

Question 18. Choose the sentence that can end the paragraph (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. I couldn't make friends with anyone in my new school.
- B. Now I'm happy to be part of this school community.
- C. I didn't find anyone friendly in the school club.
- D. Everything was strange and difficult at first.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.

On Monday, floods and a landslide caused by tropical storm Yagi, also known as Enteng, killed seven people in the Philippines. The storm brought heavy rain to Manila and (19) _____ areas. In Antipolo, a hilly community east of Manila, a landslide (20) _____ two houses, killing two schoolboys and a pregnant woman. The local disaster management chief, Relly Bernardo, said they had warned residents (21) _____ to safer areas. In Rizal province, four more people drowned (22) _____ the flooding. Many homes were covered by water, and the government stopped work and classes. The Philippines experiences around 20 tropical storms each year, with landslides being a major (23) _____ of deaths. Yagi continued to move across Luzon, (24) _____ island in the Philippines, bringing strong winds and more rain.

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| Question 19. | A. nearby | B. nearest | C. near | D. nearly |
| Question 20. | A. hurt | B. ran | C. hit | D. moved |
| Question 21. | A. moved | B. to move | C. moving | D. were moving |
| Question 22. | A. because of | B. so that | C. instead of | D. according to |
| Question 23. | A. choice | B. cause | C. option | D. reason |
| Question 24. | A. the larger | B. larger | C. large | D. the largest |

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.

- Question 25.** Keep your mobile phone on silent mode or you'll disturb the meeting!
- A. If you don't keep your mobile phone on silent mode, you'll disturb the meeting.
 - B. If you keep your mobile phone on silent mode, you didn't disturb the meeting.
 - C. Unless you keep your mobile phone on silent mode, you won't disturb the meeting.
 - D. In case you keep your mobile phone on silent mode, you'll disturb the meeting