

Vocabulary

commerce	founded	unique	perished	officially
construction	foundation	architecture	epidemic	innumerable
witness	alienates	breathtaking	discrimination	commemorate

1. We were awed by the _____ view from the cable car.
2. After exchanging marriage vows, they are now _____ Mr and Mrs Tan.
3. The defence lawyer called his first _____ to the stand.
4. The entire crew _____ at sea when the killer whale sunk the vessel.
5. Her bad temper _____ her from her classmates.
6. Sarah's laughter was _____; soon the entire class was laughing uncontrollably.
7. Humans are _____ among mammals in several aspects.
8. The reasons to be thankful are as _____ as the stars.
9. The orphanage was _____ by my late grandfather Mr Wong Kok Man.
10. The Taj Mahal represents the finest and most sophisticated example of Mughal _____.
11. The _____ of the island is thriving at a rapid rate.
12. The National Monument is built to _____ those who died in the struggle for Malaysia's freedom.
13. The law prohibits _____ in employment.
14. You should not believe the rumour which is without any _____.
15. The _____ of the new block will take place during the year-end holidays.

Cloze Passage

It is undeniable that the education system _____ (1) Malaysia has done a _____ (2) for students. Our literacy _____ (3) has risen tremendously over the _____ (4) twenty years. More youths are _____ (5) school for the work force at _____ (6) educational levels. The _____ (7) of Malaysians have had the benefit of primary education, _____ (8) most of our grandparents do not _____ (9).

However, there are still _____ (10) in our educational system which need improvement. _____ (11) is a need for quality education. We spend so _____ (12) time memorizing as many facts _____ (13) possible and then

regurgitating _____ (14) during our examinations. There is _____ (15) space for experimentation nor _____ (16) the cultivation of genuine interest. _____ (17) is required is a real understanding and appreciation of a subject, _____ (18) merely scoring high marks.

Until we learn _____ discard our inhibitions about the freedom of creativity, we will _____ achieve independence of thought.

Tenses

1. The savannah _____ (roam) by beautiful giraffes.
2. _____ you _____ (use) the internet now?
3. On Sports Day last year, the record for the obstacle course _____ (break) by Joseph Robinson.
4. Unless you tell him personally, he _____ (not listen).
5. I _____ (save) my document before the computer crashed.
6. The entire stretch of highway _____ (pave) by the crew last month.
7. Difficult questions _____ (always answer) correctly by Daphne.
8. _____ (you wait) for a long time before the taxi arrived?
9. The machine would explode if you _____ (use) it with wet hands.
10. Aunt Marcia _____ (constantly complain) about her mother-in-law.
11. Michael _____ (run) a marathon this Saturday morning.
12. He was very tired because he _____ (not sleep) well the previous night.
13. They _____ (chat) for more than an hour before Tony arrived.
14. When I reached the office, Mr Tan _____ (already go) out.
15. You _____ (not invest) all your money into that scheme if you had seen through his lies.
16. I _____ (meet) the management about my raise at five o'clock today.
17. We _____ (try) to open the door for five minutes before Jane found the key.

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distinct	irrationally	flourished	artificial	suspended
commemorate	innumerable	architecture	perished	epidemic
discrimination	construction	foundation	officially	magnificent

1. The _____ of the Great Wall of China took over twenty years.
2. The sales chart shows a _____ decline in sales in the past few months.
3. Every visitor to Edinburgh is captivated by its _____.
4. Many ancient languages have _____ over time.
5. People often behave _____ when they are stressed.
6. The recent outbreak of the influenza _____ has killed hundreds of people in Hong Kong.
7. That plaque _____ the battle that took place here 200 years ago.
8. I can't believe it. There are _____ mistakes in this story book.
9. The royal engagement was announced _____ this morning.
10. The company _____ with record profits under the new owner.
11. They moved out temporarily after discovering a crack in the house's _____.
12. The principal _____ the student for fighting.
13. AIDS victims often suffer social ostracism and _____.
14. Her crown was studded with _____ jewels.
15. This bread is completely free from _____ preservatives.

Simple Word Formation

1. That dictionary is _____ (my). My mum gave it to me long ago.
2. The principal's _____ (speak) was brief but inspiring.
3. What is the correct _____ (pronounce) of this word?
4. That movie is so _____ (amuse) that I wish to watch it again.
5. My _____ (beautiful) does facials for me every month.
6. Please take a _____ (sit).
7. She has been a _____ (faith) servant for that family for more than two decades.
8. The bus _____ (drive) was seriously injured in the accident.

9. Gary has _____ (succeed) won the tournament.
10. The company suffers a huge _____ (lose) during the recession.

Tenses.

1. Nobody _____ (live) in that old mansion.
2. The prime minister, together with his wife, _____ (just arrive) at the KLIA.
3. I am not hungry. I _____ (already eat) my lunch.
4. If it _____ (not be) for you, I would have died in the forest.
5. That dog _____ (howl) into the night for an hour.
6. _____ Bella _____ (not know) the rules of the game?
7. My grandmother _____ (not like) soap operas when she was young.
8. This restaurant _____ (not serve) Chinese food.
9. The plants _____ (water) by the gardener in the mornings.
10. The news _____ (broadcast) nightly.
11. Uncle Willy _____ (smoke), does he?
12. Dad _____ (believe) me if I had told him.
13. Tom _____ (struggle) with Maths for years before he began learning from Mr Lee.
14. The movie _____ (just begin) when I arrived at the cinema.
15. The thirteenth participant _____ (select) by the judges in the competition last night.
16. Darts _____ (be) a game of precision.
17. Lily _____ (use) the computer when it blacked out.
18. The clothes _____ (take) in if it rains.
19. I _____ (not join) the 3-day-camp next week.
20. Would you mind _____ (help) me this weekend?
21. Junice _____ (clean) up the house the whole morning.
22. Everyone _____ (listen) if Joshua speaks on the stage.
23. The cab driver drove recklessly and _____ (hurt) the pedestrian.
24. The story _____ (tell) about the hardships faced by a little matchgirl.
25. At the moment, the car _____ (wash) at the carwash.