CALIFORNIA ENGLISH 10 · UNIT 4 · 25 QUESTIONS

Language and Grammar — Practice Test

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1 **In the phrase a happy crowd, the word happy describes a noun and is an**

- A Verb
- B Adverb
- C Adjective
- D Noun

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2 **In the sentence she runs quickly, the word quickly describes how she runs and is an**

A Adjective

B Adverb

C Pronoun

D Noun

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3 **In the sentence they built a bridge, the word they takes the place of a noun and is a**

A Preposition

B Pronoun

C Adverb

D Adjective

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4 **In the phrase under the bridge, the word under shows a relationship and is a**

- A Conjunction
- B Verb
- C Interjection
- D Preposition

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5 **In the sentence Ana and Ben sang, the word and joins words and is a**

- A Adverb
- B Interjection
- C Conjunction
- D Preposition

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6 **The word wow, used to show sudden feeling, is an**

A Interjection

B Conjunction

C Preposition

D Pronoun

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7 **Choose the correct verb: The basket of apples ____ on the table**

A Is

B Were be

C Be

D Are

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8 **Choose the correct verb: Neither of the routes ____ open**

A Are

B Were

C Be

D Is

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9 **Choose the correct verb: Each student ____ a notebook**

A Are

B Were

C Has

D Have

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10 **Which sentence is a fragment**

A The rain fell fast

B We stayed dry

C Ana walked home through the rain

D Walking home through the rain

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11 **Which sentence is a run on**

A We cooked and ate

B We cooked

C We ate

D We cooked, we ate

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12 **Choose the correct list punctuation: Lena bought notebooks pens and pencils**

A Notebooks: pens: and pencils

B Notebooks pens and pencils

C Notebooks; pens; and pencils

D Notebooks, pens, and pencils

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13 **Use a semicolon to join two closely related**

A Independent clauses

B Single words

C Titles

D Fragments

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14 **Choose the correct form: The cat licked ____ paws**

A They

B Their

C Its

D It is

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15 **Choose the correct form: ____ book is on the table**

A They

B Them

C There

D Their

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16 **Choose the correct noun: The new rule had a strong ____ on school lunch**

A Effected

B Affect

C Effect

D Affects

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17 **The word affect is most often used as a**

A Adjective

B Noun

C Verb

D Adverb

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18 **Choose the correct word: Everyone ____ her team accepted the award**

A Except

B Expect

C Exempt

D Accept

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19 **Which sentence uses parallel structure**

A He enjoys reading, writing, and painting

B He enjoys reading, to write, and paints

C He enjoys read, writing, and paint

D He enjoys reading, write, painting

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20 **Which sentence has a dangling modifier**

- A After finishing the race, Maya drank water
- B Maya drank water after the race
- C Maya finished the race and drank water
- D After finishing the race, the water was drunk

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21 **Choose the correct tense: By Friday, we ____ the project**

- A Finish now
- B Finishes
- C Finished yesterday
- D Will have finished

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22 **The prefix un in unhappy means**

A Again

B With

C Not

D Before

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23 **The prefix re in rewrite means**

A After

B Again

C Before

D Not

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24 **The suffix ful in careful means**

A Full of

B Again

C Without

D Before

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25 **The dictionary definition of a word is its**

A Connotation

B Denotation

C Antonym

D Synonym

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ANSWER KEY

1. C
2. B
3. B
4. D
5. C
6. A
7. A
8. D
9. C
10. D
11. D
12. D
13. A
14. C
15. D
16. C
17. C
18. A
19. A
20. D
21. D
22. C
23. B
24. A
25. B

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