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Choose the best answer

1. What is a clause?

A

has a subject and verb combination and has a complete thought

B

without a subject and verb combination and does not have a complete thought

2. What is a phrase?

A

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B

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The game, **which** was played yesterday, ended in a tie.
I visited the town **where** they met.
The leaders **whom** we elected will commence work next week.
Do you know the woman **whose** picture is in the magazine?
She will always remember the day **when** the accident happened.

What is the adjective clause in the following sentence?

A university is a college where many subjects are studied.

A

where many subjects are studied

B

A university is a college

C

where

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What is the adjective clause in the following sentence?

Hummingbirds are tiny birds that are less than three inches long.

A

that are less than three inches

B

are

C

hummingbirds

?

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The adjective clause is underlined in the following sentence.

Jacques, whom we haven't met until now, just enrolled at our school.

Which NOUN is being described?

A school

B Jacques

C whom

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The clock that I just bought has a digital readout.

Which NOUN is being described?

A digital

B I

C clock

7. Which type of clause is the underlined portion of the following sentence?

We will do whatever is necessary.

A Noun

B Adverb

C Adjective

8. Which type of clause is the underlined portion of the following sentence?

You may play outside until the street lights come on.

A Adjective

B Noun

C Adverb

9. Which type of clause is the underlined portion of the following sentence?

That cat that you found belongs to the Smiths.

A Noun

B Adjective

C Adverb

10. Which type of clause is the underlined portion of the following sentence?
Where is the ice cream that was in the freezer?

A Adjective B Adverb
 C Noun

11. Which type of clause is the underlined portion of the following sentence?
What the cat did was not very nice.

A Adjective B Noun
 C Adverb

12. The track star is a fierce competitor since he won the 5K race.
What is the adverb clause?

A The track star is a fierce competitor B fierce competitor since he won
 C since he won the 5K race D won the 5K race

13. The frazzled student, when studying for a test, stayed up all night.
Identify the adverb clause in the sentence.

A stayed up all night B when studying for a test, stayed up
 C when studying for a test D The frazzled student

14. The student sprinted down the hall because he heard the late bell.
What is the adverb clause in the sentence?

A because he heard the late bell B he heard the late bell
 C down the hall D The student sprinted down the hall

15. The exhausted student dozed peacefully while his teacher gave him a demerit.
What word does the clause modify?

A student B teacher
 C peacefully D dozed

38. Searching for an answer, I looked in a current dictionary.

A Gerund phrase B Participial phrase

39. News reported by the tabloids is often fictitious.

A Gerund phrase B Participial phrase

40. The growling of the chained dogs made me uneasy.

A Participial phrase B Gerund phrase

21. Which sentence below is correctly punctuated?

A My sister, the tall one is about to enter high school. B My sister the tall one, is about to enter high school.

C My sister the tall one is about to enter high school. D My sister, the tall one, is about to enter high school.

22. Many communities are working together.

The underlined phrase is a _____.

A gerund phrase B verb phrase

23. Working together can make a big difference.

The underlined phrase is a _____.

A verb phrase B gerund phrase

24. I am walking to school tomorrow.

What are the underlined words?

A gerund B verb

C gerund phrase D subject

25. Sailing is a traditional summer activity for my family.

What is the function of the underlined gerund?

<input type="checkbox"/> A	It modifies the verb "is."	<input type="checkbox"/> B	It functions as the subject of the sentence.
<input type="checkbox"/> C	It functions as a verb.	<input type="checkbox"/> D	It describes a summer activity.

26. Flying is a skill all birds must learn.

What is the gerund in this sentence?

<input type="checkbox"/> A	skill	<input type="checkbox"/> B	must
<input type="checkbox"/> C	is	<input type="checkbox"/> D	flying

27. Check all that apply to infinitive phrases.

<input type="checkbox"/> A	must be capitalized	<input type="checkbox"/> B	can be a modifier or a noun
<input type="checkbox"/> C	made up of "to" plus a verb	<input type="checkbox"/> D	can have objects

28. Which sentence contains an infinitive phrase?

<input type="checkbox"/> A	Nicolas walks to the trampoline.	<input type="checkbox"/> B	Nicolas wants to jump on the trampoline.
<input type="checkbox"/> C	Nicolas met Alex at the trampoline.		

29. What is the infinitive/infinitive phrase in the following sentence?

To give to others is so important.

<input type="checkbox"/> A	so important	<input type="checkbox"/> B	is so important
<input type="checkbox"/> C	to others	<input type="checkbox"/> D	to give to others

30. What is the infinitive/infinitive phrase in the following sentence?

My entire life I have always wanted to be a teacher.

<input type="checkbox"/> A	to be a teacher	<input type="checkbox"/> B	I have
<input type="checkbox"/> C	my entire life	<input type="checkbox"/> D	always wanted

31. What is the infinitive/infinitive phrase in the following sentence?
After Bobby fell to the ground, he needed to go to the hospital.

A to the hospital B to go
 C Bobby fell D to the ground

32. Which of the following is an infinitive phrase?

A to the movies B to sing in the choir
 C to new heights D to a better future

33. What is a participle?

A A verb that acts as an adjective. B A verb that acts as a noun
 C A noun that acts like a verb D a verb that acts as a verb

34. Identify the participial phrase in the sentence:

Records, cracked and warped, were in the old trunk in the attic.

A warped B Records
 C cracked and warped D were in the old trunk

35. What are the two ways a participle can end?

A -ed B -ness
 C -ly D -ing

36. Find the participle: The children took off their snowy jackets and crowded by the warming fire.

A snowy B crowded
 C took D warming

37. Find the participial phrase: The girl wearing the blue shirt ran down the hallway.

A ran down the hallway B down the hallway
 C the girl wearing D wearing the blue shirt