VERBAL REASONING – Sample Test 3

Time allowed: 30 minutes

1) The word most SIMILAR to **DESCRIBE** is:

- A) Explain
- B) Picture
- C) Destroy
- D) Produce
- E) Show

2) The word **SYMPATHY** does NOT mean:

- A) Empathy
- B) Understanding
- C) Compassion
- D) Consideration
- E) Truthfulness

3) **FOOT** is to **HAND** as **TOE** is to:

- A) Finger
- B) Glove
- C) Shoe
- D) Toenail
- E) Fingernail
- 4) If all Kooms are Foolars and most Foolars are Toots, then the statement "all Kooms are definitely Toots" is:
 - A) False
 - B) True
 - C) Possible
 - D) Impossible
 - E) You can't tell
- 5) If you rearranged the letters of **PISAN** you would have the name of a:
 - A) Country
 - B) City
 - C) Animal
 - D) Building
 - E) State
- 6) Which of the following expresses the relationship **SIGHT-EYE**:
 - A) Touch-Arm
 - B) Hear-Nose
 - C) Ear-Noise
 - D) Smell-Nose
 - E) Brain-Senses

- 7) To be always wanting more than everybody else is:
 - A) Mean
 - B) Greedy
 - C) Thoughtless
 - D) Unkind
 - E) Nasty

8) Antonyms are words with opposite meanings. The best ANTONYM for **SELECTIVE** is:

- A) Discriminating
- B) Hateful
- C) Choosy
- D) Particular
- E) General

9) The word which means the OPPOSITE of **MAGNIFICENT** is:

- A) Ordinary
- B) Magic
- C) Beautiful
- D) Wonderful
- E) Superb

10) **CAT** is to **MOUSE** as **SPIDER** is to

- A) Human
- B) Cat
- C) Rat
- D) Fly
- E) Frog

11) Which is FARTHEST in meaning from **TOTALLY**:

- A) Absolutely
- B) Mostly
- C) Towards
- D) Completely
- E) Not at all
- 12) Assume that these two statements are true. All brown-eyed men love chips. John is a brown-eyed man. The statement "John loves chips" is:
 - A) True
 - B) False
 - C) Possible
 - D) Unlikely
 - E) None of the above

- 13) You must always look before you _____:
 - A) Think
 - B) Go
 - C) Leap
 - D) Act
 - E) Jump

14) Which word means the SAME as **FORTUNATE**:

- A) Lucky
- B) Unfortunate
- C) Treasure
- D) Castle
- E) Unlucky

15) Which means the OPPOSITE to **MAGNIFY**?

- A) Grow
- B) Make bigger
- C) Make smaller
- D) Subtract
- E) Ordinary
- 16) Which word does not belong to this list?
 - A) Oak
 - B) Beech
 - C) Poplar
 - D) Rose
 - E) Gum

17) The best SYNONYM for **BELOVED** is:

- A) Hated
- B) Liked
- C) Grateful
- D) Adored
- E) Kept

18) An **EDITOR** is:

- A) Someone who writes books
- B) Someone who buys magazines
- C) Someone who checks writing for mistakes
- D) Someone who educates writers
- E) None of the above

- 19) Which is NOT a meaning of the word **SOURCE**:
 - A) Basis
 - B) Foundation
 - C) Start
 - D) Middle
 - E) Cause

20) Bill cries often and doesn't want to talk to his friends. He is probably:

- A) Angry
- B) Sick
- C) Depressed
- D) Annoyed
- E) Furious

21) The word most SIMILAR to **APPLICATION** is:

- A) Request
- B) Interview
- C) Appliance
- D) Description
- E) None of the above

22) The word **BROUGHT** does NOT mean:

- A) Transported
- B) Carried
- C) Took
- D) Bought
- E) Fetched

23) Select the answer-pair which best expresses the relationship ENCOURAGE-SUCCESS

- A) happiness welcome
- B) delight love
- C) discourage failure
- D) succeed discourage
- E) None of the above

24) The word **DESPICABLE** does NOT mean:

- A) Hateful
- B) Appalling
- C) Dreadful
- D) Vile
- E) Descriptive