

QUIZ TIME!

Mark the **synonym** of the given word:

1. **Haste**
A. Sluggishness B. Apathy
C. Slowness D. Hurriedness
2. **Extinguish**
A. Douse B. Turn on C. Inflammable D. Light

Mark the **antonym** of the given word

3. **Famed**
A. Noted B. Celebrated C. Inglorious D. Renowned
4. **Former**
A. Latter B. Departed C. Antecedent D. Earlier

Mark the option with the **incorrect spelling** of the word:

5. A. Facile B. Fastidious C. Futile D. None of these
6. A. Exite B. Extend C. Exit D. Extempore

Give one word for the given definition:

7. **A line of people waiting for something**
A. Waitlisted B. Queue C. Procession D. Frontier
8. **One Who is able to adapt oneself to many Situations**
A. Rigid B. Stiff C. Versatile D. Stern

9. Rearrange the following sentences in the **correct order**

- a. the price of honey b. the price of sugar
c. of honey d. was higher than
- A. a-d-c-b B. b-d-c-a C. a-c-d-b D. c-a-d-b

10. Fill in the blank with the most **appropriate question tag**

- Sweet is the smell of the newly cut grass, _____?**
A. Is it B. Isn't it C. Hasn't it D. Won't it

11. Fill in the blank with the most suitable **pronoun** from the ones given below:

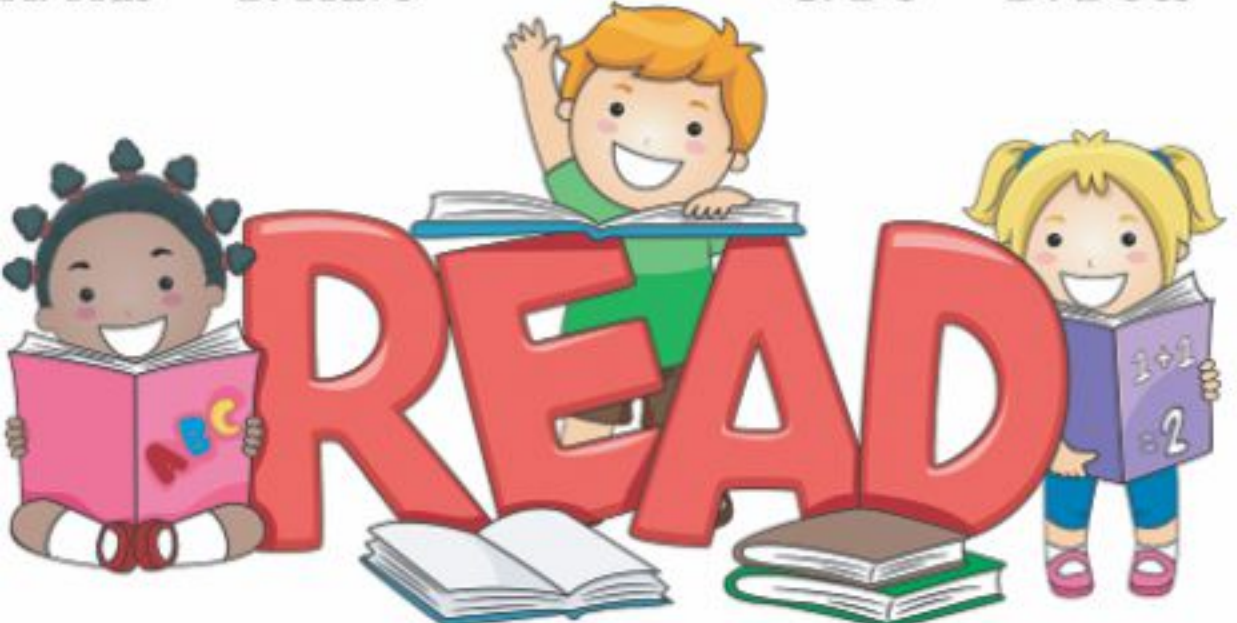
This is the bank _____ was robbed yesterday.
A. Which B. Whose C. Who D. Whom

12. Fill in the blank with the suitable collective **noun**:

- I have put the _____ of tools back in the car.**
A. Comb B. Set C. Bag D. None of these

13. Fill in the blank with the most suitable **verb** or **verb form**:

We _____ not yet done our homework.
A. Has B. Have C. Do D. Does



14. Fill in the blank with the most suitable **adjective** from those provided:

- A holiday at the mountains is often _____ than one by the sea.**
A. Better B. Best C. Good D. None of these

Fill in the blank with the most suitable **article**:

15. _____ apple a day, keeps the doctor away.
A. The B. An C. A D. None of these

16. **We were watching _____ news on BBC last evening.**
A. The B. An C. A D. None of these

17. **Change the direct narration to indirect narration**

- 'Leave me alone,' she said**
A. She told me to leave me alone
B. She told me to leave her alone
C. She told me if she could be left alone
D. None of the above

18. Complete the following sentence with **past perfect tense** of the word in the bracket

- They spent their honeymoon in Shimla where they _____ (meet) two years before.**
A. Met B. Had met
C. Had been meeting D. None of the above

19. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the **verb**:

The London Dungeon lies (lie) in the oldest part of London, in an old subterranean prison. The museum takes (take) its visitors on a journey through England's bloody history. It demonstrates (demonstrate) the brutal killings and tortures of the past. You can experience (can/experience) for example how people died (die) on the gallows or during the plague of 1665. The Dungeon also shows (show) scenes of Jack, the Ripper or the beheading of Anne Boleyn, who was (be) one of Henry VIII's six wives. The atmosphere at the Dungeon is (be) really scary, nothing for the faint-hearted. While you are walking (walk) around the Dungeon, watch out for creepy creatures, the Dungeon _____ (employ) actors to give its visitors the fright of their lives.

20. Choose the **correct sentence** from the following:

Shraddha's selfish attitude is comparable to the stingy behaviour of her friend Bijoy.

- A. Shraddha's selfish attitude is comparable to the stingy behaviour of her friend Bijoy...
B. Shraddha's selfish attitude is comparable to the stingy behaviour of her friend Bijoy!
C. Shraddha's selfish attitude is comparable to the stingy behaviour of her friend Bijoy
D. Shraddha's selfish attitude is comparable to the stingy behaviour of her friend, Bijoy.

Find the answers in next MONDAY issue

21. Read the given passage and answer the question that follows:

Raja Krishnadevarai used to celebrate Holi festival with great pomp and show which included the selection of the 'greatest fool' of the kingdom. In the joyous atmosphere of Holi festival many cultural and humorous items were part of celebrations. The king announced the 'Greatest Fool Award'. It was a very valuable award and people used to act in the funniest manner to deserve this award and the title. However, it was Tenaliram, the person with all intelligence and wit, who used to bag away this award. The other courtiers used to get irritated with this. They were always on the lookout to score a point over Tenali but he never allowed them to do so.

Once when the festival of colours came closer, the jealous courtiers decided to prevent Tenaliram from attending the function. They bought over Tenaliram's pet servant and gave an ample dose of Bhang to Tenali, due to which Tenali got up late in the noon. He dressed up and reached the venue of the function. As Tenali entered the tent, the king spotted him and shouted at him in anger, "Hey you fool, Tenali! How could you forget the time of the function? Were you drugged to sleep and you acted so foolishly?"

All the courtiers were glad to see how Tenali was going to be insulted by the king. But Tenaliram was unaffected and he said: "You are right, Your Majesty! I am not only a fool but the greatest fool!"

"Yes Tenali! You are really the greatest fool!" the king roared in rage. "Thanks a lot, Your Highness!" replied a beaming Tenali, "Now you have yourself announced me as the greatest fool. Please give me the award also!"

All the courtiers were confused. Even the king could not help uttering "Tenali! You are very intelligent. You have a flair for converting your shortcoming into your strength by your superior logic!" and the king had to award Tenaliram that year also with the award of 'The Greatest Fool'.

What is the antonym of the word 'unaffected'?

- A. Sincere B. Impervious C. Affected D. Genuine

22. Read the given passage and answer the question that follows:

There is no gravity in space. It means that very simple jobs are complicated. Some shuttle astronauts say that even a simple job like changing the batteries in a cassette player can take five times longer in space! The astronauts float, the batteries float, the machines float and all things float in different directions!

Inside a space shuttle, there are controls on all the surfaces, and astronauts use velcro strips to attach themselves or other objects. There are special cupboards for sleeping, or astronauts can use sleeping bags, which can be attached to the wall, ceiling or floor. Astronauts have personal menus of dehydrated foods and normal foods like biscuits or chocolates. Eating is quite easy, but astronauts can only drink with straws. Drinks are in bags. People always ask astronauts how they go to the toilet. The answer is 'with difficulty'! There is one toilet for the seven or eight astronauts and it resembles a vacuum cleaner.

Where do astronauts sleep in a space shuttle?

- A. On beds
B. In sleeping bags or in special cupboards
C. They don't sleep at all
D. In vacuum cleaner type of beds

ANSWER KEY TO THE LAST EIS PAGE ACTIVITIES (DATED NOVEMBER 6, 2017)

- UNIT 2
(1) play golf, volleyball, go skiing, jogging, fishing, do athletics, exercises, aerobics
(2) 1. a, 2. b, 3. a, 4. a, 5. b, 6. b, 7. a, 8. b
(3) 1. tastes, 2. 's washing, 3. go, 4. Are you studying, 5. 'm listening, 6. 's getting married, 7. 'm not sleeping, 8. meet, 9. 'm preparing, 10. rains
(4) 1. We have, 2. Do you know, 3. I prefer, 4. I don't enjoy, 5. it belongs, 6. He thinks, 7. Do you see, 8. She's thinking, 9. I deserve, 10. look
(5) 1. Wine is exported from France and Germany.
2. The rubbish is collected once a week.
3. The money is being counted at the moment.
4. Some new houses are being designed.
5. The bills are paid by cheque.
6. The details are being checked now.
7. Oranges are grown in the south of Spain.
8. A lot of people are employed in marketing.
9. New computer software is being developed.
10. A new swimming pool is being built in my town.
(6) 1. wake up, 2. is delivered, 3. don't get up, 4. is imported 5. are made, 6. spend, 7. come, 8. aren't invited
(7) 1. T, 2. F, 3. T, 4. F

