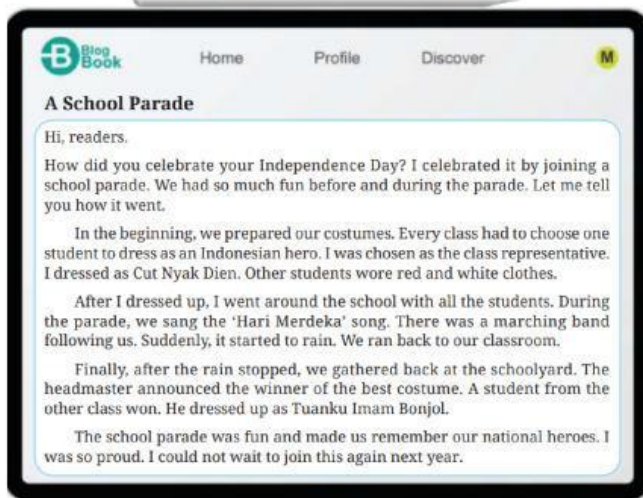


Text for number 1 – 8!

Read Monita's Blog below and answer the questions!



1. How did Monita celebrate her Independence Day?
 - A. By joining tandem race
 - B. By joining a school parade
 - C. By joining the tug of war game
 - D. By joining *panjat pinang* in her school
2. Where did the students run back in the middle of the parade?
 - A. They went home
 - B. They went to the hall
 - C. They went to the canteen
 - D. They went to the classroom
3. Who announced the winner of the best costume?
 - A. The vice headmaster did
 - B. The principal did
 - C. The teacher did
 - D. The staff did
4. I could not wait to join this again next year
The word "this" refers to _____
 - A. The Independence Day
 - B. The competition
 - C. The parade
 - D. The costume
5. Why did Monita not wear red and white clothes?
 - A. Because she wasn't chosen as the class representative
 - B. Because she was chosen as the class representative
 - C. Because she wanted to join the fashion show
 - D. Because she wanted to go to the party
6. How was the school parade?
 - A. It was entertaining

- B. It was boring
C. It was worse
D. It was bad
7. The fifth paragraph told us about _____
A. How the writer celebrated Independence Day
B. How the writer prepared the costume
C. How the school parade was felt
D. How the writer dressed up
8. After I dressed up, I went around the school with all students.
The word "I" refers to _____
A. Monita
B. The reader
C. The students
D. Monita's friend

Text for questions number 9 - 14!

Read Monita's story about the Independence Day celebration at SMP Merdeka



Today, my school held an Independence Day celebration event. It welcomed students from every grade to participate in many fun games, such as tug of war, *krupuk* race, sack race, tandem race, and the marble in spoon race. Many students participated, which made all the games so exciting.

In the beginning, I participated in the marble-in-spoon race. It was a very tight game between me and Galang. I almost beat him at the beginning of the race, but he was so fast and steady. He could even run with it. He came first and I came second. It was hard to beat Galang in this game.

The next game was a tug of war, sack race, and tandem race. All the games were held at the same time. I saw Andre participate in the sack race. At first, he led the race, but suddenly he fell in the middle of the race. But finally, he came second. It was so sad that he couldn't finish first. Meanwhile, Pipit participated in a tandem race with our friends. Her team came third. It was not too bad.

The last game was the *krupuk* race. Once again I met Galang in the final. The fun part was I finished first and he finished after me. I finished my *krupuk* with three or four bites.

It was a joyful day at my school. Everyone put a smile on their faces. I was delighted. At the end of the event, my class was announced as the grand champion of the whole competition.

9. What was the story about?
A. Independence Day celebration in Monita's hometown
B. Independence Day celebration in Monita's school
C. Independence Day celebration in Indonesia
D. Independence Day celebration in my village
10. Who could be the participant in the fun games?
A. 7 graders
B. 8 graders
C. The teachers
D. The whole students
11. How many fun games were being competed in the event?
A. Six
B. Four
C. Five
D. Seven

12. Who was the second winner of the sack race?

- A. Siti
- B. Andre
- C. Galang
- D. Monita

13. Who was the winner of last game?

- A. Galang
- B. Monita
- C. Andre
- D. Siti

14. How did Monita feel about the event?

- A. She felt sad
- B. She felt unhappy
- C. She felt delighted
- D. She felt embarrassed

15. What _____ the weather like?

Great, it was sunny!



- A. do
- B. did
- C. was
- D. were

This text is for number 16 – 22!

Read Andre's story about his experiences in watching a parade!

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A Parade in My Hometown

When I was a child, I always waited for Independence Day. My father used to ask me to watch a parade together. We saw it from our front yard. I remember how attractive the parade was.

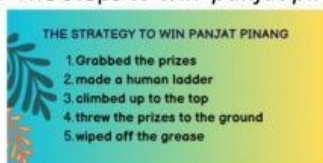
In the first line of the parade, I saw the people **dressed up** uniquely. Some people wore Indonesian heroes' costumes. Some others dressed like local ghosts. They were scary but they were funny, too.

Next, I remembered that a lot of people **marched in** the second line. They waved a mini Indonesian flag. They walked around the village and sang the 'Hari Merdeka' song. Their singing was accompanied by traditional instruments like *angklung*, *suling*, and *rebana*.

At last, I also saw that many children rode their bicycles in the parade. They decorated their bicycles creatively.

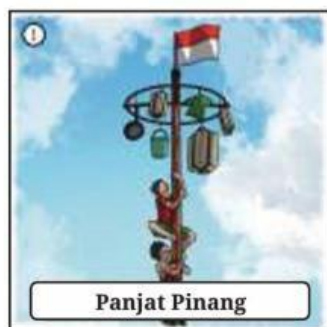
I always wanted to join the parade but I was too shy. Luckily, I have the chance to join a parade at my school next week. I am really looking forward to it.

16. Why did Andre always wait for independence's day?
Because his father used to ask him to _____
A. dress up uniquely
B. perform in the parade
C. ride and decorate the bike
D. watch the parade together
17. What did people do during the parade?
A. People drive the car during the parade
B. People dressed up uniquely in the parade
C. People rode the motorbike during the parade
D. People sang "*Halo-Halo Bandung*" song during the parade
18. People _____ Indonesian heroes' costumes and local ghost.
A. wear
B. wore
C. worn
D. wearing
19. What musical instruments did people use during the parade?
A. *Angklung, suling and guitar*
B. *Angklung, suling and rebana*
C. *Angklung, suling and gendang*
D. *Angklung, guitar and gendang*
20. Why didn't Andre join the parade?
Because he was _____
A. afraid
B. brave
C. angry
D. shy
21. They waved a mini Indonesian flag (the third paragraph)
"They" refer to _____
A. heroes
B. people
C. children
D. Galang and his father
22. When I was a child, I always waited for Independence Day (the first paragraph).
The word "I" refer to _____
A. People
B. reader
C. writer
D. buyer
23. The steps to win '*panjat pinang*' are _____



- A. 2-1-5-4-3
- B. 2-5-3-4-1
- C. 2-5-3-1-4
- D. 2-5-1-3-4

24. What can we learn from “*panjat pinang*” game?



- A. Bad teamwork
- B. Good teamwork
- C. Worse teamwork
- D. Worst teamwork

25. Rearrange these words into a good sentence!

laptop - Did - last week - a - buy - Azelia - new - ?
 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 - 7 - 8

- A. 2-5-6-4-1-7-3-8
- B. 2-6-5-4-1-7-3-8
- C. 2-6-5-4-7-1-3-8
- D. 2-4-7-1-5-6-3-8

The text for questions number 26 – 30!

SMP Merdeka's School Parade

On August 17th, SMP Merdeka held a school parade to celebrate Independence Day. All students joined the event and so did Galang and his friends. They dressed up like the Indonesian freedom fighters during the Independence war. Some of them brought guns, spiked bamboos, swords, and many more. They also wore many red and white attributes making the event more patriotic.

In the beginning, as instructed, all participants lined up and started to march. Then, they marched along the decided route passing some villages near SMP Merdeka. The villagers were very excited to watch the parade pass their houses. Many of them stood along the street welcoming and cheering the parade.

Not so long after, the parade reached the rest post. It was the place for participants to draw a door prize coupon and have some drinks. After drawing a coupon, they continued to parade to their school as the final destination.

After returning to school, all participants took some rest while waiting for the door prize announcement. Finally, the headmaster announced the winner. There were ten students who got the door prize and Galang was one of them. Everyone felt happy with the events.

26. When did SMP Merdeka hold a school parade?
- A. On August 7th
 - B. On August 11th
 - C. On August 17th
 - D. On August 27th
27. What is the main idea of the first paragraph?
- A. The headmaster announced the winner
 - B. All participants lined up and started to march
 - C. They continued to their school after have some drinks
 - D. School Merdeka held a school parade to celebrating Independence Day
28. Were the villagers excited to watch the parade?
- A. Yes, they are
 - B. Yes, they were
 - C. No, they aren't
 - D. No, they weren't
29. Who won the door prize?
- A. Galang did
 - B. The teachers
 - C. All the students
 - D. Galang and his 9 friends
30. What made the event more patriotic?
- A. The participants marched along the route
 - B. The participants drew door prize coupon
 - C. The participants dressed up like a model
 - D. The participants brought guns, spike bamboos and they dressed up like the Indonesian freedom fighter

31. Complete the dialog below!

Situation: The students are talking about the games they joined

Bilqis : Hi, everyone, how was the game?

Ratu : _____

Vira : I agree! It was the best Independence Day celebration ever in our school.

Gadis : It was! There were many fun games like the *kerupuk* race, tug of war, and marble in spoon race.

Azaliya : We had some winners from our class. Galang came first for the marble in spoon race.

- A. It was tiring
- B. It was boring
- C. It was happy
- D. It was unhappy

32. Read the dialog and complete the dialog!

Alisha : Did your team win the tug of war?

Gio : Unfortunately, our team didn't win

Alisha : _____

Gio : That's okay

- A. I'm proud of you
- B. I'm happy for you
- C. I'm sorry to hear that
- D. I'm pleased to hear that

33. Read the dialog and complete the dialog!



Wibi : Dad, did you give up?

Daddy : No, we never gave up.

Wibi : So, what did you do then?

Daddy : First, _____, and wiped off the grease bit by bit

Wibi : Then, what?

Daddy : One of us finally got to the top and threw the prizes to the ground

- A. We made a wood letter
- B. We made human letter
- C. We made human ladder
- D. We made a home ladder

34. The correct sentence from the jumble words below is _____

many - rode - children - their - in the parade - saw - bicycles - I

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 - 7 - 8

Many children saw I in the parade rode their bicycles
Many children in the parade saw their bicycles I rode
I saw many bicycles rode their children in the parade
I saw many children rode their bicycles in the parade

35. What did they do last weekend?



- A. They played online games in the cafe
- B. They watched a movie in the cinema
- C. They listened to the music in studio
- D. They saw a concert in the field

36. Complete the dialog below!

Alice : Helen, I get the first winner of the best costume at the school parade

Helen : _____

- A. I am sorry to hear that!
- B. I am happy to hear that!
- C. Do your best!
- D. Good luck!

37. What did they do yesterday?



- A. They watched television
- B. They cleaned the kitchen
- C. They cooked in the kitchen
- D. They washed the dishes together

Read the text!

Situation:

Siti has just got the first prize in the "sack race" to celebrate Independence Day.

Beni congratulates her.

38. What does Beni say to congratulate Siti?

- A. Sure, Good luck.
- B. Congratulate to Siti
- C. Congratulations, Siti.
- D. Thanks, I will do my best



39. The correct statement is . . .
- A. Fattan has joined a competition
 - B. Gio is a winner of English debate
 - C. Fattan is a winner of English debate
 - D. Gio's mother teaches him about the English debate
40. How would you congratulate someone who win English competition?
- A. Happy English graduation!
 - B. Congratulations on your English graduation
 - C. Congratulations for winning English promotion
 - D. Congratulations for winning English competition

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