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## HELPING THE CAT

Ali was playing in front of the house.  
Suddenly Ali heard the voice of a kitten.  
The kitten had plunged into the sewer.  
It's body was wet and smelled of mud.  
Ali felt sympathetic looking at the cat.  
He lifted the cat and washed it  
with soap so it would be clean.  
Each day the cat was given food and  
drink.  
Now it is healthy and fat.  
Ali called it Si Belang.

Answer according to the contents of the reading!

1. What did Ali do when he realized the kitten had plunged into the sewer?
  - A. helped
  - B. lifted
  - C. felt sympathetic
2. How did Ali clean that kitten?
  - A. wash with soap so that it would be clean
  - B. clean off the mud
  - C. bathe until clean
3. According to you, how was Ali's behavior?
  - A. clever
  - B. good
  - C. diligent

4.

Check the correct answer!

The woman is ... rice

- A. frying
- B. placing
- C. stirring

5. i - ng - t - l - e - a

These letters can be arranged to become a word, that is ...

- A. tilenga
- B. talinge
- C. telinga

(Note: telinga means ear and is correctly spelled. The other two words are meaningless)

6. A child kicked the ball with ...

- A. a piece of wood
- B. her foot
- C. her shoes

7. The flower jasmine is the color ...

- A. yellow
- B. white
- C. red

8. Buys - chicken - egg - one/Mother

Use these words to construct a sentence

The correct sentence from the words is ...

- A. Mother buys one chicken egg.
- B. Mother buys an egg of one chicken.
- C. Mother buys a chicken of one egg.

9. You made a mistake because you dropped your friend's bag.

The correct sentence for apologizing is ...

- A. Forgive me because I dropped your bag!
- B. Sorry, I will return your bag!
- C. Sorry, I took the bag from your drawer!

10.

Ali enjoys playing ...

- A. ball
- B. rope
- C. marbles

11.

The sentence that matches the above picture is ...

- A. Mr. Farmer is washing his hoe.
- B. The farmer is plowing his field.
- C. The farmer is hoeing his field.

12. A person who exchanges money for something they want is called ...  
A. a buyer  
B. a seller  
C. a service worker
13. Nana always buys snack food on the side of the road.  
This makes Nana bad, because ...  
A. disturbs traffic  
B. food from the roadside is dirty  
C. her parents will get mad if they see this
14. tuti went to jakarta in the month of januari.  
The words that needed to be capitalized are ...  
A. Tuti, Jakarta, Month  
B. To, Jakarta, January  
C. Tuti, Jakarta, January
15. The younger sibling swept the floor  
The instruction in which the above sentence is based on is ...  
A. Sweep that floor!  
B. That floor sweep!  
C. Sweep floor that!
- 16.

The sentence which matches the above picture is ...

- A. Ibu is serving food.  
B. Ibu is placing food.  
C. Ibu is checking the food.

17. That monkey ... happily if he gets a nut from Musa.  
A. runs around  
B. swings around  
C. straddles

18. ani and budi study in bandung.  
Should be written as ...  
A. Ani and budi study in bandung  
B. Ani and Budi study in bandung  
C. Ani and Budi study in Bandung

19. Tuti steamed the cake  
... was steamed by Tuti?

The correct question word to complete the above sentence ...

- A. what  
B. who  
C. why
20. Nana was carrying Rp 100,-  
... money was Nana carrying?  
A. what  
B. how much  
C. who
21. What is the correct positioning of the period?  
A. At 7.0.0 o'clock the entry bell sounded.  
B. At 7.00 o'clock the entry bell sounded.  
C. At 7.0.0. o'clock the entry bell sounded.
22. "Child, please do not go. First, your mother is old. Second, I do not have money to pay for your trip."  
The subject of the story is ...  
A. rich  
B. poor  
C. old

23. My - musa - friend - study - diligent - whose - is name  
The correct order of the sentence is ...

A. Whose name is Musa is diligent studying my friend.  
B. Whose name is Musu my friend studying.  
C. My friend, whose name is Musa, is diligent at studying.

24. 1. The city is full of hills and cool.  
2. When vacation arrives.  
3. I will visit my grandmother in Wonosobo  
Rearrange the sentences to make a good story ...

A. 3 - 1 - 2  
B. 2 - 3 - 1  
C. 1 - 3 - 2

25. "She is not my mother, she is a poor person while I am very rich. There is no way she is my mother," said Dampo Awang.  
I am ashamed to have a begger like her for a mother."

Dampo Awang tells the above story with the attitude ...

A. arrogant  
B. shy  
C. mad

26. Musa : ...  
Grandfather : Oh, Musa!  
Musa : What is grandpa doing?  
Grandfather : I am fertilizing the orange tree!

The appropriate greeting sentence which completes the above conversation is ...

A. Here, Gramps!  
B. Hey Grampa!  
C. Good morning, Grandpa!

27. Toto : Do you want to study with me?  
Banu : ...

If Banu does not agree, the appropriate answer is ...

- A. Don't want!
- B. I don't want to study with you!
- C. Sorry, today I am not able to study with you.

28. One day Ike was walking very fast.  
She was looking at the dark clouds in the sky. It looked as if in a moment rain would fall ...

The appropriate sentence to complete the story above is ...

- A. Ike did not want to get rained on in the street.
- B. The day was becoming night.
- C. Ike wanted to go home fast.

29. Which of these tables is most accurate? ...

A.

Number	Student's Name	Origin
1	Didi	Men
2	Mira	Women
3	Titi	Women
4	Safari	Men
5	Nunung	Women

B.

Number	Student's Name	Class
1	Didi	Kindergarten
2	Mira	Elementary
3	Titi	Jr. High
4	Safari	Elementary
5	Nunung	Kindergarten

C.

Number	Student's Name	Age
1	Didi	8, 5 years
2	Mira	8 years
3	Titi	9 years
4	Safari	9 years
5	Nunung	8 years

30.

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To  
The representative of Class IIIA of the School

.....  
With this letter, I inform you that I was unable to attend school because I was sick.

I am therefore requesting permission to not attend school.  
I thank you for your attention to this matter.

Banu

The letter above should be completed with ...

- A. Best regards,
- B. Hello, good morning,
- C. With respect,

## ANSWER KEY

1. A

2. C

3. B

4. A

5. C

6. B

7. B

8. A

9. A

10. A

11. B

12. A

13. B

14. C

15. A

16. A

17. C

18. C

19. A

20. B

21. B

22. B

23. C

24. B

25. A

26. C

27. C

28. A

29. C

30. C