

C. put on

D. look up

13. The school decided to _____ the sports day because of the heavy rain.

A. carry on

B. put off

C. take after

D. break into

14. The new manager promised to _____ the outdated rules that had slowed down the whole department.

A. phase out

B. come across

C. fall behind

D. put aside

SECTION 3. COMMUNICATION

Read the conversations and choose the best answers.

15. Man: Are you going to attend the school conference next Friday?

Woman: _____.

Man: Who will give the opening speech?

Woman: _____.

A. Yes, I'm planning to. / The head teacher will give it.

B. I went there yesterday. / It was very crowded.

C. No, I don't like travelling. / My brother is a doctor.

D. I have finished my report. / It starts at 9 o'clock.

16. Man: Could you possibly help me carry these boxes upstairs?

Woman: _____.

A. Of course. They look quite heavy.

B. I carried them yesterday morning.

C. I don't know where you bought them.

D. They are made of cardboard.

17. A: Would you mind explaining this part of the assignment again?

B: _____

A: Thanks. I didn't understand the difference between the two examples.

A. Not at all. Which part is unclear?

B. Yes, I finished my assignment last night.

C. I don't mind assignments are difficult.

D. You should submit it immediately.

18.A: I'm considering applying for a part-time job during the summer.

B: _____

A: I want to gain experience and save some money.

A. Why do you want to work during the summer?

B. Where did you buy your school uniform?

C. Have you finished your science project?

D. Do you usually go to school by bus?

19.Woman: _____?

Man: No, they haven't.

A. They have submitted their final reports, haven't they?

B. They submit their reports every Friday, don't they?

C. They submitted their reports yesterday, didn't they?

D. They will submit their reports tomorrow, won't they?

SECTION 4. READING

Read the text and choose the correct answer from A, B, C or D.

WORKING IN GRANGETON

Grange ton in Derbyshire isn't actually a real town but it has most things that you might expect to find in one. When a new head teacher took over at the Grange Primary School, he found that both students and staff had become demotivated and disinterested. He knew that the school needed something special and Grange ton certainly is.

Grange ton has businesses and services like any other town but these are all run by and for the school's students, five days a week, every week of the school year. There is a town council and a mayor, who is elected each year from the Year 6 students. The council makes all the important decisions on how the town is run, just like in any normal town.

So, what can you find in Grange ton? There is a newspaper, a museum and two shops. A café opens on two mornings a week but it is a Parisian café and French is the only language that customers can use when ordering food there. There is another reason for Grange ton, apart from motivating the students. Although they are only primary students, with a maximum age of eleven, the school believes that they are the right age to gain some early work experience. Normally, students have to wait until they are fourteen before getting any work related experience, and even then, it depends on the school. The students of Grange School are too young to go to companies to work but, with their own businesses to run, they don't have to leave the school premises. The school also invites guests to talk to the students and help them. The BBC helped them to set up a TV and radio station and local politicians talked to them about democracy and decision making.

The school is able to find the time to do all this because the work the students are doing is closely related to the school's education curriculum. As well as practising a foreign language in the café, the students use Maths when running their businesses, English when writing their newspaper and even History in special projects such as when the council voted that the shops should sell food from different past times.

Grange ton is now considered a great success and a model of how to use children's creativity to involve them in the learning process. Even people who you may expect to be critical of such non- traditional education methods are unable to find fault with what the students do.

20. Who is elected as the mayor of Grange ton each year?

A. A local politician

B. A Year 6 student

C. The head teacher

D. A member of staff

21. What language must customers use in the Parisian café?

A. English

B. Spanish

C. French

D. German

22. Students at Grange Primary School

A leave the school to work in Grange ton.

B show a lack of interest in Grange ton.

C are responsible for what happens in Grange ton.

D only work in Grange ton when they reach Year 6.

23. Students at Grange School benefit from

A advice from local business leaders.

B more opportunities to visit companies than other primary students.

C earlier work experience than other students.

D the chance to learn a number of different foreign language.

24. The businesses and services in Grange ton.

A give the students a chance to practise their normal school subjects.

B take up time that could be spent learning.

C will provide employment for students when they finish their education.

D have received criticism from some people.