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### [1-4] Choose and complete the sentences.

keep

footprints

documents

chase

1. They use their bicycles to deliver \_\_\_\_\_, small packages, and even food.
2. The new shoes left interesting \_\_\_\_\_ on the ground.
3. Aardvarks \_\_\_\_\_ away from predators in their homes.
4. They made loud noises to \_\_\_\_\_ the dragon away.

### [5-8] Choose the meaning of the underlined words.

5. It looked strange because of its much smaller rear wheel.

(a) at the back                      (b) in the front                      (c) on the side

6. In 1935, he did something incredible.

(a) poor                                  (b) funny                                  (c) amazing

7. So they created stories to explain them.

(a) forgot                                  (b) heard                                  (c) made

8. Blue moons are rare, and the Moon rarely looks blue.

(a) actually                                  (b) not often                                  (c) usually

### [9-11] Read and choose the correct answers.

Today, people ride bicycles everywhere. They sit on their bicycles and push the \_\_\_\_\_ to make them move. But riding bicycles was not always this way. In fact, the first bicycle had no pedals at all.

9. What is the correct word for the blank?
- (a) frames                      (b) pedals                      (c) riders

10. People ride bicycles the same way now as before.                      True / False

11. What did the first bicycle not have?

- (a) It did not have tires.  
(b) It did not have pedals.  
(c) It did not have wheels.

**[12-14] Read and choose the correct answers.**

How much do most people pay for a pair of shoes? One hundred dollars? How about 437,500 dollars? In 2019, an auction house sold a pair of shoes for that price. That is a lot of money for a pair of shoes. What is more surprising is that a waffle iron was used to make the shoes.

12. What does price mean?

- (a) iron                      (b) sole                      (c) cost

13. What was used to make the pair of shoes?

- (a) A dollar bill was used to make the shoes.  
(b) A piece of the Moon was used to make the shoes.  
(c) A waffle iron was used to make the shoes.

14. What is true about the pair of shoes?

- (a) They were sold at an auction.  
(b) They were paid for with a waffle iron.  
(c) They sold for one hundred dollars.

**[15-17] Read and choose the correct answers.**

Nocturnal animals have special abilities for night life. Many of them have a good sense of smell. That is not all. Animals such as owls and tarsiers have very large eyes. Their big eyes help them see better in darkness. Large cats such as tigers and leopards have a good sense of hearing. This ability helps them hunt well at night. And bats use sound waves to find prey as they fly around.

**15.** What title is best for the paragraph?

- Ⓐ The Sense of Smell
- Ⓑ Sound Waves
- Ⓒ Night Life Abilities

**16.** What does they mean?

- Ⓐ leopards
- Ⓑ bats
- Ⓒ sound waves

**17.** What is NOT true about owls and tarsiers?

- Ⓐ They have very large eyes.
- Ⓑ Their eyes help them see better in darkness.
- Ⓒ They use sound waves to find prey.

**[18-20] Read and choose the correct answers.**

However, there were times when the Moon looked blue. In 1883, the volcano Krakatoa in Indonesia (A). It threw tons of dust into the air. As a result, sunsets looked green, and the Moon looked blue. In 1927, the monsoon season in India started late. Because of the dry weather, lots of dust got into the air. Again, the Moon turned blue. And in Canada in 1951, huge forest fires created a lot of (B). The Moon turned blue then too.

**18.** What are the correct words for blanks (A) and (B)?

- Ⓐ orbited — dust
- Ⓑ erupted — smoke
- Ⓒ turned — volcanoes

**19.** In India in 1927, a volcano threw tons of dust into the air. True / False

**20.** Why did sunsets look green in Indonesia in 1883?

- Ⓐ A volcano threw tons of dust into the air.
- Ⓑ Forest fires threw tons of smoke into the air.
- Ⓒ Monsoons threw tons of dust into the air.