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Question: 1

For the Thanksgiving reunion, relatives were sitting in the dining room, on the porch, and in the carport.

- A. Thanksgiving, reunion
- B. Were, sitting
- C. Porch and
- D. No error

Answer: D

Question: 2

Lydia seems to be a kind, considerate girl.

- A. Seems, to
- B. Considerate, girl
- C. Kind considerate
- D. No error

Answer: D

Question: 3

This fishing pole Nathan, has seen better days.

- A. Pole, Nathan,
- B. Has, seen
- C. Nathan,
- D. No error

Answer: A

Question: 4

My cousin has moved to 56 Central Street Narragansett, Rhode Island 02882.

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- A. Has moved,
 - B. Central Street,
 - C. 56, Central
 - D. No error

Answer: B

Question: 5

The badger, a shy animal sometimes makes friends with a coyote.

- A. Sometimes, makes
- B. Friends, with
- C. A shy animal,
- D. No error

Answer: C

Question: 6

After the death of Blackbeard, the famous pirate, piracy disappeared from the coast of the American colonies.

- A. The famous pirate
- B. After the death,
- C. Coast, of
- D. No error

Answer: D

Question: 7

“Silent Night” was written by two men from the village of Oberndorf Austria.

- A. men, from
- B. Silent Night,
- C. Oberndorf, Austria
- D. No error

Answer: C

Question: 8

On November 19, 1929 Admiral Richard E. Byrd flew the Floyd Bennett to the base of the Queen Maud Mountains.

- A. Base, of
- B. The, Queen
- C. 1929,
- D. no error

Answer: C

Question: 9

Oh I forgot to bring the cookies.

- A. Oh,
- B. I, forgot
- C. To, bring
- D. No error

Answer: A

Question: 10

"The boy in the kayak," whispered Sue "is the new football captain."

- A. Boy, in the
- B. New, football
- C. Whispered Sue,
- D. No error

Answer: C

Question: 11

Everyone in the bank-including the manager and the tellers, ran to the door when the fire alarm rang.

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- A. tellers, ran
 - B. tellers:ran
 - C. tellers, had run
 - D. tellers-ran
 - E. tellers' ran"

Answer: D

Question: 12

To no ones surprise, Joe didn't have his homework ready.

- A. no ones surprise
- B. noones surprise
- C. no-ones surprise
- D. no ones' surprise
- E. no one's surprise

Answer: E

Question: 13

If he would have read "The White Birds," he might have liked William Butler Yeats's poetry.

- A. would have read
- B. could have read
- C. would of read
- D. could of read
- E. had read

Answer: E

Question: 14

After the hurricane, uprooted trees were laying all over the ground.

- A. were laying
- B. lying
- C. were lying
- D. were laid

E. was laid

Answer: C

Question: 15

. Ralph Waldo Emerson (1803-1882), the great Transcendentalist philosopher, wrote in his essay "Self-Reliance" of the need for an individual to develop his capacities.

- A. essay "Self-Reliance"
- B. essay, "Self-Reliance"
- C. essay: Self-Reliance
- D. essay, Self-Reliance
- E. essay; "Self-Reliance"

Answer: A

Question: 16

The recently built children's amusement park has been called "a boon to the community" by its supporters and "an eyesore" by its harshest critics.

- A. and "an eyesore" by its harshest
- B. and, "an eyesore," by its harshest
- C. and, an eyesore; by its harshest
- D. and-an eyesore- by its' harshest
- E. and-"an eyesore"- by its' harshest

Answer: A

Question: 17

I always have trouble remembering the meaning of these two common verbs, affect (to change" or "to influence") and effect ("to cause" or "to accomplish"). "

- A. " to accomplish). "
- B. " to accomplish").
- C. "to accomplish).
- D. To accomplish.
- E. (" to accomplish. ")

Answer: B

Question: 18

My class just finished reading- " The Fall of the House of Usher ", a short story by Edgar Allen Poe.

- A. reading- " The Fall of the House of Usher",
- B. reading, The Fall of the House of Usher,
- C. reading "The Fall of the House of Usher, "
- D. reading, The Fall of the house of Usher, "
- E. reading: The Fall of the House of Usher-

Answer: C

Question: 19

After it was repaired it ran perfect again.

- A. ran perfect
- B. ran perfectly
- C. could run perfect
- D. could of run perfect
- E. would run perfectly

Answer: B

Question: 20

"Are there two e's in beetle," asked Margo?

- A. there two e's in beetle," asked Margo?
- B. their two e's in beetle?" asked Margo.
- C. there two e's in beetle," asked Margo?
- D. there two e's in beetle?" asked Margo.
- E. there two e's in beetle, asked Margo?

Answer: D

Question: 21

The circus audience received a well-deserved round of applause for the perfectly timed acrobatic stunt.

- A. audience received a well-deserved
- B. audience gave a well deserved
- C. audience did receive a well deserved
- D. audience gave a well-deserved
- E. audience did get a well-deserved

Answer: D

Question: 22

. Looking directly at me, my Mother said, “ These are your options: the choice is yours.”

- A. Mother said, “ These are your options: the choice is
- B. Mother said- these are your options, the choice is
- C. Mother had said, These are your options; the choice is
- D. Mother had said, “These are your options; the choice is
- E. Mother said, “These are your options; the choice is

Answer: E

Question: 23

Porcupine is from Latin porcus, “pig,” and spina, “spine.”

- A. porcus, “pig,” and spina, “spine.”
- B. Porcus-pig and spina, “spine.”
- C. Porcus-pig, and Spina, “spine.”
- D. Porcus-Pig-,Spina-spine.
- E. Porcus, “pig,” and spina “spine”.

Answer: A

Question: 24

Seeing the dolphins, some sharks, a killer whale, and a Moray eel made the visit to the marine park worthwhile.

- A. a killer whale, and a Moray eel made the visit

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- B. a killer whale, and a moray eel made the visit
 - C. a killer whale and a moray eel makes the visit
 - D. a killer whale and a Moray eel makes the visit
 - E. a killer whale and a moray eel made the visit

Answer: B

Question: 25

Still, the fact that a planet exists outside our solar system encourages hope that other solar systems exist, and in them, perhaps, a planet that does support life.

- A. that a planet exists outside our solar system encourages hope that other solar systems exist, and
- B. that a Planet exists out side our solar system encourages hope that other solar systems exist and
- C. could be that a planet exists outside our solar system encourages hope that other solar systems exist, and
- D. that a planet exist outside our solar systems encourage hope that other solar systems exist, and
- E. that a planet does exists out side our solar system encourages hope that other solar systems exist, and

Answer: A

Question: 26

Mail-order shopping can be convenient and timesaving with appropriate precautions, it is safe as well.

- A. can be convenient and timesaving
- B. can be convenient and timesaving;
- C. should be convenient and time saving;
- D. could be convenient and time saving;
- E. can be convenient and time-saving;

Answer: E

Question: 27

Among the many fields of science, no matter what turns you on, there are several fields of study.

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- A. science, no matter what turns you on,
 - B. Science, no matter what turns you on,
 - C. Science, no matter which you chose,
 - D. Science, no matter which of these you chose-
 - E. science, no matter which you choose,

Answer: E

Question: 28

The fact that boxing is known to cause head injuries and brain damage should lead us to inform the public and push for a ban on boxing.

- A. should lead us to inform
- B. could lead us to inform
- C. should of led us to inform
- D. will lead us to inform
- E. should have led us to inform,

Answer: A

Question: 29

The first part of the test was on chemistry, the second on mathematics, and the third on english.

- A. on mathematics, and the third on english.
- B. on mathematics; and the third on English.
- C. on Mathematics; and the third on English.
- D. on mathematics, and the third on English.
- E. on mathematics: and the third on English.

Answer: D

Question: 30

The Diary of Anne Frank showed a young girl's courage during two years of hiding.

- A. showed a young girl's courage
- B. shows a young girl's courage
- C. did show a young girls courage
- D. has shown a young girl's courage
- E. showed a young girl's courage

Answer: B

Question: 31

In August my parents will be married for twenty-five years.

- A. will be married for twenty-five years.
- B. shall have been married for twenty-five years.
- C. will have been married for twenty-five years.
- D. will be married for twenty five years.
- E. will have married for twenty-five years

Answer: C

Question: 32

The word boycott derives from the name of Charles C. Boycott, an English land agent in Ireland that was ostracized for refusing to reduce rent.

- A. that was ostracized for refusing
- B. who was ostracized for refusing
- C. which was ostracized for refusing
- D. that had been ostracized for refusing
- E. who had been ostracized for refusing

Answer: B

Question: 33

As a result of his method for early music education, Shinichi Suzuki has been known as one of the world's great violin teachers.

- A. has been known as one
- B. had been known as one
- C. is seen as one
- D. is being seen as one
- E. has been one

Answer: C

Question: 34

Although Mandy is younger than her sister, Mandy is the tallest of the two.

- A. is the tallest of the
- B. is the taller of the
- C. has been the taller of the
- D. is the most tall of the
- E. is the more taller of the

Answer: B

Question: 35

When Katherine Hepburn's play came to town, all the tickets had sold out far in advance.

- A. had sold out far
- B. have sold out far
- C. were sold out far
- D. had been sold out far
- E. had been sold out for

Answer: D

Question: 36

The origins of most sports is unknown.

- A. sports is unknown
- B. sports have been unknown
- C. sports are unknown
- D. sports has been unknown
- E. sports are now unknown

Answer: C

Question: 37

Neither of the Smith brothers expect to be drafted by a major league team this year.

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- A. expect to be drafted
 - B. expects to be drafted
 - C. has expected to be drafted
 - D. is expecting to be drafted
 - E. was expecting to be drafted

Answer: B

Question: 38

Has any of the witnesses been sworn in yet?

- A. Has any of the
- B. Is any of the
- C. Will any of the
- D. Are any of the
- E. Have any of the

Answer: E

Question: 39

The Lusitania sunk on May 7, 1915.

- A. sunk
- B. did sink
- C. was sunk
- D. did sank
- E. sank

Answer: E

Question: 40

Whos in the office now?

- A. Whos in
- B. Whose in
- C. Who is in
- D. Who's in
- E. Whose' in

Answer: D