

1. Mr. Heru : Did you receive our inquiry?
When will we receive your confirmation?
Mr. Sandi : My apology. It seems that
Could you possibly resend it to me?

The correct word to complete the sentence is

- a. we had mislaid your letter
- b. your letter has been mislaid
- c. we mislay your letter
- d. your letter is mislaid

2. A well known architect is designing our new office. The passive form of the above sentence is

- a. our new office be designing by a well known architect
- b. our new office is being designed by a well known architect
- c. our new office designs by a well known architect
- d. our new office designed by a well known architect

3. Ridho : Can I borrow your laptop?
Angga : Certainly, but what's wrong with yours?

Ridho : It ... now.

The correct word to complete the sentence is

- a. is repairing
- b. has repaired
- c. is being repaired
- d. repaired

4. Pay attention to the following sentences.

- (1) He won't be eating at 6 o'clock tomorrow evening.
- (2) The kitchen is cleaned by mother once a week.
- (3) They will have completed the project before the deadline.
- (4) That beach has been visited by many tourists.
- (5) Recently, Pradipta has been doing the work.
- (6) Many cars had been repaired by those mechanics before they received their licenses.

Which sentences below are in the form of passive voice?

- a. (1), (2), and (3)
- b. (2), (3), and (4)
- c. (2), (4), and (5)
- d. (2), (4), and (6)

4. Pay attention to the following sentences.

- (1) The food is going to be cooked by my mother tonight.
- (2) They were at schoolyard the day before yesterday.
- (3) All lessons should be learnt by students.
- (4) My uncle will have built his dream house two years from now.
- (5) They were staying at a hotel at 10:00 a.m. yesterday morning.
- (6) The tasks will have been completed before the deadline.

Which sentences below are in the form of passive voice?

- a. (1), (2), and (4)
- b. (2), (3), and (5)
- c. (3), (4), and (5)
- d. (1), (3), and (6)

The following text is for questions number 13 to 20.

The Star Fruit

The star fruit or carambola (*Averrhoa carambola*) is a unique tropical fruit that is gaining popularity in the United States. This fruit acquired its name from the five pointed star shape. The 3 to 5 inch long fruit has a paper-thin thin, translucent, waxy, yellow-orange to green skin with tart crisp flesh. Star fruit range in taste from pleasantly tart and sour to slightly sweet with a complicated flavor combination that includes plums, pineapples, and lemons.

The flesh is juicy and crunchy, and may be eaten skin, seeds and all or used as a garnish, in salads and in relishes and preserves. When used in cooking, green fruit are frequently used for their sourness. The juicy flesh is mostly water and does not hold up well when heated. Although it is not now found in the wild, the star fruit is originally native to Sri Lanka and the Moluccas, and has been cultivated in Southeast Asia and Malaysia for almost 1,000 years. It is known many other names including: 'belimbing' or 'belimbing manis' (Indonesia), 'mafueng' (Thailand), 'kamrakh' (Indian) Chinese starfruit, star apple and Five angled fruit. Today they are also grown throughout the Caribbean, Central and South America, Florida and Hawaii because the fruit thrives on growing in a warm environment. Two varieties are found in markets, one sour and the other slightly sweet. Their flavor is sometimes

described as like a cross between an apple and a grape. It is almost impossible to tell the sweet and tart varieties apart, but in general the tart varieties have narrowly spaced ribs and sweet varieties have thicker, fleshier ribs; some also report that the yellower, the sweeter. The tastes between the two are hardly distinguishable, as the tart variety still has some sweetness. There are several white varieties, all of which are sweet. This tropical fruit is readily available July through February. Star fruit are an excellent source of vitamin C, is low fat, and naturally sodium and cholesterol free. A small whole fruit will provide approximately 2/3 cup sliced. In addition, the leaves and roots have been used to cure headaches, hangovers, sore eyes, ringworm, prickly heat, and chickenpox. Given to nursing mothers it is believed to stimulate the flow of milk.

5. What is the purpose of the text?
 - a. To explain the benefits of star fruit.
 - b. To describe the types of star fruit.
 - c. To tell the readers about the origins of star fruit.
 - d. To tell the readers about star fruit.
6. According to the text, how does star fruit look like?
 - a. It is a 3 to 5 cm long fruit.
 - b. It is as big as pepper.
 - c. The color of the fruit is yellowish-brown.
 - d. Its flesh tastes tart.

7. Where is the origin of the starfruit?
 - a. Srilanka.
 - b. Malaysia.
 - c. Thailand.
 - d. Florida.
8. Starfruit is known with various names around the world, except
 - a. *belimbing manis*
 - b. *mafueng*
 - c. chinese star fruit
 - d. *kamrakah*
9. What is the author main point in paragraph 4?
 - a. The star fruit.
 - b. The star fruit's origin.
 - c. The type of star fruit.
 - d. The advantages of star fruit.
10. What disease cannot be cured by star fruit?
 - a. Headache.
 - b. Sore throat.
 - c. Sore eyes.
 - d. Chickenpox.
11. "Star fruit range in taste from pleasantly tart and sour to slightly sweet with" (paragraph 1) What is the closest meaning of the underlined word?
 - a. Briny.
 - b. Acid.
 - c. Salty.
 - d. Vapid.
12. How does the flesh of start fruit's characteristics have?
 - a. Juicy.
 - b. Thorny.
 - c. Juicy and crunchy.
 - d. Prickly.

The following text is for questions number 1 to 7.

Queen of Arabia and Three Sheiks

Maura, who like to be thought of as the most beautiful and powerful queen of Arabia, had many suitors. One by one, she discarded them until her list was reduced to just three sheiks. The three sheiks were all equally young and handsome. They were also rich and strong. It was very hard to decide who would be the best of them.

One evening, Maura disguised herself and went to the camp of the three sheiks. As they were about to have dinner, Maura asked them for something to eat. The first gave her some left over food. The second sheik gave her some unappetizing camel's tail. The third sheik, who was called Hakim, offered her some of the most tender and tasty meat. After dinner, the disguised queen left the sheik's camp.

The following day, the queen invited the three sheiks to dinner at her palace. She ordered her servant to give each one exactly what they had given her the evening before.

Hakim, who received a plate of delicious meat, refused to eat it if the other two sheiks could not share it with him. This sheik Hakim's act finally convinced queen Maura that he was the man for her, "Without question, Hakim is the most generous of you" she announced her choice to the sheiks, "So, it is Hakim I will marry".

14. The three sheiks were not

- a. rich
- b. strong
- c. gloomy
- d. handsome

15. Which statement is TRUE about the queen?

- a. The queen was the most powerful queen in Africa.
- b. The queen was very proud of her beauty and riches.
- c. The queen herself served the sheiks with delicious food.

d. The queen was very careful in deciding whom she would marry.

16. The Queen ordered her servants to give the sheiks the same kind of food she got from them the evening before because

- a. she wanted to entertain her guests
- b. she wanted to test the sheik's taste
- c. she wanted to see the sheik's reactions
- d. she wanted to make a joke of the sheiks

17. The main idea of paragraph six is

- a. Hakim was unselfish person
- b. Hakim had made the queen find the resolution of her problem
- c. Hakim was served with succulent meat
- d. Hakim was satisfied with the food served

18. This is actually convinced Queen Maura that he was the man for her." (paragraph 5) The pronoun "he" refers to

- a. Hakim
- b. the man
- c. the servant
- d. the sheik

19. Pay attention to the following statements.

- (1) The queen was the most powerful queen in Africa.
- (2) The queen was very proud of her beauty and riches.
- (3) The queen was very careful in deciding whom she would marry.
- (4) The queen herself served the sheiks with delicious food.
- (5) The queen was the most beautiful queen in Arabia.

Which statements are TRUE about the queen?

- a. (1) and (2)
- b. (2) and (3)
- c. (1) and (3)
- d. (3) and (5)

20. Why did the queen finally choose Halim to marry her?

- a. Because he is mean.
- b. Because he is handsome.
- c. Because he is kind.
- d. Because he is strong.