

Listen to the text and find the correct variants

- The park is situated on the territory of ... states.
A) two B) three C) thirteen D) fourteen
- Yellowstone National Park is not situated in this state.
A) Wyoming B) Montana C) Idaho D) Virginia
- There are no ... in the territory of the park.
A) lakes B) rivers C) icebergs D) mountain ranges
- Half of the Earth's ... are in Yellowstone Park.
A) geysers and hot springs B) species of wild animals
C) species of birds D) plants
- The park occupies the territory of about ... square kilometres.
A) 122 B) 450 C) 2,357 D) 9,000
- Yellowstone Lake is one hundred and twenty two metres
A) wide B) long C) in length D) in depth
- It is the largest volcano on the continent.
A) Yellowstone Caldera B) Old Faithful
C) Yellowstone Park D) Steam Boat Geyser
- The geyser is called Old Faithful because it
A) is the largest B) is predictable
C) is active D) has springs
- It is the largest active geyser in the world.
A) Yellowstone Caldera B) Old Faithful
C) Yellowstone Lake D) Steam Boat Geyser
- There are ... geysers in Yellowstone National Park.
A) 300 B) 450 C) 122 D) half of

Read the passage and fill in the correct word

Believe it or not, darts is a game that is played by ... (11) British people. It is a great sport if you are not very ... (12). You need not be ... (13) and strong; you need not run, jump, or hit anything. The only thing you move is your ... (14). It was originally played by common people in British ... (15) where a dart board is still a part of the ... (16). Although darts looks easy, you need skill and ... (17) to play it.

Each player ... (18) three darts from a line 9 feet from the board. The players start with either 301 or 501 points and work ... (19). The winner is the first person who ... (20) 0. A professional darts player can get from 501 to 0 with nine darts.

- A) many B) much C) little D) less
- A) weak B) unhappy C) moody D) athletic
- A) fit B) awkward C) tolerable D) selfish
- A) arm B) hands C) shoulder D) finger
- A) pubs B) mansions C) palaces D) castles
- A) cutlery B) utensils C) furniture D) appliances
- A) hesitation B) innovation C) application D) concentration
- A) catches B) throws C) takes D) brings
- A) upwards B) forwards C) backwards D) sideways
- A) reaches B) gets C) receives D) finishes

Read the pairs of synonyms and choose the odd ones

- A) Through – Though B) Below – Beneath
C) Above – Over D) Between – Among
- A) Friend – Pal B) Child – Kid
C) Street – Road D) Happiness – Frustration
- A) To hurry – To rush B) To wrap – To break
C) To harm – To hurt D) To shout – To yell
- A) To say – To tell B) To utter – To whisper
C) To cry – To shout D) To exclaim – To explain
- A) To make – To do B) To admit – To admire
C) To suggest – To offer D) To convince – To persuade
- A) To cry – To sob B) To help – To give a hand
C) To move – To stop D) To bring – To fetch
- A) Stale – Fresh B) Foolish – Stupid
C) Wet – Damp D) Tiny – Small
- A) To walk – To stroll B) To scream – To strike
C) To start – To begin D) To see – To watch
- A) Seldom – Rarely B) Often – Rarely
C) Next to – Near D) From time to time – Sometimes
- A) Selfless – Egoistic B) Well-to-do – Wealthy
C) Lazy – Idle D) Smart – Bright

Use the correct form of the verb *to register*

- Every year staff members ... for language classes.
A) register B) will register
C) registers D) have registered
- 1000 staff members ... for classes since the programme started.
A) registered B) are registered
C) were registered D) have registered
- Mr. Brown ... for the first time two years ago.
A) registers B) registered
C) has registered D) would register
- Many people phoned for information while Mr. Brown
A) register B) registers
C) registered D) was registering
- If Mr. Brown had known how difficult the classes would be, he
A) wouldn't register B) wouldn't have registered
C) didn't register D) registered
- So last year he
A) registering B) didn't register
C) didn't register D) was register
- But now he realises that he
A) had to register B) should have registered
C) has registered D) need register
- Moreover, his boss insists that he
A) register B) registered
C) has registered D) registering
- His colleagues also ask Mr. Brown why he has avoided ... for classes.
A) register B) registering
C) to register D) registered
- Now Mr. Brown wishes he ... for classes at the beginning of the year.
A) registers B) registered
C) has registered D) had registered

What animals do the people speaking remind you of?

41. The sergeant **barked** an order to his troops.

- A) Lion B) Dog
C) Bull D) Monkey

42. The children **chattered** excitedly as they waited to see the queen.

- A) Pig B) Bee
C) Monkey D) Lamb

43. The evil witch **clucked** noisily as she made a spell.

- A) Pig B) Monkey
C) Cockerel D) Hen

44. The boring speaker **droned on** for an hour.

- A) Bee B) Pig
C) Dog D) Hen

45. "Who's scratched the car?" **bellowed** dad.

- A) Dog B) Lamb
C) Bull D) Cat

46. "My clothes are nicer than yours," **crowed** Ann.

- A) Bee B) Monkey
C) Cockerel D) Elephant

47. We **roared** with delight when Sally won the race.

- A) Pig B) Hen
C) Dog D) Lion

48. "I'm not helping anyone," **grunted** the miserable boy.

- A) Pig B) Bull
C) Sheep D) Lion

49. "Oh, stop **bleating!**" said the woman. "Tell us the truth!"

- A) Sheep B) Pig
C) Cock D) Monkey

50. She is always **trumpeting** her son's achievements.

- A) Bull B) Lion
C) Elephant D) Bee

Guess who these famous British people are

51. He invented the first telephone in the world.

- A) Alexander Bell B) Michael Faraday
C) Alexander Fleming D) Albert Einstein

52. He created the theory of gravity.

- A) Charles Darwin B) Isaac Newton
C) Michael Faraday D) Adam Smith

53. His books on economics are still popular today.

- A) Thomas More B) Adam Smith
C) Winston Churchill D) Alexander Pope

54. He is mostly famous for his theory of evolution.

- A) Charles Darwin B) Isaac Newton
C) Alexander Fleming D) Albert Einstein

55. He won the Nobel Prize for the discovery of penicillin.

- A) Alexander Bell B) Alexander Pope
C) Michael Faraday D) Alexander Fleming

56. He was a missionary and explored the continent of Africa.

- A) John Cabot B) David Livingstone
C) Roald Amundsen D) Christopher Columbus

57. He led two expeditions to the Antarctic regions.

- A) Ferdinand Magellan B) Marco Polo
C) Vasco da Gama D) Robert Falcon Scott

58. This politician was also a historian, a painter and won the Nobel Prize in Literature.

- A) Tony Blair B) David Cameron
C) Winston Churchill D) Margaret Thatcher

59. He carried out the second circumnavigation of the world in a single expedition.

- A) Walter Raleigh B) David Livingstone
C) Francis Drake D) James Cook

60. She was the founder of modern nursing.

- A) Florence Nightingale B) Jane Austen
C) Queen Victoria D) Margaret Thatcher

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