

Grade
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Grand Finale 2024-25

ECAT Question Paper

NEA025

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TOTAL MARKS
80



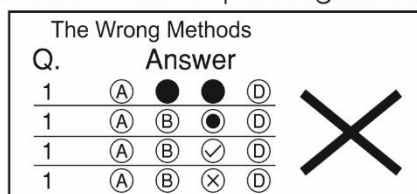
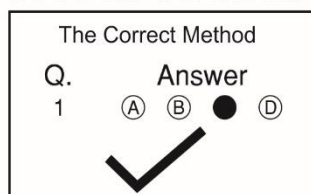
QUESTIONS
40



DURATION
60 mins

Instructions for Student:

- Read the question carefully before answering.
- Each question has 4 options (A, B, C & D).
- Choose one correct option as your answer, from the 4 options.
- Every question carries 2 marks.
- There will be an additional 0.5 Negative Marking for every wrong answer.
- On the answer sheet blacken the correct option against the corresponding question number,



- Use pencil to mark your answer.
- If you wish to change your answer, erase the previous mark completely.

For questions 1 to 20, choose the correct alternative.

1. Which of the following is an uncountable noun?
 - a. Water
 - b. Apples
 - c. Dogs
 - d. Books

2. "The magnificent horse galloped across the field."
Pick out the adjective from the following sentence.
 - a. horse
 - b. magnificent
 - c. across
 - d. field

3. "What day is it today?"
Identify the type of sentence.
 - a. Command
 - b. Exclamatory
 - c. Question
 - d. Statement

4. "We saw _____ eagle flying above the mountains."
Fill in the blank with the correct article.
 - a. a
 - b. the
 - c. an
 - d. none of these

5. "The turtle is hiding _____ the chair."
Choose the suitable preposition.
 - a. under
 - b. over
 - c. into
 - d. on

6. Which of the following sentences is in the present continuous tense?
 - a. She dances gracefully.
 - b. She is dancing gracefully.
 - c. She will dance gracefully.
 - d. She danced gracefully.

7. "Yay! It's time to go to the beach."
Which word is the interjection?
 - a. time
 - b. go
 - c. yay
 - d. beach

8. "He drives _____ on the highway."

Fill in the blank with the correct adverb.

- a. carefully
- b. quick
- c. slow
- d. noisy

9. "They have visited the museum twice this month."

What tense is the following sentence in?

- a. Present Perfect
- b. Simple Past
- c. Future Continuous
- d. Past Continuous

10. "The _____ mountain was covered in snow."

Choose the suitable adjective.

- a. high
- b. loudly
- c. running
- d. arrive

11. Which of the following words cannot be found within the word "DISTANCE"?

- a. ANT
- b. SCAN
- c. DANCE
- d. STAGE

12. Pick out the correctly spelled word.

- a. elephant
- b. elephent
- c. elefant
- d. elliphant

13. Choose the correct plural for the word "wolf."

- a. Wolfs
- b. Wolves
- c. Wolfes
- d. Wolf

14. Pick the odd one out.

- a. Chair
- b. Sofa
- c. Desk
- d. Pillow

15. "The tiny insect crawled across the leaf."

What is the meaning of the underlined word in the sentence?

- a. huge
- b. large
- c. small
- d. fast

16. What is the antonym of "win"?

- a. finish
- b. gain
- c. lose
- d. achieve

17. "He has _____ that is very curly."

Choose the correct homophone for the sentence.

- a. hare
- b. hair
- c. hear
- d. here

18. "She wanted to buy the dress, _____ it was too expensive."

Fill in the blank with the correct conjunction.

- a. or
- b. but
- c. so
- d. and

19. "My friends and _____ went to the park."

Pick the correct pronoun for the following sentence.

- a. him
- b. her
- c. me
- d. I

20. "The bright sun shone in the sky."

Choose the predicate in the sentence.

- a. The bright sun
- b. shone in the sky
- c. bright
- d. in the sky

For each question from 21 to 24, Punctuate the following sentences.

21. "How are you feeling today__"

- a. Full stop (.)
- b. Question mark (?)
- c. Comma (,)
- d. Exclamation mark (!)

22. "Please pass the salt and pepper__"

- a. Full stop (.)
- b. Question mark (?)
- c. Comma (,)
- d. Exclamation mark (!)

23. "What a great performance__"

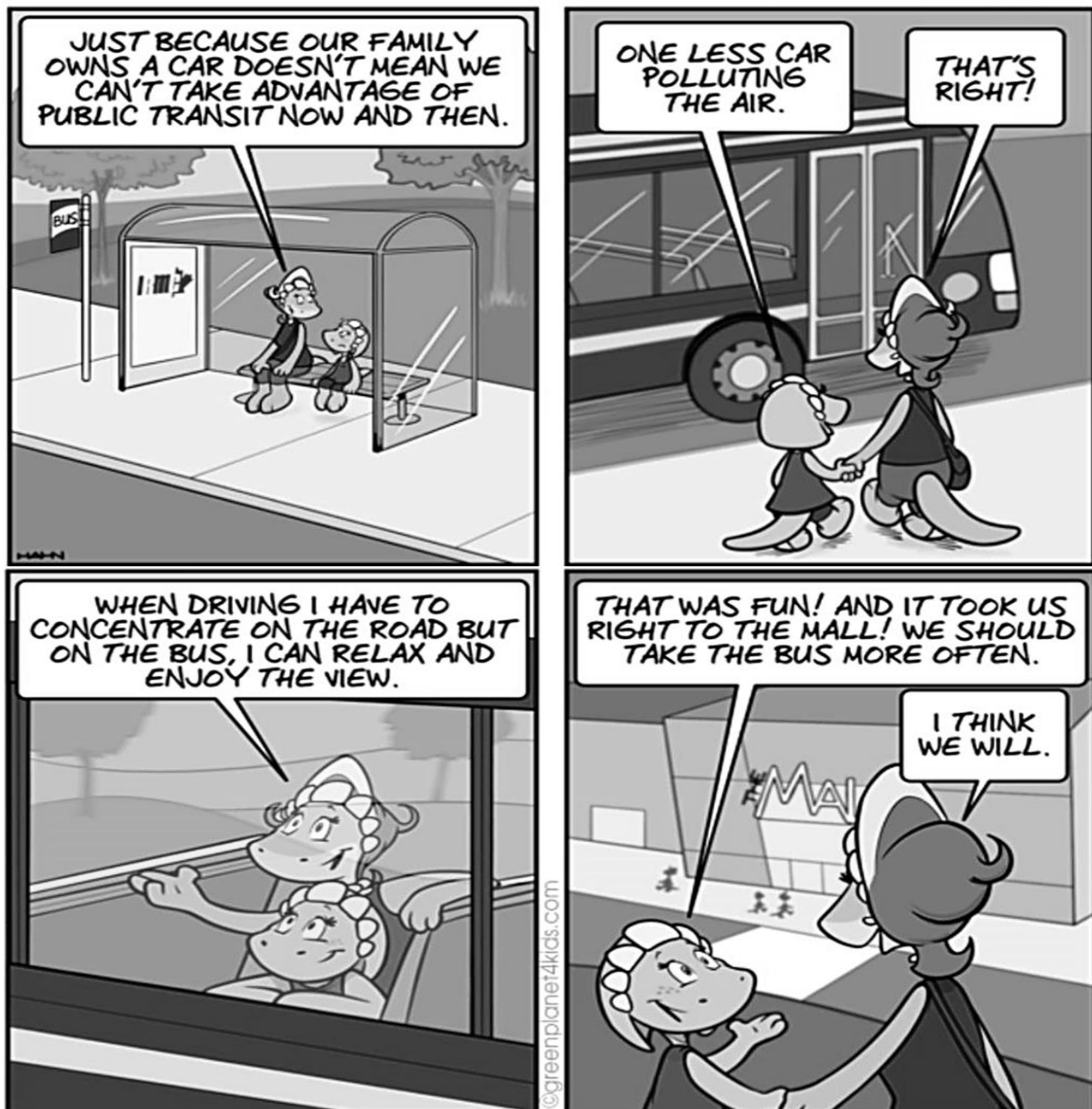
- a. Full stop (.)
- b. Question mark (?)
- c. Exclamation mark (!)
- d. Comma (,)

24. "It's time to go inside now__"

- a. Full stop (.)
- b. Question mark (?)
- c. Exclamation mark (!)
- d. Comma (,)

Read the comic and answer questions 25 to 28.

the ECO family *Bdy/dm.*



25. Why does the family decide to take the bus instead of their car?

- a. They lost their car keys.
- b. To reduce pollution.
- c. They don't have a car.
- d. The car is broken.

26. Where does the bus take the family in the comic?

- a. To the park.
- b. To the mall.
- c. To a friend's house.
- d. To the school.

27. What does the family learn from their experience on the bus?

- a. That buses are too slow.
- b. That they don't enjoy the bus ride.
- c. That public transit is sometimes better.
- d. That they need to buy a second car.

28. Why do you think the mother suggests taking public transit "now and then" even though they own a car?

- a. She prefers the bus over driving.
- b. She wants to teach her child about environmental responsibility.
- c. She doesn't have a driver's license.
- d. She thinks the bus is faster than their car.

Read the passage and answer questions 29 to 34.

One pleasant afternoon, Maya and her friends visited the town's community garden, a vibrant space where neighbours worked together to cultivate flowers, vegetables, and trees. Maya loved the garden because it was a place of collaboration and learning.

Today, Maya and her friends were assisting Mr. Lee, an elderly gardener, who had been tending to the plot for years. He demonstrated how to plant seeds carefully and explained the importance of patience and attention for the plants to thrive.

As they worked, Maya noticed how the garden united people of all ages. Young children, parents, and grandparents worked side by side, sharing advice and stories. By the end of the day, the garden looked even more beautiful. Maya felt a sense of pride and understood that the garden was not only about growing plants but also about fostering connections and teamwork.

29. What did Maya and her friends do at the community garden?

- a. They helped plant seeds and tend to the plants
- b. They played games
- c. They picked flowers
- d. They organized a party

30. What did Maya observe about the people in the garden?

- a. They worked alone
- b. People of all ages worked together and shared stories
- c. Everyone was focused only on their own plants
- d. The garden was very quiet and empty

31. Why is the garden important to the community?

- a. It provides a space for people to grow food and flowers together
- b. It is a place for tourists to visit
- c. It is used for private gardening only
- d. It is a quiet place for people to relax alone

32. What do we learn about Mr. Lee?

- a. He enjoys teaching others and sharing his knowledge
- b. He is uninterested in helping the younger generation
- c. He prefers to work in solitude
- d. He is too busy to work in the garden

33. What is the central theme of the story?

- a. The value of collaboration and community
- b. The joy of working alone in nature
- c. The challenges of growing plants
- d. The importance of maintaining a quiet space

34. How would you describe Maya's attitude toward the community garden?

- a. She is uninterested and just follows along.
- b. She is enthusiastic and enjoys working with others.
- c. She prefers to work alone in the garden.
- d. She is frustrated and doesn't enjoy gardening.

Read the given information and answer questions 35 to 40.

The water cycle is a continuous process that moves water through the Earth's atmosphere, land, and oceans. It begins with evaporation, when water from oceans, rivers, and lakes is heated by the sun and turns into water vapor. This vapor rises into the sky, where it cools and condenses to form clouds. This part of the cycle is called condensation.

Eventually, the clouds become heavy with water droplets, and precipitation occurs, which brings water back to the Earth as rain, snow, or sleet. Once the water reaches the ground, it can either flow into rivers and oceans or soak into the soil. Water that soaks into the soil is absorbed by plants or becomes part of underground water storage.

This cycle is essential for all living things, as it provides the fresh water needed by plants, animals, and humans. The water cycle also helps to regulate Earth's temperature and weather patterns. Without it, life as we know it could not exist.

35. What is the first stage of the water cycle?

- a. Precipitation
- b. Condensation
- c. Evaporation
- d. Absorption

36. Why is the water cycle important for living things?

- a. It creates oceans
- b. It provides fresh water needed by plants and animals
- c. It makes rivers flow faster
- d. It changes soil into water

37. What is the main theme of the passage?

- a. The importance of clouds in the sky
- b. The different ways animals depend on water
- c. The stages and importance of the water cycle for life on Earth
- d. How rivers are formed by water flow

38. What do we understand about the importance of clouds in the water cycle?

- a. They block sunlight
- b. They are only for decoration
- c. They hold water droplets that eventually fall as precipitation
- d. They move water away from the Earth

39. Why might the water cycle be important for weather patterns?

- a. It keeps temperatures the same all the time
- b. It helps regulate rainfall, snow, and other weather events
- c. It prevents water from reaching oceans
- d. It creates stronger winds

40. If farmers depend on rainfall for crops, how might they feel about the water cycle?

- a. Indifferent, because the water cycle has no effect on crops
- b. Annoyed, because it brings too much water to plants
- c. Grateful, because it provides the rainfall needed for crops to grow
- d. Concerned, because the water cycle stops crops from growing

