

I. Grammar part

1. This is Mrs Brenton. (1) is my English teacher. I like (2) very much.

- a) (1) He; (2) him b) (1) She; (2) her c) (1) He's; (2) them d) (1) She; (2) hers

2. Why have you bought so many eggs?

- a) Because I'll make an omelette. b) Because I'm going to make an omelette.
 c) Because I'll making an omelette. d) Because I'm going to making an omelette.

3. Where is your sister?

- a) She's having a shower. b) She's got a shower.
 c) She has got a shower. d) She is having a shower.

4. Nurses and doctors after people in hospitals.

- a) are looking b) looking c) look d) looks

5. I'm very good at (1) geography, so I know that Nairobi is (2) capital city of Kenya.

- a) (1) a, (2) the b) (1) -; (2) the c) (1) the; (2) a d) (1) -; (2) -

6. Mark usually (1) cereal for breakfast, but today he (2) fried eggs.

- a) (1) has; (2) is having b) (1) eats; (2) is eating c) (1) is having; (2) has d) (1) eat; (2) eating

7. While I (1) an e-mail, my computer suddenly (2)

- a) (1) were writing; (2) was crashing b) (1) wrote; (2) crashed
 c) (1) was writing; (2) broke down d) (1) wrote; (2) was breaking down

8. Does your father go on a diet?

- a) should b) must c) have to d) has to

9. My brother used to smoke, but he last year.

- a) gave up b) put away c) tried on d) grew up

10. I was at the disco last Saturday, but I didn't meet interesting.

- a) anybody b) somebody c) nobody d) anyone

II. Communication activity and vocabulary check

11. A: How does your friend look like?

B:

- a) She's shy, but very ambitious. b) She likes animals and computer games.
 c) She has long wavy black hair and brown eyes. d) She has got curly nose and straight blue eyes.

12. A: What's Andy's mobile number?

B:

- a) No, it isn't. b) I don't know.
 c) You're welcome. d) I'm sorry. I can't tell you.

13. A: Would you like something to drink?

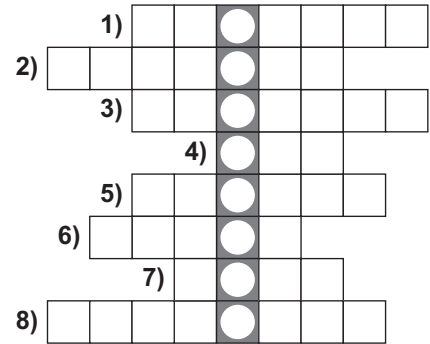
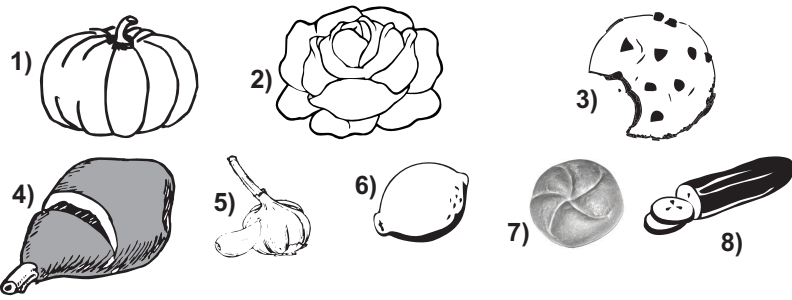
B:

- a) Are you thirsty? b) I want.
 c) Yes, some orange juice, please. d) No, thanks.

14. My father bought a new car

- a) a few weeks ago b) last Thursday c) yesterday d) already

15. Do the crossword and find a solution.



The solution is:



16. people are happy one minute and sad the next, and are often bad-tempered.

- a) Lazy
- b) Shy
- c) Bossy
- d) Moody

17. A: Thank you so much for your help.

B:

- a) Not at all.
- b) You are welcome.
- c) I don't mind.
- d) It doesn't matter.

III. Reading comprehension

People have always admired birds. Many young people like birdwatching as a hobby. Ostriches are the biggest birds in the world. They can be 2.5 metres tall. They can't fly at all and look like clumsy animals, but they can run very as fast as at 70 kilometres an hour. That's much faster than Asafa Powell, the fastest man in the world, can run. Ostriches can live for up to 50 years - longer than most other birds.

Falcons can fly, attacking their prey, at over 300 kilometres an hour. They have the best eyesight in the bird world - they can see a pigeon eight kilometres away.

Vultures can fly for many hours without stopping. They can fly very, very high, even 10 kilometres above the ground! They eat dead animals, leaving only the bones. Vultures can eat a whole antelope in twenty minutes.

Storks are large white birds with long red bills. A lot of them have nests in Poland. They eat frogs, mice, fish and insects. Storks leave their summer habitat in Europe and fly thousands kilometres to central Africa to spend winter there.

18. Which sentences are true?

- a) Storks spend winters in Europe.
- b) Vultures can only fly at 10 kilometres an hour.
- c) Falcons can see a pigeon 300 kilometres away.
- d) Ostriches can fly more than a thousand kilometres to Africa.

19. flies faster than any other birds.

- a) A stork
- b) A vulture
- c) An ostrich
- d) A falcon

20. Storks eat



21. Asafa Powell

- a) isn't as fast as an ostrich
- b) is the name of a very quick ostrich
- c) is the fastest sprinter in the world
- d) can run at 70 km/h

22. Which birds eat dead animals?

- a) storks
- b) vultures
- c) ostriches
- d) falcons

IV. General knowledge about English-speaking countries

23. New York is

- a) the capital city of the USA
- b) one of the states of the USA
- c) sometimes called "The Big Apple"
- d) a big city on the Atlantic coast of the USA

24. William Shakespeare was a famous English

- a) football player
- b) pilot
- c) playwright
- d) poet

25. You can see Ayers Rock in

- a) New Zealand
- b) Australia
- c) the Uluru National Park
- d) Scotland

26. Who's the Prime Minister of the United Kingdom?

- a) Tony Blair
- b) Elizabeth II
- c) Duke of Edinburgh
- d) Gordon Brown