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Group - A

Correct the following sentences by choosing the correct alternative.

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1. I am tired work long.
(A) I tired long working.
(B) I am tired as I worked long.
(C) I was tired long work.
(D) Working long tired I.
2. When it was morning they decided to put at an inn.
(A) When it was morning they decided to put out in an inn.
(B) When it was morning they decided to put up at an inn.
(C) When it was morning they decided to put on at an inn.
(D) When it was morning they decided to put in at an inn.
3. The furniture in this room are made of teak.
(A) The furniture in this room have made of teak.
(B) The furniture in this room had made of teak.
(C) The furniture in this room is made of teak.
(D) The furniture in this room was make of teak.
4. Today I'll bath my cat.
(A) Today I'll give bath my cat.
(B) Today I'll bathe to my cat.
(C) Today I'll give bathe to my cat.
(D) Today I'll give a bath to my cat.
5. Teachers' Day celebrates every in our college.
(A) Teachers' Day celebrated every year in our college.
(B) Teachers' Day is celebrated every year in our college.
(C) Teachers' Day has celebrated every year in our college.
(D) Teachers' Day celebrating every year in our college.
6. I did not brought my book yesterday.
(A) I did not bring my book yesterday.
(B) I did not bringing my book yesterday.
(C) I have not bring my book yesterday.
(D) I am not bringing my book yesterday.

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7. Why you came late?
- (A) Why was you come late?
 - (B) Why you coming late?
 - (C) Why did you come late?
 - (D) Why have you coming late?
8. She did not agreed to my proposal.
- (A) She did not agree to my proposal.
 - (B) She did not agreed with my proposal.
 - (C) She did not agree of my proposal.
 - (D) She has not agree to my proposal.
9. Horse is an useful animal.
- (A) Horse is a useful animal.
 - (B) Horse is a used animal.
 - (C) Horse is an used animal.
 - (D) Horse is an useful.
10. They found the treasure who had been lost for years.
- (A) They found the treasure had been lost for years.
 - (B) They found the treasure whom had been lost for years.
 - (C) They found the treasure which had been lost for years.
 - (D) They found the treasure having lost for years.
11. I am so much pleasing to talk to you.
- (A) I am so much please to talk to you.
 - (B) I am so much pleased to talk to you.
 - (C) I am please talk to you.
 - (D) I have pleased to talk to you.
12. How is going everything?
- (A) How is everything going?
 - (B) How go everything?
 - (C) How everything going?
 - (D) Everything going how?

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13. I don't understand the meaning what you say.
- (A) I don't understanding the meaning of what you saying.
 - (B) I don't understand the meaning of what you say.
 - (C) I don't understand meaning of your saying.
 - (D) I don't understand your saying what meaning.
14. He went to abroad to further his study.
- (A) He went abroad to study further.
 - (B) He went to further study abroad.
 - (C) He went abroad to further study.
 - (D) He went to abroad to study further.
15. I am sorry my computer have the problem.
- (A) I am sorry my computer the problem.
 - (B) I am sorry my computer is probleming.
 - (C) I am sorry that there is a problem with my computer.
 - (D) I am sorry a problem is my computer.

Group - B

Choose the correctly transformed sentence according to the direction :

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16. O that the desert were my dwelling place! (Make it assertive)
- (A) What a dwelling place is the desert!
 - (B) My dwelling place is the desert.
 - (C) It is my wish that the desert becomes my dwelling place.
 - (D) The desert is my dwelling place.
17. A little knowledge is a very dangerous thing. (Make it exclamatory)
- (A) When is dangerous thing a little knowledge!
 - (B) It is dangerous to have a little knowledge!
 - (C) How dangerous it is to have a little knowledge!
 - (D) To have a little knowledge, is it dangerous?

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18. Caesar was an honourable man. (Make it interrogative)
- (A) Was Caesar honoured?
 - (B) When was Caesar an honourable man?
 - (C) Was not Caesar an honourable man?
 - (D) How is honourable Caesar as a man?
19. Does this boy ever tell a lie? (Make it assertive)
- (A) This boy always tells a lie.
 - (B) This boy lies all the time.
 - (C) This boy never tells a lie.
 - (D) This boy ever tells a lie.
20. What a beautiful monument is the Taj Mahal! (Make it assertive)
- (A) Is the Taj Mahal a beautiful monument?
 - (B) As a monument the Taj Mahal is beautiful.
 - (C) The Taj Mahal is a beautiful monument.
 - (D) The beautiful Taj Mahal is a monument.
21. That he is a scoundrel, is known to everyone. (Make it compound)
- (A) Everyone knows he is a scoundrel.
 - (B) He is a scoundrel and everyone knows it.
 - (C) Everyone knows, so he is a scoundrel.
 - (D) What a scoundrel he is, everyone knows.
22. The moon rose and everything looked bright. (Make it complex)
- (A) The rising moon made everything bright.
 - (B) The moon rising made everything bright.
 - (C) As the moon rose, everything looked bright.
 - (D) The moon rises making everything look bright.
23. I have no money that I can lend you. (Make it simple)
- (A) I have no money to lend you.
 - (B) I have no money so I can't lend you.
 - (C) I cannot lend you.
 - (D) I have no money and cannot lend you.

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24. As soon as it started to rain, we opened our umbrellas. (Make it compound)
- (A) Due to the rain we opened our umbrellas.
 - (B) We opened our umbrellas and it started to rain.
 - (C) It started to rain and we opened our umbrellas.
 - (D) It started raining when we opened our umbrellas.
25. I cannot bear this pain any longer. (Make it assertive)
- (A) This pain cannot be borne by me any longer.
 - (B) I can bear this pain much longer.
 - (C) I can bear this pain any longer.
 - (D) I can bear this pain no longer.
26. Only he can play good cricket. (Make it negative)
- (A) He only cannot play good cricket.
 - (B) He can only play good cricket.
 - (C) None but he can play good cricket.
 - (D) He cannot play good cricket.
27. An honest man is loved by all. (Make it complex)
- (A) An honest man will be loved by all.
 - (B) A man who is honest, is loved by all.
 - (C) An honest man who is loved by all.
 - (D) A man is honest and loved by all.
28. It was summer and the school closed down for holidays. (Make it simple)
- (A) As it was summer, the school closed down for holidays.
 - (B) It was summer, so the school closed down for holidays.
 - (C) The school closed down for summer holidays.
 - (D) The school closed when summer holidays.
29. This is the beautiful house. (Use comparative degree)
- (A) This is a beautifuler house than the other.
 - (B) This house is more beautiful than the others.
 - (C) This is a beautifulest house.
 - (D) This house is so beautiful.
30. Kolkata is the largest town of West Bengal. (Use comparative degree)
- (A) Kolkata is a large town.
 - (B) Kolkata is a largest town.
 - (C) Kolkata is larger than all other towns of West Bengal.
 - (D) Kolkata is larger than West Bengal.

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Group - C

Choose the true statement from each of the two passages

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Passage - 1

Tom Sawyer appeared on the sidewalk with a bucket of whitewash and a long handled brush. He surveyed the fence and all gladness left him and a deep melancholy settled down upon his spirit. He had been caught sneaking in late last evening, and now Aunt Polly was determined to punish him by turning his Saturday into captivity at hard labour, whitewashing a fence. Thirty yards of board fence, nine feet high. Sighing, he dipped his brush and passed it along the topmost plank; repeated the operation; did it again; compared the insignificant whitewashed streak and the far-reaching continent of the unwhitewashed fence, and sat down discouraged.

31. Choose the true statement :
- (A) Aunt Margaret was determined to punish Tom.
 - (B) Aunt Susan was determined to punish Tom.
 - (C) Aunt Polly was determined to punish Tom.
 - (D) Tom was determined to punish Aunt Polly.
32. Choose the true statement :
- (A) Tom had been caught sneaking on Saturday.
 - (B) Tom sneaked in at night.
 - (C) Tom had been caught sneaking previous morning.
 - (D) Tom had been caught sneaking in late previous evening.
33. Choose the true statement :
- (A) Tom Sawyer appeared with a bucket of red paint.
 - (B) Tom Sawyer appeared with an empty bucket.
 - (C) Tom Sawyer appeared with a bucket of water.
 - (D) Tom Sawyer appeared with a bucket of whitewash.
34. Choose the true statement :
- (A) Tom Sawyer had to whitewash the fence on a Sunday.
 - (B) Tom Sawyer had to whitewash the fence on a Saturday.
 - (C) Tom Sawyer had to whitewash the fence the previous day.
 - (D) Tom Sawyer had to whitewash the fence in the evening.
35. Choose the true statement :
- (A) The fence was thirty feet high.
 - (B) The fence was eight feet high.
 - (C) The fence was nine feet high.
 - (D) The fence was ten feet high.

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Passage - 2

The male lion is known as the king of beasts because of his dignified appearance, his deep roar and his regal looking move. The female with her tawny black striped orange coat is perhaps the most striking and beautiful of all cats. Tigers appear to be leaner and more lithe than lions. Now lions are found only in Africa with the exception of a few that still survives in the Gir forests of western India. Tigers chiefly inhabit the forest of Asia, the largest tigers in Siberia and the smallest inhabiting Malaysia.

36. Choose the true statement :
- (A) The female lion has a black coat.
 - (B) The female lion has an orange coat.
 - (C) The female lion has an orange-striped black coat.
 - (D) The female lion has a black-striped orange coat.
37. Choose the true statement :
- (A) Lions are leaner than tigers.
 - (B) Tigers are leaner than lions.
 - (C) Tigers are leaner than zebras.
 - (D) Lions are leaner than snakes.
38. Choose the true statement :
- (A) The largest tigers are found in Siberia.
 - (B) The largest tigers are found in Malaysia.
 - (C) The largest tigers are found in Gir forests.
 - (D) The largest tigers are found in Europe.
39. Choose the true statement :
- (A) The lioness is the ugliest of all cats.
 - (B) The lioness is the strongest of all cats.
 - (C) The lioness is the most beautiful of all cats.
 - (D) The lioness is the leanest of all cats.
40. Choose the true statement :
- (A) The male lion is known as the king of Africa.
 - (B) The male lion is known as the king of beasts.
 - (C) The male lion is known as the king of Gir forests.
 - (D) The male lion is known as the king of cats.
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