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Part 1

Read and find the answer.
Fill in the correct circles on your answer sheet.

Let's do an example.

1. It is a large piece of cloth with pictures or words. It is often carried between two poles. We can see it at parties, sports events, or ceremonies.

   What is it?

   (A) A banner
   (B) A blanket
   (C) A trophy

   The correct answer is a banner. Fill in Ⓐ on your answer sheet.

2. You are going to get rid of something. It can be trash or something you do not need anymore. Once you throw it away, you will not use it again.

   You are going to _____ something.

   (A) buy
   (B) discard
   (C) fix

3. These are small creatures with six legs. Flies or ants are examples. Some of these creatures have wings.

   What are they?

   (A) Insects
   (B) Mammals
   (C) Carnivores

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4. You speak very quietly using your breath rather than your throat. You do this when you do not want others to hear you except for the person you are talking to.

What are you doing?

(A) Screaming
(B) Shouting
(C) Whispering

5. It is a natural flow of water that moves across the land, and it is narrower than a river.

What is it?

(A) Sea
(B) Lake
(C) Stream

6. When you drop something, it falls to the ground because of this force.

What is it?

(A) Gravity
(B) Gravy
(C) Groove

7. Squirrels do this when they eat small amounts of food by taking small bites with their teeth.

What is it?

(A) Drink
(B) Slurp
(C) Nibble

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8. **It means everything in space including all the stars and planets.**

   What is it?

   (A) A university
   (B) The Earth
   (C) The universe

9. **A well-educated person who knows a particular subject very well is called this.**

   Who is it?

   (A) Scholar
   (B) School
   (C) Scholarship

10. **This happens when you are nervous or frightened. Your body shakes slightly in a way that you cannot control.**

    You are _____.

    (A) wondering
    (B) thinking
    (C) trembling

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Part 2

Fill in the correct circles on your answer sheet.
Read the word list. Answer questions 11 to 14.

Word List for Grade One

A

1	about
2	again
3	all
4	ask
5	at

B

1	be
2	before
3	boy
4	brown
5	buy

C

1	can
2	cat
3	cold
4	come
5	could

D

1	day
2	did
3	do
4	don't
5	down

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11. **Who should study the words on the list?**

(A) First graders
(B) Third graders
(C) Fifth graders

12. **How are the words listed?**

(A) In alphabetical order
(B) By topic
(C) By color

13. **Which word is NOT on the list?**

(A) Day
(B) Become
(C) Before

14. **There are _____ words on the list.**

(A) two
(B) twelve
(C) twenty

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Read the letter. Answer questions 15 to 16.

Dear Paulina,

I just want to say thank you for your help this semester. I was struggling a lot with math, but then my math teacher told me about the peer-to-peer tutoring program. I am grateful to have found someone like you who volunteered for the program. Thank you for teaching me how to solve all those difficult math questions. I got my report card today, and I got a B plus! I wouldn't have passed without your help.

I baked you some cookies as a token of my appreciation. I hope you enjoy them. Thank you again for all your help. I hope you have a great summer!

Sincerely,
Ellie

15. How did Ellie meet Paulina?

(A) Through a school program
(B) In math class
(C) Through her homeroom teacher

16. Why did Ellie thank Paulina?

(A) Paulina did Ellie's math homework.
(B) Paulina helped Ellie study math.
(C) Paulina made cookies for Ellie.

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Read the letter. Answer questions 17 to 18.

Dear Mrs. Johansson,

As you already know, today is my last day at Radshine Elementary School. My family is leaving for Canada this Saturday. You have been my best teacher and supporter. I didn't think I would ever find a teacher like you. Thank you for caring so much.

I am going to miss everyone at Radshine, especially you. Someday, I want to be a teacher just like you. I want to be a good listener and a friend to my future students, as you just have been to me.

Thank you again for everything.

Sincerely,
Charles

17. **Why did Charles write to Mrs. Johansson?**

(A) To invite her to a party
(B) To say goodbye to her
(C) To ask how to become a good listener

18. **What is true about Mrs. Johansson?**

(A) She is leaving school today.
(B) She listens to her students.
(C) Her family lives in Canada.

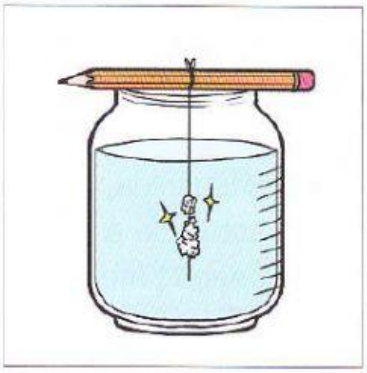
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Read the instructions. Answer questions 19 to 21.

Did you know that you can grow your own salt crystal? It's very simple and easy.



Things you will need

- A jar
- Hot water
- Salt
- A spoon
- A piece of string
- A pencil

Directions

1. Fill the jar with some hot water.
2. Add salt, and stir it with a spoon.
3. Tie a piece of string to the pencil.
4. Place the pencil on the top of the jar, and let the string dangle into the middle of the jar. Roll up the string on the pencil so the string does not touch the jar.
5. Leave the jar in a safe spot, and wait for a day or two. Watch your crystals grow!

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19. In **this experiment, the spoon** is used for _____.

(A) stirring salt and water
(B) scooping ice cream
(C) mixing flour and eggs

20. In **this experiment, the word crystal means** _____.

(A) a clear piece of glass
(B) a small piece of solid substance with many sides
(C) the clear cover on a watch

21. **Why is a pencil needed for this experiment?**

(A) It helps the salt dissolve in the water.
(B) You need it for stirring the solution.
(C) It holds the string in place.

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