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  - B. on
  - C. in
  - D. for
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  - B. good
  - C. red
  - D. crowded
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Read the following letter and answer questions (68-70)

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March 7,

Dear Pedro,

My computer isn't working, so I'm writing you a letter. How are you? I'm fine. Everything here in L.A. is great. School is going well. I have a lot of fun this year. I play sports in my free time, too. I'm really busy.

Last weekend was fun. On Saturday, I had a basketball game at 7:00 in the morning. I was very sleepy.

Your cousin  
Francisco

68. The phrase "Dear Pedro" is .....

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- A. There are some books, pens, and pencils on the desk.
- B. There are some books, and pens, and pencils on the desk..
- C. There are some books, pens, pencils on the desk.
- D. There are some books, and pens, pencils on the desk.

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Study the following paragraph, and then answer questions (47 - 56)

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- A. Moosa likes to visit other countries
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48. Choose the best concluding sentence.

- A. Kuwait is a nice country
- B. He liked Damascus very much
- C. He was happy to be home again
- D. He stayed there for a week

**Questions 9 - 16**

Choose the word/words that best fits/fit in the blank space:

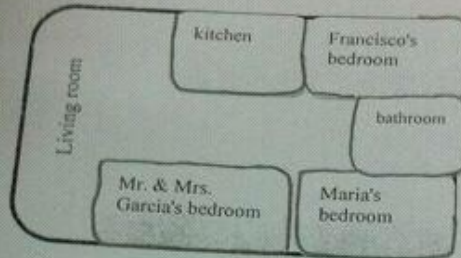
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B. , so,  
C. , or,  
D. , or
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A. go shopping every Friday  
B. comes from Mecca  
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D. carefully
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B. however  
C. in addition  
D. moreover
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A. does not have  
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C. have not  
D. does have
15. \_\_\_\_\_ is a student. He is from Dammam, Saudi Arabia.  
A. Sara  
B. Faisal  
C. Faisal and Sara  
D. Faisal and his sister
16. Every Friday, they go to a mall \_\_\_\_\_ they visit some friends.  
A. , or  
B. , or,  
C. so

63. Choose the best linking device for space (7) in the paragraph
- A. after that
  - B. in the end
  - C. finally
  - D. after

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Study the following drawing and paragraph and then answer (67)

تتعلق بالرسم والفقرة فيما يلي:



Francisco and his family live at 145 Oak Street in Los Angeles, California. They live in a house. They have a nice apartment. (1) Mr. and Mrs. Garcia live in a house. Maria's bedroom is (2) their room. The bathroom is (3) Maria's bedroom. The bathroom is (4) bedroom and Maria's bedroom.

64. Choose the correct sentence for space (1) in this paragraph

- A. Their apartment has three bedrooms, and a living room, and a bathroom
- B. Their apartment has three bedrooms, and a living room, a kitchen and a bathroom
- C. Their apartment has three bedrooms, a living room, and a kitchen
- D. Their apartment has three bedrooms, a living room, a kitchen and a bathroom

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- A. next to
- B. across from
- C. between
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B. , or,  
C. , so  
D. , so,

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Questions 1-8

Choose the best substitute for the underlined words. If the sentence is correct, choose "Make no change."

1. Ahmad is a student. She is fifteen years old.  
A. He  
B. They  
C. It  
D. Make no change
2. Mrs. Moore is at board.  
A. a board  
B. an board  
C. the board  
D. Make no change
3. The teacher is kind, friendly.  
A. friendly, kind  
B. are kind and friendly  
C. is kind and friendly  
D. make no change
4. The apartment is dirty. It's not small.  
A. small  
B. big  
C. clean  
D. Make no change
5. Francisco calls grandma at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday evening.  
A. on  
B. in  
C. for  
D. Make no change
6. I saw her walking along the river last week.  
A. next week  
B. tomorrow  
C. next Friday  
D. Make no change
7. I'm very tired; moreover, I cannot go to bed now.  
A. however  
B. as a result  
C. in addition  
D. Make no change
8. Omar travelled to Abu Dhabi, Doha and Muscat, and Manama.  
A. Omar travelled to Abu Dhabi, Doha, Muscat, Manama.  
B. Omar travelled to Abu Dhabi, and Doha and Muscat, and Manama.  
C. Omar travelled to Abu Dhabi, Doha Muscat, and Manama.  
D. Make no change

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Questions 17 - 46

Choose, A, B, C, or D to answer questions (17-46)

17. Identify the following sentence as either a comma splice, a run-on, a fragment, or correct.  
*"I bought a new laptop it's very expensive."*
- A. Comma splice
  - B. Run-on
  - C. Fragment
  - D. Correct
18. Identify the following sentence as either a comma splice, a run-on, a fragment, or correct.  
*"Khalid and Fahad waited for the bus, the bus did not come."*
- A. Comma splice
  - B. Run-on
  - C. Fragment
  - D. Correct
19. Which of the following is a comma splice?
- A. My friend and his sister work a lot, so they don't go out very often.
  - B. My friend and his sister work a lot, they don't go out very often.
  - C. My friend and his sister work a lot. They don't go out very often.
  - D. My friend and his sister work a lot they don't go out very often.
20. Which of the following is a run-on?
- A. The first test was difficult, the second one was easy.
  - B. The first test was difficult. The second one was easy.
  - C. The first test was difficult, but the second one was easy.
  - D. The first test was difficult the second one was easy.
21. Choose the sentence with the correct punctuation.
- A. Would you like to play tennis Or, would you like to go swimming?
  - B. Would you like to play tennis or would you like to go swimming?
  - C. Would you like to play tennis, or would you like to go swimming?
  - D. Would you like to play tennis. or would you like to go swimming?
22. Choose the sentence with the correct punctuation.
- A. After Ahmad did his homework he played football with his friends.
  - B. After Ahmad did his homework. he played football with his friends.
  - C. After Ahmad did his homework, he played football with his friends.
  - D. After Ahmad did his homework; he played football with his friends.
23. Choose the sentence with the correct punctuation.
- A. You need to work harder otherwise you will lose your job.
  - B. You need to work harder; otherwise; you will lose your job.
  - C. You need to work harder; otherwise, you will lose your job.
  - D. You need to work harder, otherwise, you will lose your job.



24. What is the correct order of the following sentences?  
1. First, start the computer.  
2. Finally, print out the letter.  
3. After that, write the password.  
4. Then open a new file and type a letter.  
A. 3, 2, 1, 4  
B. 2, 1, 3, 4  
C. 1, 3, 4, 2  
D. 4, 3, 2, 1
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1. Next, Mrs. Garcia reads the shopping list.  
2. First, the Garcia go to the supermarket.  
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36. What is the verb in the following sentence?  
*"He did his homework with his mother."*
- A. did
  - B. homework
  - C. mother
  - D. He
37. Which sentence contains a compound subject?
- A. Ahmad speaks English well.
  - B. Ahmad speaks and writes English well.
  - C. Ahmad and his brother speak and write English well.
  - D. We speak and write English well.
38. To describe a favorite place, what do you start with?
- A. Specific Information
  - B. General information
  - C. Details about your work
  - D. Details (what's happening around you)
39. Which of the following is a good sentence?
- A. She home drives after work.
  - B. Home drives she after work.
  - C. She drives home after work.
  - D. After work she home drives
40. Which of the following is a good sentence?
- A. The students came to class early.
  - B. The students to class came early.
  - C. To class the students came early.
  - D. To class early the students came.
41. The sentence *"I speak English and Arabic"* is
- A. a simple sentence.
  - B. a compound sentence.
  - C. a complex sentence.
  - D. not a sentence
42. The sentence *"He will go to bed after he finishes his homework"*
- A. a simple sentence.
  - B. a compound sentence.
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- A. I can't play tennis and basketball.
- B. I can't play tennis or basketball.
- C. I can't play tennis but basketball.
- D. I can't play tennis or I can't play basketball.

31. What is the irrelevant sentence in the following paragraph?

*"(1) My name is Greg Mandel. (2) I am fifteen years old. (3) I live at 16 West 7<sup>th</sup> Street in Chicago. (4) I am a student. (5) My father plays tennis in his free time."*

- A. Sentence 5
- B. Sentence 4
- C. Sentence 1
- D. Sentence 2

32. Which sentence is irrelevant to the following topic sentence?

Topic sentence: *"You can do many things in Dammam."*

- A. You can go to the beach.
- B. You can eat at different restaurants.
- C. Indian food is very spicy.
- D. There are several malls in Dammam.

33. Which two sentences have the same meaning?

- (1) It started to rain, so Ahmad put on his raincoat.
- (2) Because it started to rain, Ahmad put on his raincoat.
- (3) It started to rain when Ahmad put on his raincoat.
- (4) It started to rain after Ahmad put on his raincoat.

- A. Sentences 1 and 2
- B. Sentences 2 and 3
- C. Sentences 3 and 4
- D. Sentences 2 and 4

34. Which two sentences have the same meaning?

- (1) You should wash your hands, or you will not eat with us.
- (2) You should wash your hands, but you will not eat with us.
- (3) You should wash your hands, otherwise, you will not eat with us.
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- C. Sentences 1 and 3
- D. Sentences 3 and 4

35. What is the subject in the following sentence?  
*"Faisal and his friends are watching a film."*

- A. Faisal
- B. Faisal and his friends
- C. His friends
- D. A film