

A If a line is correct, put a tick (✓) next to the number. If there is an extra word in a line, write it next to the number.

Quiz Show

1 Last month, I wrote to a few local television station asking if
 2 they gave away the free tickets to any shows. A week later,
 3 they sent to me two tickets for a quiz show. I went with my
 4 best friend Angie last night. It was an excellent! The show
 5 is called *Know Them Or Not?* and contestants have to
 6 answer questions about a lots of different people in their lives,
 7 like friends, relatives and colleagues. There are ten contestants
 8 to start with but one of them gets knocked out at the end of
 9 each round. I'd like to go into on a show like that one day
 10 but, for now, I'm much happy just to have been in the audience.

(1 mark per answer)

B Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals when this is necessary.

11 Why can't (**POLITICS**) ever just say 'yes' or 'no' when they're asked if they agree with something?
 12 I was hoping this book would help me with my history project but in fact it wasn't very (**INFORM**).
 13 My cousin Dan has kept a (**JOURNAL**) since he was twelve years old.
 14 Did you hear that (**ANNOUNCE**) on the radio about the water shortage?
 15 There's an (**WRITE**) rule in our house about how late we can stay up to watch TV.
 16 I just stood there in (**BELIEVE**) when I heard I'd been selected to go on the quiz show.
 17 The Internet is an incredibly powerful means of (**COMMUNICATE**).
 18 I wouldn't describe the film as a comedy, but one or two scenes are mildly (**HUMOUR**).

(1 mark per answer)

C Complete the second sentence using the word given, so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Write between two and five words in each gap.

19 These two dictionaries are similar. **little**
 There these two dictionaries.
 20 My first editor greatly influenced me. **influence**
 My first editor me.
 21 They described the robber on the evening news. **gave**
 They the robber on the evening news.
 22 Robert Maxdoch has just bought the newspaper. **control**
 The newspaper is now Robert Maxdoch.
 23 You'll be wasting your time if you try to get tickets for that show. **point**
 There to get tickets for that show.
 24 I believe that adverts do influence people's buying habits. **view**
 It that adverts do influence people's buying habits.

25 The prime minister will probably make a statement this afternoon. **likely**
 The prime minister a statement this afternoon.

26 A programme about the royal family will be shown instead of *Friends* this evening. **place**
 This evening, *Friends*, a programme about the royal family will be shown.

27 The Hollywood star wouldn't say anything about the allegations. **comment**
 The Hollywood star refused the allegations.

(2 marks per answer)

D Use the words in the box only once to complete the sentences in Table A. The meaning of the sentences in Table B will help you. There is one word you won't need.

few • little • lot • lots • many • most • much • some

Table A	Table B
28 How information do we have at the moment?	<i>asking about an amount</i>
29 Only a print journalists manage to move into television.	<i>describing a small amount</i>
30 This magazine's got of adverts in it.	<i>describing a large amount</i>
31 I won money on a quiz show once.	<i>describing an imprecise amount</i>
32 There's chance of getting rich from starting a website.	<i>describing a small amount</i>
33 I think that children's TV programmes these days are educational.	<i>describing a majority</i>
34 There aren't opportunities for poets to get published.	<i>describing a small amount</i>

(1 mark per answer)

E Choose the correct answer.

35 The programme usually on at half past eight.
 A looks C turns
 B does D comes

36 I saw the interview while I was through a magazine at the hairdresser's.
 A clicking C picking
 B flicking D ticking

37 Why did you have to bring that subject at dinner?
 A up C over
 B out D off

38 They mentioned it in the article but they didn't into detail.
 A make C come
 B take D go

39 The tabloids completely that story about Bruce Willis. It's not true at all!
 A stood out C made up
 B filled in D turned over

40 They were out free tickets to the concert to everyone in the shopping centre.
 A handing C carrying
 B holding D bringing

41 We had the volume turned down, so I couldn't make what they were talking about.
 A up C in
 B out D off

(1 mark per answer)

Total mark: / 50