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OLYMPIAD PRACTICE WORKSHEET

WORD AND STRUCTURE KNOWLEDGE

Spot the errors in the following sentences

1. I have been living in this city since last several years but have never experienced any discrimination.
 - a. Have been living
 - b. in this city
 - c. Since last several years
 - d. have never experienced
2. I found this bangle while digging in the backyard. I don't know who it belonged to.
 - a. I found
 - b. while digging in
 - c. In the backyard
 - d. who it belonged to
3. The judge paid a lot of attention to that the master had abused the boy both physically and emotionally.
 - a. The judge paid
 - b. a lot of attention
 - c. attention to that
 - d. master had abused

Fill in the blanks using one word in each blank:

4. Radhika and Rashi were supposed to bring the cake, _____?
 - a. Wasn't she
 - b. don't they
 - c. Aren't they
 - d. weren't they
5. All the children were punctual, and _____ was late.
 - a. Anybody
 - b. Everybody
 - c. Nobody
 - d. somebody
6. People from London speak English quite fast; _____ people from India speak more slowly.
 - a. In fact
 - b. in spite of that
 - b. This is why
 - d. by comparison

The worst damage happened in 1349. A mighty earthquake shook Rome and the Coliseum. The south side of the building collapsed. Pieces of the arena were all over the ground. Many people took the fallen stones. Others took stones from the seating areas. They used them to repair houses and churches.

13. Which happened first?

- a. An earthquake damaged the Coliseum.
- b. The Coliseum was struck by lightning.
- c. The Coliseum appeared on the back of a coin.
- d. The Coliseum was used as a castle.

14. When did the Romans finish building the Coliseum?

- a. The year 70
- b. The year 523
- c. The year 80
- d. The year 240

15. What caused the fire that damaged the upper levels of the Coliseum?

- a. A bolt of lightning
- b. Rowdy people who came to watch the events
- c. An attacking army
- d. An angry mob

16. For which purpose was the Coliseum not used?

- a. People fought other people in it.
- b. It was a private castle.
- c. People fought animals in it.
- d. It was a meeting place for the government.

17. Which caused the most damage to the Coliseum?

- a. Fires
- b. Earthquakes
- c. Wars
- d. Hurricanes

18. What did the people do with the stones that they took from the Coliseum?

- a. They repaired buildings.
- b. They sold them.
- c. They used them as weapons.
- d. They used them as tombstones.

19. Which was not a way in which the Coliseum was damaged over the years?

- a. Earthquake
- b. Tornado
- c. Lightning
- d. Fire

20. Which best defines the word gruesome as it is used in the second paragraph?

- a. Exciting
- b. Funny
- c. Horrifying
- d. Boring