

TEST 10

(1-10) Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence:

- 1/ The story about UFOs caught the _____ of the whole class .
A. decision B. imagination C. evidence D. science
- 2/ There's no _____ that life exists on other planets.
A. creature B. experience C. evidence D. condition
- 3/ The satellite moves around the earth's _____ round the sun.
A. surface B. path C. space D. orbit
- 4/ My grandfather is keen _____ growing fruit trees.
A. of B. in C. on D. for
- 5/ Articles and reports in newspapers talk lots about UFO _____.
A. shapes B. balloons C. appearance D. exposition
- 6/ People are talking about the _____ circles on the fields in The Great Britain.
A. secret B. mysterious C. marvelous D. excellent
- 7/ UFO's mean _____ flying objects.
A. unsafe B. unknown C. unable D. unidentified
- 8/ Some scientists and government want to send _____ to Mars.
A. pilots B. aliens C. astronauts D. students
- 9/ What scenes on the earth can you see from _____ space.
A. out B. outer C. upper D. inner
- 10/ I think UFOs exist only in films for _____.
A. imagination B. persuasion C. entertainment D. introduction

(11-12) Choose the underlined word or phrase(A,B,C, or D) that needs correcting:

- 11/ They saw an UFO at about ten o'clock last night.
A B C D
- 12/ If there were flying saucers, there will be traces of their landing.
A B C D

(13-16) Use the correct tense or form of the verbs in parentheses.

- 13/ He used to _____ to the movies with me. (go)
- 14/ They _____ here yesterday. (not come)
- 15/ She wishes she _____ to America next year. (go)
- 16/ You must study hard if you _____ to pass the final exam. (want)

17-22) Use the correct form of the words in parentheses:

- 17/ I think UFOs might be the _____ of people. (imagine)
- 18/ There is no _____ that they have been there. (evident)
- 19/ There may be a lot of _____ stones in Mars. (preciosity)
- 20/ Many reports talked a lot about the _____ of UFOs . (appear)
- 21/ It was a really _____ football match. (excite)
- 22/ You have had to make a difficult _____. (decide)

(23-28) Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in the following passage:

On October 21, 1978, Australian pilot Frederick Valentich, age 20, took off from Melbourne and (23) _____ towards a small island. It was the young man's first solo night over water. It was a still, clear evening, and from his Cessna aircraft Valentich had a perfect (24) _____ of the sky above and the sea below. Shortly after taking off, Valentich reported to flight controllers in Melbourne that he was being followed by a UFO. "It's a long shape," he reported, "with a green light, sort of metallic like, all shiny on the outside". A few minutes later, he told the controllers, "That strange aircraft is hovering on top of me again." After that Valentich stopped talking. For the next fourteen seconds the traffic controllers heard a strange ringing sound. Then silence. Valentich and his plane never reached the island, and no (25) _____ of him or his aircraft was ever found. Several (26) _____ of the public report seeing strange phenomena in the sky over Melbourne that night. An amateur photographer produced a photo of (27) _____ looked like a large object surrounded by vapor. A NASA scientist, Richard Haines, heard about the story and began an (28) _____. He analyzed Valentich's voice on tape and the strange sound heard at the end of the tape. But he concluded that it was "unidentifiable." He decided that there were four possible explanations for the mystery surrounding Valentich's disappearance: (1) Valentich might have become confused and disoriented while flying his plane and finally crashed; (2) He could have staged a deliberate hoax; (3) he could have been the victim of a top secret advanced weapons test; or he may have been captured by the occupants of a UFO.

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| 23/ A. headed | B. pointed | C. directed | D. guided |
| 24/ A. sight | B. look | C. view | D. spectacle |
| 25/ A. mark | B. trace | C. trail | D. lead |
| 26/ A. members | B. beings | C. sessions | D. units |
| 27/ A. that | B. which | C. such | D. what |
| 28/ A. identification | B. investigation | C. interrogation | D. introspection |

(29-32) Read the dialogue and then decide whether the statements that follow are true or false. Write True or False in your answersheet:

A planet is a body in space that revolves around a star. There are nine planets in our solar system, and these nine planets travel around the sun. The names of the planets are Mercury, Venus, Earth, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune, and Pluto. Planets travel in orbits around their stars. All of the planets of the solar system revolve in elliptical orbits. In other words, their orbits are like large, flat circles. The time that it takes a planet to make one revolution around the sun is called its year. The Greeks were the first people to recognize and give names to some of the planets. The word planet comes from a Greek word meaning wanderer. If a person wanders, this means that he goes from one place to

another and does not have a home. The Greek thought that the planets “wandered” in the sky. However, modern scientists can predict the movement of the planets very accurately

- _____ 29/ A planet revolves around the Earth.
- _____ 30/ Venus, Mars and Neptune are planets and stars.
- _____ 31/ The Greek were the first to recognize some of the planets.
- _____ 32/ The planets in our solar system travel around the sun and in elliptical orbits

(33-36) Rewrite the sentences so that they are nearest in meaning to the sentence printed before them.

33/ It's possible that it's correct.

That _____

34/ It's possible to travel to Russia without a visa.

You can't travel to Russia if _____

35/ I wasn't able to phone her because I didn't know her phone number.

If _____

36/ You don't do any exercise and that's why you put on weight.

If _____