

I. choose one of the most correct answer.

The following text is for questions number 1-3

Artist Turn Plastic Bags into Art

Making art with found materials is not a new idea. Recycled paper, cloth and metal goods can become important pictures and sculptures. An artist near Washington, D.C just had her recycled art on exhibit at the Prince George's African American Museum and Cultural Center in Maryland. She uses a material found in every American home.

Plastic bags are not costly to produce. They are also strong and easy to carry. This is why they are a popular container in much of the world.

But they also a major source of pollution. It can take hundreds of years for plastic bags to break down. As they do, tiny pieces can poison soil, lakes, rivers, and oceans. So, environmental experts urge reuse and recycle plastic bags.

Maryland artist Alita Irby does just that. It starts with the morning newspaper.

Ms. Irby will read it later in the day. What is more important is getting that plastic bag the paper comes in.

The mixed media artists recognized its rich possibilities about three years ago.

"As I was taking the news paper out. I felt the texture of these bags, they were soft. I just looked down and realized it takes three to make a braid. I will just put few staples in here just to keep it from unraveling."

Since then, Irby has been using plastic bags to create abstract lines in her art work

1. What does the text talk about?
 - a. News from America about the use of the plastic
 - b. An artist invites people to refuse plastic bags
 - c. An artist who turns plastic bags into art
 - d. An artist who avoids using plastic bags
 - e. The effects of using plastic bags
2. Why do people prefer using plastic bags to paper bags?
 - a. Because they are light and strong
 - b. Because they are available everywhere

- c. Because they are easy to be blundered
- d. Because they are transparent and strong
- e. Because they are strong and easy to carry

3. "Plastic bags are not costly to produce."

Pay attention to the following words

1. Inexpensive 3. Scarce 5. Easy

2. Expensive 4. Cheap

The correct synonyms of the underlined word are shown by number

- a. 1 and 3 c. 2 and 3 e. 3 and 6
- b. 1 and 4 d. 2 and 5

Text (For questions no 4-6)

On Wednesday, my students and I went to Yogyakarta. We stayed at Dirgahayu hotel which is not far from Malioboro.

On Thursday, we visited the temples in Prambanan. There are three big temples, the Brahma, Syiwa and Wisnu Temples. They are really amazing. We visited only Brahma and Syiwa temples because Wisnu temple is being renovated

On Friday morning, we went to Yogyakarta keraton. We spent two hours there. We were lucky because we led by a smart and friendly guide. Then we continued our journey to Borobudur. We arrived there at 4 pm. At 5 p.m we heard an announcement that Borobudur gate was closed. In the evening, we left for Yogyakarta by Wisata bus.

4. The text mainly discusses
 - a. The writer's trip to Yogyakarta
 - b. The writer's first visit to Prambanan
 - c. The writer's impression about the guide
 - d. The writer's experience at Yogyakarta keraton
 - e. The writer's impression about Borobudur
5. Which temple is being renovated?
 - a. Syiwa c. Syiwa dan Wisnu e. Wisnu
 - b. Brahma d. Borobudur
6. Which of the following statement is **TRUE**?
 - a. The writer and the students went to Yogyakarta for having a research
 - b. The writer went to Borobudur first and then to keraton
 - c. The writer was very disappointed with the guide

- d. Malioboro is very far from Dirgahayu Hotel
- e. The writer left for Jakarta on Friday

Text (For questions no 7-9)

A fox fell into a well and couldn't get out. By and by a thirsty goat comes along. Seeing the fox in the well, it asked if the water was good. "Good," said the fox, "it's the best water I've tasted in all my life. Come down and try it yourself".

The goat was thirsty so he got into the well. When he had drunk enough, he looked around but there was no way to get out. Then the fox said, "I have a good idea. You stand on your hind legs and put your forelegs against the side of the well. Then, I'll climb on your back. From there, I'll step on your horns and I can get out. And when I'm out, I'll help you out of the well."

The goat did as he was asked and the fox got on his back and climbed out of the well. Then he coolly walked away. The goat called out loudly after him and reminded him of his promise to help him out. The fox merely turned to him and said, "If you only had thought carefully about getting out, you wouldn't have jumped into the well".

The goat felt very sad. He called out loudly. An old man walking nearby heard him and put a plank into the well. The goat got out and thanked to the old man.

7. The text tells the story of
 - a. A fox
 - b. A goat
 - c. An old man and the fox
 - d. Fox and a goat
 - e. The goat and an old man
8. Paragraph two mainly tells
 - a. How the fox helped the goat
 - b. The fox's idea to get out of the well
 - c. Why the fox got into the well
 - d. How both the goat and the fox got out of the well.
 - e. How the fox got out of the well
9. "The goat did as he was asked" (p.3)
 What does the above sentence mean?
 - a. The goat drunk enough and looked around
 - b. The goat came down to the well and drank
 - c. The goat called out loudly after the fox got out
 - d. The goat waited someone who might help Him
 - e. The goat stood on his hind legs and put his forelegs against the side of the well

Text (for question no 10-14)

White Chicken Curry

A. Ingredients

We need some ingredients to make white chicken curry, as follow

- a) 1 small chicken, cut into peaces
- b) 2 cups fresh coconut milk (or 200 ml thick coconut milk and 200 ml water)

B. Grinded spices

We need some grinded spices to make white chicken curry, as follow;

- a) Shallots
- b) Garlic
- c) Galangal
- d) Lemongrass
- e. Cumin
- f. Salt
- g. Pepper
- h. Coriender

C. Cooking directions

We should do the following directions to make white chicken curry, as fillow:

1. Boil chicken. Allow 2 cups of broth to remain in the pot
 2. Fry the grinded spices with 2 spoons of vegetable oil
 3. Add the spices into the boiled chicken; turn to low heat until it is tender
 4. Add the coconut milk, stir, continue simmer to enhance flavor
 5. Serve your white chicken curry while hot
10. What does the text tell us about?
 - a. How to grind spices
 - b. How ti fry chicken
 - c. How to make thick coconut milk
 - d. How to cook white chicken curry
 - e. How to make fried chicken
 11. What do we do before allowing two cups of broth?
 - a. Serving your white chicken curry
 - b. Frying the grinded spices
 - c. Boiling the chicken
 - d. Adding the spices into the boild chicken
 - e. Adding the coconut milk
 12. Why do we need to simmer after adding coconut milk?
 - a. To make the chicken tender
 - b. To get attractive color
 - c. To make the curry spicy
 - d. To enhance flavor
 - e. To make the curry salty

13. “ turn to low heat until it is tender”
The word **It** refers to ...
a. Heat c. Chicken e. Pepper
b. Spice d. Vegetable oil
14. Which of the following procedures is true
a. We need 2 small chicken
b. We need 3 cups fresh coconut milk
c. We need not some grinded spices to make white chicken curry
d. We should serve a white chicken curry while cool
e. Turn to low heat until it is tender after adding the spices into the boiled chicken

Question (for no 15-18)

How to Send Document with a Fax Machine

A. Materials

Some documents

B. Tools

- 1) A fax machine
- 2) A power source
- 3) A telephone

C. Steps

- 1) Make sure the fax machine is plugged into a power source and also plugged into a working phone jack
- 2) Turn the fax machine on
- 3) Obtain the fax number of destination fax machine
- 4) Gather the documents you want to send and put them in the order you want them to be received
- 5) Fill out separate piece of paper called a cover sheet with the recipient's name, fax, number/phone number, your name, your phone number, a short message, and number of pages (including the cover sheet)
- 6) Lay the documents face-up in the fax machine feeder tray with the cover sheet on top
- 7) Press the 'fax' or 'send' button, depending on the particular fax machine model

15. What should you do before you put the documents on the feeder tray?
a. Create a cover sheet
b. Press the fax button
c. Lay the documents face-down
d. Complete the cover sheet
e. Complete the document you want

16. What kind of information that we do not need to fill out before sending the documents?
a. Our phone number d. The recipient's number
b. The sender's address e. The power source
c. The recipient's name
17. Which of the following information is not discussed about the fax machine?
a. It has one model
b. It can send documents through working telephone jack
c. It needs to be connected to a power source and a phone jack
d. It needs to be turned on before you get the destination fax number
e. It has to remove the dirt before used
18. What the writer intention to write the text above?
a. To describe a fax machine in accordance to document's sending
b. To persuade the readers to send a document using a fax machine well
c. To tell the readers how to send a document well
d. To report how to send a document well
e. To file complaints through fax

Question (for no 19-21)

Tips to Help Nose Bleeding Patients

1. If someone is having a nose bleed, your priority is to control the bleeding and keep their airway open
2. Get them to sit down (not lie down) as keeping the nose above the heart will reduce bleeding)
3. Get them to lean forward (not backwards), to make sure the blood drains out through their nose every ten minutes, until the bleeding stops
4. Encourage them not to speak, swallow, cough, spit or sniff because this may break blood clots that may have started to form in the nose.
5. If the bleeding is severe, or if it lasts more than 30 minutes, call for medical help

19. What is the purpose of the text?
a. To inform the readers the tips or methods to help nose bleeding patients
b. To report the procedural steps in helping nose bleeding patients
c. To illustrate the preventive methods of nose bleeding

- d. To provide instant help for nose bleeding patients
 - e. To describe the control methods of nose bleeding
20. The text is mostly useful in condition when....
- a. The bleeding can not be controlled
 - b. The patient's airway is blocked
 - c. The nose bleed occurs regularly
 - d. The nose bleed just occurred
 - e. The patients keep coughing
21. In case of nose bleeding, if a person speaks,
- a. His/Her blood drains out through his/her nose
 - b. He/She will suffer from severe bleeding
 - c. His/Her throat will block the airway
 - d. His/Her blood clot will not form
 - e. His/Her nose bleeds again

Question (for no 22-24)

Tips to Plant a Tree

Here are some tips to plant a tree easily, as follow:

- 1) Dig a hole as deep as the root ball and twice as wide
 - 2) Check to see if the soil around the hole is too hard. If it is, loosen it up a bit with a shovel
 - 3) Remove the container from the root ball. (the roots are like the tree's blood vessels and they work best if they are not all twisted and knotted up, so you might need to straighten them out if they are circling around after having grown in the container)
 - 4) Place the tree in the hole. Make sure the soil is at the same level on the tree as the tree grew in the garden center
 - 5) Fill in the hole around the root-ball with soil and pack the soil with your hands and feet to make sure that there are no air pockets.
 - 6) Make a little dam around the base of the tree, as wide as the hole, with left-over soil or grass clumps to hold in the water
 - 7) Give your new tree a good soaking with water to help settle into its new home
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22. How big should we dig the hole?
- a. As big as the root ball and as tall as the tree
 - b. As deep as the root ball and twice as wide
 - c. As big as the tree top
 - d. As deep as possible
 - e. As deep as the soil

23. What should we do when we know that the soil around the hole is too hard? We should
- a. Dig some holes around it
 - b. Loosen it with a shovel
 - c. Fertilize it with compost
 - d. Soak it with water
 - e. Loosen it with water
24. What should we do after we place the tree in the hole?
- a. Give your new tree a good soaking with water to help settle into its new home
 - b. Fill in the hole around the root-ball with soil and pack the soil with your hands and feet to make sure that there are no air pockets
 - c. Check to see if the soil around the hole is too hard
 - d. Dig a hole as deep as the root ball and twice as wide
 - e. Make sure the soil is at the same level on the tree as the tree grew in the garden center

Text (For questions no 25 - 28)

Forests are very important to keep the soil fertile and to prevent flood. The fallen leaves and decayed plants become humus which makes the soil rich and holds the rainwater.

For many years, people have not been obeying the government's regulations. They have been cutting down the trees carelessly. As a result, thousands of hectares of land have become worse and the rivers will be full of mud. In the wet season there will be erosion and floods which will destroy the farm lands and villages.

25. What is the main idea of paragraph 2?
- a. Rivers are full of mud
 - b. Land becomes infertile
 - c. Floods destroy villages
 - d. Erosions have caused floods
 - e. Deforestation has caused a lot of destruction
26. The following statements are the advantages of forests mentioned in the text, EXCEPT
- a. They keep the soil fertile
 - b. They prevent flood
 - c. They produce humus
 - d. They hold rainwater
 - e. They produce fresh air
27. Humus is made from
- a. Fertile soil
 - b. Rotten leaves
 - c. The root of tree
 - d. A kind of artificial fertilizer
 - e. Decayed plants and leaves

28. The soil fertile and to prevent flood. The underlined word is synonymous to
- a. Cause c. Change e Produce
b. Move d. Hinder

Text (For questions no 29 - 30)

Always take off your jewellery before doing housework. Detergents and cleaning powder can make it dull

Put jewellery on last when dressing, perfumes and hairsprays can tarnish it

Don't swim when wearing any gold- you might lose it. Also, chlorine and saltwater can have a bad effect

Clean it regularly. Soak in warm soapy water and gently brush with toothbrush. Rinse in clean water and dry with a soft , clean cloth.

To prevent scratching, keep gold separately in a jewel box

29. What is the topic of the text?
- a. Carat guide c.
b. Buyer's Guide
c. Going for gold
d. Earing for gold
e. What to look for
30. Which of the following can make your jewellery tarnish?
- a. Hairsprays and chlorine
b. Cleaning powders and perfumes
c. Salt water and warm soapy water
d. Hairsprays and perfumes
e. Detergents and cleaning water

The Jakarta Post, a leading English-language daily newspaper, requires a qualified reporter. The following qualifications are required :

1. Indonesian citizen
2. University degree
3. Able to operate a computer
4. Pleasing personality, highly motivated and dynamic
5. Willing to take a series of tests
6. Not more than 26 years old
7. Good understanding of English, TOEFL score at least 550

Please send an application letter in English, a copy of current curriculum vitae, a photocopy of identification card, a photocopy of diploma, a photocopy of TOEFL score, a sample of writing in English, and a recent passport sized photograph to

Human Resources Manager

The Jakarta Post

PO BOX Palmerah, Jakarta, 11001

Application should reach us before March 20, 2009.

31. Under what heading is this text likely found?
- a. Housing d. Job vacancy
b. Education e. Travel agency
c. Furniture
32. The Jakarta Post is looking for a person who is qualified in
- a. Teaching English
b. Writing news report
c. Making a series of tests
d. Leading a daily newspaper
e. Being a human resource manager
33. The Jakarta Post, a leading English language daily newspaper, requires a qualified reporter. The underlined word means
- a. Hires c. Needs e. Employs
b. Find d. Looks

Text (For questions no 34-35)

PANCAKE

Ingredients :

2 cups all purpose flour, sifted before measuring 1 egg, slightly beaten, 2 ½ teaspoons baking powder, 1 ½ cups milk, ½ teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons melted butter

Direction :

Stir together flour, baking powder and salt. In a separate bowl, combine eggs and milk. Then, add to flour mixture, stirring only until smooth. After that, blend in melted butter. Cook on a hot, greased griddle, using about ½ cup of butter for each pancake. Cook until brown on one side and around edge, turn and brown the other side. Recipe for pancake serves 4 people

34. The goal of the text above is to tell us
- a. The process of making cakes
b. Ingredients needed to make pancake
c. How to serve pancake.
d. A description of pancake
e. How to make pancake
35. The melted butter is mixed together into
- a. The mixture of flour, egg and milk
b. The mixture of baking powder, salt and egg
c. The mixture of milk and baking powder
d. The mixture of egg, flour and salt
e. The mixture of egg and flour

Text (For questions no 36 - 37)

Tom !

I am going to Anula supermarket to get some sugar. Would you like to turn the stove on when you are home? I have put some soup there. Just heat it for about 5 minutes and then take it out from stove before you have dinner

36. What is the message about ?
- Telling Tom to eat the soup
 - Telling Tom to heat the soup
 - Asking Tom to buy some sugar
 - Telling Tom to wait for about 5 minutes
 - Asking Tom to go to supermarket
37. I've put the soup there.the word there refers to
- home
 - kitchen
 - the supermarket
 - Anula supermarket
 - the stove

Text (For questions no 38 - 40)

Birds belong to a class of warm blooded vertebrate animals with feather covered bodies. Next to the animals, birds are the most important group of land-living vertebrates. All birds have feathers, although in some types, particularly those that cannot fly, the normal structure of the feathers may be much modified and be downy, woolly, or straw like. The forelimbs of birds are modified into wings. The bony part of the tail, except in the very earliest fossil birds is very short, and the visible tail is composed of feathers only. The teeth are absent except in some fossil forms. As in mammals the only other group of warm-blooded animal , the circulation is highly perfected so that there is no mixing of arterial and venous blood, but the arrangement of veins and arteries by which this is accomplished different in the two groups. Birds have keen hearing, although they have no external ears. The sense of sight also is very keen, but the sense of smell is weak or lacking, except few vultures and others birds.

38. The passage is about the ...of birds
- species
 - classification
 - definitions
 - clarification
 - characteristic
39. From the text we can conclude that both birds and mammals have ...
- Backbones
 - keen sights
 - downy feather
 - keen hearing
 - weak sense of smell

40. Birds are the most important group of land-living vertebrates, aren't they?
- Yes, They are
 - No, It is not
 - No, He is not
 - No, They are not
 - yes they is not

II. read the following text and answer the question

1. Ingredients
- Instant noodle
 - Water
 - Vegetables
 - One fried egg
2. Equipments
- A pan
 - A bowl
 - A spoon
3. Steps
- There are some steps to make instant noodle, as follow
- First boil the water in the pan for 3 until 5 minutes
 - Then, put the noodle into boiled water. Wait for three minutes
 - After that, put the vegetables into the pan
 - Mix with noodle
 - Next, put the ingredients into the bowl
 - Pour the mixture of the noodle, and vegetables into the bowl
 - Mix the noodle with the ingredients
 - Finally, put the fried egg on the noodle

Question

- How many ingredients are needed to cook instant noodle?
- What equipment should we use to cook instant noodle?
- What should we do before putting the noodle into boiled water?
- Where do we put the vegetables?
- What steps should we do after mixing the noodle with the ingredients?

II change the sentences below to passive voice

- The Chef prepares some kinds of western food
 - Kiara and Livia make some handicrafts together
 - Andar will visit Borobudur temple
 - The students and teacher are listening to the music
 - Hilman lost his keys yesterday
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