

Complete the exchanges. For questions 1–10, choose **A**, **B** or **C**

1 Are you afraid of the dark?

- A) No, it's bright outside today.
- B) Not afraid exactly but I don't like it.
- C) Yes, the dark is afraid of me.

2 I brush my teeth three times a day.

- A) Why don't you do that?
- B) I don't have the same teeth.
- C) I brush mine twice.

3 You can't sit there!

- A) Of course I can.
- B) I sit where I am.
- C) It is not always yours.

4 When was the last time you bought something?

- A) I forgot to buy it.
- B) I think it will be next month.
- C) Why do you ask?

5 What jobs do your parents do?

- A) They want to be doctors.
- B) My mother likes cooking and my father is a pilot.
- C) They both work in a hospital.

6 I love the smell of bread baking in the oven. What is your favourite smell?

- A) Old books. It's the reason I became a librarian.
- B) What is yours?
- C) I don't smell anything but I like oranges.

7 Have you seen the new posters on my bedroom wall?

- A) I have but I don't like them.
- B) I don't have posters on my bedroom wall.
- C) They are all in a box.

- 8** **What's the weather like tomorrow?**
- A) It will rain later today.
 - B) They say it will be colder than today.
 - C) It's not my favourite weather so I don't like it.
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- 9** **Jack can eat ten slices of pizza for lunch.**
- A) Are you sure?
 - B) I can understand.
 - C) Does he like pizza with lots of cheese?
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- 10** **My sister normally goes to bed before ten o'clock.**
- A) It isn't normal for me to go to bed.
 - B) I cannot get up before ten.
 - C) Mine doesn't.

What does the notice say? Choose **A**, **B** or **C**

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**BRING BACK 20
EMPTY BOTTLES
AND GET A FREE
TICKET FOR THE
SCHOOL CONCERT.**

- A)** You must have 20 empty bottles for the concert.
- B)** Do not throw empty bottles at the concert.
- C)** You can use empty bottles to get into the concert.

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**DO NOT LEAVE
THE COMPUTER
ROOM UNTIL ALL
COMPUTERS
HAVE BEEN
TURNED OFF.**

- A)** You are not allowed to turn on the computers.
- B)** Turn off all computers, after you leave the computer room.
- C)** All computers must be off, before you leave the computer room.

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**ALL INFORMATION
ABOUT BUS TIMES
CAN BE FOUND AT
THE INFORMATION
DESK BEHIND THE
BOOKSHOP ON THE
RIGHT**

- A)** You can buy bus tickets at the bookshop on the right.
- B)** You won't get information about bus times at the information desk.
- C)** The information desk is not far from the bookshop.

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**THE DENTIST IS ONLY
OPEN FROM TUESDAY
TO SATURDAY AND THE
FIRST MONDAY OF
EVERY MONTH**

- A)** You must wait a month if you want to see the dentist next Monday.
- B)** You can visit the dentist every day except Saturday.
- C)** The dentist is closed most Mondays.

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**ALL SCHOOL BOOKS
MUST BE RETURNED
AFTER THE FINAL
EXAMINATION.
EXAMINATION RESULTS
WILL NOT BE GIVEN OUT
UNTIL THESE HAVE
BEEN RETURNED**

- A)** If you return your books before the examination, you will get your results earlier.
- B)** If you take your examination and then return your books, you will pass and get your results.
- C)** Results are given out only if you return your school books.

Read the story and answer the questions. Choose **A, B, C** or **D**

Kevin the Rabbit

Kevin the Very Old Rabbit was very old. Believe it or not, he was 146 years old.

He had always been old. In fact, when he was born he had glasses and a long white beard, which greatly surprised his mother because she had perfect eyesight and no hair on her face. His dad was called Kevin the Really Old Rabbit, but he's not in this story.

Now, every Tuesday morning Kevin would go to the post office in Swindon to send a letter to his cousin in London. But today was no ordinary Tuesday morning for two reasons. Firstly, it was his birthday and the second reason is that it was in fact Wednesday. This meant that he was actually 147 years old. The only problem was, he didn't know it. You see, because he thought it was Tuesday he thought that his birthday was not until tomorrow.

Suddenly, a very watery thing happened. It started to rain. Not just a few drops but **it rained cats and dogs**. He ran to the bus stop but the bus stop didn't have a roof so this didn't help. He had forgotten to bring his umbrella and his fur was getting very wet.

So he looked around and saw a big shop called *Umbrella World*, just next to the bus stop. When he ran into the shop he couldn't believe how many umbrellas were in there. There were millions and billions of them, neatly lined up on shelves.

The first one he looked at was made of silver with a gold handle but this was too expensive. The next one he saw was a plastic umbrella full of holes to let the rain through, which Kevin thought was a very silly idea. Then he saw a lovely yellow umbrella, covered in pictures of monkeys and tennis rackets. It was cheap so he took out his money and bought it.

When he went outside he found that it had stopped raining, which was a good thing and a bad thing. After looking at his watch he decided that he was probably hungry, so he crossed over the road to a fast food restaurant. He bought a Big Mac but threw the burger and bread roll into the bin because, being a rabbit, he only liked the lettuce.

Three and a half weeks later he got a letter from the fast food restaurant. It said,

"Dear Mr. Very Old Rabbit,
Congratulations! You have won a trip round the world in our competition. The plane leaves Heathrow airport at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning. Have a good time."

Unfortunately, Kevin could only read letters from his cousin so he threw it into the dustbin.

(Adapted from 'The Very Old Rabbit' by Gordon Dioxide)

16 How old was Kevin when he bought the umbrella?

- A) Only 146 years old.
- B) Just 147 years old.
- C) The same age as the day before.
- D) Kevin did not know his age.

17 Why did Kevin go to the post office?

- A) Because it wasn't Tuesday.
- B) To get a letter from his cousin.
- C) He was looking for an umbrella.
- D) Because he wanted to send something.

18 "Not just a few drops but it rained cats and dogs."

What does it rained cats and dogs mean here?

- A) Cats and dogs fell from the sky
- B) It rained animals
- C) It rained a lot
- D) All the dogs and cats got wet

19 Kevin didn't buy the second umbrella he saw because...

- A) he thought he had a silly idea.
- B) it was too expensive.
- C) he didn't want so many holes in his umbrella.
- D) he thought it was a stupid idea.

20 Why did Kevin not go on the world trip that he won in the competition?

- A) Because he can't read letters from his cousin.
- B) Because he couldn't read the letter and threw it away.
- C) He doesn't like trips.
- D) He is afraid of aeroplanes.

Hurricane



Complete the gaps in the text. Choose **A, B, C** or **D**

The Weather Forecast

The weather forecast tells us what the temperature and weather will probably be (21) _____ outside in the near future. There are many kinds of weather, from sunny to stormy and warm to cold. It can be rainy (22) _____ cloudy or windy. Listening to the weather forecast can help us be prepared so that we know (23) _____ to wear. The weather forecast can tell us if there will be heavy snow or ice or (24) _____ a hurricane. This is important because it helps us to prepare so that we can stay safe. Wind brings us weather because it (25) _____ clouds from one place to another. The person who forecasts the weather is called a meteorologist.

- 21 A) high B) nice C) low D) like
 22 A) most B) with C) or D) some
 23 A) when B) what C) which D) sizes
 24 A) even B) every C) the D) know
 25 A) runs B) goes C) blows D) stops

Complete the sentences. Choose **A**, **B**, or **C**

HOW TO MAKE A SANDWICH

- 26 Choose your favourite bread. You can use any _____ of bread.
 A) colour B) typed C) kind
- 27 To make a full sandwich you need two _____ slices of bread.
 A) whole B) hole C) quarter
- 28 You will also need butter or another spread that will make the slices _____ together.
 A) been B) glued C) stick
- 29 What you put on the sandwich is _____ your decision.
 A) real B) really C) reality
- 30 When you have finished putting everything _____, slice the sandwich in half.
 A) onto B) between C) together
- 31 You can have it with soup, fruit juice, milk or a drink of your _____.
 A) choice B) chosen C) choose
- 32 Keep in _____ that sandwiches can be eaten at any time but are often eaten at lunch time.
 A) brain B) mind C) head
- 33 The largest sandwich in the world was made in the USA in 2005. It _____ 2,467 kilos.
 A) waited B) ways C) weighed
- 34 It was half a metre _____ and four metres long!
 A) think B) thick C) heavy
- 35 We don't know who ate the sandwich. Perhaps they haven't finished it _____.
 A) now B) steal C) yet



Complete the sentences with the word that is spelt correctly. Choose **A**, **B** or **C**



- 36 I like to have an _____ for breakfast.
- A) omelete B) omelette C) omelett
- 37 Do you know the story of the _____ boy who cried wolf?
- A) shepherd B) shepard C) sheepard
- 38 He saw me at the mall but didn't speak to me. He just _____ me.
- A) ignorid B) iggnored C) ignored
- 39 _____ is another word for 'hobby'.
- A) Pastime B) Pasttime C) Pastaim
- 40 I like learning a new language if the _____ is not difficult.
- A) gramer B) grammar C) grammer