

Reading ALCPT 81

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| a. was | b. opening | c. make the ride smoother | d. inform |
| e. stories | f. buy | g. negative ions can be beneficial | h. against |
| i. unless | j. cart | k. weather predictions | l. unusable |
| m. hand | n. more accurate | o. has no one in it | p. A bridge |
| q. Invented | r. hundreds of years | s. viewpoint | t. might |
| u. Upon | v. hide airplanes | w. man-made light. | x. None |
| y. have to | z. tip | aa. explain | bb. |

1. Judy is _____ typing than June.
2. I _____ sleeping at midnight.
3. Mr. Duffy is holding a book. He has a book in his _____.
4. Artificial light is _____.
5. Did you **notify** the doctor?
6. People have known about magnets for many **centuries**.
7. The pilot will _____ maintain flying speed or the plane will crash.
8. Camouflage is used in the air force to _____.
9. The air in the tires help to **absorb shock**.
10. Many Americans are interested in the weather. They read, listen to, a talk about the weather forecasts. If the weather forecaster announces the prospect of a clear weekend; millions will prepare for enjoyable outdoor trips. If the forecaster predicts unfavorable weather, outdoor activities are reduced. What is the main subject of this reading selection?
11. The new bank building has several **floors**.
12. **An overpass** was built for the troops at Lackland Air Force Base.
13. His _____ statement caught everyone's attention.
14. I want to buy that property _____ it's too expensive.
15. It's best to protect your tools _____ moisture and dust.
16. _____ of the cartoons will be on air on Saturday. They were cancelled.
17. He told the waitress to keep the change as a _____.
18. The commander thought that the proposed plan was **impractical**.
19. The commandant was notable to **get his point across**.
20. Robin has an unusual **outlook**.
21. Ed entertained us with **fictional** stories.
22. The office of the state senior is **vacant** right now.
23. They _____ not be able to go to the party.
24. If you stop at the BX, _____ me some cigarettes.
25. _____ opening the book, Mrs. Gastel found an error on page 109.
26. Scientists recognize that air ions affect living matter. For example, increasing the negative ions in the atmosphere reduces the incidence of respiratory illness. Negative ion therapy relieves pain in severe burn victims. Chronic ion deprivation, common modern ventilating equipment, causes lassitude and loss of mental and physical efficiency. According to the paragraph, _____.
27. The man needed a shopping _____ to put his groceries in.