WISDOM SERIES

STD 6 - TERM III
ENGLISH

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**Read the passage below and fill in the black spaces numbered 1-15.**

__1__ afternoon Moses was returning home. He was __2__ after spending most of the day __3__. He liked the __4__ where he and his __5__ had __6__, bathed and had __7__. __8__ he walked along the path, he __9__ stopped, flapped his __10__ and __11__ like an elephant. He __12__ worried. His two allies were not __13__ his phone call. He __14__ something wrong had __15__ to them.

	A	**B**	**C**	**D**
1.	On	One	Two	An
2.	Tired	Tireless	Tried	Tyred
3.	Swiming	Swaming	been swimming	swimming
4.	pools	pulled	pool	pull
5.	frends	frend	freinds	friends
6.	drunk	dranks	drank	drink
7.	farn	fun	fan	firn
8.	As	And	Has	Then
9.	occasion	occassion	occasionally	occasionally
10.	ears	legs	years	hands
11.	barked	puned	trumpted	wared
12.	becomes	bicame	became	become
13.	answered	answer	answers	answering
14.	beleeved	believed	beleived	beliefed
15.	happen	happened	hapened	happening

**In questions 16-17 replace the underlined word with the correct adverb.**

16. The baby was playing in **peace.**

   A. peacely   B. peacefully

   C. peaceful   D. in peace

17. Jared broke the window by **accident.**

   A. accidental   B. delibertely

   C. accidentally   D. accidently

18. The stranger left our home **in a hurry.**

   A. hurriedly   B. hurrily

   C. hurried   D. hurry hurry

**In questions 19-21, choose the correct word to fill in the black space.**

19. _____ painted the room.

A. Who   B. When

C. How   D. What

20. _____ we saw her she was crying.

A. Who   B. What

C. How   D. When

21. _____ did he explain the cause of the fight.

A. How   B. Who

C. What   D. When

In questions 22-24, choose the opposite of the underlined words.

22. There was a **bright** light at the window.

A. dull   B. dim

C. faded   D. shining

23. They had to keep the boat **floating.**

A. capsizing   B. rising

C. aloud   D. sinking

24. Her shoes are **loosely** fitting.

A. tightly   B. heavily

C. lightly   D. baggy

For questions 25-26, select the word that least fits in the group.

25. A. pray   B. hard

C. tough   D. soft

26. A. chair   B. stool

C. table   D. chain

Read the passage below carefully then answer questions 27-38.

Elly grew up to be a strong man. He was brave and afraid of no one. He looked after Zablon's cows. He took them to the river to drink water everyday. The chief's herdsmen also brought their cows to the place to drink.

Elly rushed his cows to the water whenever he saw the chief's cows. His cows made the water muddy for the others to drink. The chief's cows herdsman were annoyed and took the report to the cow's owner. Osuga, I can not allow a simple potter's son to disturb me, said Osuga. He and the herdsmen took the cows to the water next day.

"Let the chief's cows drink first," shouted the herdsmen. The young man only laughed. Osuga threw a spear to Elly but the strong man was too quick for it. He threw the spear and killed Osuga with it. The villagers were very happy to hear of their cruel leader's death. Osuga used to have young able men doing work in his farm for no pay.

He also used to make the woman work in his home without any salary. He always enjoyed seeing the poor become poorer while he enlarged his stores. He could not help people who went to have their disputes solved. He had no respect for the old people and treated them like young children. So with his death Elly was declared a hero.

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27. Who took the report to Osuga? The _____

A. potter   B. young man

C. herdsman   D. cows

28. Who was the chief of the place mentioned?

A. Osuga   B. Potter

C. Elly   D. Zablon

29. Elly was a _____
    A. son of a rich man
    B. brave boy
    C. old strong man
    D. wise young man

30. The chief's cows could not drink water because:-
    A. they were not thirsty
    B. the water was muddy
    C. the water was drunk by other cows
    D. the herdsmen refused

31. The herdsman name was:-
    A. Osuga   B. Chief
    C. Elly   D. Zablon

32. The word **strong** is used in the passage and so is __brave__. What are their opposites respectively?
    A. weak, scared   B. weak, coward
    C. weak, energetic D. coward, weak

33. Whose cows could not drink water?
    A. Potter's   B. Elly's
    C. Chief's   D. Zablon's

34. What in the passage shows Osuga was selfish?
    A. Had no respect for the old
    B. Helped the needy
    C. Could not solve disputes
    D. Ignored the poor and enlarged his stores

35. The feminine of Hero is _____
    A. heroine   B. heroic
    C. heroes   D. heroin

36. When Osuga died the villagers were:-
    A. crying
    B. given a new leader
    C. chose a new leader
    D. happy

37. Elly's father was a _____
    A. porter   B. herdsman
    C. potter   D. chief

38. The following words can be used to describe Osuga except:-
    A. cruel   B. kind
    C. selfish   D. unkind

Read the passage below and answer questions 39-50.

Getting a good rest, results in better health. Sleep and health are closely connected. Cells come to life during the sleep cycle and if the body is not fully relaxed. These cells will not be efficiently replaced. This causes a person to feel tired when he wakes up and during the day. They will not feel good sleep. A good bed is one that offers the correct support, comfort and healthy space to sleep in.

It should be fitted with a good mattress that is neither hard nor too soft and easily yields the natural body. A good mattress enables good sleep which is equal to improved health. Timely replacement of a mattress and its quality leads to positive result on sleep and overall quality of life. It is also necessary that a mattress is changed every five years even if it is still good.

This is because it loses its quality with time and also the composition collects much dust and dirt in the course of time which is bad for health. A good night's sleep is priceless. However, the way people align themselves in bed makes the difference in the quality of sleep that get. Experts say that the best way to sleep is on the back without a pillow.

This allows the spine to rest with its natural curves in place. Side sleeping is not the best as it causes numbs fingers due to strain on the nerves through the shoulder. Stomach sleeping is the worst position of all. It affects the lower back, neck and the lungs. It keeps the head turned to one side of all night, which affects, the alignment of the spine in the neck. A lot of things are therefore to be considered if one has to achieve quality sleep.

39. A good bed has the following except:-
    A. comfort
    B. healthy space
    C. stress
    D. support

40. What is the reward for a good rest according to the passage?
    A. Good cells
    B. Relaxation
    C. A good mattress
    D. Better health

41. Why is there a difference in quality of sleep that people get?
    A. Side sleeping
    B. The cost of mattress
    C. Back sleeping
    D. The type of beddings used

42. "A good bed is the gateway to good sleep" Means _____
    A. beds have passages
    B. good sleep only comes from a good bed
    C. you can not sleep anywhere else other than on bed
    D. a good sleep depends on the kind of bed

43. The benefit of back sleeping is _____
    A. the spine rests naturally
    B. straining of the nerves
    C. enough oxygen supply
    D. natural curves

44. The word "yields" as used in the passage means:-
    A. rejects
    B. refuses
    C. opposes
    D. fits

45. How is sleep important to cells?
    A. sleep reduces cells
    B. it is sleep that cells are replaced
    C. cells cause tiredness
    D. cells relaxes during sleep

46. Why is stomach sleeping the worst method?
    A. The nerves are strained
    B. The body is not relaxed
    C. It affects the fingers
    D. It affects some organs like lungs

47. According to the passage, what causes bad health?
    A. Time spent in sleep
    B. Dust and dirty
    C. Composition of the bedding
    D. Contours of the back

48. Which one of the following correctly describes the right mattress?
    A. Soft but too hard
    B. Both hard and very soft
    C. Neither hard nor too soft
    D. Either hard or too soft

49. A mattress loses quality _____
    A. very fast
    B. every five years
    C. over time
    D. frequently

50. The best title for this passage would be:-
    A. A good sleep
    B. Quality sleep
    C. Quality mattress
    D. Sleeping position