The noun Test 1

1. When I came into cottage, the family sitting

round the table playing draughts. Draughts their

favourite game. They like to play in the evenings.

A the Holley's, were, are, it B Holleys, was, are, them C the Holleys', were, is, it D Holleys's, was, is, them

2. When he was going through a narrow passage between

two , he heard , These were his neighbours,

two girls.

A merrys-go-round, laugh, twenty-years old B merry-go-rounds, a laugh, twenty-year old C merry-goes-round, laughter, twenty-years old D merry-goes-rounds, a laughter, twenty-year old

3. They decided to open a season. Though it was a fash­  
ionable party and the walls were decorated with

and , the majority of the guests wearing jeans

and T-shirts.

A lilies-of-the-valley, forget-me-nots, were B lily-of-the-valleys, forget-me-nots, were

C lilies-of-the-valley, forgets-me-not, waD lilies-of-the-valleys, forgets-me-nots, was

4. The wife was wearing a plain white dress with a

string of pearls that cost more than my salary.

A governor's-general, two years' B governor-general's, two years' C governor-general, two years D governor's-general's, two-year

5. He pulled off his gloves and put onto the dressing

table. She noticed that brand new. So was his hat.

A it, it was B it, they were C them, it was D them, they were

6. He conducted a lot of into but a failure.

A researches, hay fevers, they were B research, hay fever, it was C researches, hay fever, it was . D research, hay fevers, they were

7. The proceeds of the campaign been spent on the

construction of the Children's Care Centre. Roadworks  
 being held there to build a new crossing.

A has, are, pedestrian's

B have, are, pedestrian

C has, is, pedestrians

D have, is, pedestrians'

8. Look, Mary is playing with the scissors! Take

away from her, may cut into her fingers.

A it, it B them, it C it, they D them, they

9. Here the pocket money my uncle has sent me

today. \_\_\_ will be enough to settle all my debts.

A are, It C is, It

B is, They D are, They

10. The criteria too vague. If there were a sharper

to make our choice, I would be happy.

A is, criterion C is, criteria

B are, criterion D are, criteria

11. The latest news from the Middle East countries \_  
disturbing. A close-up camera showed a man run­  
ning somewhere. His face was bruised and his clothes  
 torn.

A was, was C was, were

B were, were D were, was

12. The premises big enough, but the inspection took

them a lot of , and they had to drive home at .

A was, time, dusks

B were, times, a dusk C was, times, dusk D were, time, dusk

13. The price for has increased by ten in the last

quarter. Lodgings very expensive nowadays.

A an accommodation, per cent, is B accommodation, per cent, are C accommodations, per cents, is D accommodation, per cents, are

14. That species of birds migrant and found in

Africa in winter. Our surroundings too severe

for such birds and they leave early in September.

A is, is, are, them C is, is, is, it B are, are, are, them D are, are, is, it

15. The crossroads at our supermarket a dangerous

place. The traffic lights will help both pedestrians and

drivers to avoid accidents. The police to set

here.

A are, needs, them C are, needs, it  
B is, need, them D is, need, it

16. Measles a dangerous disease and a lot of children

catch at an early age.

A is, them C are, them

B is, it D arc, it

17. This the most effective means of production and

\_ can be adjusted to your business in \_\_\_ time.

A is, it, two month's B are, they, a two-months C is, they, two-month D is, it, two months'

18. The Azores are dark blue species that require \_\_\_

cultivation in temperate regions.

A forget-me-nots, greenhouse B forgets-me-nots, greenhouse's C forget-me-not, greenhouse D forgets-me-not, greenhouse's

19. Reliable about everyday clothing from the past

hard to obtain.

A evidences, are C evidences, is

B evidence, is D evidence, are

20. These species protected in national parks and .

A is, game reserves B are, game's reserves C are, game reserves D is, games reserves

**Test 2**

1. depths are usually much greater than depths

because of low density.

A Snow, rain, snow B Snow's, rain's, snow's C Snow, rain, snow's D Snow's, rain, snow's

2. are tiny white bells hanging from a single erect

stem about 30 cm tall with the as a red berry.

A Lilies-of-the-valley, fruit

B Lilies-of-the-valley, fruits

C Lily-of-the-valleys, fruit

D Lily-of-the-valleys, fruits

3. There a lot of machinery in the shop and skilled

workers operated .

A was, them C were, it

B were, them D was, it

4. The was shaky and he decided to go to the sec­  
ondhand store.

A leg's table, furniture's

B leg of the table, furniture's

C leg of the table, furniture

D leg's table, furniture

5. One hundred pounds a large sum for her and she

decided to put the money on her account.

A was, savings B was, saving's C were, savings D were, saving's

6. Where Nick's pyjamas? — on the bed.

A is, It is C is, They are

B are, They are D are, It is

7. Bread and cheese his usual meal and he has been

living on for two months.

A was, them C is, it

B are, it D is, them

8. His decreased because his salary was cut by 7 .

A earnings, per cent B earnings, per cents C earning, per cents D earning, percentage

9. The producer presented his new film. The show

took time.

A two-series, three hour's B two-seria, three hours C two-series, three hours' D two-series', three hour's

10. The story of the magnificent castle the guide told

us about was exciting.

A five-centuries-old B five-century's-old C five-century-old D five-century-old's

11. This is the cloakroom, and that one is for .

A ladies', gentlemen's B lady's, gentlemen's C ladies', gentlemen D lady, gentlemen

12. The at the talks made a deep influence on

everybody.

A Minister of Foreign Trade's speech, peace's B Minister's of Foreign Trade' speech, peace C Minister of Foreign Trade's speech, peaceful D Minister of Foreign Trade's speech, peace

13. The official is a table containing the holy days,

, and festivals of the church.

A Christian church calendar, saints' days B Christian's church calendar, saint days C Christian church's calendar, saint's days D Christian's church's calendar, saints' days

14. The most beautiful of carved jade in the form of

ornamental pieces, such as vases, bowls, tablets, and  
statues, many of which are now , were made in China.

A specimen, museum pieces B specimens, museum pieces C specimen, museum's pieces D specimens, museum's pieces

15. Various of the are cereals, cultivated for their

, which is used as food.

A species, grass family, seed

B speci, grass family, seeds

C species, grass's family, seed

D speci, grass's family, seeds

16. The stone identified as a was the first step in

opening the fields of that region, which have be­  
come the greatest in the world.

A 21-carats diamond, diamonds B 21-carat diamond, diamonds C 21-carat diamond's, diamond's D 21-carat diamond, diamond

17. She was well aware of her extraordinary good looks,

and was perfectly prepared to discuss , just as a

man seven high might talk of advantages and in­  
conveniences of being tall.

A them, foot C them, feet

B it, foot D it, feet

18. There enough to suggest that job stress may

increase a man's risk of dying from disease.

A are, evidences, hearts B is, evidence, heart C is, evidence, heart's D are, evidence, heart

19. At its height in the early 1900s, the British Empire

included over 20 of the land area and more

than 400 people.

A percents, world, million

B percent, world's, millions

C percent, world's, million

D percents, worlds', million

20. The history goes back to 1808.

A state's newspaper's B state's newspaper C state newspaper's D state newspapers'

The Article

**Test 3**

1. African cheetah is believed to be fastest ani­  
mal on earth.

A An, the, the C , ,

B The, , D The, the,

2. most cats hunt in dim light, but they also

hunt in dark and in daylight.

A , , the,

B The, the, the, the

**C , , ,**

D The, the, , the

3. Captain Cook reached Cape of Good Hope

in spring of 1771 and sailed via St. Helena

in the South Atlantic before arriving in England in July 1771,

A The, the, , the C The, , , the

B , the, the, D , , the,

4. We must organize little dinner to celebrate

event. Tell her to come and see me at noon.

We'll speak about it.

A , an, the C the, the,

B a, the, the D a, the,

5. She remained on deck until midnight, and

following day she was carried up there again early

in morning.

A , , the, the C , , ,

B a, the, the, the D the, the, ,

6. On the second day of our voyage, before we reached  
 Zanzibar, *Camellia* ran into *\_\_\_\_* bad weath­  
er, and most of the passengers became seasick.

A the, the, the, the

B , the, ,

C , , a, the

D the, the, a,

7. Until the nineteenth century, carpet was usually con­  
sidered work of art and was made by hand.

A the, , ,

B a, a, the,

C the, a, ,

D a, , the, the

8. At last war ended, but the transition from

war to peace was painful for both sides.

A the, the, the C a, a, a

B , , D the, ,

9. morning after morning of late he has

taken his walk in the same direction trying to see her again.

A A, a, the C , ,

B The, the, D A, a,

10. common autumn phenomenon in central and

eastern USA and in Europe is Indian sum­  
mer, a period of unseasonably warm weather

that sometimes occurs in late September and Oc­  
tober.

A The, the, the, the, the,

B A, the, , the, the, the

C A, , , , , the

D A, the, , , ,

11. By late 18th century and Captain Cook's

exploration of southern Pacific, much of

world had been mapped.

A the, the, the, the

B , , the

C the, , the, the

D the, , ,

12. In 1620, group of Leyden Puritans, 101 men,

women and children, set out for Virginia on

board *Mayflower.*

A the, the, the, the C a, , a, the

B a, , , the D a, the, a

13. At zenith of their power in Middle Ages

craft guilds had enormous power over their mem­  
bers.

A , the, C a, , the

B the, the, an D a, the,

14. He was a page, that is youth of noble birth

who left his family at early age to serve in the

family of man of rank.

A , the, an, a, the

B a, , an, ,

C the, the, the, the, the

D a, a, an, a,

15. dinosaur is a reptile that was dominant land

animal during most of Mesozoic Era but

became extinct at its close.

A The, the, the, the, the

B The, the, , the,

C A, a, , ,

D A, the, the, the, the

16. Only tiny percentage of plant species are di­  
rectly used by humans for food, shelter,

fiber, and drugs.

A , , the, the C the, the, the, the

B a, , , D a, the, , the

Test 4

1. rice, wheat, corn, legumes, cotton, conifers,

and tobacco are items on which whole econ­  
omies and nations depend.

A , the, the

B The, ,

C The, the, the  
D , the,

2. tiger lives in Asia and belongs to same **genus**

as lion, leopard, and jaguar.

A The, the, the C , the,

B A, , a D The, ,

3. most of financial activities are crowded along

Threadneedle Street.

A The, the C ,

B The, D , the

4. The intersection is known as Bank, which in­  
cludes huge Bank of England complex, Roy­  
al Exchange, and Stock Exchange.

A the, the, the, the  
B , , ,

C , the, ,

D the, , the

5. The busiest shopping area is Oxford Street, where

such large department stores as Selfridges,

John Lewis, and Marks and Spencer are located.

A , , ,

B the, the, the, the

C , , the, the

D the, the, ,

*6.* East End, beyond City of London and

Tower, has long been home of London's docks

and immigrants.

A The, the , C The, the, the, the

B , , the, the D The, , ,

7. centre of this educational establishment is

University of London in Bloomsbury, founded in

1836.

A The, , the C , the,

B The, the, D , , the

8. It is made up of number of colleges, schools,

and attached institutes, which range from Lon­  
don School of Economics and Political Science to

King's College and several medical schools.

A the, , C a, ,

B a, the, the D the, , the

9. With average elevation of more than 4000 m,

Tibet is the highest region on earth sometimes

called Roof of World.

A , the, the, the

B the, , ,

C an, the, , the

D an, , the, the

10. apple, peach, pear, and apricot trees are culti­  
vated in valleys of the region.

A , the C ,

B The, D The, the

11. musk deer, wild sheep, wild goats, wild don­  
keys, yaks, and Tibetan antelopes are common

in mountainous areas.

A , , C The, the, the

B A, , D The, , the

12. On typical summer day, the temperature can rise

from 3°C before sunrise to 27°C by midday.

A the, the, the C the, ,

B a, , D a, the, the

13. most common material for rugs and carpets has

traditionally been sheep's wool, although in cer­  
tain regions goat's or camel's hair is also used.

A The, the, the C , the, the

B The, , D , ,

14. At the end of the 16th century the first explorers of

South Seas mapped southern sky, which was

largely unknown to ancients.

A , the, C the, the, the

B , a, the D the, ,

15. During Renaissance, people thought that their

own age and time of ancient Greece and

Rome were advanced and civilized.

A the, the, the C the, the,

B , , D , the,

16. Because there were no rugs or tapestries, sounds

of the monks' prayers echoed from one end of the  
church to .

A , the other C the, another

B the, other D , others

Tests 5

1. East End has frequently been characterized by

poverty, crime, and slums.

A The, the C ,

B The, D , the

2. The church calendar includes the fixed feasts, such as  
 Christmas, and movable feasts, which de­  
pend on the date of Easter.

A the, the, the C , ,

B , the, D the, , the

3. In 1722 several thousand Polynesians inhabited the island,

but diseases and raids by slave traders reduced

number to fewer than 200 by late 19th century.

A the, the, C , the,

B the, a, the D , the, the

4. The island was named by Dutch explorer who

landed here on Easter Day in 1722.

A the, C the, the

B a, D the, an

5. Born in Salinas, California, Steinbeck was educated

at Stanford University. As youth, he worked

as ranch hand and fruit picker.

A , a, a C the, the, the

B the, , D , , a

6. pearl is abnormal growth resulting from the

invasion of the body of the mollusk by minute

particle of foreign matter, such as fine grain of

sand.

A The, an, a, a C , the, , the

B A, , the, D The, an, the, the

7. jade has always been prized by Chinese and

Japanese as most precious of all stones.

A The, the, the, the C The, , the,

B , , , the D , the, the,

8. Sir Henry Morgan is said to have been kidnapped at

Bristol when boy and sold as servant on

West Indian island of Barbados.

A , , C the, the,

B a, a, the D a, the, a

9. wealth acquired from trade enabled up­  
per classes to live in luxury.

A The, the, the, the C , , the,

B , , the, the D The, the, ,

10. cotton is still a principal raw material for

world's textile industry, but its dominant position has  
been seriously eroded by synthetic fibers.

A The, the, the C The, ,

B , the D , the,

11. American inventors Elisha Gray and Alexander

Graham Bell applied for patent on telephone

on the same day.

A The, a, the C , a, a

B , the, the D The, the,

12. jade is highly valued gemstone used in

jewelry.

A The, the, C , a,

B , the, the D The, a, the

13. porcelain was first made by Chinese.

A The, , the C , , the

B The, the, D , the,

14. gold is extremely inactive. It is unaffected by

air, heat, moisture, and most solvents.

A , , the

B The, the,

C , ,

D The, ,

15. optical phenomena, such as rainbows and halos,

occur when light shines through cloud particles.

A , C The, the

B The, D , the

16. stone picked up by child on the banks of

Orange River in South Africa in 1866 was a

big diamond.

A , a, the, the

B A, a, ,

C , the, , the

D A, a, the,

17. E-mail and Internet are latest technolo­  
gies that are spreading American English.

A , , , the

B , the, the,

C The, the, the,

**The Pronoun Test 6**

1. He closed one eye, but eye looked at me with a

strange expression as if he wanted to advise me of

but was forbidden to say .

A another, something, something B other, anything, anything C the other, something, anything D the another, anything, something

2. They covered three miles and came to a point

where they couldn't see vegetation: \_ was cov­  
ered with snow.

A other, any, all  
B another, any, everything  
C the other, no, each  
D others, , the whole

3. He set to one side, disassociating from what

was going forward, watching running calmly.

A little, , the others

B a little, himself, another  
C a little, himself, the others  
D little, , the other

4. When I met her, her parents had perished and

she was dependent upon . She did not want

help and lived on own.

A either, her, anybody, her

B any of, hers, somebody's, hers

C both, herself, anybody's, her

D both of, oneself, everybody, oneself

5. of them quite knew what she meant, but was

sure that she could not bring to do it.

A Nobody, all, her

B Somebody, every, oneself

C No one, each,

D None, everybody, herself

6. I phoned her day, but she refused to **tell** me .'

**A** another, something B another, anything C the other, something D the other, anything

7. She gave him a cold stare and told him sharp

words. He was taken aback at this behaviour of .

A quite a few, hers

B such a few, her C so few, herself D too few, her

8. Ann and Pete were trying their best, but of them

was helpful. They made attempts but was in

vain.

A none, other a few, all

B neither, another few, everything

C nobody, the other few, all

D no one, another a few, everything

9. It was clear he was hungry. He ate a considerable

of fried meat quicker than and asked

for helping.

A number, lot, others, other  
B amount, far, the others, another  
C deal, a lot, the other, the others  
D quantity, , anothers, an another

10. She goes to Cyprus \_\_\_ summer, of them can

assure you of it. Shall I send you details?

A each, every, some B either, all, any C every, everybody, any D every, each, some

11. It is so noisy that can hear . If keeps

talking, he will leave the room.

A none, anything, somebody B nobody, something, anybody C somebody, nothing, somebody D no one, anything, anybody

12. There are three towers in the fortress, one with a big

clock, are decorated with glazed tiles. of

them remained intact.

A others, None C the others, None

B the others, No D others, Neither

13. Why are you afraid to ask for help? of them will be

glad to solve your little problem, especially Jack. He  
is goodness .

A Everybody, himself

B Each, itself

C Every, itself

D Each, himself

14. She did not know what else to do. She had already had

breakfast, put her clothes into the suitcase, and

was standing at the window with little hope to see Al­  
ice in this green tweed coat of .

A few, hers C a lot of, herself

B a few, her D many, her

15. I tried to concentrate , but as I felt cold I

could think only of a warm room with a fireplace and  
an armchair in front of it where I can settle .

A myself, myself, myself

B , \_,

C myself, ,

D , , myself

16. Colonies were used as sources of raw materials

as markets for products of the home country.

A either, and C either, or

B neither, or D either, nor

**Test7** |

**1.** They stood on side of the bed looking at the sleep­  
ing boy. His left hand was in plaster, clasped a

toy.

A each, other C every, another

B either, the other D either, other

2. Only nations in the world export diamonds with

South Africa and Russia the biggest importers, while  
 are far behind them.

A little, other C few, the others

B a little, the other D a few, others

3. It refers to the ways ancient Greeks spoke, worshipped,  
understood the nature of the physical world , or­  
ganized their governments, made livings, enter­  
tained , and related to who were not Greek.

A themselves, them, themselves, the others

B itself, their, itself, others

C itself, their, themselves, others

D themselves, , themselves, the other

4. One of the reasons why so people are to be found who

seem sensible and pleasant in conversation is that almost

is thinking about what he wants to say rather

than about answering clearly what is being said to him.

A few, everybody, himself

B a few, anybody,

C little, nobody, himself

D many, everyone, themselves

5. It is more shameful to distrust friends than to be

deceived by .

A their, theirs C his, themselves

B one's, them D our, ourselves

6. action happens, but the subtle quality of the

events and, more crucially, the characters' feelings  
about , form the essence of the story.

A Few, few, themselves B Little, little, them C Few, little, its D Little, few, them

7. The loads imposed on a building are classified as

"dead" or "live". Dead loads include the weight of the   
building and major items of fixed equipment.

A both, itself, each C either, itself, all  
B both, , every D either, oneself, any

8. Identification is proof of identity: , especially a

card or document, to prove that is who he or she

claims to be.

A everything, everybody B something, somebody C anything, anybody D something, anybody

9. She learnt both classics and philosophy, but knows  
 of them well. Though she can speak on sub­  
ject in general.

A none, any C neither, either

B nothing, some D either, neither

10. is waiting for the signal. two minutes and

the match will begin. players are anxious to win.

A Everybody, Another, Every B Anybody, Some, All C Everybody, Another, All the D All, Other, Each

11. He was pleased with because of them noticed

A him, nobody, anything B himself, any, nothing C them, no one, nothing D himself, none, anything

12. husband wife were responsible for the reli­  
gious development of theit household members.

A Either, or B Neither, nor C Both, and D Every, and

13. He is diligence . But he forgets one thing: the

difference between a good worker and a bad worker

is that one works with his heart and with his

hands.

A himself, the other

B , another

C itself, the other D himself, others

14. He thought over and came to the conclusion that

it was not in bad.

A it, himself C its, oneself

B it's, itself D it, itself

15. You and I may now consider as *tete-a-tete;* Sir

Nicolas won't be much in our way. He hears and sees  
 but .

A yourselves, anything, his B ourselves, nothing, himself C us, something, hisself D ourselves, somewhere, him

16. In the early part of the Modern English period the  
vocabulary was enlarged by the widespread use of one

part of speech for and by increased borrowings

from languages.

A the other, others

C other ones, another

B another, other

D others, another

**The Adjective & the Adverb**

**Test8**

1. One of games is chess, which originated in India

or probably China. It is a game of tradition and

is popular.

A old, the oldest, international B the most ancient, old, internationally C the more ancient, older, internationally D ancient, the oldest, the most international

2. You know still waters run , but I get to know

him, embarrassed I feel. I would like to have

information because I don't know what his

move is going to be.

A deeply, the better, the more, farther, next B deep, better, more, further, nearest C deeper, the best, the most, farther, near D deep, the better, the more, further, next

3. She did not have to change trains and went to Glas­  
gow . She felt and thought if Harry would be

able to meet her. But had she stepped on the

platform in Glasgow she saw him with a bundle

of flowers.

A direct, lonely, hardly, when

B directly, alone, hardly, than

C more directly, lonely, no sooner, when

D the most direct, alone, hardly,

4. they hurried it was they would be in time to

see him off. They came after his departure.

A The more, the less obvious, short B The more, more obviously, shortly C The more, the less obvious, shortly D The most, the least obviously, short

5. She opened two bottles of perfume. The perfume in

the oval bottle smelt that reminded her of

summer; but \_ had a strange smell.

A so sweetly, last, latter

B so sweet, late, the latter

C such sweetly, the latest, the former

D such sweet, later, last

6. The almonds, which I bought in the shop our

office, tasted . I threw away half of them.

A nearly, bitterly, almost

B near, bitter, nearly

C next to, bitter, near

D by, bitterly, all but

7. had we got out of the car he and his

brother rushed to us. It was how they could guess

where we were going.

A No sooner, when, older, strange B Hard, and, elder, strangely C No sooner, than, elder, strange D Hardly, when, eldest, strangely

8. There was an obvious weakness in the argument

but they were too to admit their mistake. The

most thing was that Nick, the friend of theirs,

did not support them.

A presenting, alarming, embarrassing, old

B presented, alarmed, embarrassed, eldest

C presented, alarmed, embarrassing, oldest

D presenting, alarmed, embarrassed, elder

9. It was far than he expected, so he made up his

mind to spend twice as money as he had wanted.

A more cheaper, more B more cheap, a lot C the cheapest, the most D cheaper, much

10. This is a task and I hope he'll cope with it. He remains

in any circumstances. His results are always .

A challenging, calmly, pleased B challenging, calm, pleasing C challenged, calm, pleased D challenged, calmly, pleasing

11. When he saw them standing to each other, he

laughed as though a weight had been lifted from

him. But his wife cut him saying his laughter was

not to the point.

A closely, joyfully, shortly

B close, joyful, short

C closely, joyful, short

D close, joyfully, short

12. Why is he backing out? It is not . He earns as

money as I do, and maybe even a lot than we both.

A fairly, much, much

B fair, much, more C fair, more, many D fairly, many, much

13. after she left the village, she felt too tired to go

any . She took a nap lying on the grass.

A Shortly, further, flat B Shortly, farther, flatly C Short, further, flat D Short, farther, flatly

14. To the , child this task would be .

A brighter, more advanced, challenged B more bright, the most advanced, challenging C the most bright, the most advanced, challenged D brighter, more advanced, challenging

15. Yesterday I got lost in the forest. I shouted and

but nobody came. Suddenly I felt somebody

watching me . I ran to the right and soon

found myself near the spring, which was to my

home. This was the most experience 1 had ever

had.

A loudly, longly, close, fastly, closely, excited B loudly, long, closely, fast, close, exciting C loud, long, close, quickly, close, exciting D loud, longer, close, quick, closely, excitement

16. Many fruits taste and delicious, and have the ad­  
vantage of being relatively in calories and in

nutrients.

A sweetly, lower, highly

B sweet, low, high

C more sweet, more low, more high

D sweeter, much more low, much more high

17. The most accepted theory of the origin of the

universe proposed that a huge explosion set all

the matter and energy in the universe.

A wide, free

B widely, freely

C wide, freely

D widely, free

18. During the French and Indian War, several colonies

had refused to cooperate in the war effort when

their own borders were not at risk.

A in full, immediately B fully, immediately C in fully, immediate D full, immediate

19. The task of drafting the declaration fell to Jefferson,  
who was known for his style.

A powerfully written B powerful written C powerful writing D powerfully writing

20. These colonies stayed to the coastline, never pen­  
etrating far inland, and in fact each was linked to

England than to the other colonies.

A close, more closely B closely, closely C closely, more closely D close, more closer

21. Although the British considered the act to be , many

American colonists saw it as a violation of their rights.

A perfect fair B perfectly fairly C perfect fairly D perfectly fair

22. a land bridge between two continents, Panama

developed plant and animal life than almost any­  
where else on Earth.

A As, more diverse C Like, diverselier B Being, diversely D As, diversely

**Test9**

**1.** He was a promising student in Maths and Physics

at Cambridge and always felt a lingering interest in the  
 subject.

A very, last C highly, latter

B , latest D quite, later

2. Pencil marks, those made by writing implements

using fluids, can be erased.

A different, easily

B not like, easy

C unlike, easily

D unlike, easy

3. The name mountain is usually applied to region of land  
that is raised rather above the surrounding ter­  
rain. Temperatures in the mountains are generally

than at sea level.

A highly, much low B high, far lower C high, a lot more lower D highly, more lower

4. Mr Rochester, as he sat in his damask-covered chair,

looked to what I had seen him look before—not

quite so , .

A differently, stern, much gloomy B differently, sternly, much more gloomy C different, stern, much less gloomy D different, stern, much more gloomier

5. Computerized tests adapt to the skill level of the indi­  
vidual test-taker. Each correct answer given by a stu­  
dent is followed by a question, and incorrect an­  
swers are followed by questions. the ques­  
tion, points the student can score.

A more difficult, less difficult, The more difficult,

the more

B less difficult, less difficult, More difficult, more C more difficult, more difficult, More difficult, the most D more difficult, less difficult, The more difficult,

the most

6. According to legend, Fuji arose from the plain during

a single night in 286 BC. the mountain is

than the legend asserts.

A From a geological point of view, far more old B Geologically, a lot elder

C From a geological point of view, quite more older D Geologically, much older

7. All members of the cat family are in physical char­  
acteristics, vision and hearing, and claws and

teeth that are for grasping and tearing.

A closely similarly, acutely, highly adapting B close similar, acute, high adapting C closely similar, acute, highly adapted D close similar, acute, high adapted

8. The islands were named after British explorer and nav­  
igator James Cook, who sighted them in 1773.

A firstly

C at first

B first

D at the first

9. Unlike the regulated and financed education sys­  
tems of many other industrialized societies, American

public education is the responsibility of the states

and school districts.

A nation's, firstly, individually

B national, chiefly, individual

C nationally, primarily, individual

D nation, mainly, individually

10. The structural design of a building depends on

the nature of the soil and geologic conditions and

modification by man of of these factors.

A essentially, underlied, both

B mainly, underlying, any

C greatly, underlying, either

D in the shortly run, underlying, every

11. Books differ from periodicals and newspapers because  
they are not published on a schedule.

A strictly daily, weekly, or monthly B strict day, week, or month C strictly day's, week's, or month's D strict daily, weekly, or monthly

12. In the 1990s several companies introduced elec­  
tronic books, or e-books. These devices display

the text of books on a small screen designed to make  
reading .

A late, computerized, easily B last, computerizing, easily C late, computerized, easy D latest, computerizing, easily

13. People have climbed mountains for activities

such as retrieving lost animals and hunting, but tech­  
nical climbing as a sport has a much history.

A for long, necessarily day, shorter B long, necessary daily, shorter C longly, necessary daily, shorter D long, necessarily day's,-more shorter

14. It used to be said that oil-exporting countries depended

on the oil-importing countries just as as the

depended on the .

A much, latter, former B much, last, first C the same, first, former D great, latter, first

15. She stretched herself out on the sofa and looked

at the barometer. She knew that falling pressure

usually meant a storm was approaching.

A flat, rapid C flat, rapidly

B flatly, rapidly D flatly, rapid

16. Although some cigars are made by **hand,**

most cigars are manufactured by machine.

A highly-quality, entirely

B high-quality, entire

C highly-quality, entire

D high-quality, entirely

17. , the results presented were **not** in accord with the

precise calculations.

A Interestingly enough, rather

B Interesting enough, prettily

C Enough interestingly, rather

D Enough interesting, pretty

18. high mountain ranges, such as the Sierra Ne­  
vada in the U.S., the Andes in South America, and  
the Himalayas in Asia, affect climate and weath­  
er patterns over vast areas of the earth because they

stand as barriers to circulating air masses.

A Enough, distinctly, regular B Especially, markedly, regularly

C Particular, clear, to regulate D In particular, evident, regular

19. The various islands gained their independence .  
and not always , units.

A like separate, viably B as separate, viable C as separately, viably D like separate, viable

20. The and most rural sections of Missouri are the

Ozark Upland and the north central section of the Northern Plains.

A most thinly populated B most thin populating C most thinly populating D mostly thin populated

21. The first schools in the area were opened by French  
settlers at St. Louis in the part of the 18th centu­  
ry-

A later C late

B latter D latest

22. The words *cloth* and *clothing* are related, meaning

fabric or textile, and meaning fabrics used to cover

the body.

A the first, the latter B the former, the latter C the former, the second D the first, the later

The Verb Test 10 I

1. A man who in the compartment said that the place

by a passenger who out to the diner.

A was sitting, is taken, went B sat, had been taken, has gone C was sitting, was taken, had gone D had been sitting, had taken, went

2. I cannot make up my mind if I them till I

when they .

A join, will find out, leave B will join, find out, will be leaving C will join, will find out, are leaving D would join, would find out, will leave

3. Cyprus on major migration routes for birds, and

in spring and autumn many millions through.

Many species also on the island,

A is lying, are passing, will winter

B lies, pass, winter

C is lying, pass, wintered

D has lain, have passed, have been wintering

4. The term Middle Ages by scholars in the *15th*

century to designate the interval between the downfall  
of the classical world of Greece and Rome and its re­  
discovery at the beginning of their own century, a  
revival in which they they . Indeed, the no­  
tion of a long period of cultural darkness by

Petrarch even earlier.

A coined, had felt, participated, had expressed

B is coined, feel, are participating, has been expressed

C has coined, have felt, had participated, was ex­pressed

D was coined, felt, were participating, had been ex­pressed

5. It that as a result of emigration and other fac­  
tors, such as war losses and temporary decline in fertili­  
ty, the population by about 5 per cent between

mid-1974 and 1977. The years since 1974 also by

an increase in persons leaving the island in search of work, especially in the Middle East.

A has been estimated, decreased, have been marked B estimated, had decreased, mark C has estimated, has decreased, have marked D was estimated, was decreased, was marked

6. Raphael's greatest work, "The School of Athens",

in the Vatican at the same time that Michelangelo

on the Sistine Chapel.

A had been being painted, worked B was painted, was working C was painting, had worked D has been painted, was working

7. You nothing unless you a microscope. It is

the most interesting specimen I .

A see, don't use, ever see B will see, don't use, have ever seen C will see, use, have ever seen D won't see, won't use, ever saw

8. Do you see a couple in the corner? Their dessert

now. As soon as they it, we their table.

A is served, finish, will take B is serving, will finish, take

C is being served, finish, will take

D has been served, will have finished, will take

9. What's the matter? ? — Yes, my mother bad­  
ly ill since yesterday.

A Have you cried, is

B Have you been crying, has been

C Did you cry, was

D Are you crying, had been

10. Where to? — My mother me to go to the

post office because they a break in half an hour.

A parcel to us.

A are you going, has asked, will be having, has sent

B do you go, asked, would have, was sent

C are you go, asked, will have had, is sent

D are you going, has asked, will have, has been sent

11. She said that by the time you to him for help they

the greater part of their research.

A had turned, will do B turn, will have done C turned, would have done D had turned, would do

12. The librarian said that she me another book unless

I the one which I several weeks before.

A would not give, did not return, had taken

B will not give, have returned, took

C would not give, returned, had taken

D would not have given, did not return, had taken

13. to London? — Yes, I there when there \_

an exhibition of our goods

A Have you ever been, was, was

B Have you ever been, have been, was

C Were you ever been, was, was

D Had you ever been, had been, had been

14. Provided the dam by February, the flood

several towns.

A was built, will have struck B has not been built, will strike C won't be built, will be striking D won't have been built, strikes

15. When I to Riga, it was cold, a stiong northern

wind and it for a fortnight.

A came, blew, was raining B had come, had been blowing, had rained C came, was blowing, had been raining D was coming, had blown, was raining

16. In 1963 fiber-tip markers into the U.S. market

and since then the ballpoint as the principal writ­  
ing implement.

A were introduced, had challenged B had introduced, challenged C were introduced, have challenged D were introduced, challenged

17. The fishing industry, which traditionally under­  
developed, .

A had been, is expanding B has been, had expanded C is, had been expanding D has been, is expanding

18. China the technology of silk production secret;

the ancient Greeks speculated that silk on a spe­  
cial tree in China.

A had kept, would grow B kept, grew

C would keep, had grown

D was keeping, grow





