

1. Toothpaste has been an important part of our lives \_\_\_\_\_ a long time
2. Many people brush their teeth after breakfast \_\_\_\_\_ order to remove all the food from \_\_\_\_\_ breakfast, but time is actually an important factor, and so is your meal. \_\_\_\_\_ you eat fruit or drink juice then it's important to wait for at least 30 minutes before you brush your teeth to avoid damaging your teeth.
3. Many people think rainbows are \_\_\_\_\_ of nature's most special gifts.
4. When you shine a light through water, the light is bent and \_\_\_\_\_ like a reflection in a mirror.
5. You know what ants are and you've seen lots of them outside. Perhaps you've heard people say that keeping ants as pets \_\_\_\_\_ interesting and fun, but \_\_\_\_\_ do you keep them as pets?
6. keep them as pets, you need to build a nest for them. The nest should always \_\_\_\_\_ kept dark.
7. Secondly, a growing colony needs \_\_\_\_\_ food and attention.
8. The largest desert on Earth is the Sahara. The name Sahara is \_\_\_\_\_ from the Arabic word for 'desert'. It \_\_\_\_\_ a big area of North Africa. \_\_\_\_\_ it was a country, it would be the largest in the whole world, after Russia, Canada, USA and China!
9. You \_\_\_\_\_ think that a desert is made completely from sand, but in the Sahara, sand only covers 30% of the area!

\_\_\_\_\_ the evening, temperatures can drop to below freezing. Besides, sandstorms happen regularly.

10. Camels are among them. They were \_\_\_\_\_ to transport goods like tea, salt, cotton, and many other products.
11. The butterfly begins \_\_\_\_\_ an egg, which is laid on the plant that they will eat.
12. Clouds look like cotton in the air, \_\_\_\_\_ they are actually very heavy
13. The water in a cloud can be \_\_\_\_\_ heavy as one million tonnes.
14. Perhaps most of us know that rain comes \_\_\_\_\_ the clouds,
15. It is still running today. The word "bank" comes from an Italian word \_\_\_\_\_ means a bench, because Italian merchants agreed to borrow and lend money beside a bench. Today, when people want to save money, they often go to a bank. So ( \_\_\_\_\_ do banks work?

16. Once the eggs are attached to a leaf, a butterfly doesn't \_\_\_\_\_ to care for its young.
17. Then you should keep \_\_\_\_\_ out the string little by little until your kite is flying high in the sky.
18. Large dinosaurs could \_\_\_\_\_ for almost 1000 years. Dinosaurs are extinct now \_\_\_\_\_ we can read and learn about them in books and movies. \_\_\_\_\_ studying fossils, scientists know that dinosaurs were the ancient cousins \_\_\_\_\_ today's crocodiles, snakes, and lizards. Scientists do not know why \_\_\_\_\_ some animals lived but the dinosaurs did not.