



English

linguistic Quiz 2023-24

**SYLLABUS**

**GRADE**

**7 & 8**



1. **Question:** I told him that I \_\_\_\_\_ hard for the last four hours. [ work]

- a) worked                      b) was working                      c) am working                      d) had been working

**Answer:** d

2. **Question:** A moment ago, I \_\_\_\_\_ strange news. [hear]

- a) have heard                      b) heard                      c) hear                      d) am hearing

**Answer:** b

3. **Question:** Bali \_\_\_\_\_ this book since January last. [ read]

- a) is reading                      b) reads                      c) has been reading                      d) read

**Answer:** c

4. **Question:** They \_\_\_\_\_ to London next year. [ go]

- a) went                      b) go                      c) had gone                      d) are going

**Answer:** d

5. **Question:** We \_\_\_\_\_ each other for the past ten years. [ know]

- a) know                      b) are knowing                      c) have known                      d) had known

**Answer:** c

6. **Question:** I shall go there after I \_\_\_\_\_ my lessons. [ do]

- a) did                      b) do                      c) am doing                      d) have done

**Answer:** d

7. **Question:** The bus \_\_\_\_\_ round the corner. [ come]

- a) came                      b) comes                      c) is coming                      d) had come

**Answer:** c

8. **Question:** I \_\_\_\_\_ this exercise by ten O" clock. [finish]

- a) shall have finished                      b) have finished                      c) finish                      d) finished

**Answer:** a

9. **Question:** I \_\_\_\_\_ not \_\_\_\_\_ the letter yet. [ write]

- a) am, written                      b) was, written                      c) have, written                      d) had, written

**Answer:** c

10. **Question:** I \_\_\_\_\_ a letter to her yesterday. [ send]

- a) had sent                      b) have sent                      c) was sending                      d) sent

**Answer:** d

**11. Question:** I told him that I \_\_\_\_\_ hard for the last four hours. [ work]

- a) worked                      b) was working                      c) am working                      d) had been working

**Answer:** d

**12. Question:** “Fortune befriends the bold”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Milton                      b) Dryden                      c) Keats                      b) Plato

**Answer:** b

**13. Question:** “Early to bed early to rise Makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise”.

Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Franklin                      b) Disraeli                      c) Johnson                      d) Shakespeare

**Answer:** a

**14. Question:** “A thing of beauty is a joy forever”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Socrates                      b) Tolstoy                      c) Keats                      d) Milton

**Answer:** c

**15. Question:** “Clever men are good, but they are not the best”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Voltaire                      b) Emerson                      c) Wordsworth                      d) Carlyle

**Answer:** d

**16. Question:** “Common sense is not so common”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Voltaire                      b) Disraeli                      c) Hazlitt                      d) Emerson

**Answer:** a

**17 Question:** “Brevity is the soul of wit”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Carlyle                      b) Shakespeare                      c) Pope                      d) Socrates

**Answer:** b

**18. Question:** “The child is the father of the man”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Keats                      b) Pope                      c) Wordsworth                      d) Milton

**Answer:** c

**19. Question:** “Self-trust is the essence of heroism”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Disraeli                      b) Emerson                      c) Voltaire                      d) Carlyle

**Answer:** b

**20. Question:** “The secret of success is constancy to purpose”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Disraeli                      b) Tolstoy                      c) Rousseau                      d) Galsworthy

**Answer:** a

**21. Question:** “Silence is one great art of conversation”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) George Moor    b) Shakespeare    c) Karl Marx    d) Hazlitt

**Answer:** d

**22. Question:** “Fools rush in where angels fear to tread”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Pope    b) Tolstoy    c) Mahatma Gandhi    d) Dryden

**Answer:** a

**23. Question:** “Anger makes dull men witty, but it keeps them poor”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Sydney Smith    b) Francis Bacon    c) Aristotle    d) Bernard Shaw

**Answer:** b

**24. Question:** “Fame is the perfume of heroic deeds”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Socrates    b) Nehru    c) Tagore    d) Tolstoy

**Answer:** a

**25. Question:** “People are lonely because they build walls instead of bridges”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Nissim Ezekiel    b) S. Radhakrishnan.    c) V. Samuel    d) J. F. Newton

**Answer:** d

**26. Question:** “A sound mind in a sound body, is a short but full description of a happy state in this world”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) John Locke    b) Goethe    c) Newton    d) Mark Twain

**Answer:** a

**27. Question:** “Man is born free, and everywhere he is in chains”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Voltaire    b) Rousseau    c) Tolstoy    d) Socrates

**Answer:** b

**28. Question:** “Style is the shadow of personality”. Who is the writer of this famous quote?

- a) Samuel    b) Cardinal Newman    c) Kautilya    d) Aristotle

**Answer:** b

**29. Question:** Synonym of Astound is \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) surprise    b) excitement    c) thrill    d) saddened

**Answer:** a

**30. Question:** Meaning of “Run out of”?

- a) nothing left      b) a pending job      c) a well-planned system      d) completely filled

**Answer:** a

**31. Question:** Meaning of “Explode with impatience”?

- a) can wait patiently      b) not in a hurry      c) in a hurry      d) couldn't wait any longer.

**Answer:** d

**32. Question:** Synonym of “Bafflement”?

- a) thrilled      b) excited      c) puzzled.      d) confused

**Answer:** c

**33. Question:** Have you put \_\_\_\_\_ salt in the soup?

- a) The      b) A      c) (No Article)      d) None of the above

**Answer:** c

**34. Question:** Mr. Ali \_\_\_\_\_ his daughter up from school at 4:30 every day.

- a) Picked      b) Pick      c) Picks      d) None of the above

**Answer:** c

**35. Question:** Sara is crying. She \_\_\_\_\_ her examination.

- a) Failed      b) Has Failed      c) Have Failed      d) None of the above

**Answer:** b

**36. Question:** "Mr. Abdullah is very busy at the moment."

"That's alright \_\_\_\_\_."

- a) I'm going to wait      b) I'll wait      c) I must be waiting      d) None of the above

**Answer:** b

**37. Question:** \_\_\_\_\_ did Paul see her?

- a) How      b) Why      c) Where      d) None of the above

**Answer:** c

**38. Question:** I am not as tall as \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) He      b) Her      c) She      d) None of the above

**Answer:** b

**39. Question:** Prices have been rising \_\_\_\_\_ than the incomes.

- a) More fast      b) Faster      c) Fastest      d) None of the above

**Answer:** b



**51. Question:** He \_\_\_\_\_ waiting for you since morning.

- a) Is                      b) Was                      c) Has                      d) has been

**Answer:** d

**52. Question:** Which of the following sentences contains a prepositional phrase?

- a) I don't know where they went                      b) There was a dark stain on my shirt

**Answer:** b

**53. Question:** Which of the following sentences uses commas correctly?

- a) I really wish, Uncle Tito, that you'd come to visit.    b) We took books, games, and food, with us.

**Answer:** a

**54. Question:** Which of the following sentences is written as a question?

- a) Please read Chapter 5, Life in the Midwest.                      b) Who starred in the movie Jerry McGuire?

**Answer:** b

**55. Question:** Which of the following sentences is written correctly?

- a) The poem, written by a senior, is called "Heartbreak."  
b) Linda dreams of flying on the "Concorde" someday.

**Answer:** a

**56. Question:** At first, digging the hole was fun. With each thrust of the shovel, I could see progress. However, before long my back hurt really badly; and I longed for the day to end. Which of the following phrases adds more vivid language to replace the phrase "hurt really badly?"

- a) Hurt more with every passing minute                      b) Screamed in agony for me to stop

**Answer:** b

**57. Question:** Which of the following choices is a complex sentence?

- a) Erica had to invest many hours of practice because she wanted to achieve a high level of skill.  
b) Erica had to invest many hours of practice and then she could achieve a high level of skill.  
c) Erica's high level of skill came from many hours of practice.

**Answer:** a

**58. Question:** In a \_\_\_\_\_, life is refreshing and inspiring as there is no noise and rush of traffic.

- a) forest                      b) village                      c) city                      d) desert

**Answer:** b

**59. Question:** If you work hard, you \_\_\_\_\_ get success.

- a) would                      b) can                      c) could                      d) will

**Answer:** d

**60. Question:** Village women do the tiresome duty of fetching water \_\_\_\_\_ wells.

- a) to                      b) of                      c) from                      d) for

**Answer: c**

**61. Question:** The villagers live in \_\_\_\_\_ houses.

- a) simple                      b) modern                      c) small                      d) big

**Answer: a**

**62. Question:** The population of a big village may go to \_\_\_\_\_ people.

- a) 2000 or 3000      b) 4000 or 5000                      c) 5000 or 6000                      d) 6000 or 7000

**Answer: c**

**63. Question:** If you invited me then, I ----- to the party.

- a) will come                      b) would come                      c) have come                      d) had come

**Answer: b**

**64. Question:** The correct imperative sentence is:

- a) Learns your lesson.                      b) Learnt your lesson.  
c) Learning your lesson.                      d) Learn your lesson.

**Answer: d**

**65. Question:** A village has a rural health Centre \_\_\_\_\_ are checked and given medicines.

- a) Farmers                      b) women                      c) men                      d) patients

**Answer: d**

**66. Question:** Discipline: (Choose the opposite using a suitable prefix)

- a) indiscipline                      b) non-discipline                      c) undiscipline                      d) indiscipline

**Answer: d**

**67. Question:** Wealthy: (Choose the opposite using a suitable prefix)

- a) inwealthy                      b) unwealthy                      c) wealthiness                      d) non-wealthy

**Answer: b**

**68. Question:** Active: (Choose the opposite using a suitable prefix)

- a) unactive                      b) inactive                      c) deactive

**Answer: b**

**69. Question:** Possible: (Choose the opposite using a suitable prefix)

- a) impossible                      b) unpossible                      c) impossible                      d) possibility

**Answer: a**

**70. Question:** Educated: (Choose the opposite using a suitable prefix)

- a) uneducated                      b) well-educated                      c) uneducated                      d) education

**Answer: c**



**71. Question:** pleasant: (Choose the opposite using a suitable prefix)

- a) inpleasant                      b) unpleasant                      c) impleasant                      d) pleasantly

**Answer:** b

**72. Question:** Visible: (Choose the opposite using a suitable prefix)

- a) unvisible                      b) non-visible                      c) devisible                      d) invisible

**Answer:** d

**73. Question:** Decent: (Choose the opposite using a suitable prefix)

- a) indecent                      b) undecent                      c) imdecent                      d) decency

**Answer:** a

**74. Question:** Important: (Choose the opposite using a suitable prefix)

- a) importance                      b) inimportant                      c) unimportant                      d) importantly

**Answer:** c

**75. Question:** Due: (Choose the opposite using a suitable prefix)

- a) indue                      b) undue                      c) reduer                      d) duel

**Answer:** b

**76. Question:** To make known; disclose is a meaning of \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) sojourn                      b) ociferou                      c) propagates                      d) impart

**Answer:** d

**77. Question:** The struggle between opposing forces in a literary work is called:

- a) battle                      b) exposit                      c) rising action                      d) conflict

**Answer:** d

**78. Question:** A unified body of individuals is called \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) community                      b) group                      c) team                      d) gang

**Answer:** a

**79 Question:** What is the perspective from which a story is told called?

- a) characterization                      b) point of view                      c) setting                      d) theme

**Answer:** b

**80. Question:** \_\_\_\_\_ is the accent or inflection expressive of a mood or emotion, the pitch of a word often used to express differences of meaning.

- a) hyperbole                      b) tone                      c) dialect                      d) diction

**Answer:** b

**81. Question:** Choose the best word to fill in the blank?

"The snake found the snake charmer to be quite \_\_\_\_\_."

- a) fiasco                      b) mesmerizing                      c) discordant                      d) dawdled

**Answer:** b

**82. Question:** Who wrote "Treasure Island"?

- a) Charles Dickens                      b) Jonathan Swift  
c) Robert Louis Stevenson                      d) Sir Walter Scott

**Answer:** c

**83. Question:** Which of the following words is spelled correctly?

- a) Milege                      b) Oversight                      c) Expectant                      d) Aknowledge

**Answer:** c

**84. Question:** Which genre is a type of fiction that often talks about science and technology of the future?

- a) Fantasy                      b) Techno fiction                      c) Science fiction                      d) Fable

**Answer:** c

**85. Question:** Indicate the correct spelling.

- a) alemni                      b) alumni                      c) alumnee                      d) alumnie

**Answer:** b

**86. Question:** A different perspective means \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) costume                      b) viewpoint                      c) address                      d) language

**Answer:** b

**87. Question:** The speed at which the story moves along is called \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) motivation                      b) pacing                      c) plot                      d) suspense

**Answer:** b

**88. Question:** Which word means made of two or more parts?

- a) solving                      b) compound                      c) describe                      d) courage

**Answer:** b

**89. Question:** A synonym for preposterous is \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) funny                      b) sad                      c) angry                      d) absurd

**Answer:** d

**90. Question:** A mini-dictionary at the end of the textbook is called a \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) table of contents                      b) index                      c) glossary                      d) prologue

**Answer:** c

**91. Question:** What is the denotation of "specific"?

- a) special or particular    b) small    c) not vague    d) accurate

**Answer:** a

**92. Question:** If a person gives a speech to an audience in which she/he hopes to make the audience laugh, what is the purpose of this speech?

- a) to inform    b) to describe    c) to persuade    d) to entertain

**Answer:** d

**93. Question:** Which word means, " Closing off entrances and exits to an area or road"?

- a) alerting    b) assuming    c) blockading    d) rummaging

**Answer:** c

**94. Question:** Which word means the air that surrounds the Earth?

- a) energy    b) run    c) element    d) atmosphere

**Answer:** d

**95. Question:** Which word means "how parts are arranged or organized"?

- a) analyze    b) summative    c) narrative    d) structured

**Answer:** d

**96. Question:** Choose the best synonym for the word in ALL CAPS?

"The lost campers SWELTERED in the heat of the desert sun."

- a) ate    b) burned    c) slept    d) sunbathed

**Answer:** b

**97. Question:** A short extract from a film, broadcast, or piece of music or writing is called \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) epoch    b) excerpt    c) excruciating    d) exemplify

**Answer:** b

**98. Question:** President Coin and President Snow being similar is an example of:

- a) Assonance    b) Epithet    c) Analogy    d) Flashback

**Answer:** c

**99. Question:** Identify the type of joke? "A joke based on ordinary things that happen".

- a) Malapropism    b) Riddle    c) non-sequitur    d) Funny observation

**Answer:** d

**100. Question:** Identify the adverb in the sentence? "When shall we leave for the move".

- a) when    b) shall    c) we    d) leave

**Answer:** a

**101. Question:** Identify the helping verb and the main verb? "She can swim in-record time."

- a) can                                      b) swim                                      c) record                                      d) time

**Answer:** a

**102. Question:** "The cat walked down the street." In the sentence, what is the simple subject?

- a) The cat                                      b) walked down the street                                      c) cat                                      d) walked

**Answer:** c

**103. Question:** Root (sect) means. Examples - Intersect; Bisect

- a) two of something                      b) keep together                      c) cut; separate                      d) bugs in a garden

**Answer:** c

**104. Question:** To turn away means to \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) avert                                      b) astute                                      c) arbitrate                                      d) apathy

**Answer:** a

**105. Question:** Which word means, "a watch, especially at night; any period of watchful attention"?

- a) wrangle                                      b) vigil                                      c) servile                                      d) revert

**Answer:** b

**106. Question:** The highest point of interest; turning point of a story means?

- a) Summary                                      b) Resolution                                      c) Climax                                      d) Problem

**Answer:** c

**107. Question:** What kind of sentence is this? Can anybody see the ocean, yet?

- a) declarative                                      b) interrogative                                      c) imperative                                      d) exclamatory

**Answer:** b

**108. Question:** Find the preposition? "In the evening, we like watching movies."

- a) the                                      b) In                                      c) evening                                      d) like

**Answer:** b

**109. Question:** The book was influenced by the research of what famous scientist?

- a) Isaac Newtown                      b) Galileo Galilei                      c) Aristotle                      d) Albert Einstein

**Answer:** d

**110. Question:** An antonym for barricade is \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) blockade                                      b) barrier                                      c) opening                                      d) wall

**Answer:** c

**111. Question:** Which word means, "not concrete; ideal; imagined"?

- a) challenge                      b) approximate                      c) abstract                      d) barren

**Answer:** c

**112. Question:** The antonym for RELUCTANT is:

- a) hesitant                      b) eager                      c) slowly                      d) quickly

**Answer:** b

**113. Question:** Identify the simple predicate (verb)? "The plumber fixed the sink in just five minutes."

- a) plumber                      b) fixed                      c) in                      d) just

**Answer:** b

**114. Question:** The repetition of initial consonant sounds in the same sentence is called:

- a) Symbolism                      b) Alliteration                      c) Allusion                      d) Imagery

**Answer:** b

**115. Question:** Having a verifiable origin, not fake is a meaning of which word?

- a) authentic                      b) sheepishly                      c) unseemly                      d) commotion

**Answer:** a

**116. Question:** Identify the type of joke? "A joke that is like a word puzzle to solve."

- a) Malapropism                      b) Pun                      c) Knock-knock                      d) Riddle

**Answer:** d

**117. Question:** Mr. Johnson is a very mean teacher; none of the students like him.

- a) Fact                      b) Both (Fact & Opinion)                      c) Neither (Fact or Opinion)                      d) Opinion

**Answer:** d

**118. Question:** The definition of the word refuge is:

- a) a shelter; protection                      b) a large house                      c) a trashcan                      d) an elevator

**Answer:** a

**119. Question:** The experience gave her the \_\_\_\_\_ to start her own business.

- a) compulsive                      b) compromise                      c) provide                      d) confidence

**Answer:** d

**120. Question:** A related series of incidents in a literary plot that build toward the climax is called \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Falling Action                      b) Exposition                      c) Rising Action                      d) Climax

**Answer:** c

- 121. Question:** The question "Do you want to be left out next winter?" is an example of:  
 a) emotional appeal                      b) bandwagon                      c) repetition                      d) expert opinion  
**Answer: a**
- 122. Question:** What is the correct plural of the noun LOAF?  
 a) loaves                      b) loafes                      c) loafes                      d) loaffes  
**Answer: a**
- 123. Question:** Choose the correct pair of correlative conjunctions to fill in the blanks.  
 Sara will \_\_\_\_\_ fly in on Monday \_\_\_\_\_ drive and arrive on Tuesday.  
 a) Both/and                      b) Either/or                      c) Neither/nor                      d) Not only/but also  
**Answer: b**
- 124. Question:** "Nya took the hollowed gourd that was tied to the handle of the plastic can."  
 "What does the word gourd mean?"  
 a) pond                      b) tree                      c) bowl                      d) dog  
**Answer: c**
- 125. Question:** Indicate the correct spelling.  
 a) bookshelves                      b) bookshelfs                      c) bookshelfes                      d) bookshelves  
**Answer: a**
- 126. Question:** Which word means, "To confer honor or dignity upon; honor; ennoble"?  
 a) multifaceted                      b) hideous                      c) dignified                      d) dimmense  
**Answer c**
- 127. Question:** "What a world of happiness their harmony foretells!" This is an example of:  
 a) simile                      b) metaphor                      c) assonance                      d) alliteration  
**Answer: c**
- 128. Question:** Using an object to represent an idea is called:  
 a) a metaphor                      b) a symbol                      c) a simile                      d) personification  
**Answer: b**
- 129. Question:** \_\_\_\_\_ is where the conflict gets worked out and tension decreases.  
 a) Falling Action                      b) Exposition                      c) Climax                      d) Rising Action  
**Answer: a**
- 130. Question:** What is a synonym for the word precariously?  
 a) Cautiously                      b) Securely                      c) Unsteadily                      d) Arguable  
**Answer: c**



**140. Question:** Those cars are very expensive. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) are cars                      b) aren't they                      c) aren't cars                      d) are they

**Answer:** b

**141. Question:** You didn't play tennis last week. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) did you                      b) didn't you                      c) aren't you                      d) haven't you

**Answer:** a

**142. Question:** She has got a lot of books. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) does she                      b) doesn't she                      c) hasn't she                      d) haven't she

**Answer:** c

**143. Question:** Everyone came to the wedding. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) weren't they                      b) wasn't it                      c) isn't it                      d) didn't they

**Answer:** d

**144. Question:** There are a lot of students in the garden. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) aren't they                      b) aren't there                      c) don't they                      d) do there

**Answer:** b

**145. Question:** I am the tallest player in the team. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) don't i                      b) amn't I                      c) aren't I                      d) am i

**Answer:** c

**146. Question:** Let's watch a film. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) shall we                      b) don't we                      c) do we                      d) aren't we

**Answer:** a

**147. Question:** Peter loves his cat. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) didn't he                      b) does he                      c) doesn't he                      d) isn't he

**Answer:** c

**148. Question:** Your children don't go out alone. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) do they                      b) can they                      c) don't they                      d) won't they

**Answer:** a

**149. Question:** Dad has taken my bag. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) didn't he                      b) hasn't he                      c) has he                      d) isn't he

**Answer:** b

**150. Question:** I am not invited to the wedding. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) am I                      b) am i not                      c) aren't i                      d) are i

**Answer:** a



**151. Question:** We looked everywhere. Add question tag to this statement.

- a) haven't we                      b) didn't we                      c) weren't we                      d) doesn't we

**Answer:** b

**152. Question:** Which of the following sentences does not use a correlative conjunction correctly?

- a) Neither Jane nor Elena knew the correct answer.  
b) The teacher said that we were either to write an essay or to produce a poster about the poem.  
c) Lorena and Louisa completed their assignments but left them at home.

**Answer:** c

**153. Question:** Which of the following sentences does not use a collective noun?

- a) The flock of chickens was startled by the pack of dogs.  
b) The baseball team has been working frantically to raise funds for new uniforms.  
c) The new school was built after the voters passed the bond issue.  
d) The hikers tried not to disturb the herd of cows grazing in the meadow.

**Answer:** c

**154. Question:** Which of the following sentences uses abstract nouns?

- a) Jessica and Jay often discuss their different strategies for studying science.  
b) Intelligence, wit, and patience make a good combination.

**Answer:** b

**155. Question:** Which of the following does not use the emphatic form of a verb?

- a) Terry did return the shirts that did not fit after trying them on.  
b) My parents do the yard work early each Saturday morning.  
c) The shrub does need trimming after the long winter.

**Answer:** b

**156. Question:** The sentence with correct punctuation is:

- a) The next day, Anjum's father reached the beautiful village, Noor Purr, situated on the bank of a canal.  
b) The next day the Anjum;s father reached the beautiful village, Noor Purr situated on the bank of a canal.  
c) The next day, Anjum's father reached the beautiful village Noor Purr situated on the bank of a canal.  
d) The next day! Anjum's father reached the beautiful village, Noor Pur, situated on the bank of a canal.

**Answer:** a

**157. Question:** She said, "I do not take tea." The correct indirect is.

- a) She said to me that she did not take tea.                      b) She said to me that I do not.  
c) She said that she does not take tea.                      d) She said to me that she did not takes tea.

**Answer:** a

**158. Question: The correct sentence of Present perfect tense is:**

- a) Tabish has go to school.
- b) Tabish have going to school.
- c) Tabish has gone to school.
- d) Tabish have went to school.

**Answer: c**

**159. Question: My mother was driving a car. (Choose Passive voice)**

- a) A car was being driven by my mother.
- b) A car was driven by my mother.
- c) A car was being driven by my mother.
- d) A car will be driven by my mother.

**Answer: a**

**160. Question: She made a beautiful dog. (Choose Passive Voice)**

- a) A beautiful dog was made for her.
- b) A beautiful dog was made by she.
- c) A beautiful dog was made by her.
- d) A beautiful dog is made by her.

**Answer: c**

**161. Question: I will surely help you. (Choose Passive Voice)**

- a) You will be helped by me.
- b) You will not be helped by me.
- c) You would surely be helped by me.
- d) You will surely be helped by me.

**Answer: d**

**162. Question: They had played a match. (Choose Passive Voice)**

- a) A match had played by them.
- b) A match had been played to them.
- c) A match had been played by them.
- d) Them will be played a match.

**Answer: c**

**163. Question: She will have taken her lunch. (Choose Passive Voice)**

- a) Her lunch will be taken by her.
- b) Her lunch will have took by her.
- c) The lunch will has taken by her.
- d) Her lunch will have been taken by her.

**Answer: d**

**164. Question: I have done my work. (Choose Passive Voice)**

- a) My work have been done by me.
- b) My work has been done by me.
- c) The work will be done by me.
- d) My work has not been done by me.

**Answer: b**

**165. Question: He is knocking at the door. (Choose Passive Voice)**

- a) The door is knocked by him.
- b) The door is not being knocked at by him.
- c) The door is being knocked at by him.
- d) The door is being knocked at him.

**Answer: c**

**166. Question:** I saw a film yesterday. (Choose Passive Voice)

- a) A film was seen by me yesterday.
- b) A film is seen by me yesterday.
- c) Yesterday was seen a film by me.
- d) A film will seen by me yesterday.

**Answer:** a

**167. Question:** Ali has finished his work. (Choose Passive Voice)

- a) His work has finished Ali.
- b) Ali has not finished by his work.
- c) His work has not been finished by Ali.
- d) Ali's work has been finished by him.

**Answer:** d

**168. Question:** Which type of sentence is shown below?

The baby duckling slowly swam behind its mother.

- a) Simple
- b) Complex
- c) Compound
- d) Compound-Complex

**Answer:** a

**169. Question:** The father said to his son, "Health is wealth." (Choose Indirect Speech)

- a) The father told his son that health was wealth.
- b) The father told his son that health is wealth.
- c) The father asked his son if the health was wealth.
- d) The father told his son that health will be wealth.

**Answer:** b

**170. Question:** She said to me, "I can't help you in this matter." (Choose Indirect Speech)

- a) She asked me if she can't help me in that matter.
- b) She told me that I can't help herein that matter.
- c) She told me that she could not help me in that matter.
- d) She told me that she could help me in this matter.

**Answer:** c

**171. Question:** He said to Sita, "Can you help me?" (Choose Indirect Speech)

- a) He told Sita if she could help him.
- b) He asked Sita if she could help him.
- c) He asked Sita that I could help you.
- d) He asked Sita if she can help him.

**Answer:** b

**172. Question:** I said to her, "Where do you live?" (Choose Indirect Speech)

- a) I asked her if where he lived.
- b) I told her where he lived.
- c) I asked her where she lived.
- d) I said to her where she lived

**Answer:** c

**173. Question:** The driver said, "The car is doing well." (Choose Indirect Speech)

- (a) The driver said that the car is doing well.
- (b) The driver said that the car was doing well.
- (c) The driver says that the car is doing well.
- (d) The driver said that the car will be doing well.

**Answer:** a

**174. Question:** She said to me, “You are an intelligent boy.” (Choose Indirect Speech)

- (a) She told me that I was an intelligent boy. (b) She said to me that I was an intelligent boy.  
(c) She told me that she was an intelligent boy. (d) She said that she is an intelligent boy.

**Answer:** a

**175. Question:** I said to her, “Will you dine with me tonight?” (Choose Indirect Speech)

- (a) I told her that he would dine with me that night. (b) I told her will she dine with me tonight.  
(c) I asked her if she will dine with me that night. (d) I asked her if she would dine with me that night.

**Answer:** d

**176. Question:** I said, “I wrote a letter yesterday.” (Choose Indirect Speech)

- (a) I said that I had written a letter the previous day. (b) I said that I wrote a letter the previous day.  
(c) I told that I had written a letter the previous day. (d) I said that I will write a letter yesterday.

**Answer:** a

**177. Question:** She says, “I do my work regularly.” (Choose Indirect Speech)

- (a) She says that I do her work regularly. (b) She tells that she does her work regularly.  
(c) She says that she will do her work regularly. (d) She says that she does her work regularly.

**Answer:** d

**178. Question:** She \_\_\_\_\_ at me.

- (a) Smile (b) Smiles (c) Is smile (d) Is smiling

**Answer:** b

**179. Question:** She said to me, “I can’t help you in this matter.”

- (a) She asked me if she can’t help me in that matter. (b) She told me that I can’t help herein that matter.  
(c) She told me that she could not help me in that matter. (d) She told me that she could help me in this matter.

**Answer:** c

**180. Question:** Last month, I left Lombok Island. I \_\_\_\_\_ there with a group from the school.

- (a) Go (b) Went (c) Going (d) Gone

**Answer:** b

**181. Question:** Complete the sentence! There were \_\_\_\_\_ students in the class.

- (a) Heavy (b) Little (c) Some (d) Some of the

**Answer:** c

**182. Question:** The person \_\_\_\_\_ you met this morning was my uncle.

- (a) Who (b) Whom (c) That (d) Which

**Answer:** b

**183. Question:** There is \_\_\_\_\_ new kid in class. His name is Rio.

- a) An (b) A (c) The (d) Both B & C

**Answer:** b

**184. Question:** I said to her, “Will you dine with me tonight?” (Choose Indirect Speech)

- a) I told her that he would dine with me that night.      b) I told her will she dine with me tonight.  
c) I asked her if she will dine with me that night.      d) I asked her if she would dine with me that night.

**Answer:** d

**185. Question:** My house \_\_\_\_\_ a small garden.

- a) Has got                              b) Have Got                              c) Is                              d) Was

**Answer:** a

**186. Question:** She says, “I do my work regularly.” (Choose Indirect Speech)

- a) She says that I do her work regularly.      b) She tells that she does her work regularly.  
c) She says that she will do her work regularly.      d) She says that she does her work regularly.

**Answer:** d

**187. Question:** Sam: There are two books on the table? Kim: No, there aren't. \_\_\_\_\_ one book. Sam: Oh, I see. The word to fill in the blank is:

- a) There are                              b) There is                              c) There has                              d) Those are

**Answer:** b

**188. Question:** She always \_\_\_\_\_ at 5 AM every day.

- a) Get up                              b) Got up                              c) Gets up                              d) Gotten up

**Answer:** c

**189. Question:** This is Nick, and this is Carla. \_\_\_\_\_ in my class.

- a) They is                              b) They are                              c) Them is                              d) Them are

**Answer:** b

**190. Question:** I said to her, “Where do you live?” (Choose indirect speech)

- (a) I asked her if where he lived.      (b) I told her where he lived.  
(c) I asked her where she lived.      (d) I said to her where she lived

**Answer:** c

**191. Question:** Susan \_\_\_\_\_ a novel after school every day.

- a) Read                              b) Reading                              c) Was reading                              d) Reads

**Answer:** d

**192. Question:** Ronnie loves playing basketball with \_\_\_\_\_ friends twice a week.

- a) Him                              b) Their                              c) His                              d) Hers

**Answer:** c

**193. Question:** The students \_\_\_\_\_ English and French at school.

- a) Study                              b) Studies                              c) Is Study                              d) Was study

**Answer:** a

**194. Question:** You and I \_\_\_\_\_ best friends.

- a) Am                                      b) Are                                      c) Is                                      d) Was

**Answer:** b

**195. Question:** Robbie Dowling wants to *win* free running competitions. The opposite of the *Italic word* is \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Champion                              b) Draw                                      c) Give up                                      d) Lose

**Answer:** d

**196. Question:** She \_\_\_\_\_ completed her homework.

- (a) Have                                      b) Has                                      c) Is                                      d) Was

**Answer:** b

**197. Question:** Choose the sentence with the correct comma placement.

- a) She finished her work, and then took a long lunch.  
b) She finished her work, and then, took a long lunch.  
c) She finished her work and then took a long lunch.

**Answer:** a

**198. Question:** What is the definition of characters?

- a) the people or animals who take part in the story      b) the sequence of events in a story  
c) the highest point of interest in a story

**Answer:** a

**199. Question:** "The school president was a dependable leader.

She was always there when you needed her." What does the word **DEPENDABLE** mean?

- a) to not depend on                                      b) to depend on again  
c) someone who depends on others                                      d) the ability to depend on

**Answer:** d

**200. Question:** In literature, we define **THEME** as:

- a) A specific message that applied to one story only  
b) The message the author makes that can be applied to other texts too  
c) The attitude the author has toward a subject  
d) The setting of the story

**Answer:** b

**201. Question:** Which sentence uses commas correctly?

- a) The spoiled, fat cats found the garden full of cool, dark shadows.  
b) Kate, was a brave honest and wise, woman.  
c) Mr. Schaeffer viewed, a wild overgrown, unruly yard.  
d) You guys know where the great, big barking pig, has got to?

**Answer:** a

**202. Question:** Which of the following sentences does not contain an idiom?

- a) A dog ran after a rabbit.
- b) Those cards are a dime a dozen.
- c) Don't count your chickens before they hatch.
- d) It's raining cats and dogs out there.

**Answer:** a

**203. Question:** Ominous, in "The Raven", implies which of the following:

- a) pale or faint in color
- b) pleasant or calm in nature
- c) giving the impression of evil, foreboding, threatening
- d) a private room of sorrow

**Answer:** c

**204. Question:** What is it called when a reader has to infer what the character is like based on what he says, thinks, or does?

- a) direct characterization
- b) indirect characterization
- c) the author's message
- d) point of view

**Answer:** b

**205. Question:** The word Engender means:

- a) To cause
- b) To be male or female
- c) Hidden; Undercover
- d) To give power to someone without it

**Answer:** a

**206. Question:** What does it mean when the theme is implied?

- a) It is a secret.
- b) You can't figure out the theme by reading the story.
- c) The author tells the reader directly what the theme of the story is.
- d) The reader has to make an inference or educated guess about the theme.

**Answer:** d

**207. Question:** How are a myth and a horror story alike?

- a) They focus on solving a crime.
- b) They are full of fun and fancy.
- c) They are often based on fact.
- d) They can be very frightening.

**Answer:** d

**208. Question:** What's the definition of emanate?

- a) To come or send forth as from a source
- b) A place to stay for a few days
- c) To tease or torment by teasing
- d) Face or front of a building

**Answer:** a

**209. Question:** Determine whether the following is an example of direct or indirect characterization: "If you want to know the truth, I wasn't feeling too good in the first place."

- a) Direct Characterization
- b) Indirect Characterization

**Answer:** a

**210. Question: Choose the sentence with the correct punctuation.**

- a) You are my best friend, Kaylin.
- b) You, are my best friend, Kaylin.
- c) You are my best friend Kaylin.
- d) You are my, best, friend, Kaylin.

**Answer: a**

**211. Question: He said, "What is your name?" (Choose the indirect speech)**

- a) He asked my name.
- b) He asked me what my name was.
- c) He asks me what my name is.
- d) He asked me what my name is.

**Answer: b**

**212. Question: He said, "Alas! I am failed in my exams".**

- a) He exclaimed with sorrow that he failed in his exams."
- b) He exclaimed with sorrow that he was failed in his exams.
- c) He exclaimed with sorrow that I am failed in my exams.
- d) He exclaimed with sorrow that he is failed in his exams.

**Answer: b**

**213. Question: They said, "Bravo! We have done well".**

- a) They said that they have done well.
- b) They applauded with saying that they had done well.
- c) They applauded with saying that they had been done well.
- d) They applaud with saying that they have done well.

**Answer: b**

**214. Question: My teacher said, "The Earth is round."**

- a) My teacher said that the Earth was round.
- b) My teacher said that the Earth rounded.
- c) My teacher said that the Earth is round.
- d) My teacher said that Earth has round.

**Answer: c**

**215. Question: I said to her, "Will you attend the meeting?"**

- a) I asked her would she attend the meeting.
- b) I asked her whether she would attend the meeting.
- c) I asked her whether she will attend the meeting.
- d) I asked her whether she will be attended the meeting.

**Answer: b**

**216. Question: They said, "Our luggage were stolen yesterday."  
(Choose the indirect speech)**

- a) They said that their luggage had been stolen the previous day.
- b) They said that their luggage had stolen the previous day.
- c) They said that their luggage was stolen the previous day.
- d) They said that our luggage had stolen yesterday.

**Answer: a**



**217. Question:** They have said, "He is solving the sums." (Choose the indirect speech)

- a) They had said that he solved the sums.      b) They have been said that he is solving the sums.  
c) They have said that he is solving the sums. d) They have said that he was solving the sums.

**Answer:** c

**218. Question:** It was raining outside. Sue got out of bed and got dressed for school. Then, she ate breakfast and grabbed her backpack. Before Sue left the house, she probably\_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Got her sunglasses                      b) Made a sandwich                      c) Picked up her umbrella.

**Answer:** c

**219. Question:** Listen! A girl \_\_\_\_\_ an English song.

- a) Is singing                      b) Are singing                      c) Sing                      d) Sang

**Answer:** a

**220. Question:** You \_\_\_\_\_ read the washing machine instructions carefully or you will ruin your clothes.

- a) Can                      b) Must                      c) Have to                      d) Will

**Answer:** b

**221. Question:** Are you brave \_\_\_\_\_ to jump out of the plane?

- a) Not Enough                      b) too                      c) Enough                      d) Not too

**Answer:** c

**222. Question:** I \_\_\_\_\_ some words on the board. I wear my glasses.

- a) See                      b) Sees                      c) Am seeing                      d) Am going to see

**Answer:** a

**223. Question:** Which is correct?

- a) I will contact with you tomorrow.                      b) I'm going to talk you tomorrow.  
c) I will talk with you tomorrow.                      d) I will discuss about the matter tomorrow.

**Answer:** c

**224 Question:** Which is correct?

- a) Thanks for your Email.                      b) Thank you for email.  
c) Thanks for your email.                      d) Thanks for mailing.

**Answer:** c

**225. Question:** Look! The sky is gray\_\_\_\_\_.

- a) It is raining                      b) It isn't going to rain                      c) It raining                      d) It is going to rain

**Answer:** d

**226. Question:** My sister \_\_\_\_\_ a meeting tomorrow at 2pm with her boss.

- a) Having                      b) Going to have                      c) is going to have                      d) is having

**Answer:** d

**227. Question:** Next Friday, I \_\_\_\_\_ at home.

- a) am going to relax                      b) going to relax                      c) am relaxing                      d) relaxing

**Answer:** a

**228. Question:** We \_\_\_\_\_ an exam on August 31<sup>st</sup> at 10am.

- a) having                      b) are having                      c) are going to have                      d) have

**Answer:** b

**229. Question:** Next Year, my friend \_\_\_\_\_ to Rome.

- a) is traveling                      b) is going to travel                      c) travels                      d) traveling

**Answer:** b

**230. Question:** We \_\_\_\_\_ some friends for lunch tomorrow at 1pm.

- a) are going to have                      b) having  
c) are having                      d) are going have

**Answer:** c

**231. Question:** A report of real recent events or unknown information is called:

- a) cartoon                      b) news                      c) talent show                      d) soap

**Answer:** b

**232. Question:** Meaning of Obstinate is:

- a) stubbornly refusing to change one's opinion  
b) a state in which you do whatever someone else wants you to do.  
c) a state where you remain idle.                      d) willing to change

**Answer:** a

**233. Question:** Meaning of Neo-literate:

- a) people who are illiterate                      b) young people who are illiterate  
c) those who recently learned to read and write                      d) group of old people

**Answer:** c

**234. Question:** Meaning of panicked:

- a) without expression                      b) reacted in a fearless manner  
c) reacted in an unhealthy way.                      d) reacted in a frightened manner

**Answer:** d

**235 Question:** Meaning of pandemonium:

- a) a quiet situation                      b) a confused state  
c) a situation where there is a lot of noise and confusion.                      d) an unhealthy situation

**Answer:** c

**236. Question:** “Picture window” means:

- a) a large window with one pane of glass  
b) a large window with several glass panes  
c) a small window with several glass panes.  
d) a French window.

**Answer:** a

**237. Question:** You have to \_\_\_\_\_ this mess.

- a) throw out  
b) let out  
c) pick up  
d) clean up

**Answer:** d

**238. Question:** Please, \_\_\_\_\_ the garbage. Its already in a plastic bag.

- a) let out  
b) pick up  
c) take out  
d) put away

**Answer:** c

**239. Question:** Can you please \_\_\_\_\_ the heat? It’s very cold here.

- a) Turn on  
b) Turn in  
c) Turn off  
d) Hang up

**Answer:** a

**240. Question:** Why are you so late? Sorry, my car \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) turned down  
b) broke down  
c) turned out  
d) gave up

**Answer:** b

**241. Question:** What is the relative pronoun in the following sentence?

**Sara, who constantly complains about her poor grades, never studies.**

- a) Sara  
b) who  
c) complains  
d) poor

**Answer:** b

**242. Question:** Is the clause used in the sentence RESTRICTIVE or NONRESTRICTIVE?

**Sarah, who constantly complains about her poor grades, never studies.**

- a) RESTRICTIVE and is NOT NECESSARY to the sentence  
b) RESTRICTIVE and IS NECESSARY to the sentence  
c) NONRESTRICTIVE and is NOT NECESSARY to the sentence  
d) NONRESTRICTIVE and IS NECESSARY to the sentence

**Answer:** c

**243. Question:** What is the relative pronoun in the following sentence?

**Jimmy, whose parents both work as teachers at the school, became class president.**

- a) Jimmy  
b) Parents  
c) became  
d) whose

**Answer:** d

**244. Question:** Some months have 31 days, others have 30 days, but how many have 28 days?

- a) all the months  
b) February  
c) no month  
d) Holiday

**Answer:** a

**245. Question:** What is it that goes up, but never comes down?

- a) Age                                      b) Your appearance                                      c) your money.

**Answer:** a

**246. Question:** It's an example of present perfect.

- a) Maria swam in the river                                      b) Maria doesn't like to swim  
c) Maria is going to swim tomorrow.                                      d) Has Maria ever swum?

**Answer:** d

**247. Question:** Conjugate the verb in parenthesis into the correct tense.

- I was walking on the street when I \_\_\_\_\_ (see) a black cat.

- a) see                                      b) sees                                      c) saw                                      d) had seen

**Answer:** c

**248. Question:** "Flutter across" Means:

- a) move in a slow manner                                      b) move in an orderly manner  
d) move in a haphazard way                                      d) move in a quick manner

**Answer:** d

**249. Question:** This tense is used to express an event that happened before another event in the past.

- a) Simple past                                      b) Past continuous                                      c) Past perfect                                      d) Present perfect

**Answer:** c

**250. Question:** Idiom "take one to task" means:

- a) criticize or scold someone                                      b) to disagree with someone  
c) to praise someone                                      d) to convince someone

**Answer:** a

**251. Question:** Idiom takes "rapt attention" means:

- a) with less interest                                      b) with complete attention  
c) with great joy                                      d) with no attention at all

**Answer:** b

**252. Question:** Idiom "entrepreneur"

- a) a person who makes money by starting new business                                      b) a person who sells miscellaneous items  
c) a hawker.                                      d) a vendor

**Answer:** a

**253. Question:** Idiom "infiltrate"

- a) group of attackers                                      b) men from neighboring country  
c) terrorists                                      d) secretly and gradually gain access

**Answer:** d

**254. Question:** It's an example of present continuous.

- a) My father loves acting
- b) My father might not like fishing.
- c) My father continued speaking.
- d) My father isn't working now.

**Answer:** d

**255. Question:** It's an example of simple present.

- a) Julio will be playing soccer
- b) Julio played soccer
- c) Julio never plays soccer

**Answer:** c

**256. Question:** It's an example of past continuous.

- a) Lukas arrives to the airport.
- b) Lukas has arrived to the airport.
- c) Lukas is arriving to the airport.
- d) Lukas was arriving to the airport

**Answer:** d

**257. Question:** Sana is cleaning the windows.

- a) The windows are being cleaned by Sana
- b) The windows are cleaned by Sana
- c) The windows were being cleaned by Sana
- d) None of the above

**Answer:** a

**258. Question:** The definition of the word arrogant is:

- a) careful and wise
- b) honest to the point of rudeness
- c) constant
- d) overly proud and vain

**Answer:** d

**259. Question:** The suffix -er means?

- a) act or process
- b) one who
- c) can be done

**Answer:** b

**260. Question:** Choose the correct word to fill in the blank? One hundred tea bags will make \_\_\_\_\_ of iced tea.

- a) allot
- b) a lot

**Answer:** b

**261. Question:** Choose the word that best fits in the blank? He was directly involved in the training of new \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) personal
- b) personnel

**Answer:** b

**262. Question:** Which meaning of the word ALLOWANCE as it is used in this selection?  
to allow to do something

- a) a video game
- b) money earned
- c) able to play

**Answer:** b











**299. Question:** Which type of figurative language is being used in the sentence?

"The owl hooted on the dark stormy night."

- a) onomatopoeia                      b) understatement                      c) personification                      d) oxymoron

**Answer:** a

**300. Question:** "Of all the heroes in Greek myths, Hercules was the greatest.

" Name the predicate adjective:

- a) all    b) myths    c) was    d) greatest

**Answer:** d

**301. Question:** Which word means, "to assign or distribute in shares or portions. synonyms: apportion, parcel out, allocate"?

- a) attach    b) allot    c) amass    d) grapple

**Answer:** b

**302. Question:** What is the genre of the following book? "Hatchet"

- a) historical fiction                      b) fantasy    c) adventure    d) biography

**Answer:** c

**303. Question:** "Do not set the alarm until we are ready to leave the building.

" Which of these words correctly replaces the word SET?

- a) sit    b) enact    c) activate    d) active

**Answer:** c

**304. Question:** Complete the following sentence with the comparative form of the word in parentheses? "Most experts think this method \_\_\_\_\_ (well) addresses the issue."

- a) more better                      b) Weller    c) better    d) most well

**Answer:** c

**305. Question:** Read the sentence. What is it an example of?

"The lazy lion languished under the luminous light of the lava lamp."

- a) alliteration                      b) personification    c) simile    d) metaphor

**Answer:** a

**306. Question:** Which word means, "to make or force one's way by pushing or elbowing; to bump, shove brush against; to compete for. Synonym: push"?

- a) laggard    b) jostle    c) plaudits    d) grope

**Answer:** b

**307. Question:** When she became a teenager, she started to \_\_\_\_\_ and ignore everything her parents told her to do.

- a) obey                      b) rebel                      c) honor                      d) enjoy

**Answer:** b

**308. Question:** "The son asked his dad to wish to be an emperor so they won't be henpecked." What does the word henpecked mean?

- a) cursed                      b) picked by hens                      c) bullied; told what to do                      d) death

**Answer:** c

**309. Question:** How many commas are needed for the following sentence?

"My favorite sports are swimming soccer and football."

- a) 1                      b) 2                      c) 0                      d) 3

**Answer:** b



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