**Answer: D**

4. Choose the option which is opposite to the meaning of the word: Regression

- A. Advancement

- B. Reversion
- C. Evolution
- D. Overturn

**5. Choose the option which best expresses the below-given sentence in Active/Passive voice**

Rajesh said, "The teacher was teaching".

- A. Rajesh said that the teacher was teaching
- B. Rajesh said that the teacher has been teaching
- C. Rajesh said that the teacher had been teaching
- D. None of the above

**6. Choose the option which best expresses the below-given sentence in Active/Passive voice**

Thrice a month, Rajesh cleans the room.

- A. Thrice a month, the room is cleaned by Rajesh
- B. Thrice a month, the room is being cleaned by Rajesh
- C. Thrice a month, the room was cleaned by Rajesh
- D. None of the above

**7. Choose the correct preposition and fill in the blanks:**

The father said to his child, "You must be back \_\_\_\_\_ eight o'clock."

- A. in
- B. on
- C. by
- D. to

8. Choose the correct preposition and fill in the blanks:

He worked out at the gym from 8PM \_\_\_\_\_ 9PM.

- A. since
- B. for
- C. till
- D. before

9. He jumped \_\_\_\_\_ the well.

- a. onto
- b. in
- c. under
- d. none of the above

10. He \_\_\_\_\_ the work yesterday.

- a. Completed
- b. Has completed
- c. Had completed
- d. complete

11. Fill in the blanks with the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

What work \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ last week?

- a were / do
- b did / did
- c did / do

d do / did

12. Fill in the blank with the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

The police \_\_\_\_\_ me on my way home yesterday.

- a. was stop
- b. stopping
- c .stops
- d .stopped

13. The great Mozart \_\_\_\_\_ more than 700 pieces of music.

- a writes
- b was wrote
- c writed
- d wrote

14. The new Iron Man movie wasn't very good. I \_\_\_\_\_ it very much.

- a. enjoyed
- b.didn't enjoy
- c.didn't enjoyed
- d.wasn't enjoy

15. We \_\_\_\_\_ David in town a few days ago.

- a. have seen

- b. saw
- c. did saw
- d. was saw

16. I \_\_\_\_\_ to the market three times last week.

- a. was go
- b. went
- c. did go
- d. goed

17. I \_\_\_\_\_ English for ten years. (teach)

- a. had been teaching
- b. was teaching
- c. am teaching
- d. have been teaching

18. We started waiting for the bus 20 minutes ago. We're still waiting now.  
We \_\_\_\_\_ (wait) for 20 minutes.

- a. have been waiting / 've been waiting
- b. 's been waiting / has been waiting
- c. 're waiting / are waiting
- d. 've waited / have waited

19. 'Sorry, I'm late.' 'That's all right. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not/wait) long.'

- a. didn't wait
- b. haven't waited
- c. haven't been waiting
- d. isn't waiting

20. You look tired. \_\_\_\_\_ (you/work) too hard?

- a. will you be working
- b. have you worked
- c. have you been working
- d. did you work

1) He is \_\_\_\_\_ teacher by profession. He loves \_\_\_\_\_ teaching.  
a) A, an  
b) An , a  
c) The ,a  
d) A, no article

2) I am listening to music \_\_\_\_\_ the radio.  
a) From  
b) On  
c) In  
d) Of

3) I slept \_\_\_\_\_ nine o'clock.  
a) To  
b) Till  
c) Until  
d) Both b and c  
e) None

4) We walked \_\_\_\_\_ the end of the road.  
a) Till  
b) To  
c) For  
d) None

5) The child has been missing \_\_\_\_\_ yesterday  
a) Since  
b) From  
c) For  
d) None

6) I received this message \_\_\_\_\_ 7 o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ morning.  
a) in, at  
b) at, at  
c) at, in  
d) none

7) I saw him filling a big tree \_\_\_\_\_ a hatchet.

- a) By
- b) With
- c) Off
- d) None

8) An old feud existed \_\_\_\_\_ the two families.

- a) Between
- b) Among
- c) Within
- d) None

9) \_\_\_\_\_ Pester and John, there were three other boys present

- a) Beside
- b) Besides
- c) Both a and b
- d) none

10) He was stabbed \_\_\_\_\_ lunatic \_\_\_\_\_ a dagger.

- a) By, with
- b) By, by
- c) With, by
- d) With, with

11) Don't throw food \_\_\_\_\_ the dog

- a) At
- b) To
- c) None
- d) Of