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Test 2 Study Guide

Bring a **SCANTRON** sheet.**Spelling (words 1-50)***For each set of words, find the one that is misspelled. Capitalization counts.*

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| 1.a. fulfill | 2.a. gauge |
| b. category | b. atheist |
| c. grammar | c. calendar |
| d. accidentally | d. camouflage |
| e. none of the above | e. none of the above |

Diction (items 1-50)*Choose the words that make the sentences conform to Standard Formal English.*

3. I could not [accept/except] his explanation; it was not [alright / all right].
 a. accept / alright b. accept / all right c. except / alright d. except / all right
4. My brother has [a lot of / many] friends, and he [ain't / isn't] even nice to them.
 a. a lot of / ain't b. a lot of / isn't c. many / ain't d. many / isn't

Vocabulary (words 1-50)*Choose the vocabulary word which best fits in the sentence.*

5. Peaceful demonstrations sometimes _____ into violence.
 a. delineate b. escalate c. allocate d. elaborate
6. The vessel was overloaded upon the decks with small artillery too _____ for such a small boat upon the open seas.
 a. aesthetic b. discreet c. adequate d. cumbersome

Parts of Speech*Identify the part of speech of the italicized word.*

9. The principles used in analyzing a sentence *may* be applied to analyzing a paragraph.
 a. verb b. noun c. pronoun d. none of the previous
10. Having prepared *ourselves*, we were ready to take on the opposition.
 a. adjective b. adverb c. preposition d. none of the previous
11. Guilt operates upon the mind quite *incessantly*.
 a. conjunction b. adjective c. adverb d. none of the previous
12. Neither jealousy nor greed should have its place in a *Christian's* life
 a. noun b. adverb c. adjective d. none of the previous

13. Each lady that came to the church social brought a covered dish *with* her.
 a. conjunction b. preposition c. interjection d. none of the previous
14. *Oh!* Have you been standing there this whole time?
 a. preposition b. adjective c. adverb d. none of the previous
15. The young father tiptoed *very* quietly into the nursery so he would not wake the baby.
 a. adverb b. adjective c. verb d. none of the previous

Sentence Parts

Identify the sentence part of the italicized word.

16. The influence of the classics first becomes *noticeable* in the second half of the fifteenth century.
 a. subject b. object of preposition c. predicate nominative d. none of the previous
17. I will send *you* the report later today.
 a. predicate nominative b. indirect object c. objective complement d. none of the previous
18. Honor the *Lord* with thy substance and with the firstfruits of all thine increase.
 a. subject b. verb c. direct object d. none of the previous
19. Only the actions of the just smell *sweet* and blossom in the dust.
 a. predicate nominative b. predicate adjective c. direct object d. none of the previous
20. A penny saved is a *penny* earned.
 a. subject b. appositive c. direct object d. none of the previous
21. The tragic accident left Carson a *paralytic* from the waist down.
 a. indirect object b. direct object c. objective complement d. none of the previous
22. Euclid, a Greek *mathematician*, arranged the basic principles of geometry.
 a. noun of direct address b. predicate nominative c. appositive d. none of the previous

Memorization

Be able to list the parts of speech, linking verbs, helping verbs, adjective questions, adverb questions, and common prepositions.

Reading Comprehension –

Read a selected text; and using the given information from the dictionary, answer the questions that follow.