

Two Bad Ants Test

Put an X inside the box beside the correct answer.

1. At the edge of the forest stood a mountain. To the ants it looked like one but it was really

blade of grass

house

coffee cup

silver spoon

2. Why did the ants think that the sky was gone when they were inside the mountain?

All they could see was the ceiling of the rooms

It was dark outside

They were blinded by the lights

They were too young to see

3. The ants were very nervous when they were in an unnatural place. Nervous means _____

frightened

scared

jittery

all of the above

4. The tiny insects were plunged into a wet, dark chamber with food. This chamber was a _____

tunnel

garbage disposal

house

can

5. The ants made a discovery- discovery means
to weigh something down
the action of finding something
to put something somewhere
to hide something

6. The ants were on a long journey-journey means to
go on a long trip
find something
see a relative
see something

7. The familiar sound the ants heard was
the queen making noises
the footsteps of their fellow insects
the sounds in the kitchen
the roar of thunder

8. What could be a good lesson for the two ants?
Never go in the grass.
Do what you are meant to do, follow the rules
Keep traveling and get lost
Always be adventurous and never follow the path

9. What word does the author use instead of faucet, which is where the water
comes out of?
fountain, a waterfall from a silver tube
a gray, shiny spigot
a hard round discus
a tall wonderful forest

10. In the story, a sea of crystals was spotted. What are the crystals?

Jewels

Beads

Sugar

11. Why did the two ants stay in the sea of crystals and not return home with the other scouts?

They were tired

They wanted to eat all the crystals

They were too slow and could not catch the others

12. The ants fell into a hot, brown liquid. What was this liquid?

Coffee

Hot tea

Milk

13. There is no place like home. How did the author show us this with the story of the two ants?

He explained how upset the queen ant was when the two ants stayed behind

He showed how the ants almost died in the new place and were happy to go home

He showed us how the ants had a great vacation, but got homesick

He explained how they hid so they would not have to help with the crystals

14. Why did the two ants decide to stay where the crystals were?

They were greedy and wanted to get all the delicious crystals easily

They were small and tired, and didn't want to make the trip back

They didn't have any friends back in the ant world

The queen told them to stay behind

15. The ants were "stunned senseless" when they were blown out of the outlet.

What does that mean?

They were surprised the outlet blew them out

They were scared and feeling homesick

They were shocked by electricity, and were numb

It was dark and they couldn't see

16. Who is telling the story, making sure we know the thoughts and actions of all the characters?

3rd person, the queen ant

1st person, one of the ants

3rd person, narrator

3rd person, the scout

17. Isabella was _____ on the spider in her bedroom.

steping

steped

stepping

steppeded

18. The sun _____ from behind the clouds.

peeked

peeking

peekied

peekinged

19. The _____ controller fell to the floor.

gamed

gaming

gameing

gammied

20. What does the prefix in the word nonsense means?

before

two

no

again