

English Homework



The Elves and The Shoemaker

Name: _____

Group: _____

A. Choose the correct option:

1. The elves clapped when they saw

- i. leather for more bags.
- ii. wool for more jumpers.
- iii. their new clothes.
- iv. a table full of bread.

2. What did the elves do after they had made the shoes?

- i. They danced in front of the fire.
- ii. They fell asleep on the couch.
- iii. They baked a loaf of bread.
- iv. They made a new handbag.

3. What did the shoemaker say when he saw the new shoes on his table?

- i. He said, 'Oh no!'
- ii. He said, 'They are too small.'
- iii. He said, 'Wow!'
- iv. He said, 'They don't fit me.'

4. When the shoemaker cut leather, he went

- i. chop, chop.
- ii. snip, snip.
- iii. sew, sew.
- iv. bang, bang.

5. After the elves had their gifts, they

- i. came to live with the shoemaker.
- ii. never visited the shoemaker again.
- iii. made more beautiful shoes than ever.
- iv. started visiting the other villagers.

6. The shoemaker and his wife felt sorry for the elves because

- i. the elves had forgotten to take their bread.
- ii. the elves had to live in the forest.
- iii. the elves wore thin clothes out in the cold.
- iv. the elves were hated by everyone.

7. The shoemaker's wife wanted to help the elves because

- i. she wanted the elves to go away.
- ii. she wanted the elves to stay.
- iii. the elves had been so kind.
- iv. the elves had asked for her help.

8. The shoemaker's wife wondered who

- i. wrote the letter that was under the door.
- ii. would make such beautiful handbags.
- iii. was coming into their house at night.
- iv. was stealing the bread she made.

9. The shoemaker and his wife _____ while they were hiding.

- i. fell asleep
- ii. saw nothing
- iii. felt sad
- iv. heard giggling

10. With the last of the flour, _____ made some bread.

- i. the shoemaker
- ii. the elves
- iii. the shoemaker's wife
- iv. the two cats

11. When it got late the shoemaker said,

- i. 'I'll have to work all night.'
- ii. 'My brother can finish it.'
- iii. 'I'll finish in the morning.'
- iv. 'My wife can make them.'

12. When the elves found their gifts, they

- i. made some more shoes.
- ii. said they looked silly.
- iii. had a long sleep.
- iv. went out to play.

13. The shoemaker's wife made

- i. jewellery for the elves.
- ii. twenty tiny loaves of bread.
- iii. a big pot of pea soup.
- iv. hats and coats for the elves.

14. One morning the shoemaker found _____
on his table.

- i. two pairs of shoes
- ii. a brown handbag
- iii. a new backpack
- iv. three silver buttons

15. After the winter the shoemaker was rich
because

- i. a rich man gave the shoemaker all his money.
- ii. he found a pot of gold in his garden.
- iii. he kept selling all the shoes on his table.

16. When the shoemaker saw the new shoes on his table, he thought

- i. his wife had finished them.
- ii. his brother had made them.
- iii. his eyes were playing tricks on him.
- iv. his friends were working too hard.

17. After the shoemaker sold the shoes

- i. his wife scolded him.
- ii. he bought more leather.
- iii. his brother was angry.
- iv. he bought some cheese.

18. The shoemaker's wife wanted to

- i. move to a bigger house.
- ii. find out if they were in danger.
- iii. stop making her own bread.
- iv. ask her friends to tea.

19. When the shoemaker and his wife hid, they

- i. were laughing.
- ii. couldn't stay awake.
- iii. couldn't see anyone.
- iv. were a bit scared.

20. The shoemaker and _____ lived in a little house.

- i. his wife
- ii. two cats
- iii. his brother
- iv. three dogs

21. The shoemaker only had enough leather

- i. for a new belt.
- ii. for one pair of shoes.
- iii. to make a saddle.
- iv. to sew a bag.

22. The shoemaker made

- i. jewellery for the elves.
- ii. a bag for his wife.
- iii. shoes for the elves.
- iv. a belt for his brother.