

## Test Practice

### A. Choose the best answer!

#### KD 3.1: Offering Help

##### Text 1: for questions 1-5

Mechanic : Good morning, Nashville Auto Garage,  
\_\_\_\_\_? 2)

Customer : Yes, I hope so. I'm having trouble with my car engine. It wouldn't start this morning. Can you come over and repair it for me, please?

Mechanic : Umm.... What can I say? Mmm... my men are working on some cars right now, Sir. I think you'll have to wait for a few hours. What if we come to your house tomorrow?

Customer : But, I need the car tomorrow.

Mechanic : You could try other garages.

Customer : I want to, but I don't have any contacts. Besides, I have been your loyal customer for a long time.

Mechanic : I have a friend who might help you. He's also a car mechanic like me and I guarantee that he will repair your car as well as we do. Let me call him for you now. 3)

Customer : Oh, that's very kind of you to offer. Thanks.

1. What problem does the customer have?
  - A. He no friend to fix his car.
  - B. He has to repair his car by himself.
  - C. There is a problem with the engine of his car.
  - D. He has to take his car to the mechanic tomorrow.
  - E. He will have to wait for a few hours for the mechanic to fix his car.
2. The best expression to complete the sentence is ....
  - A. Need help?
  - B. Give me a shout if you need me
  - C. Are you looking for something?
  - D. How can I help you?
  - E. It looks like you need help.
3. Which is the best expression to replace "Let me call him for you now."
  - A. Can I call him?
  - B. Can you call him?
  - C. Do you want me to call you?
  - D. I will call him for you if you like.
  - E. Would you like him to call you?
4. What would the mechanic do after the conversation?
  - A. Try other garage
  - B. Wait for a few hours
  - C. Call his mechanic friend
  - D. Go and fix the customer's car
  - E. Ask his man to go and fix the customer's car

5. Which expression in the dialogue is used for accepting help offer?
  - A. But, I need the car tomorrow.
  - B. I want to, but I don't have any contacts.
  - C. What if we come to your house tomorrow?
  - D. Oh, that's very kind of you to offer. Thanks.
  - E. Can you come over and repair it for me, please?

##### Text 2: for questions 6-9

A: It looks like we'll have a splendid dinner. Is there anyone special coming this evening?

B: Yes, dear. Your Dad will be home with his boss tonight. We'll have dinner with him.

A: Oh.. that must be great! Is there anything I can do to help? 8)

B: .... 9). Would you prefer helping with the chopping or frying?

A: I can never tell when the food is done whenever I'm frying things. I'll do the chopping.

B: Perfect! Here is the garlic and onion. You'd better be careful with the knife, Daddy has just sharpened it.

A: No worries. I can handle it.

6. Where does the conversation most likely happen?
  - A. At home
  - B. In an office
  - C. On the street
  - D. In the market
  - E. At a restaurant
7. What is the possible relationship between the two speakers?
  - A. Chef - assistant
  - B. Boss - assistant
  - C. Husband and wife
  - D. Mother – daughter
  - E. Customer – shop attendant
8. Which is the best expression to replace "Is there anything I can do to help?"
  - A. Can you help me?
  - B. Do you need a hand?
  - C. How can I work on this?
  - D. How is everything going?
  - E. Could you do me a favour?
9. The best expression to fill in the blanks is ....
  - A. Let me help you.
  - B. No, it's okay. Thanks.
  - C. Oh, please don't bother.
  - D. Oh, that would be marvelous.
  - E. Thanks, but I can do it myself.

**KD. 3.2: Job Application Letter****Text 3: for questions number 10-16**

Email Subject: Eric Tala, Marketing Associate Position

Dear Ms. Castañeda,

I would like to express my interest in applying for the position of Marketing Associate as was recently made available in your company.

I believe that my degree in Business Administration (BSBA) major in Marketing from the Philippine School of Business Administration (PSBA) has prepared me for this position. As a student, I was equipped with the necessary knowledge and skills to help develop and drive effective marketing strategies.

During my internship at Unilever Philippines' Marketing Department, I learned how companies determine what product or service to sell, how to reach target demographics and how to respond to the demands of competitors. More importantly, I had the opportunity to work with seasoned professionals who taught me how to easily grasp complex marketing concepts and at certain times, how to roll with the punches in order to achieve various objectives.

I have also acquainted myself with a wide range of skills that allow me to blend with the group or team's culture and to continuously strive to reach common goals amidst failures and setbacks.

My active involvement in many academic and extracurricular activities has done so well in developing my communication and leadership skills, which are vital in finding success in the corporate world.

With this application letter, I attach herewith my resume for your full consideration.

Yours sincerely,

Alvin C. Marfal  
7194 Marcelo Ave  
Parañaque City, Metro Manila 1700  
Mobile: +63 929 XXX XXXX

10. What is the purpose of writing the email?

- A. To apply for a position
- B. To describe one's personality
- C. To retell about someone's working experience
- D. To persuade the reader that working experience is important
- E. To express one's point of view about working at a company.

11. We learn from the text that the writer ....

- A. sends the letter to Alvin C Marfal
- B. sends a resume along with the letter
- C. applies for a job as Business Administration Manager
- D. is working for Unilever Philippines' Marketing Department
- E. is a student of the Philippine School of Business Administration (PSBA)

12. Which paragraph is about the writer's working experience?

- A. Par. 1
- B. Par. 2
- C. Par. 3
- D. Par. 1 & 2
- E. Par. 2 & 3

13. Where should we write the following sentence:

*Thank you for taking time to review my application and I am looking forward to your reply so that we can further discuss my application.*

- A. After paragraph 1
- B. After paragraph 2
- C. At the end of paragraph 4
- D. At the end of paragraph 5
- E. At the end of paragraph 6

14. The writer would likely get the position because of the following reasons, except ....

- A. He holds a degree in Business Administration majoring in Marketing
- B. He had learned about marketing strategic during his internship at Unilever Company in Philippine
- C. He had worked as a marketing staff before applying for the position as marketing associate
- D. He had been involved actively in many academic and extracurricular activities to develop his communication skills
- E. He had improved a wide range of skills to make him able to work in group or team to reach the same goals.

15. I would like to express my interest in applying for the position of ... (par. 1)

The underlined word is similar in meaning with ....

- A. Job
- B. Rank
- C. Opinion
- D. Situation
- E. Location

16. Find a word from the text which means: *a document used by persons to present their backgrounds and skills.*

- A. degree
- B. resume
- C. interest
- D. internship
- E. qualification

**KD. 3.3: Caption****Picture and text for questions numbers 17-18**

A bucket seller (**walk**) 18) across a roofless pedestrian bridge on Jl. Sudirman in Central Jakarta on Wednesday, Nov. 6, 2019. Governor Anies Baswedan reportedly (**order**) 19) the roof's removal for the sake of urban aesthetics. (JP/Dionnasius Aditya)

17. Which part of a caption is not included in the caption above?

- Title
- Photo credit
- Information about who
- Information about where
- Additional information

18. Change the verb in the bracket into the correct form!

- walks
- walked
- is walking
- has walked
- had walked

19. Change the verb in the bracket into the correct form!

- orders
- ordered
- is ordering
- has ordered
- had ordered

**Picture for questions 20-21**

20. Rearrange the following phrases to make a good caption!

- pushed garbage and stormwater downstream to Jakarta via the Ciliwung.
- Residents of Bukit Duri on the banks of the Ciliwung River in South Jakarta
- Heavy rains in Bogor, West Java,
- (JP/PJ Leo)
- start cleaning up their houses
- after floodwaters receded on Monday.

- 2-1-3-5-6-4
- 2-1-6-2-5-4
- 2-5-6-3-1-4
- 3-1-2-5-6-4
- 3-1-6-2-5-4

21. Where did the flood happen?

- Bogor
- West java
- Ciliwung river
- A bank at Bukit Duri
- Bukit Duri residence.

**KD. 3.4. News Item****Text for questions 22-28****Four killed in California backyard shooting: police**

Four people were shot dead and six others wounded while watching a football game in the backyard of a central California home on Sunday, police said. Police were called to the scene after at least one person opened fire into a crowd of about 35 people gathered outside the house in Fresno, around 200 miles (320 kilometers) north of Los Angeles

"Three people died on scene," Fresno deputy police chief Michael Reed told reporters, adding that a fourth was rushed to hospital in critical condition and died due to his injuries there.

All four of the dead and the six treated for "non-life-threatening" gunshot wounds were men aged between 25 and 35, Reed said.

"Our heart goes out to the families of the victims... this is senseless violence, he added.

"We are doing everything we can to bring the perpetrators to justice."

Reed said it was unclear how many perpetrators had been involved in the shooting and that there was "no indication" the incident was gang-related.

Police spokesman Bill Dooley said officers were looking for surveillance footage and witnesses to track the suspects.

Choua Vang, who lives near the site of the attack, said that Sunday's incident was the second shooting in the area in as many weeks.

"It makes me feel unsafe to be outside when the sun's down," he told the Fresno Bee newspaper.

22. What is the text about?

- Land fire in California
- Gang fight in California
- Gun Shooting in California
- Traffic accident in California
- A football match in California

23. What is the purpose of the text?

- To inform a past event involving Michael Reed.
- To describe a site at the Central California Home.
- To persuade people that police officer should be called when there is an accident.
- To inform a newsworthy event happening around the Central California Home.
- To explain a series of evacuation process to the hospital after an accident at the Central California Home.

24. We learn from the text that ....

- there were 35 people injured in the incident
- the police officer had captured the criminals
- people living at the nearby place felt insecure to go out in the evening
- the gun shooting was the first incident happened at the surrounding area
- the victims were watching football game at a stadium when the incident happened

25. Which statement is correct based on the text?

- None of the victims is female.
- Choua Vang is one of the victims.
- Some of the victims are teenagers.
- Four people dies on scene in the incident.
- Certain gang was responsible for the shooting.

26. "We are doing everything we can to bring the perpetrators to justice."

The underlined word is similar in meaning with ....

- targets
- victims
- criminals
- casualties
- witnesses

27. ... was rushed to hospital in critical condition and died due to his injuries there. (par. 2)

The underlined word refers to ....

- Bill Dooley
- Michael Reed
- police spokesman
- one of the victims
- deputy Police Chief

28. The source person in the text are the ....

- victims
- witnesses
- authorities
- experts and a victim
- authorities and a witness

**Text for questions 29-33**

The police are investigating an explosion that took place in the back yard of the Parepare Prosecutor's Office in South Sulawesi on Tuesday afternoon.

National Police spokesman Insp. Gen. Muhammad Iqbal confirmed the incident but refused to give details about the cause of the explosion as the investigation is still ongoing.

"We don't know where the blast came from. It happened at 2:45 p.m. in the back yard of the Parepare Prosecutor's Office," he said in Jakarta on Tuesday as reported by kompas.com.

He said it was still unknown whether a low or high explosive had been used. The Parepare police have deployed a bomb squad to investigate the site and assess the possibility of another explosion.

No casualties have been reported in the incident. The blast caused some damage to the building, Iqbal said, although he could not yet give details on the level of destruction. (vla)

29. Which of the following is the best headline for the text?

- Two policemen killed in Cairo explosion: Interior ministry
- Police question five eyewitnesses over explosion at mall
- Police probe explosion at Parepare Prosecutor's Office
- Blast at Central Java Police's explosives warehouse injures one
- Two children killed, 8 adults injured in explosion in Medan

30. We don't know where the blast came from. (par. 3)

The underlined word is similar in meaning with ...

- fire
- flash
- disaster
- explosion
- incident

31. It happened at 2:45 p.m. (par. 3)

The underlined word refers to ....

- blast
- the site
- investigation
- a bomb squad
- prosecutor's office

32. No casualties have been reported in the incident. (par. 5)

The underlined word is similar in meaning with ....

- fatalities
- survivors
- offenders

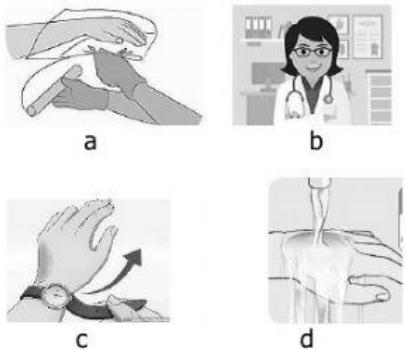
D. targets  
E. criminals

33. We learn from the text that ....  
A. the explosion happened indoor  
B. the explosion happened in the morning  
C. some people were injured in the incident  
D. the police had finished the investigation on the incident  
E. the building would need repairing due to the explosion

**KD. 3.6. Procedure Text**  
**Text for questions 34-41**



34. Rearrange the following steps based on the text!



A. b - d - c - a  
B. c - d - a - b  
C. c - b - d - a  
D. d - a - c - b  
E. d - c - a - b

35. What is the purpose of the text above?  
A. To describe first aid tools.  
B. To invite people to help others.  
C. To announce about first aid course.  
D. To persuade people to join first aid team.  
E. To inform people about steps in giving aid.

36. What should be done to burn injury?  
A. Soak it with warm water.  
B. Pour disinfectant to sterilize it.  
C. Rub the affected area with ice cube.  
D. Cover the burned area with damp cloth.  
E. Free the swollen area from tightening object.

37. Who could be the writer of the text?  
A. A mother  
B. A teacher  
C. A scientist  
D. A paramedic  
E. An environmentalist

38. The expression "Act At Once- Delay Is Serious" means ....  
A. First aid should be delayed if the wound is serious.  
B. First aid should be done once only for a serious case.  
C. First aid should be delayed at once if the wound looks serious.  
D. First aid should be given once only and that should be done seriously.  
E. First aid should be given as soon as the accident happens otherwise the effect could be serious.

39. Immediately **immerse** the affected area...  
The synonym of the underlined word is ....  
A. soak  
B. pour  
C. wipe  
D. rinse  
E. spray

40. What is the purpose of immersing the burn injury with water? It is to ....  
A. clean it  
B. ease the pain  
C. avoid swelling  
D. cover the injury  
E. remove constriction

41. The object to cover the burn injury should be ....  
A. dry and tight  
B. wet and tight  
C. dry and sterile  
D. damp and sterile  
E. dry and transparent

**Text for questions 42-50**

During warm weather or rainy seasons, many people discover ants entering their houses and garden areas.

**House-invading ants can get into your food, damage property or cause stinging bites. These tiny creatures can also cause damage to your plants.**

Dealing with ants can be very frustrating. Pesticides for ants contain chemicals that are **harmful** to humans and the environment, but there are some natural, non-toxic ways to control ants. These may take some time and patience, but will provide good results.

White vinegar will send an eviction notice to ants on your premises. They cannot bear **its** strong smell. In addition, the smell masks their **scent** trails, making them lose their direction.

1. Mix equal parts of white vinegar and water.
2. Pour the solution into a spray bottle.
3. Add a few drops of any essential oil and shake the bottle thoroughly.
4. Spray this solution around baseboards and other entry points.
5. After an hour, wipe up the ants using a damp paper towel and discard them.
6. Repeat once daily until the ants are completely gone.

You can also use this vinegar solution to clean floors, windowsills and countertops to prevent ants from crawling over these surfaces.

42. What is the best title for the text?

- A. Ants repellent
- B. House-invading ants
- C. Ants and White Vinegar
- D. The advantage of white vinegar
- E. How to get rid of ants using white vinegar

43. Why white vinegar is effective to repel house-invading ants?

- A. White vinegar is toxic to ants
- B. White vinegar is natural ingredient
- C. White vinegar contains harmful chemicals
- D. Ants cannot bear the strong smell of vinegar
- E. Ants cannot lose their direction because of their scent trail

44. They cannot bear **its** strong smell.

The underlined word refers to ...

- A. Ant's
- B. Notice's
- C. Direction's
- D. Scent trail's
- E. White vinegar's

45. What ingredients are needed for the solution?

- A. Water, pesticides, essential oil
- B. Water, white vinegar, pesticides
- C. Water, white vinegar, essential oil
- D. White vinegar, essential oil, pesticides
- E. White vinegar, water, essential oil, pesticides

46. What should we do before spraying the solution to the baseboard?

- A. Mix the solution and clean the floor
- B. Mix the solution and wait for an hour
- C. Mix the solution and add essential oil
- D. Mix the solution and smell the scent trail
- E. Mix the solution and wipe the baseboard

47. ... chemicals that are **harmful** ... (par. 3)

The antonym of the underlined word is ...

- A. Safe
- B. Toxic
- C. Useful
- D. Poisonous
- E. Advantageous

48. In addition, the smell masks their **scent** trails, (par. 4, line 3)

The synonym of the underlined word is ....

- A. track
- B. path
- C. form
- D. aroma
- E. pattern

49. What should be done with the paper towel after use?

- A. Dry it
- B. Keep it
- C. Wash it
- D. Reuse it
- E. Throw it away

50. We learn about the disturbance causes by ants from paragraph ....

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

***Success is not an incident. It is a matter of practice, hard work, and resilience.***