

A. Choose the best answer below!

(no. 1-5)

Can new Caledonian crows solve a puzzle? Scientist want to find out. They make a puzzle. The crows can get food, but only by completing three steps. The scientist put a small box on the table. This is the puzzle. The scientists don't show the crows the steps to find the food. The crows need to solve the puzzle to get the food. First, the crows take a branch. Second, the crows use the branch to move a rock. For the third steps, the crows use the rock to open a door. Then they get some food.

Not all of the crows can do this the first time they see the puzzle, but some can! The crows understand each step and can use tools to get food. The scientists are amazed. The crows can plan their actions!

1. What is the main idea of the text?
 - a. Crows can only use branches.
 - b. Crows can solve puzzles and use tools.
 - c. Crows can only eat food.
 - d. Crows are afraid of scientists.
2. The scientists make the puzzle difficult by ____
 - a. Watching the crows
 - b. Hiding each step
 - c. Giving food
 - d. Put a small box
3. What is the third step the crows take in solving the puzzle?
 - a. They use the branch to move the rock.
 - b. They take the food.
 - c. They use the rock to open the door.
 - d. They make the door disappear.
4. What does the passage suggest about the crows' abilities?
 - a. The crows can't solve problems.
 - b. The crows understand each step and can use tools.
 - c. The crows only understand one step.
 - d. The crows don't use tools.
5. What surprises the scientists about the crows?
 - a. The crows can talk.
 - b. The crows can fly without wings.
 - c. The crows can plan their actions.
 - d. The crows can build nests very quickly.

(no 6-8)

Step aside, Picasso. Meet Pigcasso. Pigcasso the pig lives in South Africa. She eats, runs, plays, and sleeps. But Pigcasso is famous. She can paint.

Her owner says pigs are “smart, intelligent animals.” She often gives her things to play with.

Her favorite thing is a paint brush.

Can animals be creative? Some scientists say yes. Or do animals just paint for food? As one artist says, “Well, so do I!”

Pigcasso now sells her paintings. A painting can cost about \$1,600. The money goes to help other animals. She signs every painting with her nose.

What does Pigcasso do in her free time? She likes to eat. Her favorite food is popcorn.

6. According to the text, which of the following sentences is true?
 - a. Pigs can't see colors.
 - b. Animals can be creative.
 - c. Some animals can communicate with humans.
 - d. Pigs can make popcorn
7. How does Pigcasso sign her paintings?
 - a. with a brush
 - b. with her foot
 - c. with her nose
 - d. with her hand
8. What is the general opinion of scientists about animal creativity?
 - a. Animals can't be creative
 - b. Animals can be creative, but only for food
 - c. Some scientists believe animals can be creative
 - d. Scientists believe animals paint only for entertainment

(no. 9-11)

My favorite animal is a talking bird, the parrot. There are about 350 different types of parrots in the world. Parrots like to eat fruit and flowers, and some can live for 80 years. Not all parrots can talk, but the African gray parrot can speak very well. My parrot, Pierre, is 15 years old. He knows 50 words and can say about 10 sentences. Many people like pet parrots. Today, some types of parrots are endangered. For example, there are only about 3,000 hyacinth macaws in all of Brazil.

9. A good title for this passage would be _____.
 - a. Birds That Can Talk
 - b. The World of African Gray Parrots
 - c. Pierre the Talking Parrot
 - d. Parrot is a bird

10. The word *endangered* means _____.
a. easy to find
b. in danger of dying out
c. dangerous to people
d. dangerous to animals
11. Pierre is probably _____.
a. not a pet
b. an African gray parrot
c. a hyacinth macaw
d. blue bird
12. Complete the sentence: "The baby _____ speak yet, but she _____ to her milk when she wants to drink."
a. Can't – points
b. Can't – point
c. Can – points
d. Can – point
13. Complete the sentence: "I _____ swim when I was younger, but now I can't."
a. Could
b. Can
c. Can't
d. Couldn't
14. Which sentence uses *can* or *can't* correctly?
a. I can't wait to see the new movie tonight.
b. I can wait to see the new movie tonight.
c. I can't to wait to see the new movie tonight.
d. I can wait seeing the new movie tonight.
15. Choose the correct sentence:
a. I can't to understand why she didn't show up to the meeting.
b. I can't understand why she didn't show up to the meeting.
c. I can't understanding why she didn't show up to the meeting.
d. I can't to understood why she didn't show up to the meeting.

16. When you enter a shop, the shop assistant might say ...
- "Good morning, can I help you?"
 - "What are you looking for?"
 - "How much do you want?"
 - "Do you have any questions?"
17. Which of the following is NOT a common expression used in shopping?
- "Can I help you?"
 - "How much is it?"
 - "Do you have any discounts?"
 - "May I borrow your pen?"

The following dialogue is for no 18-19

Customer: "Excuse me, how much is this shirt?"

Shop Assistant: "That's \$25."

Customer: "Hmm, that's a bit pricey. Is there any discount?"

Shop Assistant: "Unfortunately, no. But we have a special offer: buy two shirts and get the third one half price."

Customer: "That's a good offer, but I only need one shirt. Would you consider selling it for \$20?"

Shop Assistant: "I'm sorry, but we can't go that low. The lowest we can offer is \$23."

Customer: "Okay, I'll take it for \$23."

18. What is the customer's initial reaction to the price?
- They are happy with the price.
 - They think it's too expensive.
 - They ask for a refund.
 - They offer a very low price.
19. What is the special offer mentioned by the shop assistant?
- Buy one get one free
 - Buy two get one half price
 - 50% discount on all items
 - Free gift with purchase

The following dialogue is for no 20-21

Shop Assistant: "Good afternoon, Sir. Are you looking for something in particular?"

Customer: "Yes, I need a new backpack for school. Something sturdy and with enough compartments."

Shop Assistant: "We have a new arrival just this week. It's made of durable canvas and has multiple pockets. Would you like to take a look?"

Customer: "Sure, I like the sound of that."

20. What is the customer's main concern when choosing a backpack?
- a. The color and design
 - b. The brand and price
 - c. The durability and functionality
 - d. The size and weight
21. What does the shop assistant offer to show the customer?
- a. A catalog of backpacks
 - b. A discount on backpacks
 - c. A specific backpack that fits the customer's needs
 - d. A variety of backpacks in different styles

The following dialogue is for no 22-24

Customer: "Hi, I'd like to buy a new pair of shoes."

Shop Assistant: "Certainly, what kind of shoes are you looking for?"

Customer: "Something comfortable for everyday wear, maybe sneakers or trainers."

Shop Assistant: "We have a wide selection of those. What size do you wear?"

Customer: "I wear a size 8."

Shop Assistant: "Okay, let me show you some options."

22. Customer: "Hi, I'd like to buy a new pair of shoes." This is an example of.
- a. Asking for a discount
 - b. Expressing an intention to buy
 - c. Complaining about the price
 - d. Asking for help
23. Shop Assistant: "Certainly, what kind of shoes are you looking for?" This is an example of...
- a. Offering assistance
 - b. Asking for payment
 - c. Suggesting a product
 - d. Giving directions
24. The customer says, "Something comfortable for everyday wear, maybe sneakers or trainers." This is an example of...
- a. Describing their preferences
 - b. Asking for a specific brand
 - c. Complaining about the quality
 - d. Haggling for a lower price

25. The customer says, "Hmm, that seems a bit expensive. Do you have any discounts available?" This is an example of...

- a. Hagglng for a lower price
- b. Complaining about the quality
- c. Asking for help
- d. Expressing satisfaction

Customer: "Excuse me, how much is this t-shirt?"

Shop Assistant: "That's \$12.99."

Customer: "Hmm, do you have it in a smaller size?"

Shop Assistant: "Let me check."

Customer: "Great, I'll take the small then."

26. The suitable expression is....

- a. "We're all out of smalls."
- b. "It only comes in medium and large."
- c. "Yes, we have it in small, medium, and large."
- d. "Would you like to try it on?"

Cashier: "That will be \$15.75."

Customer: "Here you go."

Cashier: "....."

Customer: "No. Thank you."

27. The suitable expression is...

- a. "Have a nice day."
- b. "Do you have a rewards card?"
- c. "Would you like a receipt?"
- d. "Please insert your card."

Customer: "I'd like to buy this sweater. It's a bit pricey though."

Shop Assistant: "Unfortunately, we don't offer discounts on this brand."

Customer: "Okay, I understand."

28. The suitable expression is....

- a. "Is there any way you could give me a discount?"
- b. "How much is it?"
- c. "Do you have it in a different color?"
- d. "Can I pay with a credit card?"

Customer: "Excuse me, I'm looking for a book by Jane Austen."

Clerk: "Our fiction section is in the back."

Customer: "Thank you so much!"

29. The suitable expression is....
- "Can I help you find something specific?"
 - "Let me know if you need any assistance."
 - "All of our books are 20% off today."
 - "We're currently out of stock on that item."
30. If you want to bargain for a lower price, you can say ...
- "This is too expensive."
 - "Can you give me a better price?"
 - "I'll come back later."
 - "Do you have a discount card?"
31. If you want to ask the price of an item, you can say...
- "Do you have this in another color?"
 - "How much does this cost?"
 - "I'd like to return this."
 - "Where are the fitting rooms?"
32. The person who helps you find items in a store is called a ...
- Cashier
 - Customer
 - shop assistant
 - manager
33. If an item is sold out, it means...
- the store has it in stock
 - the store is offering a discount
 - the store doesn't have it available
 - the store is closed
34. When a store has lower prices than usual, it's called a...
- Sale
 - Discount
 - Bargain
 - promotion
35. A person who works at the checkout and takes your payment is called a...
- shop assistant
 - cashier
 - customer
 - vendor

Study the chart. Then complete the conversation using *can* or *can't*.

	Can	Can't
Rosa	speaks Spanish	speaks English
Ucil	run, jump	Swim
Jamal	understand French	speaks French
Tono	read English	write in English

- A: _____ Rosa speak English?
 B: No, she _____, but she _____ speak Spanish.
- A: _____ Jamal Speak French?
 B: No, She _____, but He understands French

Complete the sentences using *make* or *makes* and the words from the box.

a fire	a call	breakfast	plan
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- Do you _____ in the morning, or do you eat something later at school?
- When it's cold outside, can you _____ to get warm?
- Kara _____ for her summer vacation at the beginning of the year.