



# 11+ Vocabulary

## Cloze - Test Paper 1

### Instructions:

1. The time allowed is 10 minutes for 20 questions.
2. Each question carries 1 Mark.
3. Answers should be clearly marked in pencil on the question paper itself. No separate answer sheet is provided.
4. No marks are lost for an incorrect answer.
5. If you have marked the wrong answer, erase it and mark the new one, make sure that your final answer is clear.

### Symbols used



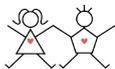
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**SECTION A**

Choosing one answer from options A-E, fill in the missing word from each sentence.

**1** Her attitude was the \_\_\_\_\_ of the rude, teenager stereotype!

- A. Absolute
- B. Epitome
- C. Example
- D. Quote
- E. Horrific

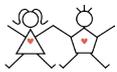
**2** "I wouldn't go so far as to call him a friend," Arshad said. "He's more of an \_\_\_\_\_."

- A. Acquiescence
- B. Unknown
- C. Mate
- D. Colleague
- E. Acquaintance

**3** "Please \_\_\_\_\_ from mentioning the accident in front of Grandma – we don't want her to worry, and she needn't know since everyone is okay," Aria and Caleb's mum instructed them.

- A. Avoid
- B. Train
- C. Refrain
- D. Don't
- E. Attempt





**4** Those who are not in the army are referred to as \_\_\_\_\_ by the soldiers.

- A. Normal
- B. Civilians
- C. Civility
- D. Personas
- E. Associates

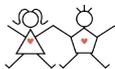
**5** When Candice was feeling unwell, her father always knew what to do – he made her a big bowl of \_\_\_\_\_ chicken soup.

- A. Favourite
- B. Disgusting
- C. Hearty
- D. Meagre
- E. Health

**6** Mr Singh stared at Theo, and silence spread throughout the room... “Oops! I didn’t realise you wanted an answer.” Theo exclaimed. “I thought your question was \_\_\_\_\_!”

- A. Rhetorical
- B. Sincere
- C. Relentless
- D. Understanding
- E. Referential





**7** “The study of human \_\_\_\_\_ may be difficult, but it provides a valuable insight into how our minds work,” the teacher drawled.

- A. Physiology
- B. Psychology
- C. Psychiatric
- D. Physics
- E. Astrology

**8** My mum says that, as a child, I was quite \_\_\_\_\_ – she could never get me to do what I was told!

- A. Intelligent
- B. Obedient
- C. Curious
- D. Well-behaved
- E. Rebellious

**9** When you get cold, your blood doesn't always flow as well as when it is hot – therefore, the cold weather can cause problems with \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. Asthma
- B. Circulation
- C. Respiration
- D. Nutrition
- E. Circumference





**10** Mrs Holly, the reception class teacher, explained in a kind voice: "When you can't find what you are looking for in the contents of the book, you can flip to the back and try looking in the \_\_\_\_\_, which is more detailed."

- A. Insert
- B. Indices
- C. Indent
- D. Index
- E. Inference

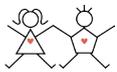
**11** I find addition and multiplication much easier than division and \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. Subtraction
- B. Detraction
- C. Reduction
- D. Indication
- E. Interaction

**12** I know that spiders are tiny and can't hurt me. However, acknowledging that my fear is \_\_\_\_\_ doesn't make me any less scared!

- A. Sensible
- B. Unfair
- C. Irrational
- D. Terrifying
- E. Evolutionary





**13** Stanley's job is to collect, \_\_\_\_\_, and report on data.

- A. Analysis
- B. Analyse
- C. Analytical
- D. Analogy
- E. Analyst

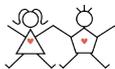
**14** We know that everyone must have studied the Second World War, as it is on the national school \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. Curriculum
- B. Website
- C. Answers
- D. Report
- E. Inspection

**15** Everyone has different ideas and perspectives – this is why it is important to work as a team and \_\_\_\_\_ in order to bring those different thoughts together.

- A. Insight
- B. Collaborate
- C. Corroborate
- D. Correlate
- E. Effective





**16** Cameron's mum was \_\_\_\_\_ of his argument with his sister, but she decided to stay out of it and allow them to resolve it between themselves.

- A. Irritated
- B. Knew
- C. Unhappy
- D. Conscious
- E. Unaware

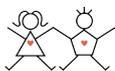
**17** During the holiday season, the Barber family always volunteer some time to help those less \_\_\_\_\_ than themselves.

- A. Former
- B. Unlucky
- C. Fortunate
- D. Festive
- E. Fairness

**18** When on a bike, as there are no lights to do the job for you, you must stick your arm out to \_\_\_\_\_ when, and which way, you are going to turn.

- A. Suggest
- B. Inference
- C. Alternate
- D. Indicate
- E. Enter



**SECTION B**

In each question paragraph, there are five missing words to be filled in. As with Section A, select the correct word for each blank space from the options provided (A-E).

**19** Please write your paragraph here (not individual sentences) with 5 fill in the blanks. Please label the blanks as i, ii, iii, iv and v.

Jared's grandfather was a **(I)**, he went down into the mines with his tools each day, to collect coal and bring it back to the surface. He told Jared that the **(II)** down into the mines was quite scary, as it became darker and darker as he plunged below the surface. Though his employers were usually quite **(III)**, due to budget cuts, his wage was not good; and the job was very slow-going and **(IV)**. However, one day, it was all made worth it – he found some **(V)**! That day, he sold the gems and gave up work, and he never went down into the mines again.

- I** -
- A.** Minor
  - B.** Miner
  - C.** Digger
  - D.** Architect
  - E.** Archeologist

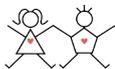
- IV** -
- A.** Laborious
  - B.** Exciting
  - C.** Intriguing
  - D.** Affluent
  - E.** Prosperous

- II** -
- A.** Descent
  - B.** Descending
  - C.** Dissent
  - D.** Detect
  - E.** Lower

- V** -
- A.** Demands
  - B.** Diamonds
  - C.** Coal
  - D.** Ore
  - E.** Metal

- III** -
- A.** Happy
  - B.** Unkind
  - C.** Generous
  - D.** Harsh
  - E.** Deprived





**20** Please write your paragraph here (not individual sentences) with 5 fill in the blanks. Please label the blanks as i, ii, iii, iv and v.

Joe was very disappointed that his team didn't win the **(I)** race. The next race would be at the Halloween festival in **(II)**, so he would make sure that they were ready when the time came. Although, the **(III)**, who reported on the race as it took place, did say that Joe's team were the **(IV)** runners – the reason they lost was simply that, in being so nervous, Carlo had tripped. Not even their **(V)** amount of training could have prepared them for that.

- I** -
- A. Single
  - B. Whole
  - C. Running
  - D. Relay
  - E. Registered

- IV** -
- A. Superior
  - B. Worse
  - C. Brilliant
  - D. Improved
  - E. Superb

- II** -
- A. Spring
  - B. Autumn
  - C. Year
  - D. Autumnal
  - E. While

- V** -
- A. Many
  - B. High
  - C. Excessive
  - D. Constantly
  - E. Consistently

- III** -
- A. Narrator
  - B. Judge
  - C. Commentator
  - D. Spokesman
  - E. Runner



