PRACTICE QUESTIONS

The spelling mistake in this sentence has been circled. Write the correct spelling for the circled word in the box.

P1 We went to (scool).

This sentence has one word that is incorrect. Write the correct spelling of the word in the box.

P2 We bought fresh bred.

Shade one bubble to show your answer.

P3 Which word correctly completes the sentence?
Do you have □□ pet?

□ a    □ if    □ he    □ she

P4 Read the text Cats and dogs. The text has a gap. Choose the correct word or words to fill the gap.

Cats and dogs

Some people like cats □□ they like dogs.

□ □ more
□ □ more best
□ □ more than
□ □ more better
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<td>Rick measured the <strong>(lenth)</strong> of the string before he cut it.</td>
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**Book cover**

- **title**
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- **publisher**
  - Correct spelling: __________ 11

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Each sentence has one word that is incorrect. Write the correct spelling of the word in the box.

13. The overnight rainstorm flooded the oval.

14. Jake sumtimes surprises his family by making biscuits for them.

15. A nurse helpes sick people.

16. The scientist was an expert in the feild of dinosaurs.

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Shooting netball goals

26 First, Jess holds the ball high above her head. Jess stands with her feet apart.

27 Jess bends her knees before she shoots.

28 She stretches upward and takes her shot.

Adapted text from *Netball Is Catching* by Donna Robson, COMET, Number 2, 1998, page 18.
29 Which sentence has the correct punctuation?

- When did the last show begin?
- When the whistle blew the game was over?
- When Lucy was running I saw her trip over?
- When I have finished this book I will lend it to you?

30 Which sentence has the correct punctuation?

- “Do you know where my shoes are?” John called from his room.
- “Do you know where my shoes are? John called from his room.
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- “Do you know where my shoes are.” John called from his room.

31 Which word correctly completes the sentence?

Jo likes to listen to music she is cleaning her room.

- even
- after
- while
- during
32 Which sentence has the correct punctuation?

- Dad said to me, It’s time for bed.”
- Dad said to me. It’s time for bed.”
- Dad said to me. “It’s time for bed.”
- Dad said to me, “It’s time for bed.”

33 Which word correctly completes the sentence?

Sam [ ] his homework before he went to soccer training.

- did
- done
- does
- doing

34 Which word correctly completes the sentence?

I think I prefer [ ] shoes.

- this
- that
- them
- those
Mum’s compost heap

Mum has a compost heap in her garden. She adds kitchen scraps and lawn clippings to the compost. My uncle, who owns a farm, over whenever he can to deliver horse manure to add to the compost.

The compost heap involves plenty of work for Mum. must turn the heap over with a fork. This has to be done three times a week.

Mum does not seem to her compost heap has made her quite popular. Her friends keep coming over to get some compost.

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Read the text *Oil slick*. The text has some gaps. Choose the correct word or words to fill each gap.

**Oil slick**

40 The oil slick spread very ______. It could have done a great deal of damage.

- quick
- quicker
- quickly
- quickest

41 However, actions ______ taken to make sure no beaches were polluted.

- is
- was
- were
- will be

42 Which word correctly completes the sentence?

The book was ______ from the shelf by my mum.

- take
- took
- taken
- taking

43 Which word correctly completes the sentence?

________ turn is it to do the washing up?

- Who’s
- Whose
- Whom
- Which
44 Which word or words correctly complete the sentence?

In the race, Aliya had a faster time than Karl, but Rob was ______ of them all.

- fast
- faster
- the faster
- the fastest

45 Which word describes how the children ate their meal?

After the children finally arrived home, they quickly devoured their hot meal ______ before running outside to play.

- fast
- faster
- the faster
- the fastest

46 Which of the following should end with a question mark?

- How amazing to see a comet
- How to make a kite
- How we did it is not important
- How will you make it

47 Which option correctly completes the sentence?

Miriam packed her ______ into her school bag.

- lunch book and pencil case
- lunch, book and pencil case
- lunch, book and pencil case,
- lunch, book and, pencil case
Which words correctly complete the sentence?

The driver avoided the highway because there

- is an accident
- has been an accident
- had been an accident
- would be an accident

Where does the missing comma (,) go?

Having finished the teacher quickly gathered up all of her equipment.

Which sentence correctly uses the apostrophe (’)?

- Pams dogs sometimes play with toys’.
- Pams’ dogs sometimes play with toys.
- Pams dogs’ sometimes play with toys.
- Pam’s dogs sometimes play with toys.

END OF TEST