

A Use the word given in capitals at the end of each line to form a word that fits in the gap in the same line.

Egypt and South America

There is still no adequate (1) why, several thousand years ago, cultures in both Egypt and South America saw the (2) of pyramids. Was it coincidence? Many (3) believe that it was, and state that there is no (4) at all that people from two distant continents traded information on (5) techniques. However, some (6) theories in recent years, based on the (7) that the two cultures also share key myths, legends and beliefs, suggest that the (8) of pyramids on opposite sides of the world was no coincidence at all. One (9) working on this, Crystal Davis, said: 'The (10) of finding out the truth here cannot be exaggerated. It could change our whole understanding of the history of the world.'

- EXPLAIN
- INTRODUCE
- SCIENCE
- POSSIBLE
- BUILD
- REVOLUTION
- DISCOVER
- APPEAR
- RESEARCH
- IMPORTANT

(1 mark per answer)

B Match to make sentences.

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| 11 The fax machine has broken | A out by physicists which prove that time can speed up and slow down. |
| 12 A number of experiments have been carried | B on enormously in recent years. |
| 13 Whoever came | C off for over three hours yesterday. |
| 14 The electricity was cut | D down, so I'm afraid you'll have to wait until tomorrow. |
| 15 I'd like to find | E off a very nasty smell when it's heated. |
| 16 This chemical gives | F up with that idea should have won the Nobel Prize. |
| 17 Cancer treatments have come | G through to the Radiology Department, please. |
| 18 I wonder if you could put me | H out much more about technology in the Bronze Age. |

(1 mark per answer)

C Complete the second sentence using the word given, so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Write between two and five words in each gap.

- 19 I can't wait until we do some experiments in the science lab. **forward**
I'm really some experiments in the science lab.
- 20 Communication changed completely when the telephone was introduced. **with**
Communication changed completely the telephone.
- 21 Dr Frankenstein was finally successful in bringing the monster to life. **managed**
Dr Frankenstein the monster to life.
- 22 I can't understand how they built the Pyramids. **impossible**
I how they built the Pyramids.
- 23 Fleming discovered penicillin as a result of a little luck. **resulted**
A little luck penicillin.
- 24 People sometimes call nurses 'angels'. **known**
Nurses 'angels'.

- 25 Einstein eventually realised that he was wrong. **conclusion**
Einstein eventually that he was wrong.
- 26 Our physics teacher tried to explain the Theory of Relativity. **attempt**
Our physics teacher explaining the Theory of Relativity.
- 27 We'll save enough money and then we'll buy a computer. **soon**
We'll buy a computer saved enough money.
(2 marks per answer)

D Choose the correct answer.

- 28 This time next week, we the chemistry exam.
A have finished
B have been finishing
C will have finished
D will have been finishing
- 29 When I grow up, an inventor.
A I'm being
B I'm going to be
C I will have been
D I will be being
- 30 Shirley will her research for the next few weeks.
A have done
B be doing
C have been doing
D have been done
- 31 Next year, Sam will patients at this hospital for twenty-five years.
A have been treating
B treat
C be treating
D be going to treat
- 32 'What is it?'
'We won't know until at it under a microscope.'
A we're going to look
B we'll have looked
C we'll be looking
D we've looked
- 33 You won't get any radio reception while through the tunnel.
A you've driven
B you'll drive
C you're driving
D you'll be driving
- 34 'I'm going to set up the equipment in a minute.'
'..... give you a hand?'
A Shall I
B Will I
C Would I
D Do I

(1 mark per answer)

E Choose the correct answer.

- 35 Do you know who the fact that sound travels in waves?
A invented C discovered
B developed D found
- 36 I'm thinking of getting a fax
A machine C motor
B engine D instrument
- 37 The of the outbreak of the disease is still unknown.
A aim C cause
B reason D motive
- 38 Ten million text messages are sent on every minute.
A normal C general
B common D average
- 39 Once they've finished the extension to the, there'll be room for them to take on a lot more workers.
A manufacturing C industry
B trade D factory
- 40 Shannen doesn't dye her hair; it's blonde.
A physically C logically
B naturally D organically
- 41 I've it in at the mains but it still doesn't seem to work.
A worked C narrowed
B turned D plugged

(1 mark per answer)

Total mark: / 50