

**Read the following text and answer questions no. 1 to 3.**

When we talk about things, we can give each thing a name or we can put the things into groups. For example; if we say that a thing has life and cannot move from one place to another, it is called a tree or vegetable.

A few kinds of vegetable life can grow on stones, and a lot of kinds can grow in water, but the kinds that we know best grow in soil.

Since the time offers men in the world, people have been using the products of vegetable world for food, for clothes, and for many other things. At first, all the plants were uncultivated. People just look the things from the wild plants that they could find. Then people learned to plant seed and to cultivate their fields. In this way they harvested better crops.

Now we grow a lot of kind of things on our farms and gardens. We eat roots, stems, leaves, nuts, and grains. We use woods from trees for our houses, chairs, and tables. Indonesian land is fertile for farming and a lot of plants grow well in it.

Another important member of vegetable world in Indonesia is found three group. From them we can get almost every kind of things that we have to live. Bananas, coconuts, rattans, and bamboos are only a few of palm trees.

1. Where do most plants grow well?
  - A. On a tree
  - B. On stones
  - C. In water
  - D. In soil
2. "...and a lot of plants grow well in it." (Par. 4)  
The underlined word refers to ....
  - A. Plants
  - B. The World
  - C. Wood from Trees
  - D. Indonesian Land
3. How do people harvest better crops?
  - A. They use the product for food and clothes.
  - B. They eat roots, stems, leaves, nuts and grains.
  - C. They cultivate their fields.
  - D. They take the things from wild plants.

**Read the following text and answer the questions no. 4 to 6**

Once upon a time, a farmer planted a beet. The beet grew and grew.

One day the farmer pulled on the beet, but the beet did not come up "Horse, please help me pull up this beet. I want to eat it for the dinner, " said the farmer. "Sure, I'll help you, " said the horse. But the beet did not come up.

Then the farmer went to the cow. “Dear cow, please help me pull up this beet. I want to eat it for the dinner, “ said the farmer. “Sure, I’ll help, “ said the cow. But the beet did not come up. So the farmer went to a goat. “My lovely goat, please help me pull up this beet. I want to eat it for dinner, “ said the farmer. “Sure, I’ll help, “ said the goat. But the beet did not come up.

Next, the farmer went to the cat “Oh my dear cat, please help me pull up this beet. I want to eat it for dinner, “ said the farmer. “Sure, I’ll help, “ said the cat. But again the beet did not come up. So the farmer went to the mouse. “Lovely mouse, please help me pull up this beet, “ said the farmer. “Sure, I’ll help, “ said the mouse. So the mouse pulled on the cat. The cat pulled on the goat, and the goat pulled on the cow. The cow pulled on the horse, the horse pulled on the farmer, and the farmer pulled on the beet. And the beet came up!

4. What is the type of the text?
  - A. descriptive
  - B. narrative
  - C. recount
  - D. report
5. What is the story about?
  - A. A farmer, a beet, and some animals.
  - B. A farmer, a beet, and many animals.
  - C. A farmer and his pets
  - D. A farmer and the beet.
6. How many animals are there in the text?
  - A. Seven
  - B. Six
  - C. Five
  - D. Three

**Read the following text and answer questions no. 7 to 9.**

### **The Basic Operation of A Digital Camera**

You need:

- A digital camera
- An object (a human / a natural view)

Follow the steps below to take a picture:

1. Hold up the camera and center the object in the LCD.
2. Move closer or use the zoom control for the result you want.
3. When you are ready to take the picture, hold the shutter halfway. It is very important, so the camera set the focus, shutter speed, and various other calculations. This may take a few seconds.
4. A light should appear that lets you know the camera is set to go.
5. Press shutter all the way down.

It may be necessary to turn off the LCD and use the view finder when there is extreme sunlight or to conserve battery life. The glare from the LCD does not work well with bright light.

7. What should you do when you are ready to take the picture?
  - A. Hold up the camera
  - B. Center the object in the LCD
  - C. Hold the shutter half way.
  - D. Press the shutter all the way down.
8. When is the camera set to go?
  - A. When a light appears.
  - B. When you hold up the camera.
  - C. When you hold the shutter half way.
  - D. When you press shutter all the way down.
9. The statements below are true according to the text, except ...
  - A. Use the zoom control for the result you want.
  - B. A light should not appear when the camera is set to go.
  - C. It may take a few seconds to hold the shutter half way.
  - D. Use the view finder when there is extreme light.

**Read the following text to answer the questions no. 10 to 12.**

Radja was very busy last week. He wrote some letters for his parents and friends on Monday. On Tuesday he visited Ratu's school. He played tennis for two hours there. Ratu is his friend.

In the evening he went to the sport shop. He bought a new tennis racket. Then he played tennis again the whole day on Wednesday.

He stayed at home in the evening. He was very tired. Then he spoke to his parents on the phone.

On Thursday he watched the football match on television. On the weekend he visited his brother's badminton club at Jalan Ki Hajar Dewantara 212.

10. Where did Radja play tennis for two hours?

- A. At his friend's school.
- B. Near The sport shop.
- C. At his brother's club.
- D. At his school.

11. When was Radja actually very tired?

- A. On Monday morning.
- B. On Tuesday afternoon.
- C. On Wednesday evening.
- D. On Thursday evening.

12. ...He was very *tired*... (Par. 3)

The word in italic probably has closest meaning to ...

- A. anxious
- B. excited
- C. curious
- D. exhausted

**Study the following table and answer the questions no. 13 and 14.**

Countries	Spring	Summer	Autumn	Winter
Japan	20 C	30 C	17 C	4 C
England	21 C	29 C	18 C	-2 C
New Zealand	20 C	29 C	19 C	0 C
Canada	22 C	25 C	18 C	-3 C

13. According to the table above Canada is ... in Winter

- A. coolest
- B. coldest
- C. warmest
- D. brightest

14. The hottest country in Summer is ...

- A. Japan
- B. England
- C. New Zealand
- D. Canada

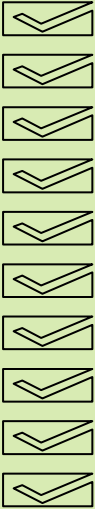
15. Look at the notice below.



The notice means ...

- A. We are not allowed to spit
- B. We are allowed to spit
- C. We cannot spit
- D. We forbid to spit

The following letter is for questions no. 16 & 17.



*Dear Rianti,*  
*Thank you for your letter. It gave me a lot of information about your journey to Lake Toba last month. People say it is very beautiful lake in your province and I believe that a lot of tourists like to visit it. You know I have heard a lot about it.*  
*My mom and dad are eager to go there. We plan to go there on our long holiday next month. I've told them about you and when we go there, we would like you to go with us. Be ready to be our guide. Will it be alright? I hope so.*  
*Please send my best regard to your parents and sister. I am looking forward to your reply.*

*Love,*  
*Andini*

16. The letter above tells us about ....
- A. Rianti went to Lake Toba.
  - B. Rianti's experience to Lake Toba.
  - C. Andini's experience in Lake Toba.
  - D. Andini's plan to go to Lake Toba.
17. Which of the following statements is not correct based on the text?
- A. Rianti went to Lake Toba a month ago.
  - B. Lake Toba is a beautiful lake.
  - C. Rianti and Andini are pen pals.
  - D. Andini will be the guide.

**Choose the most suitable words to complete questions no. 18 to 20 of the following text.**

Farmers usually start to cultivate their fields in the wet season. Before cultivating, they prepare their ... (18) like hoes, rakes and ploughs. They also prepare their cows and buffaloes. The cows or buffaloes are very important for farmers to pull the ... (19) to cultivate the rice field. It is a ... (20) way.

18. A. machines  
B. tools  
C. appliances  
D. utensils
19. A. plough  
B. tractor  
C. spade  
D. rake
20. A. modern  
B. traditional  
C. simple  
D. nice
21. I am studying here all day long, ...?
- A. am I
  - B. do I
  - C. aren't I
  - D. wasn't I

22. Which of the following underlined words is spelled incorrectly?
- A. We spent our vacation at the sea shore.
  - B. What short of a car do you have?
  - C. I have a sore throat.
  - D. Sahara desert is to hot.
23. It was still early in the morning, when we ... at Medan.
- A. arrive
  - B. arrived
  - C. will arrive
  - D. are arriving
24. Nina and I ... to visit the museum this afternoon.
- A. were going
  - B. am going
  - C. are going
  - D. was going
25. Mr. Bean has been here ... 2002.
- A. since
  - B. for
  - C. when
  - D. as
26. Siska: Will you come to my birthday party?  
Putri: I will come if I ... time.
- A. will have
  - B. has
  - C. have
  - D. had
27. Susan: Have you ever been to Bali?  
Grace: Never. What about you?  
Susan: ....
- A. I didn't either.
  - B. I have too.
  - C. Neither have I
  - D. So did I

28. The weather is still unpleasant today. It is ... yesterday.
- better than
  - the best of
  - the worst of
  - worse than
29. Rearrange the following sentences into a good paragraph.
- She takes up her track on the ice for her free program.
  - At present she is lying in the second place.
  - At last, the one that everybody is waiting for!
  - Oh, oh! Look, what a magnificent start.
  - There is a hush through this Ciang Mai stadium as the spectators wait expectantly for Malaysian, Hasnah Ibrahim.
  - This girl is clearly out on the ice to entertain.
- 3 - 1 - 6 - 4 - 2 - 5
  - 3 - 6 - 5 - 4 - 2 - 1
  - 3 - 5 - 1 - 2 - 4 - 6
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30. The best arrangement of this word to make a good sentence is ...
- Buying - did not - clothes - money - much - we - spend - for.
- 1            2            3            4            5            6            7            8
- 6 - 2 - 7 - 5 - 4 - 8 - 1 - 3
  - 6 - 2 - 7 - 5 - 3 - 1 - 4 - 8
  - 6 - 2 - 7 - 5 - 8 - 4 - 1 - 3
  - 6 - 2 - 7 - 5 - 3 - 4 - 8 - 1