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## SET 1

Question 1 of 37

Which of the following sentences is correctly punctuated?

- The ponys' saddle is so pretty.
- A working student's best friend is her phone.
- Several car's bumpers were crushed after the collision.
- Tom's and Anne house is beautiful.

Answer: A working student's best friend is her phone.

Question 2 of 37

Which of the following parts of speech describes the word "incredibly" as used in the sentence above?

Adjective

Pronoun

Preposition

Adverb

Answer: Adverb

Question 3 of 37

Which of the following sentences demonstrates proper subject-verb agreement?

- The boys or the girls sings in the choir.
- The boys and girl in our club is in the cafe.
- The boy or the girls come to school late.
- The boys and girl visits my house.

Answer: The boy or the girls come to school late.

Question 4 of 37

Which of the following sentences correctly uses a complex sentence structure?

- They had to decide between adopting a cat or a dog at the rescue shelter.
- She wanted to go to the beach after she left work.
- The student brought her laptop, textbooks, and parking pass.
- Whenever the boys played in the rain, they came home with muddy clothes.

Answer: Whenever the boys played in the rain, they came home with muddy clothes.

Question 5 of 37

The class is nervous about \_\_\_\_ first exam.

- they're
- its'
- its
- it's

Answer: its

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- Providing logical transitions
- Checking for punctuation errors
- Supporting the main argument
- Establishing a clear claim

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Which of following sentences demonstrates proper pronoun-antecedent agreement?

- If people want to travel to the moon, he must get a job at a space technology station.
- If people want to travel to the moon, you must get a job at a space technology station.
- If a person wants to travel to the moon, you must get a job at a space technology station.
- If a person wants to travel to the moon, she must get a job at a space technology station.

Answer: If a person wants to travel to the moon, she must get a job at a space technology station.

Question 9 of 37

In the word "circumnavigation," the Latin prefix "circum" means to move in which of the following directions?

- Forward
- Up
- Sideways
- Around

Answer: Around

Question 10 of 37

Which of the following best orders these sentences to form a well-organized paragraph?

1. 4, 1, 3, 5, 2
2. 1, 4, 2, 3, 5
3. 2, 4, 1, 3, 5
4. 0, 2, 1, 3, 5, 4

Answer: 4, 1, 3, 5, 2

Question 11 of 37

Which of the following sentences correctly employs standard English spelling?

- A) The building's height was exceeded by its width.
- B) The building's height was acceded by its width.
- C) The building's height was exceeded by it's width.
- D) The building's height was acceded by it's width.

Answer: A) The building's height was exceeded by its width.

Question 12 of 37

Which of the following is a compound sentence?

- I like my job, but I like this more.
- I need to order a new auto-subdividing adjuster piece for the components behind it.
- I can and will take the prize this year.
- As I was saying, if you need my help for anything, just call me.

Answer: I like my job, but I like this more.

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- It summarizes the main idea of the essay.
- It should be as general as possible.
- It summarizes the main idea of the paragraph.
- It should be as detailed as possible.

Answer: It summarizes the main idea of the paragraph.

#### Question 14 of 37

Which of the following is the final step of the writing process?

- Interviewing
- Researching
- Drafting
- Editing

Answer: Editing

Question 15 of 37

Which of the following language conventions is violated in the sentence above?

- Verb tense
- Punctuation of an introductory clause
- Pronoun-antecedent agreement
- Use of a colon

Answer: Pronoun-antecedent agreement

Question 16 of 37

Which of the following sentences would most likely be found in an email from a professor to her biology students at a college?

- Traffic on Highway 32 will be rerouted to Main Street during renovation of the 7th Street Bridge.
- I didn't get any constructive feedback on my paper during the peer review last week.
- We want to go out for dinner, but we haven't decided where to eat yet.
- Research groups from the 10:30 a.m. Tuesday class should meet in the library this week.

Answer: Research groups from the 10:30 a.m. Tuesday class should meet in the library this week.

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Which of the following is a step in the proofreading process?

- Checking primary sources
- Checking secondary sources
- Checking for proof of authorship
- Checking for spelling

Answer: Checking for spelling

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Which of the following sentences demonstrates proper subject-verb agreement?

- *Physics is a difficult subject to learn.*
- *The study of various sciences are compelling.*
- *News travel fast.*
- *Measles usually spread through respiratory fluids.*

Answer: *Physics is a difficult subject to learn.*

Question 19 of 37

Which of the following parts of speech is the word "ouch"?

- Conjunction
- Adjective
- Preposition
- Interjection



Answer: Interjection

Question 20 of 37

Which of the following is the meaning of the suffix "-ful" as used in the sentence above?

- Worthy
- Able
- State of
- Characterized by

Answer: Characterized by

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The triplets could sing very well, so they and a friend formed a \_\_\_\_\_ for the annual talent show.

Which of the following options correctly completes the sentence above?

- quintet
- octet
- quartet
- duet

Answer: quartet

Question 23 of 37

Which of the following actions takes place during the revision phase of the writing process?

- Creating ideas
- Connecting concepts
- Gathering information
- Proofreading text

Answer: Proofreading text

Question 24 of 37

Which of the following is the likely source of the passage above?

- A diary entry
- A short story
- A personal email
- A weather report

Answer: A short story

Question 25 of 37

Which of the following is a complete sentence?

- I walked all three dogs around the park this morning.
- When I was young and loved going for runs in the park.
- Walking with a limp as a result of the thorn.
- Running through the park before breakfast.

Answer: I walked all three dogs around the park this morning.

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Which of the following sentences is written correctly?

The lizard has the ability to alter its coloration to blend in with the foliage.

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Which of the following sentences correctly uses a compound sentence structure?

- The professor enjoyed reading, cycling, and listening to jazz music.
- He liked to cook at home, but she preferred to eat at restaurants.
- Although he would have gone to the movie that his friends recommended, it started too late.
- After they played basketball all day, the girls were very tired.

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Which of the following sentences demonstrates correct grammar and usage?

- A) If any less people watch that television series, the affect will be its cancellation.
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Answer: D) If any fewer people watch that television series, the effect will be its cancellation.

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Which one of the following sentences contains a dangling modifier?

- The contented puppy sat by the sleeping young child.
- My brother had an old truck that sat by the garage that needed paint.
- Drivers in our state are confused by the outdated driving law.
- Adequate lighting is important for anyone who is studying or reading.

Answer: My brother had an old truck that sat by the garage that needed paint.

Question 30 of 37

Which of the following sentences correctly follows the rules of capitalization?

- I plan to enroll in College next year.
- Even though he moved to New York, he was born in a Western town.
- The A1 Plumbing Board of Directors gave every employee a raise.
- The Geography students took a class trip to the Rocky Mountains.

Answer: The A1 Plumbing Board of Directors gave every employee a raise.

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Many \_\_\_\_\_ books are popular among adults these days.

Which of the following options correctly completes the sentence above?

- children's
- childrens
- childrens'
- childrens's

Answer: children's

Question 33 of 37

According to the prefix "sub-", which of the following words defines "subterranean"?

Overpass

Aboveground

Underground

Causeway

Answer: Underground

Question 34 of 37

Which of the following is a complex sentence?

- I used the time while the coffee was brewing to brush my teeth.
- Time was running short, so I hurriedly brushed my teeth while breakfast was warming up.
- Since time was running short, I hurriedly brushed my teeth while breakfast was warming up.
- I brushed my teeth while the coffee brewed because time was running short.

Answer: Since time was running short, I hurriedly brushed my teeth while breakfast was warming up.

Question 35 of 37

Which of the following sentences requires citation?

- I would wager that most students in the United States will be able to tell you that the Battle of Fort Sumter in 1861 started the American Civil War.
- There were buffalo in every western territory of the United States as of 1860.
- At our school, we only learned about a fraction of the political and economic complexities of the American Civil War.
- They say that history is written by the victors.

Answer: I would wager that most students in the United States will be able to tell you that the Battle of Fort Sumter in 1861 started the American Civil War.

Question 36 of 37

Which of the following sentences requires a citation?

- Any exposed skin is susceptible to sunburn.
- One in five Americans will develop skin cancer by the age of 70.
- Prolonged sun exposure can result in a burn.
- Some sunscreens have an SPF of 35 or higher.

Answer: One in five Americans will develop skin cancer by the age of 70.

Question 37 of 37

Which of the following sentences is punctuated correctly?

- The green paint is a horrible color: I don't want it on my walls.
- The green paint is a horrible color? I don't want it on my walls.
- The green paint is a horrible color, I don't want it on my walls.
- The green paint is a horrible color. I don't want it on my walls.

Answer: The green paint is a horrible color. I don't want it on my walls.

SET 2

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The fact that she lied to her best friend weighed heavily on her \_\_\_\_\_.

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Answer: conscience

Question 4 of 37

Which of the following sentences would be the best topic sentence for the paragraph?

- There are physical and psychological reasons for a daily walk.
- If you want to get in shape, the first step is to get moving.
- Exercise does not have to be difficult; consider walking.
- One of the easiest ways to lose inches is to take a walk on a daily basis.

Answer: There are physical and psychological reasons for a daily walk.

Question 5 of 37

Which of the following sentences follows the rules of punctuation and capitalization?

- "I loved that show," he said. "It's my favorite of the year."
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Answer: "I loved that show," he said. "It's my favorite of the year."

Question 6 of 37

Which of the following is the meaning of the prefix "ante-" as used in the sentence above?

- Against
- After
- Beyond
- Before

Answer: Before

Question 7 of 37

Which of the following sentences correctly uses apostrophes?

- Our home's roof needs repairing.
- All of the womens thing's were lost at sea.
- There are many parks' located across the country.
- My grandparents's families are coming to town for the holidays.

Answer: Our home's roof needs repairing.

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John Smith was the man \_\_\_\_\_ photographed the landscape.

Which of the following options correctly completes the sentence above?

- that
- whom

- which
- who

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- Set the hatching area temperature to 95° F, reducing it by 5° each week after the chicks arrive.
- Make sure the chicks have plenty of clean water in shallow containers, giving them sugar water on their first day for a boost of energy.

Answer: Eggs should be collected daily from a mature hen to ensure the eggs are not fertilized.

#### Question 10 of 37

Which of the following is true about a strong academic thesis?

- It directly states the argument.
- A reasonable argument cannot be made against it.
- It reflects the opinions of most people.
- It is a viewpoint endorsed by one's professor.

Answer: It directly states the argument.

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Answer: a) children's

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The spaces between the ribs are known as \_\_\_\_\_ spaces; they contain the \_\_\_\_\_ veins. Which of the following words is the best choice for the blanks in the sentence?

- Intracostal
- Intervinous
- Intravenous
- Intercostal

Answer: Intercostal

Question 14 of 37

Which of the following is a complex sentence?

- When Jung-hoon found a seat on the bus, he hoped he would have a quiet ride.
- Both the bus and Jung-hoon were running late.
- Jung-hoon waited for the bus and when the bus didn't appear, he wasn't sure it would, so he walked to the next bus stop.
- Jung-hoon and Cho decreased their carbon footprint.

Answer: Jung-hoon waited for the bus and when the bus didn't appear, he wasn't sure it would, so he walked to the next bus stop.

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- Swimming is extremely fun.
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Question 18 of 37

Which of the following sentences is punctuated correctly?

- The young man yelled, "Oh what a wonderful day to go see the seals."

- The young man said, "It's a nice day to take a walk in the park."
- The young man asked, "Have you read 'The Hobbit'?"
- The young man exclaimed, "Wow, what fun we had today"!

Answer: The young man said, "It's a nice day to take a walk in the park."

Question 19 of 37

Based upon the affixes, which of the following words could be defined as "the study of humans"?

- Biology
- Anthropology
- Anthropomorphism
- Philanthropy

Answer: Anthropology

Question 20 of 37

Which of the following sentences does not fit with the rest of the paragraph above?

A ball of wool holds so much potential, and is also a sustainable resource.

The repetition of stitch after stitch is so relaxing.

There are other health benefits of knitting, too.

It helped me pay attention during lectures.

Answer: A ball of wool holds so much potential, and is also a sustainable resource.

Question 21 of 37

Which of the following statements about a thesis statement is correct?

- It is the secondary idea in a piece of writing.
- It is the central idea in a piece of writing.
- It has been proven by the scientific community.
- It is a fact.

Answer: It is the central idea in a piece of writing.

Question 22 of 37

Which of the following parts of speech is the word "silently" in the previous sentence?

- Adverb
- Adjective
- Verb
- Preposition

Answer: Adverb

Question 23 of 37

Which of the following tasks is appropriate during the final stage of the writing process?

- Establishing a clear claim
- Providing logical transitions
- Checking for punctuation errors



- Supporting the main argument

Answer: Checking for punctuation errors

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- The thesis statement should appear only at the end of a paper.
- The written work should disprove the thesis statement.
- Supporting evidence is not needed when the thesis statement is an opinion.
- Thesis statement wording should be as specific as possible.

Answer: Thesis statement wording should be as specific as possible.

Question 25 of 37

Which of the following sentences contains formal language for use in an academic paper?

- The data analysis results don't support the rejection of the null hypothesis.
- Many behavior modification studies use a single-subject research design.
- The participants in the study included guys aged 25 to 35 years living in Kansas.
- I think that past lit reviews support my hypothesis.

Answer: Many behavior modification studies use a single-subject research design.

Question 26 of 37

Everyone knew Sam was \_\_\_\_\_ to helping animals because of his volunteer work at the animal shelter.

- A) committed
- B) committed
- C) comitted
- D) comitted

Answer: B) committed

Question 27 of 37

According to the prefix "mal-," which of the following phrases best defines "malformed"?

- Partially formed
- Badly formed
- Formed under
- Formed within

Answer: Badly formed

Question 28 of 37

Which of the following is the meaning of the word "indiscriminate"?

- Selective
- Noisy

Miscellaneous

Distinct

Answer: Miscellaneous

Question 29 of 37

Which of the following sentences is likely to be found in a descriptive passage about a county fair?

- The Ferris wheel rose high above the midway, illuminating the night sky.
- There were more than 25 entries in the livestock competition.
- On Friday evening, join us for the parade through downtown, ending at the fairgrounds.
- I think the county fair should encourage more people to enter its baking and gardening competitions.

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Which of the following pairs of words are examples for the prefix that means between, among, or together?

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#### Question 34 of 37

Which of the following sentences is an example of third-person narrative voice?

- We love sightseeing in our national parks.
- I went to the store for some basic items.
- He was scared when he got on the plane.
- You have always been very meaningful to me.

Answer: He was scared when he got on the plane.

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- The handle was lose and could have fallen off at any moment.
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Question 36 of 37

Which of the following best describes the first step a company should take in writing a lawn mowing proposal for a local pharmacy when they have access to the square footage of the area to be mowed, the grass type, last year's winning bid, and a list of other licensed lawn mowing companies?

- Writing the proposal
- Revising the draft
- Submitting the document
- Analyzing the information

Answer: Analyzing the information

Question 37 of 37

Which of the following options is the correct plural spelling?

- Datum
- Syllabi
- Thesis
- Parenthesis

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## SET 3

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The job applicants were shown to an anteroom, where they waited to be called for there interviews.

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Which of the following sentences correctly uses apostrophes?

- Our home's roof needs repairing.
- There are many parks' located across the country.
- All of the womens thing's were lost at sea.
- My grandparents's families are coming to town for the holidays.

Answer: Our home's roof needs repairing.

Question 26 of 37



Which of the following is the meaning of the word "indiscriminate"?

- Selective
- Miscellaneous
- Distinct
- Noisy

Answer: Miscellaneous

Question 27 of 37

According to the prefix "mal-," which of the following phrases best defines "malformed"?

- Formed under
- Partially formed
- Formed within
- Badly formed

Answer: Badly formed

Question 28 of 37

Which of the following sentences contains formal language for use in an academic paper?

- The data analysis results don't support the rejection of the null hypothesis.
- The participants in the study included guys aged 25 to 35 years living in Kansas.
- I think that past lit reviews support my hypothesis.
- Many behavior modification studies use a single-subject research design.

Answer: Many behavior modification studies use a single-subject research design.

Question 29 of 37

Which of the following statements about a paragraph's concluding sentence is true?

- It gives information that opposes the topic sentence.
- It gives supporting details for the topic sentence.
- It summarizes the essay's main point.
- It summarizes the paragraph's main point.

Answer: It summarizes the paragraph's main point.

Question 30 of 37

Which of the following options is the correct plural spelling?

- Parenthesi
- Syllabi
- Thesis
- Datum

Answer: Syllabi

Question 31 of 37

Which of the following sentences would be the best topic sentence for the paragraph?

- a) Exercise does not have to be difficult; consider walking.
- b) If you want to get in shape, the first step is to get moving.
- c) One of the easiest ways to lose inches is to take a walk on a daily basis.
- d) There are physical and psychological reasons for a daily walk.

Answer: d) There are physical and psychological reasons for a daily walk.

Question 32 of 37

Which of the following is a complex sentence?

- Both the bus and Jung-hoon were running late.
- Jung-hoon waited for the bus and when the bus didn't appear, he wasn't sure it would, so he walked to the next bus stop.
- Jung-hoon and Cho decreased their carbon footprint.
- When Jung-hoon found a seat on the bus, he hoped he would have a quiet ride.

Answer: Jung-hoon waited for the bus and when the bus didn't appear, he wasn't sure it would, so he walked to the next bus stop.

Question 33 of 37

Which of the following is true about a strong academic thesis?

- A reasonable argument cannot be made against it.
- It reflects the opinions of most people.
- It directly states the argument.
- It is a viewpoint endorsed by one's professor.

Answer: It directly states the argument.

Question 34 of remaining

Which of the following sentences is likely to be found in a descriptive passage about a county fair?

- On Friday evening, join us for the parade through downtown, ending at the fairgrounds.
- The Ferris wheel rose high above the midway, illuminating the night sky.
- There were more than 25 entries in the livestock competition.
- I think the county fair should encourage more people to enter its baking and gardening competitions.

Answer: The Ferris wheel rose high above the midway, illuminating the night sky.

Question 35 of 37

Which of the following best describes the first step a company should take in writing a lawn mowing proposal for a local pharmacy when they have access to the square footage of the area to be mowed, the grass type, last year's winning bid, and a list of other licensed lawn mowing companies?

- Submitting the document
- Writing the proposal
- Revising the draft
- Analyzing the information

Answer: Analyzing the information

Question 36 of 37

Which of the following parts of speech is the word "silently" in the previous sentence?

- Preposition
- Adverb
- Adjective
- Verb

Answer: Adverb

Question 37 of 37

Which of the following sentences is an example of third-person narrative voice?

- I went to the store for some basic items.
- You have always been very meaningful to me.
- We love sightseeing in our national parks.
- He was scared when he got on the plane.

Answer: He was scared when he got on the plane.

## SET 4

Question 1 of 37

"Singing" functions as which of the following parts of speech in the sentence above?

- Adverb
- Preposition
- Adjective
- Noun

Answer: Noun

Question 2 of 37

Which of the following parts of speech is the word "although"?

- Adverb
- Participle
- Interjection
- Conjunction

Answer: Conjunction

Question 3 of 37

Which of the following parts of speech is the word "lively" in the sentence above?

- Adjective
- Adverb
- Conjunction
- Interjection

Answer: Adjective

Question 4 of 37

According to the prefix "Intra-," which of the following is the best definition of the word "Intravenous"?

Between the veins

Around the veins

Within the veins

Against the veins

Answer: Within the veins

Question: 5 of 37

Which of the following transitional expressions should a student use to compare two ideas?

Likewise

Therefore

In addition

For instance

Answer: Likewise

Question 6 of 37

Which of the following best describes the peer review process?

- It requires time and attention to complete.
- Incomplete drafts are typically submitted for the process.
- All comments from peer reviewers should be implemented.
- Teamwork among participants is not required.

Answer: It requires time and attention to complete.

Question 9 of 37

Which of the following contractions should be used to correct the error in the sentence above?

they're

It's

you're

Answer: who's

Question 10 of 37

Which of the following sentences is punctuated correctly?

A carpenter must use certain tools hammers, saws, chisels - to finish a job.

A carpenter must use certain tools, hammers, saws, chisels, to finish a job.



A carpenter must use certain tools - hammers, saws, chisels to finish a job.

A carpenter must use certain tools - hammers, saws, chisels - to finish a job.

Answer: A carpenter must use certain tools - hammers, saws, chisels to finish a job.

Question 11 of 37

Which of the following sentences supports the following thesis statement?

Organic gardening can be as simple or complex as you choose to make it.

The origins of organic gardening date back to ancient times.

Organic gardening requires the ability to recall scientific names of plants.

The popularity of organic gardening has increased because of the public's concern about food safety.

Organic gardening ranges from basic composting to a chemical analysis of the soil.

Answer: Organic gardening ranges from basic composting to a chemical analysis of the soil.

Question 12 of 37

Which of the following is the meaning of the prefix "inter-" as used in the sentence above?

Into

Past

Below

Among

Answer: Among

Question 13 of 37

Which of the following sentences correctly uses a transition word?

Gilda lives near campus; likewise, the grocery store is not within walking distance.

Gilda attends college; thus, she also works full-time at an engineering firm.

Gilda is a hardworking student, therefore, she earned a good grade on her essay.

Gilda likes math class, nevertheless, she enjoys anything pertaining to numbers.

Answer: Gilda attends college; thus, she also works full-time at an engineering firm.

Question 14 of 37

Which of the following sentences correctly follows the rules of capitalization?

I plan to enroll in College next year.

The A1 Plumbing Board of Directors gave every employee a raise.

The Geography students took a class trip to the Rocky Mountains.

Even though he moved to New York, he was born in a Western town.

Answer: The Geography students took a class trip to the Rocky Mountains.

Question 17 of 37

Which of the following sentences correctly uses subject-verb agreement?

Statistics are an interesting subject. However, statistics are often misleading.

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Statistics are an interesting subject. However, statistics is often misleading.

Statistics is an interesting subject. However, statistics are often misleading.

Answer: Statistics is an interesting subject. However, statistics are often misleading.

#### Question 18 of 37

Which of the following is a thesis statement?

While Abel Tasman is the first European credited with seeing New Zealand, James Cook is recognized for mapping the country.

The Maori people are indigenous to New Zealand.

Maori culture should receive more emphasis in the history curriculum of New Zealand schools.

New Zealand's national flag depicts four red stars and a silver fern.

Answer: Maori culture should receive more emphasis in the history curriculum of New Zealand schools.

#### Question 19 of 37

Which of the following parts of speech is the word Wow in the sentence above?

Preposition

Conjunction

Interjection

Adverb

Answer: Interjection

Question 22 of 37

According to the prefix "pre-", which of the following words defines "preliminary"?

Concluding

Introductory

Repeating

Anticipatory

Answer: Introductory

Question: 23 of 37

"The skies are clear, and I predict no rain in the future," the weather reporter announced.

forseeable

forseeable

\*\*foreseeable\*\*

forseeible

Answer: foreseeable

Question: 24 of 37

Which of the following sentences correctly uses subject-verb agreement?

The dogs in our backyard growls late at night.

The tennis balls roll into the parking lot.

These two girls in the first row is best friends.

Computers has made our jobs easier.

Answer: The tennis balls roll into the parking lot.

Question 25 of 37

Which of the following sentences contains formal language, rather than informal language?

If you can't take the heat, get out of the kitchen.

The blue-footed booby is a magnificent specimen.

When traveling alone, be on the lookout for pick-pockets.

I didn't want to tell on my friends, but the teacher gave me no choice.

Answer: The blue-footed booby is a magnificent specimen.

Question 26 of 37

Which of the following sentences is punctuated correctly?

The ladies's hats were all purple, they looked so pretty.

We sat down to eat our meal outside; the night was beautiful.

The horse rode to our house, the beach, and around the church, before he started to tire.

The strong heavysset fighter won his first fight, and he was featured in the newspaper.

Answer: We sat down to eat our meal outside; the night was beautiful.

Question 27 of 37

Which of the following is an example of second-person narrative voice?

- You go to the window because someone is knocking insistently on the front door.
- I wanted to visit the art museum to see the new sculpture exhibit.
- We are planning a trip to Florida for our vacation in January.
- She won first place at the county fair with my homemade blueberry pie recipe.

Answer: You go to the window because someone is knocking insistently on the front door.

Question 28 of 37

Which one of the following sentences contains a dangling modifier?

Adequate lighting is important for anyone who is studying or reading.

The contented puppy sat by the sleeping young child.

Drivers in our state are confused by the outdated driving law.

My brother had an old truck that sat by the garage that needed paint.

Answer: My brother had an old truck that sat by the garage that needed paint.

Question 30 of 37

Which of the following is an example of accidental plagiarism?

Copying information from a source and identifying it as your own

Submitting a paper that was written by a friend

Summarizing information without including a source credit

Forgetting to include an in-text citation for information

Answer: Forgetting to include an in-text citation for information

Question no of remaining

According to the prefix "In-" which of the following words defines "incredulous"?

Sympathetic

Disbelieving

Convinced

Weary

Answer: Disbelieving

Question 33 of 37

Which of the following sentences is written correctly?

"Don't stay out too late," My mother said.

"It's time to go home." | told him.

“Were you late to the show,” he asked?

I have to leave!" she said.

Answer: "Don't stay out too late," My mother said.

Question 35 of 37

Which of the following sentences is the least formal in style?

I've got a ton of experience with computers from school.

I gained significant experience with computers while attending college.

I gained a lot of experience with computers while I was a student in college.

I have a lot of experience with computers from my college days.

Answer: I've got a ton of experience with computers from school.

Question 36 of 37

Which of the following is the plural spelling of the word "loaf"?

Loafs

Loafs

Loafes

Loaves

Answer: Loaves

Question 37 of 37



According to the prefix "inter-," which of the following phrases defines "Interplanetary"?

Around a planet

Beyond planets

Above a planet

Between planets

Answer: Between planets

## SET 5

Question 1 of 37

In which of the following situations is it most appropriate to use informal language?

A peer review in an academic journal

An email to a professor about an assignment

A text message to a friend from class

A job application for a teaching position

Answer: A text message to a friend from class

Question 2 of 37

Which of the following words is spelled correctly?

Hieght

Foriegn

Receive

Vien

Answer: Receive

Question 3 of 37

Which of the following is the subject of the sentence below?

tree

sat

under

Taylor

Answer: Taylor

Question 4 of 37

Which of following sentences demonstrates proper pronoun-antecedent agreement?

If a person wants to travel to the moon, she must get a job at a space technology station.

If a person wants to travel to the moon, you must get a job at a space technology station.

If people want to travel to the moon, you must get a job at a space technology station.

If people want to travel to the moon, he must get a job at a space technology station.

Answer: If a person wants to travel to the moon, she must get a job at a space technology station.

Question 5 of 37

Which of the following sentences demonstrates proper subject-verb agreement?

- a) *Physics is a difficult subject to learn.*
- b) *Measles usually spread through respiratory fluids.*
- c) *The study of various sciences are compelling.*
- d) *News travel fast.*

Answer: a) *Physics is a difficult subject to learn.*

Question 6 of 37

Which of the following is the object of the preposition in the sentence below?

Martha laughed at the clown.

clown

laughed

the

at

Answer: clown

Question 7 of 37

Which of the following sentences uses the correct capitalization?

The Red Cross is a liaison for the families of Soldiers stationed in other countries, acting as a go-between for separated spouses, parents, and children.

The Red Cross is a liaison for the families of soldiers stationed in other countries, acting as a go-between for separated spouses, parents, and children.

The Red cross is a Liaison for the families of Soldiers stationed in other countries, acting as a go-between for separated spouses, parents, and children.

The Red cross is a Liaison for the families of soldiers stationed in other countries, acting as a go-between for separated spouses, parents, and children.

Answer: The Red Cross is a liaison for the families of soldiers stationed in other countries, acting as a go-between for separated spouses, parents, and children.

Question 8 of 37

Which of the following sentences uses the correct capitalization?

The Red Cross is a liaison for the families of Soldiers stationed in other countries, acting as a go-between for separated spouses, parents, and children.

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The Red cross is a Liaison for the families of soldiers stationed in other countries, acting as a go-between for separated spouses, parents, and children.

Answer: The Red Cross is a liaison for the families of soldiers stationed in other countries, acting as a go-between for separated spouses, parents, and children.

Question 9 of 37

Which of the following prefixes attached to a root word would be part of a sequence of events?

Co-

Post-

Sub-

Ant-

Answer: Post-

Question 10 of 37

Which of the following is the adverb in the sentence below?

swiftly

lal

across

athletic

Answer: swiftly

Question 11 of 37

In the word "circumnavigation," the Latin prefix "circum" means to move in which of the following directions?

Forward

Sideways

Around

Up

Answer: Around

Question 12 of 37

Which of the following sentences would most likely be found in an email from a professor to her biology students at a college?

I didn't get any constructive feedback on my paper during the peer review last week.

Research groups from the 10:30 a.m. Tuesday class should meet in the library this week.

Traffic on Highway 32 will be rerouted to Main Street during renovation of the 7th Street Bridge.

We want to go out for dinner, but we haven't decided where to eat yet.

Answer: Research groups from the 10:30 a.m. Tuesday class should meet in the library this week.

Question 13 of 37

Which of the following is the meaning of "wellness" according to the suffix?

How something is well

Why something is well

One who is well

The state of being well

Answer: The state of being well

Question 14 of 37

Which one of the following sentences contains a dangling modifier?

Adequate lighting is important for anyone who is studying or reading.

The contented puppy sat by the sleeping young child.

Drivers in our state are confused by the outdated driving law.

My brother had an old truck that sat by the garage that needed paint.

Answer: My brother had an old truck that sat by the garage that needed paint.

Question 15 of 37

Based on an analysis of word structure, which of the following is the meaning of the word "bibliophile"?

Reference text

Book lover

Novel publisher

Resource list

Answer: Book lover

Question 16 of 37

Which of the following is a step in the proofreading process?

Checking primary sources

Checking secondary sources

Checking for proof of authorship

Checking for spelling

Answer: Checking for spelling

Question 17 of 37

Which of the following sentences demonstrates proper subject-verb agreement?

*The boys and girl visits my house.*

*The boys and girl in our club is in the cafe.*

*The boys or the girls sings in the choir.*

*The boy or the girls come to school late.*

Answer: *The boy or the girls come to school late.*

Question 18 of 37



Which of the following prefixes implies duplication when attached to a root word?

un-

in-

dis-

re-

Answer: re-

Question 19 of 37

Which of the following is a complex sentence?

I brushed my teeth while the coffee brewed because time was running short

I used the time while the coffee was brewing to brush my teeth.

Answer: I brushed my teeth while the coffee brewed because time was running short

Question 20 of 37

Which of the following sentences is correctly punctuated?

Alex enjoys cooking his family and, his dog.

In short, we wish to congratulate Keisha, Marius, and Jayma for making this presentation so interesting and informative.

On the hillside Sung-ho saw his sister mother and father.

I love to attend yoga class, ashtanga style yoga is my favorite.

The graceful dancer moved across the stage as the music began to play.

Answer: In short, we wish to congratulate Keisha, Marius, and Jayma for making this presentation so interesting and informative.

Question 21 of 37

Which of the following is the meaning of the suffix "-ful" as used in the sentence above?

State of

Characterized by

Worthy

Able

Answer: Characterized by

Question 22 of 37

Which of the following sentences is punctuated correctly?

Although the town appears strikingly dull, most folks say its a nice place to live.

Although the town appears strikingly dull; most folks say its a nice place to live.

Although the town appears strikingly dull most folks say it's a nice place to live.

Although the town appears strikingly dull, most folks say it's a nice place to live.

Answer: Although the town appears strikingly dull, most folks say it's a nice place to live.

Question 23 of 37

Which of the following transitional expressions should a student use to show sequence?

Nevertheless

Furthermore

Elsewhere

Similarly

Answer: Similarly

Question 24 of 37

*The class is nervous about \_\_\_\_\_ first exam.*

*they're*

*its*

*it's*

*its*

Answer: *its*

Question 25 of 37

Which of the following statements about a paragraph's topic sentence is true?

It summarizes the main idea of the essay.

It should be as detailed as possible.

It should be as general as possible.

It summarizes the main idea of the paragraph.

Answer: It summarizes the main idea of the paragraph.

Question 26 of 37

Which of the following sentences is grammatically correct?

The student wrote too slow to finish the exam, but he has always been a slowly writer.

The student wrote too slowly to finish the exam, but he has always been a slowly writer.

The student wrote too slow to finish the exam, but he has always been a slow writer.

The student wrote too slowly to finish the exam, but he has always been a slow writer.

Answer: The student wrote too slowly to finish the exam, but he has always been a slow writer.

Question 27 of 37

Which of the following is a complete sentence?

When I was young and loved going for runs in the park.

Walking with a limp as a result of the thorn.

Running through the park before breakfast.

I walked all three dogs around the park this morning.

Answer: I walked all three dogs around the park this morning.

Question 28 of 37

Proper sleep is..... to good health.

crucial

crusial

crutial

Answer: crucial

Question 29 of 37

According to the prefix "sub-", which of the following words defines "subterranean"?

Aboveground

Overpass

Causeway

Answer

Underground

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According to the prefix "sub-", which of the following words defines "subterranean"?

Aboveground

Overpass

Causeway

Answer: Underground

Question 30 of 37

Which of the following is the correct definition for the prefix "inter" as used in words like "interstate" or "international"?

One who is the subject

A thing or process

Between or among

Government rule

Answer: Between or among

Question 31 of 37

Which of the following sentences contains a conjunction?

The shovel was placed against the house.

My grandfather told me all about his childhood.

I finished mowing the lawn and I took a long nap.

I hid my journal beneath the bed.

Answer: I finished mowing the lawn and I took a long nap.

Question 32 of 37

Which of the following sentences requires a citation?

Some sunscreens have an SPF of 35 or higher.

One in five Americans will develop skin cancer by the age of 70.

Any exposed skin is susceptible to sunburn.

Prolonged sun exposure can result in a burn.

Answer: One in five Americans will develop skin cancer by the age of 70.

Question 33 of 37

Which of the following language conventions is violated in the sentence above?

Use of a colon

Verb tense

Pronoun-antecedent agreement

Punctuation of an introductory clause

Answer: Pronoun-antecedent agreement

Question 34 of 37

Which of the following transitional expressions should be used to show cause and effect?

In other words

Consequently

For example

Likewise

Answer: Consequently