

11+ Verbal Reasoning Practice Paper 3

40 minutes

Instructions:

Attempt all the questions
There are 65 marks available in total

11+

Date:

Score:



Q. One word in the sentence has been jumbled into an anagram. Solve the anagram so that the sentence makes the most sense:

Example: The bucket was KGINEAL. **LEAKING**

1. All the CELSVHEI on the motorway were going very fast. _____
 2. I learn about science in my YGIOBLO lessons. _____
 3. Sometimes it is not ENTIVENCON to talk on the phone. _____
 4. The king got VGERENE when he beat the traitors _____
 5. The charity raffle made sure the draw was DOMNAR . _____
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Q. Find the letter that the clue refers to. Make sure your answer is correct for all parts of the clue.

Example:

Find the letter that occurs most often in CONVINCING. **N**

Find the letter that occurs:

6. most often in INTELLIGENCE. _____
7. four times in ONOMATOPOEIA. _____
8. twice in MALNUTRITION and once in TRIGONOMETRY and ARCHITECTURE. _____
9. twice in SHAPESHIFTER and twice in DISSERTATION _____
10. three times in TESTOSTERONE and twice in ESTIMATION. _____

Q. Answer the questions below. Use the alphabet to help you.

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

Example:

Which letter in the word WASTEFULLY comes last in the alphabet?

Y

11. If you arrange the following words in alphabetical order, which comes second?

Accident, Accepted, Accurate, Accuracy, Academic

12. If you arrange the following words in alphabetical order, which comes third?

Composed, Complain, Comprise, Compound, Complete

13. If you write the following words backwards, then put them in alphabetical order, which word comes second?

Darkness, Messiness, Sweetness, Compress, Digress

14. If you write the following words backwards, then put them in alphabetical order, which word comes third?

Explaining, Divining, Arranging, Bringing, Declining

Q. In these questions, find the number that continues the series in the most sensible way and mark it on the answer sheet.

- Example: 4 8 12 16 [?] **20**
15. 9 7 5 3 [?] _____
16. 2 6 18 [?] _____
17. 93 84 74 63 [?] _____
18. 1 3 4 7 11 18 [?] _____
19. 2 3 5 7 11 13 [?] _____
20. 4 16 64 [?] _____
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Q. Find the pair of letters that continues each sequence in the best way. Use the alphabet to help you.

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

- Example: DD EC FB GA HZ (____) **IY**
21. KZ MY OX QW SV (____)
22. GG EF CE AD YC (____)
23. PC ME JH GL DQ (____)
24. MG HL KQ FV IA (____)
25. OA NB LD IG EK (____)

Q. Change one letter at a time to make the first word into the final word. The two answers must be real words:

Example: CART (____) (____) FACE

CARE FARE

26. SHOP (____) (____) CHAP

27. WISH (____) (____) LAST

28. DAFT (____) (____) RANK

29. GRIP (____) (____) CROP

30. FACE (____) (____) RANK

Q. Write the four letter word hidden at the end of one word and the beginning of the next word. The order of the letters may not be changed.

Example:

The still life art was amazing.

fear

31:

I ache all around my body

32:

The aim was to devastate army supplies

33:

The right ornament will be chosen for the fireplace

34:

The pan got dirty when it was in the oven

35:

All ostentatious presentations will be rejected

Q. Take out one letter from the first word, and put it into (or onto) the second word, such that each new version is still a recognisable word. Mark your chosen pair on the answer sheet.

Example: BARGE RATE **BARE GRATE**

36. SMEAR ANGLE _____ _____

37. TREAD SING _____ _____

38. TRACK SINGE _____ _____

39. DREAD RUM _____ _____

40. CLAIM PAR _____ _____

Q. In these questions, the three words in the second group should fit together in the same way as the three in the first group. Find the word missing from the second group.

Example: sun (sit) lit ash (?) mid **aid**

41. remark (made) badge spend (?) fades _____

42. canvas (vast) stark plague (?) shore _____

43. clear (lady) decry spear (?) remit _____

44. prove (veer) early reach (?) actor _____

45. smear (real) actual claim (?) berate _____

Q. Three of these four words are given in code.

The codes are not written in the same order as the words and one code is missing.

Example:

PART	RISK	SPIN	LAST
7816	2913	1495	

Find the code for the word LAST **7816**

Here are different words with a different code. The codes are not written in the same order as the words and one code is missing.

CORE	DEAR	PERK	RANK
1942	4862	5984	

- 46. Find the code for the word PERK _____
- 47. Find the code for the word DEAR _____
- 48. Find the code for the word PARK _____
- 49. Find the code for the word READ _____
- 50. Find the code for the word RANK _____

Q. Remove one letter from the first word and add it to the second word to make two new words. Do not rearrange the other letters.

Example:

raid ant *aid* *rant*

51. amend chin _____ _____
52. chore same _____ _____
53. chart nice _____ _____
54. plain founder _____ _____
55. skill night _____ _____
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Q. Letters stand for numbers. Work out the correct answer to each sum.

Example $A = 5, C = 9, D = 6, E = 7, F = 3$

$C + F = ?$

12

56. $C = 12, D = 17, E = 10, F = 41, G = 8$

$C \times E + D$

57. $C = 23, D = 12, E = 34, F = 6, G = 15$

$D - E + F + C$

58. $C = 31, D = 5, E = 23, F = 17, G = 8$

$D + F + G \times D$

59. $C = 25, D = 5, E = 29, F = 16, G = 72$

$D \times E - F + G$

60. $S = 117, T = 138, U = 225, V = 143, K = 18$

$V + K + S - T$

Q. Find the three letter word that completes the word in capital letters, and finishes the sentence in a sensible way. It can fit anywhere in the word but the letters must appear consecutively.

Example:

We had to be EFUL around the rocks

CAR (CAREFUL)

61. The coach DEDED that we tried our best

62. My dive caused a big SPL in the pool

63. The DNESS made visibility very poor

64. The sun came out and the temperature was RIG

65. It was ST reward to be paid so little

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