Grade 10 STEPWISE

Theme 5 Life in the Neighbourhood City and Social Life

Test 1

Name: _____ Class: _____ Date: _____

Choose the best answer for each question.

1. A service that arrives when expected can be described as _____.
   A) crowded B) reliable C) distant
2. A price that most people can manage is _____.
   A) unavailable B) affordable C) exhausting
3. A boat carrying passengers across water is a _____.
   A) ferry B) tram C) van
4. A: Is there a place nearby where I can ask about medicines?
   B: _____.
   A) There is a pharmacy beside the supermarket.
   B) There is a gym behind the station.
   C) The cinema opens at six this evening.
5. At six yesterday, we _____ for the bus outside the station.
   A) wait B) have waited C) were waiting
6. While I was checking the route, the bus _____.
   A) arrived B) arrives C) was arrive
7. I _____ home when I noticed a new cafe.
   A) walk B) was walking C) have walk
8. The shop assistant was serving another customer when I _____.
   A) enter B) entering C) entered
9. We were looking for the entrance, _____?
   A) weren't we B) didn't we C) aren't we
10. You took the underground yesterday, _____?
    A) didn't you B) weren't you C) don't you

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11. The driver wasn't using that road, _____?
    A) was he B) did he C) wasn't he

12. A: Why did you cycle instead of driving?
    B: _____.
    A) The bike was too broken to ride.
    B) I needed to transport a large sofa.
    C) The route was short and had a cycle lane.

13. Which sentence describes an action in progress at a past moment?
    A) I travel home at eight every day.
    B) At eight, I was travelling home.
    C) I will travel home at eight tomorrow.

14. A: I missed the stop because I was reading.
    B: _____.
    A) You must have arrived at the correct stop.
    B) Let's check where you can get off and return.
    C) Then the bus cannot have stopped anywhere.

15. The journey took longer because the streets _____ very busy.
    A) were B) was C) is

Read the text and answer questions 16 to 20.

WHY WE DID NOT TAKE THE FASTEST ROUTE

Our class compared two routes from school to a museum. The direct bus was usually fastest, but it stopped beside a busy road with a difficult crossing. A second route took ten minutes longer and ended near a quieter entrance. We timed both journeys and noted how easy it was to walk from each stop. For our group visit, the teacher chose the second route. Some students were surprised until they saw the crossing themselves. The decision did not mean that the direct bus was always a bad choice. It meant that the needs of a large group were different from those of one person travelling alone.

16. Why was the direct route not chosen for the group?
    A) It was always the slowest route.
    B) The crossing near its stop was difficult.
    C) It did not go anywhere near the museum.

17. What information did the class collect?
    A) Only the colour of each bus
    B) The names of every passenger
    C) Journey times and walking access from stops

18. How much longer was the second route?
    A) An hour B) Half a day C) Ten minutes

19. Why were some students initially surprised?
    A) They did not know the museum existed.
    B) They expected the fastest route to be chosen.
    C) They wanted to cancel the visit.

20. What is the main point?
    A) The fastest route is always unsuitable.
    B) Group visits should never use buses.
    C) A suitable route depends on the travellers' needs.