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1. Which sentence is a simple sentence?

- A. The sounds were coming from the pine tree near the fence.
 - B. He stood still, and he listened to chirping and the flutter of wings.
 - C. As he came out the back door, Leroy saw a flash of red.
 - D. When he looked up, Leroy counted a flock of twenty red birds.
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2. What type of sentence is the one below?

Look what that clown is wearing!

- A. an exclamatory sentence
 - B. a declarative sentence
 - C. an imperative sentence
 - D. an interrogative sentence
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3. Which two words are the subject and predicate of the sentence below?

Many people visit the King Center in Atlanta, Georgia, during the school year.

- A. people visit
 - B. King Center
 - C. Atlanta Georgia
 - D. during school
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4. Which change should be made to the sentence below?

Aisha raised her hand in English class and asked, “is the author we are reading about from the southern part of Georgia?”

- A. use a small *e* in *English*
 - B. use a capital *C* in *class*
 - C. use a capital *I* in *is*
 - D. use a small *g* in *Georgia*
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5. Which sentence has only the simple predicate underlined?

- A. Last night the orchestra gave a concert in the auditorium.
 - B. The orchestra members tuned their instruments.
 - C. The conductor walked on stage and bowed to the audience.
 - D. I enjoyed listening to the music.
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6. Why should you write an outline before beginning to write a report?

- A. to check for spelling errors
 - B. to help organize thoughts and information
 - C. to check for grammar and usage mistakes
 - D. to find out how many pages long the report will be
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7. Cynthia needs to find out some basic information about raccoons. Where should she look?

- A. an encyclopedia
 - B. a periodical
 - C. an almanac
 - D. a thesaurus
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8. Which word is the subject of the sentence below?

Carmen gave Lucy a stuffed animal for her birthday.

- A. Carmen
 - B. Lucy
 - C. animal
 - D. birthday
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9. Which word in the sentence below should be changed?

The brightly star twinkled in the night sky.

- A. *brightly* to *bright*
 - B. *twinkled* to *twinkling*
 - C. *night* to *nightly*
 - D. *sky* to *skies*
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10. Which one is a complete sentence?

- A. Smiled every morning when Jeannie gets up.
 - B. Every morning when Jeannie smiling gets up.
 - C. Every morning when Jeannie gets up, she smiles.
 - D. Every morning when Jeannie gets up smiles.
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11. What does the underlined word *they* mean in the paragraph below?

After the rain, the air smelled sweet. Drops of water hung from the leaves of trees. The streets were shiny and wet. The cars splashed water as they went by.

- A. streets
 - B. cars
 - C. drops
 - D. water
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Use the paragraph below for question 12.

1Paul Revere was a famous American during the Revolutionary War. **2**He was an active member of the Sons of Liberty. **3**Washington was a famous American. **4**Perhaps Revere is most known for his ride to warn the people of Lexington and Concord that the British were coming.

12. Which sentence does NOT belong in the paragraph above?

- A. sentence 1
 - B. sentence 2
 - C. sentence 3
 - D. sentence 4
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13. Eleanor is writing a paper about fruit flies. What would be the BEST heading for her to look under?

- A. flying plants
 - B. flying animals
 - C. flying creatures
 - D. flying insects
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14. Which change should be made in order to correct the sentence below?

There are all kind of fun games for kids to do after school.

- A. change *kids* to *kid*
 - B. change *are* to *is*
 - C. change *kind* to *kinds*
 - D. change *games* to *game*
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15. Which word in the sentence below is the action word?

Danielle sent Denise to the bakery for a dozen chocolate donuts.

- A. Danielle
 - B. sent
 - C. bakery
 - D. dozen
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16. What is the structure of the sentence below?

Mike enjoys peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, but he has no idea of the peanut's history.

- A. simple
 - B. compound
 - C. fragment
 - D. run-on
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17. Which sentence has quotation marks that are misplaced?

- A. Mr. Smith said, "Don't forget to feed the fish."
 - B. "Would you like to share my snack?" asked James.
 - C. "The water is hot! cried Alex."
 - D. Mr. Johnson asked, "Would you please pass the water?"
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18. Which sentence has the correct subject and verb?

- A. She were late for dinner.
 - B. He sing very well.
 - C. There is two minutes left.
 - D. The hats are made of straw.
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19. Which word should be replaced in the sentence below?

Ted saw a beautiful jet plain fly overhead.

- A. saw
 - B. beautiful
 - C. plain
 - D. overhead
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20. Sasha wants to know how much rain fell in Washington this week. What is the BEST place to look for this information?

- A. a dictionary
 - B. an encyclopedia
 - C. an atlas
 - D. the Internet
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Use the paragraph below to answer question 21.

1Computers are useful to students for many reasons. **2**Computers are useful for typing assignments. **3** Radios were invented many years ago. **4**Students can also research topics on the Internet by using their computers.

21. Which sentence above should be removed from the paragraph?

- A. sentence 1
 - B. sentence 2
 - C. sentence 3
 - D. sentence 4
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22. In the sentence below, which words should be capitalized?

Mr. E. F. payne runs a paint and wallpaper store in cody, georgia.

- A. payne, cody, georgia
 - B. payne, paint, store
 - C. store, cody, georgia
 - D. paint, wallpaper, store
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23. Which one is a complete sentence?

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24. Which word BEST fills in the blank in the sentence below?

Karen has a new pen. She used _____ at school today.

- A. them
 - B. it
 - C. theirs
 - D. these
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25. How should the sentences below BEST be combined to form one sentence with a compound subject?

Lisa made cookies. Joey made cookies.

- A. Lisa made Joey some cookies.
 - B. Lisa and Joey made cookies.
 - C. Joey made Lisa some cookies.
 - D. Joey made five cookies.
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26. What is the simple subject of the sentence below?

Atlanta is an exciting city with many wonderful museums and interesting people.

- A. Atlanta
 - B. city
 - C. museums
 - D. people
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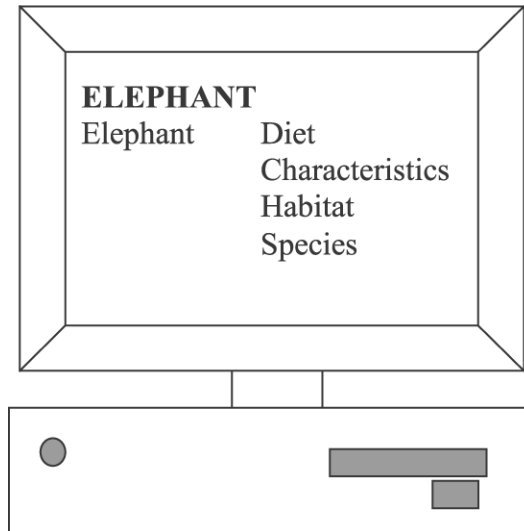
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Use the computer to answer question 27.



27. Jill is using a computer. She wants to find out how much elephants eat each day. Under which topic should Jill search?

- A. characteristics
 - B. diet
 - C. habitat
 - D. species
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Use the paragraph below to answer question 28.

1Andy, Jacob, and Tony were thrilled!2In celebration of Arbor Day, Andy, Jacob, and Tony were planting a tree in the school yard.3Because of their good attendance and good grades, all of the teachers voted for these three boys to perform this task.4The three boys also saw it was a chance to get out of the classroom on a beautiful spring day.5They were accomplishing this task with the help of the janitor, Mr. Jenkins.

28. Which sentence would have been a better topic sentence for the paragraph above?

- A. Arbor Day is a special day Cecil Jones established in 1867 for the planting of trees.
 - B. Arbor Day, a day for planting of trees, is only celebrated in the United States.
 - C. At Lee Street School, there was a great deal of excitement on Arbor Day this year.
 - D. At Lee Street School, people enjoy planting trees, particularly on Arbor Day.
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29. Which word BEST fills in the blank in the sentence below?

Father wondered if all the boys had eaten _____ dinner.

- A. them
 - B. their
 - C. theirs
 - D. ours
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30. What is the compound predicate in the sentence below?

The boy hit the ball and ran to first base.

- A. boy, ball
 - B. ball, hit
 - C. ball, base
 - D. hit, ran
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