

Level E - Form 1 - Language: Sentence Formation

Sample Question A

Choose the sentence that is written correctly and shows the correct capitalization and punctuation.

- A Getting a flat tire.
- B Dan got a flat tire.
- C When Dan got a flat tire.
- D Dan used his car he got a flat tire.

Sample Question B

Choose the sentence that **best** combines the underlined sentences.

I have to buy new glasses.

The glasses are for reading.

- A I have to buy new reading glasses.
- B I, for reading, have to buy new glasses.
- C New glasses for reading have to be bought.
- D I have to buy glasses that are for reading and are new.

Sample Question C

Choose the answer that is written correctly for the underlined part.

Decide where you want to go. Before you plan your vacation.

- A where. You want to go. Before
- B where you want to go before
- C where you want to go before.
- D Correct as it is

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For Numbers 1 through 5, choose the answer that is written correctly and shows the correct capitalization and punctuation.

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| <p>1. A A new puppy.
 B To get a new puppy.
 C Crystal has dogs she wants a
 new puppy.
 D Crystal wants to get a new puppy.</p> <p>2. F Liked that movie.
 G Lance and the movie.
 H Lance liked that movie.
 J Lance saw the movie he liked it.</p> <p>3. A Whoever is in your yard.
 B There's a strange dog in your yard.
 C Look in your yard there's a strange
 dog there.
 D See that strange dog there he shouldn't
 be in your yard.</p> | <p>4. F Saving up for a new car.
 G The cars she saves up for.
 H Luisa is saving money for a new car.
 J Always buying new cars for too
 much money.</p> <p>5. A Do you smell something strange in
 my kitchen?
 B My kitchen smells strange do you
 smell it, too?
 C Asking to smell my kitchen for some
 thing strange?
 D If you think something smells strange
 in my kitchen?</p> |
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For Numbers 6 through 15, read the underlined sentences. Then choose the sentence that best combines those sentences into one.

6. Regina volunteers at the shelter.
Her husband volunteers at the shelter.

F Regina and her husband volunteer at the shelter.
G Regina volunteers for her husband at the shelter.
H Regina volunteers at the shelter because her husband does, too.
J Regina volunteers at the shelter, her husband is there, too.

7. Lee is a painter.
She paints houses.

A Painting houses is Lee.
B Lee is a house painter.
C Lee paints where there are houses.
D Houses are a thing that Lee, a painter, paints.

8. Arlene broke a jar.
The jar was full of pickles.

F Full of pickles, Arlene broke a jar.
G Arlene broke a jar full of pickles.
H A jar, which was full of pickles, was dropped by Arlene.
J Arlene, having dropped a jar of pickles which was full, broke it.

9. Anna Marie had an accident.
Anna Marie has large medical bills to pay.

A Anna Marie had an accident and large medical bills have to be paid.
B Paying her medical bills, Anna Marie had an accident.
C Anna Marie had an accident and has to pay large medical bills.
D An accident was had by Anna Marie, who has to pay her medical bills.

10. This house is cold.
This house is dark.
This house gives me the creeps.

F This cold, dark house gives me the creeps.
G This house is cold, dark, and I am creepy.
H This house is cold, is dark, and it gives me the creeps.
J This house, which is cold and dark, is giving me the creeps, too.

11. Samir walked into the meeting room.
Lorna walked into the meeting room.
Nina walked into the meeting room.

A Samir walked into the meeting room, and so did Lorna, and so did Nina.
B When Samir walked into the meeting room, he saw Lorna and Nina.
C Samir, Lorna, and Nina walked into the meeting room.
D While Lorna and Nina were in the meeting room, Samir was not.

12. Ramon is a native Spanish speaker.
Ramon also speaks English and German.
- F Ramon, a native Spanish speaker, also speaks English and German.
 - G Ramon speaks Spanish like a native and English and German.
 - H Ramon is a native Spanish speaker and Ramon speaks English and German.
 - J Ramon speaks Spanish, English, and German like a native of each country.

13. My neighbors and friends ate sandwiches at the party.
My neighbors and friends ate fruit at the party.
My neighbors and friends ate salad at the party.
- A Some of my neighbors and friends came to eat.
 - B My friends came to a party to see my neighbors and eat.
 - C Salad and fruit are tasty to eat when you have a party.
 - D My neighbors and friends ate sandwiches, salad, and fruit at the party.

14. The new picture was on the wall.
The new picture was beautiful.
The new picture was near my desk.
- F The beautiful picture was new, and it was on the wall, and it was near my desk.
 - G The beautiful, new picture was on the wall near my desk.
 - H On my desk, the beautiful new picture on the wall.
 - J The wall was beautiful when it was near the picture on my desk.
15. The delivery truck rumbled down the street.
The delivery truck was big.
The delivery truck was green.
- A While green delivery trucks rumble down the street, big ones do not.
 - B Rumbling down the street, the truck delivered things that were big and green.
 - C The big, green delivery truck rumbled down the street.
 - D The delivery truck was green, and it was big, and it rumbled down the street.

For Numbers 16 through 20, read the passage and look at the numbered, underlined parts. Choose the answer that is written correctly for each underlined part.

(16) The only time I've seen Donald upset was last summer. It happened
(17) one Saturday in June. It was a beautiful day, so we decided. To go to the
park for a picnic. Donald went for a walk along the creek and slipped on a
(18) rock he landed in the water. I heard his scream, and I came running. He was
(19) a mess. Water ran from his hair. And clothing. Tears were in his eyes, and his
(20) face and clothes were covered with mud. In fact. I think I heard a croak coming
from his pocket!

16. F Last summer, only, was the time I saw Donald upset.
G Only the time I've seen Donald upset was last summer.
H The time I've seen only Donald upset was last summer.
J Correct as it is

17. A day, so we decided to go
B day, so. We decided to go
C day. So, we decided. To go
D Correct as it is

18. F rock. He landed in the water.
G rock, he landed in the water.
H rock he landed. In the water.
J Correct as it is

19. A Water ran. From his hair. And
B Water ran. From his hair and
C Water ran from his hair and
D Correct as it is

20. F In fact I think. I heard
G In fact, I think I heard
H In. Fact, I think I heard
J Correct as it is