

MINI TEST 1 – GRADE 8

1. Which word has a different pronunciation pattern in the underlined part?
A. charge B. change C. champion D. champagne
2. Which word has the stress on the second syllable?
A. digital B. terrible C. salesperson D. scientific
3. Choose the correct word to complete the sentence:
The invention of the _____ was a landmark in the history of the computer.
A. feature B. weight C. chip D. tablet
4. Which word is pronounced differently in terms of the final -ed sound?
A. played B. missed C. brushed D. watched
5. In space-related vocabulary, what is the term for a structure where astronauts live while in orbit?
A. UFO B. temperature C. space station D. planet
6. Which sentence correctly uses reported speech?
A. My teacher said that she will meet me next week
B. My teacher said that she would meet me the next week
C. My teacher said that she can meet me next week
D. My teacher said that she must meet me next week
7. Which word has a different stress pattern?
A. battery B. models C. currently D. introduction
8. Choose the correct response to: "How about playing a game of chess?"
A. No, that's a waste of time
B. I'd love to, but I have to finish my homework first
C. Chess is interesting to play
D. I'm sorry. Don't ask me to do that
9. Which occupation best describes someone who interviews people and writes news articles?
A. Vlogger B. Musician C. Businessman D. Journalist
10. What's the correct form of the comparative adjective in this sentence: "Lucy works _ than Andy."
A. more quietly B. quietly C. quietlier D. more quiet
11. Which word has the stress on the first syllable?
A. silver B. dessert C. pattern D. headscarf
12. In UFO terminology, what's the correct term for a disc-shaped flying object?
A. UFO B. flying saucer C. alien D. planet
13. Choose the correct preposition combination: "She makes videos *viewers* the Internet."
A. for – in B. for – on C. to – on D. to - in
14. Which word follows a different plural formation rule?
A. bodies B. squares C. scarves D. provinces

15. What's the correct question tag for asking about price?
 A. What B. How C. Is D. How much
16. Choose the word with the stress on the third syllable:
 A. population B. especially C. experience D. embroidery
17. Which conjunction best completes this sentence: "Many young people don't have much time to relax, _ they find it difficult to sleep."
 A. so B. for C. and D. but
18. What's the correct word for someone who works on aircraft and assists passengers?
 A. dentist B. veterinarian C. flight attendant D. director
19. Choose the correct response to: "Can I join you in this game?"
 A. No, you shouldn't
 B. Yes, certainly
 C. Maybe tomorrow
 D. I don't know how
20. Which word has a different vowel sound pattern?
 A. cloud B. south C. famous D. blouse

WORD FORM

- These _____ need upgrading in order to use new apps. (device)
- The (identify) _____ of the crash victims was a long and difficult task.
- He approaches everything very (science) _____.
- I find her story about UFOs hardly _____. (believe)
- Environmental pollution has led to the _____ of many species of plants and animals from our planet. (appear)

Rewrite the following sentences without changing their meaning

- Sue intends to study abroad next two years.
 Sue _____.
- Lucy cleans faster than Andy.
 Andy _____.
- How much is this Dell laptop?
 What _____.

Look at the entry of the word '.....' in a dictionary.

Question 35. We are going to organize a concert to _____ for the local children's hospital.

Question 36. This product is not too expensive, so you don't have to pay _____ for it.