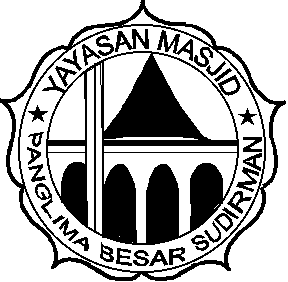
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**SOAL ULANGAN BLOK 8**

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Kelas : X IPS Waktu : 90 Menit

Semester : 2 ( Genap ) Tahun Pel : 2011/2012

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**I. GRAMMAR SECTION : PASSIVE VOICE**

**Instruction : Choose the correct answer !**

1. Active : Some one stole my wallet in that shop last week

Passive : My wallet ….. in that shop last week.

A. is stolen B. was stolen C. stolen D. is stealing E. was being stolen

2. Active : People speak English all over the world.

Passive : English ….. all over the world.

A. are spoken B. spoken C. is spoken D. was spoken E. were spoken

3. Passive : The interview questions …… in a good way by Wisnu yesterday.

A. is answered B. are answered C. answered

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4. Active : Sahara watches the popular TV program.

Passive : ……

A. Sahara is watched by the popular TV program

B. The popular TV program is watched by Sahara

C. Sahara watched the popular TV program

D. The popular TV program was watched by Sahara

E. The popular TV program are watched by Sahara

5. Active : Five men attacked my friend in the street two days ago.

Passive : …… in the street two days ago.

A. Five men were attacked by my friend B. My friend was attacked by five men

C. Five men are attacked by my friend D. My friend is attacked by five men

E. My friend attacked five men

6. Active : The government builds a new ring road around the city.

Passive : A new ring road ….. by the government around the city.

A. is built B. is build C. was built D. was build E. built

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Passive : All the flights ….. because of the storm last week.

A. are cancelled B. cancelled C. were cancelled

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10. Active : Our English teacher explained the lesson yesterday.

Passive : …..

A. Our English teacher was explained by the lesson yesterday

B. The lesson was explained by our English teacher yesterday

C. The lesson were explained by our English teacher yesterday

D. The lesson is explained by our English teacher yesterday

E. The lesson explained by our English teacher yesterday

**II. READING SECTION : SPOOF, REPORT, AND NEWS ITEM**

**Instruction : Choose the correct answer !**

**Text 1. The following text is for questions no. 11 - 14**

**Kendari SAR Team Finds 3 more Victims**

KENDARI, Southeast Sulawesi: On Thursday, a search-and-rescue team found three more victims from a ship that sunk in the Banda Sea, who had been missing since the big storm occurred on Friday night last week. They were Aris Triono, the captain of the cargo ship, Yakub, a crew, and Suharto, a passenger.

They were found on Thursday floating in waters close to Menui Island, Central Sulawesi Province. The province is adjacent to Southeast Sullawesi province, within those territory lies the Banda Sea. Two other victims were first saved by the SAR team in the Banda Sea on Saturday last week, only a day after the ship sunk.

The SAR team is still looking for 10 crew members and a passenger still missing from the incident, said Rocky Asikin, the head of Kendari SAR team. - JP

11. The statements below are true, EXCEPT ….

A. The SAR team has found 10 crew members

B. There are two victims found on Saturday

C. Rocky Asikin is the leader of Kendari SAR team

D. The ship sunk because of the big storm

E. The incident happened in Banda Sea

12. How many victims are there in the incident?

A. 3 B. 10 C.15 D. 16 E. unknown

13. Who are found on Thursday?

A. Rocky Asikin Aris B. Triono, Yakub, and Suharto C. Ten passengers

D. Two victims E. All passengers

14. When did the incident happen ?

A. Wednesday B. Thursday C. Friday D. Saturday E. Kendari

**Text 2. The following text is for questions no. 15 - 21**

**Robin And Rita at Work**

Robin and Rita worked in the West End of London. Robin was a musician. He played the flute with his mouth and he drummed with his foot. He also played the cymbals with his knees and the accordion with his hands. He was a busker ; a street musician. He played outside cinemas. People in the queue threw money into his hat. I asked him, “ What does Rita play ? “

“Nothing ,” he said. “Nothing ?” I said surprisingly. I asked him again curiously ,” Then why do you need her ?’ Robin answered, “ I can’t pick up the money . “

15. The communicative purpose of the text above is to ……..

A. inform the readers about the important incident happened on that day

B. entertain readers with amusing or funny story

C. describe a particular person , thing , or place

D. retell the events which happened in the past

E. describe the steps how to make something

16. The organization of the text is ….

A. General statement > Explanation 1 > Explanation 2

B. Orientation > events > reorientation

C. General classification > Description >

D. Orientation > evaluation > conflict > solution > re-orientation

E. Orientation > Event > Twist

17. Which of the following is TRUE according to the text above ?

A. Robin and Rita were street musicians B. Rita was a Robin’s wife

C. Robin could play some music instruments D. Robin was a street singer

E. Robin played the cymbals with his hands

18. He was a busker. What does a busker mean ?

A. a street magician B. a beggar C. a street singer

D. a street musician E. a tramp

19. People in the queue threw money into his hat. ‘his’ refers to ………….

A. Robin B. Rita C. people D. the queue E. hat

20. He played outside cinemas. The OPPOSITE of ‘outside’ is …………

A. external B. internal C. inside D. exterior E. interior

21. Robin answered, “ I can’t pick up the money . “ ‘Pick up’ means …………..

A. put B. take C. find D. select E. give

**Text 3. The following text is for questions no. 22 - 27**

**A SUPERVISOR JAILED FOR STRIKING INDONESIAN MAID**

SINGAPORE: A supervisorwas jailed for two months for repeatedly striking his Indonesian maid on the head and back with a television remote control, news reports said on Thursday.

Boorhanuddien admitted in a Singapore court, he physically abused the woman on several occasions between June and October 2002, The Straits Times said.

The magistrate’s court heard that Boorhan, 31, began striking Inem, 18, about two months after she started working for him.

He hit her on the head with the TV set’s remote control because he was unhappy with her work. On one occasion, he punched her on the back after accusing her of daydreaming.

S.S. Dhillon, Boorhan’s lawyer, said his client lost his “better senses” when he saw his daughter’s face was covered as she lay in bed.

He said his client thought the maid had put the child in danger. – DPA

22. Why did the man hit his maid ?

A. He saw his daughter’s face B. He didn’t like his maid’s work

C. He has lost his “better sense” D. His maid was very lazy

E. The maid disturb him when he was watching TV

23. When did the striking begin ?

A. when his maid started working B. two months after his maid started working

C. when he was unhappy D. on Thursday E. on October , 2002

24. “**He** hit her on the head with the TV set’s remote …” He refers to ….

A. S.S. Dhillon B. Boorhan’s lawyer C. Inem

D. Boorhanuddin E. Indonesian maid

25. What does the text want to tell us about?

1. The crime of Indonesian maid.
2. The attitude of the supervisor.

C. The crime done by supervisor to his maid.

D. Inem’s crime toward her supervisor.

E. A television remote control which is used to hit head.

26. Which one is the TRUE statement according to the text?

A. Boorhan hit Inem by stick.

B. Inem is jailed for a month.

C. The supervisor treated his maid kindly.

D. Boorhan punched his maid Inem on the back because she is lazy.

E. The supervisor stroked his maid because he was unhappy with her work.

27. What is the communicative purpose of the text?

1. To inform readers about Indonesian maid in Singapore.
2. To tell a news about supervisor’s crime in Singapore.
3. To describe the crime in Singapore.
4. To persuade reader to believe the crime in Singapore.
5. To discuss maid problem in Singapore.

**Text 4. The following text is for questions no. 28 - 33**

## Nasreddin and the Pot

One day Nasreddin borrowed a pot from his neighbour Ali. The next day he brought it back with another little pot inside. "That's not mine," said Ali. "Yes, it is," said Nasreddin. "While your pot was staying with me, it had a baby."

Some time later Nasreddin asked Ali to lend him a pot again. Ali agreed, hoping that he would once again receive two pots in return. However, days passed and Nasreddin had still not returned the pot. Finally Ali lost patience and went to demand his property.

"I am sorry," said Nasreddin. "I can't give you back your pot, since it has died." "Died!" screamed Ali, "how can a pot die?" "Well," said Nasreddin, "you believed me when I told you that your pot had had a baby."

28. One day Nasreddin borrowed a pot from his neighbor.

What is the OPPOSITE of the underlined word ?

A. ask B. lend C. give D. turn back E. take

29. Who was the owner of the pot ?

A. Nasreddin B. Ali C. Ali’s neighbor

D. Nasreddin’s brother E. Nasreddin’s sister

30. However, days passed and Nasreddin had still not returned the pot.

What is the SYNONYM of the underlined word ?

A. ask B. lend C. give D. turn back E. take

31. How many times did Nasreddin borrow the pot ?

A. never B. only once C. twice D. three times E. many times

32. How many pots did he give back the first time ?

A. 1 B. 2 C. 3 D. 4 E. 5

33. How many pots did Nasreddin return the second time ?

A. 0 B. 1 C. 2 D. 3 E. 4

**Text 5. The following text is for questions no. 34 - 36**

**POLAR BEARS**

The polar bear is a very big white bear. We call it the polar bear because it lives inside the Arctic Circle near the North Pole. There are no polar bears at the South Pole.

The polar bears live at the North Pole. There is only snow, ice and water. There is no any land.

These bears are three metres long, weigh 450 kilos. They can stand up on their back legs because they have very wide feet. They can use their front legs like arms. The polar bears can swim very well. They can swim 120 kilometres out into the water. They catch fish and sea animals for food. They go into the sea when they are afraid.

People like to kill the polar bears for their beautiful white coats. The government of Canada, the United States, and Russia say that no one can kill polar bears now. They do not want all these beautiful animals to die.

34. What is the main idea of the last paragraph ?

A. Polar bears are very big animals

B. Polar bears live at the North Pole

C. There are no polar bears at the South Pole

D. Polar bears are killed because of their beautiful white coats

E. There is no any land at the North Pole

35. Which of the following is NOT TRUE about polar bear ?

A. A polar bear weighs 450 kilos B. A polar bear is three metres long

C. A polar bear catches fish for food D. There is no any land at the North Pole

E. A polar bear goes into the sea when it is angry

36. A polar bear goes into the sea when it is afraid.

The SYNONIM of the underlined word is ……………..

A. shy B. angry C. scared D. shocked E. happy

**Text 6. The following text is for questions no. 37 - 40**

JAKARTA : To avoid trees falling due to hollow branches and feeble roots, the Park Agency will replace around 500,000 trees throughout South Jakarta and West Jakarta.

The agency’s head Ery Baskoro said Jakarta had around five millions trees, with 10 percent of them being Burmese rosewood, locally known as *angsana*, which have hollow roots and can easily topple.

“Most of them are aged between five and ten years. We will replace them with mahogany, tamarind and rain trees that have stronger roots,” he said.

He explained the administration planted *angsana* because they grew quickly. At the time, he said, the city wanted to boost the number of trees in the city.

Up to October, the city administration received 40 insurance claims this year over fallen trees. Ery said the insurance payments ranged between Rp. 1 million and Rp. 2 millions for each case depending on the severity.

37. Which information is TRUE according to the text ?

A. The Park Agency needs to handle the problem of flood in Jakarta.

B. Mahogany, tamarind and tropical trees are examples of the plants to avoid

trees falling.

C. The city administration does not afford to pay for the insurances.

D. The administration city thought the *angsana* had strong roots.

E. The trees aged between five and ten years are necessarily replaced with trees

having stronger roots.

38. What is the purpose of the text ?

A. to inform the condition of trees in Jakarta.

B. to tell the readers on the importance of trees.

C. to persuade the readers to plant the trees.

D. to narrate the process of planting the trees.

E. to entertain the readers on how we are excited about planting trees.

39. What is the text about ?

A. The planning of replacing 500,000 trees.

B. The insurance payment for fallen trees.

C. The central locations for planting the trees.

D. The importance of growing trees in Jakarta

E. The plants that make Jakarta shady.

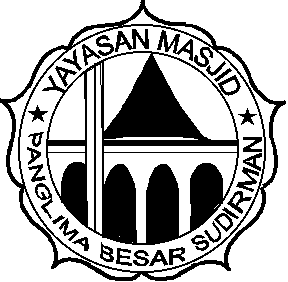
40. “Most of them are aged between five and ten years. “ Them in this sentence refers to …..

A. hollow branches and feeble roots B. 500,000 trees

C. the agency’s head Ery Baskoro D. mahogany, tamarind and rain trees

E. the city administration

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**SOAL ULANGAN BLOK 8**

Mata Pelajaran : Bahasa Inggris Hari/tanggal : Senin, 28 Mei 2012 B

Kelas : X IPS Waktu : 90 Menit

Semester : 2 ( Genap ) Tahun Pel : 2011/2012

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**I. GRAMMAR SECTION : PASSIVE VOICE**

**Instruction : Choose the correct answer !**

1. Passive : The interview questions …… in a good way by Wisnu yesterday.

A. is answered B. are answered C. answered

D. was answered E. were answered

2. Active : Sahara watches the popular TV program.

Passive : ……

A. Sahara is watched by the popular TV program

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3. Active : Five men attacked my friend in the street two days ago.

Passive : …… in the street two days ago.

A. Five men were attacked by my friend B. My friend was attacked by five men

C. Five men are attacked by my friend D. My friend is attacked by five men

E. My friend attacked five men

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Passive : My wallet ….. in that shop last week.

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5. Active : People speak English all over the world.

Passive : English ….. all over the world.

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6. Active : They cancelled all the flights because of the storm last week.

Passive : All the flights ….. because of the storm last week.

A. are cancelled B. cancelled C. were cancelled

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7. Active : Our English teacher explained the lesson yesterday.

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A. Our English teacher was explained by the lesson yesterday

B. The lesson was explained by our English teacher yesterday

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8. Active : The government builds a new ring road around the city.

Passive : A new ring road ….. by the government around the city.

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10. Active : Shahnaz sings a beautiful song.

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**II. READING SECTION : SPOOF, REPORT, AND NEWS ITEM**

**Instruction : Choose the correct answer !**

**Text 1. The following text is for questions no. 11 - 16**

**A SUPERVISOR JAILED FOR STRIKING INDONESIAN MAID**

SINGAPORE: A supervisorwas jailed for two months for repeatedly striking his Indonesian maid on the head and back with a television remote control, news reports said on Thursday.

Boorhanuddien admitted in a Singapore court, he physically abused the woman on several occasions between June and October 2002, The Straits Times said.

The magistrate’s court heard that Boorhan, 31, began striking Inem, 18, about two months after she started working for him.

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S.S. Dhillon, Boorhan’s lawyer, said his client lost his “better senses” when he saw his daughter’s face was covered as she lay in bed.

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11. Why did the man hit his maid ?

A. He saw his daughter’s face B. He didn’t like his maid’s work

C. He has lost his “better sense” D. His maid was very lazy

E. The maid disturb him when he was watching TV

12. When did the striking begin ?

A. when his maid started working B. two months after his maid started working

C. when he was unhappy D. on Thursday E. on October , 2002

13. “**He** hit her on the head with the TV set’s remote …” He refers to ….

A. S.S. Dhillon B. Boorhan’s lawyer C. Inem

D. Boorhanuddin E. Indonesian maid

14. What does the text want to tell us about?

1. The crime of Indonesian maid.
2. The attitude of the supervisor.

C. The crime done by supervisor to his maid.

D. Inem’s crime toward her supervisor.

E. A television remote control which is used to hit head.

15. Which one is the TRUE statement according to the text?

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B. To tell a news about supervisor’s crime in Singapore.

C. To describe the crime in Singapore.

D. To persuade reader to believe the crime in Singapore.

E. To discuss maid problem in Singapore.

**Text 2. The following text is for questions no. 17 - 22**

## Nasreddin and the Pot

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Some time later Nasreddin asked Ali to lend him a pot again. Ali agreed, hoping that he would once again receive two pots in return. However, days passed and Nasreddin had still not returned the pot. Finally Ali lost patience and went to demand his property.

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17. One day Nasreddin borrowed a pot from his neighbor.

What is the OPPOSITE of the underlined word ?

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20. How many times did Nasreddin borrow the pot ?

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22. How many pots did Nasreddin return the second time ?

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**Text 3. The following text is for questions no. 23 - 26**

**Kendari SAR Team Finds 3 more Victims**

KENDARI, Southeast Sulawesi: On Thursday, a search-and-rescue team found three more victims from a ship that sunk in the Banda Sea, who had been missing since the big storm occurred on Friday night last week. They were Aris Triono, the captain of the cargo ship, Yakub, a crew, and Suharto, a passenger.

They were found on Thursday floating in waters close to Menui Island, Central Sulawesi Province. The province is adjacent to Southeast Sullawesi province, within those territory lies the Banda Sea. Two other victims were first saved by the SAR team in the Banda Sea on Saturday last week, only a day after the ship sunk.

The SAR team is still looking for 10 crew members and a passenger still missing from the incident, said Rocky Asikin, the head of Kendari SAR team. - JP

23. The statements below are true, EXCEPT ….

A. The SAR team has found 10 crew members

B. There are two victims found on Saturday

C. Rocky Asikin is the leader of Kendari SAR team

D. The ship sunk because of the big storm

E. The incident happened in Banda Sea

24. How many victims are there in the incident?

A. 3 B. 10 C.15 D. 16 E. unknown

25. Who are found on Thursday?

A. Rocky Asikin Aris B. Triono, Yakub, and Suharto C. Ten passengers

D. Two victims E. All passengers

26. When did the incident happen ?

A. Wednesday B. Thursday C. Friday D. Saturday E. Kendari

**Text 4. The following text is for questions no. 27 - 33**

**Robin And Rita at Work**

Robin and Rita worked in the West End of London. Robin was a musician. He played the flute with his mouth and he drummed with his foot. He also played the cymbals with his knees and the accordion with his hands. He was a busker ; a street musician. He played outside cinemas. People in the queue threw money into his hat. I asked him, “ What does Rita play ? “

“Nothing ,” he said. “Nothing ?” I said surprisingly. I asked him again curiously ,” Then why do you need her ?’ Robin answered, “ I can’t pick up the money . “

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A. Robin and Rita were street musicians B. Rita was a Robin’s wife

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30. He was a busker. What does a busker mean ?

A. a street magician B. a beggar C. a street singer

D. a street musician E. a tramp

31. People in the queue threw money into his hat. ‘his’ refers to ………….

A. Robin B. Rita C. people D. the queue E. hat

32. He played outside cinemas. The OPPOSITE of ‘outside’ is …………

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A. put B. take C. find D. select E. give

**Text 5. The following text is for questions no. 34 - 37**

JAKARTA : To avoid trees falling due to hollow branches and feeble roots, the Park Agency will replace around 500,000 trees throughout South Jakarta and West Jakarta.

The agency’s head Ery Baskoro said Jakarta had around five millions trees, with 10 percent of them being Burmese rosewood, locally known as *angsana*, which have hollow roots and can easily topple.

“Most of them are aged between five and ten years. We will replace them with mahogany, tamarind and rain trees that have stronger roots,” he said.

He explained the administration planted *angsana* because they grew quickly. At the time, he said, the city wanted to boost the number of trees in the city.

Up to October, the city administration received 40 insurance claims this year over fallen trees. Ery said the insurance payments ranged between Rp. 1 million and Rp. 2 millions for each case depending on the severity.

34. Which information is TRUE according to the text ?

A. The Park Agency needs to handle the problem of flood in Jakarta.

B. Mahogany, tamarind and tropical trees are examples of the plants to avoid

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D. The administration city thought the *angsana* had strong roots.

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36. What is the text about ?

A. The planning of replacing 500,000 trees.

B. The insurance payment for fallen trees.

C. The central locations for planting the trees.

D. The importance of growing trees in Jakarta

E. The plants that make Jakarta shady.

37. “Most of them are aged between five and ten years. “ Them in this sentence refers to …..

A. hollow branches and feeble roots B. 500,000 trees

C. the agency’s head Ery Baskoro D. mahogany, tamarind and rain trees

E. the city administration

**Text 6. The following text is for questions no. 38 - 40**

**POLAR BEARS**

The polar bear is a very big white bear. We call it the polar bear because it lives inside the Arctic Circle near the North Pole. There are no polar bears at the South Pole.

The polar bears live at the North Pole. There is only snow, ice and water. There is no any land.

These bears are three metres long, weigh 450 kilos. They can stand up on their back legs because they have very wide feet. They can use their front legs like arms. The polar bears can swim very well. They can swim 120 kilometres out into the water. They catch fish and sea animals for food. They go into the sea when they are afraid.

People like to kill the polar bears for their beautiful white coats. The government of Canada, the United States, and Russia say that no one can kill polar bears now. They do not want all these beautiful animals to die.

38. What is the main idea of the last paragraph ?

A. Polar bears are very big animals

B. Polar bears live at the North Pole

C. There are no polar bears at the South Pole

D. Polar bears are killed because of their beautiful white coats

E. There is no any land at the North Pole

39. Which of the following is NOT TRUE about polar bear ?

A. A polar bear weighs 450 kilos B. A polar bear is three metres long

C. A polar bear catches fish for food D. There is no any land at the North Pole

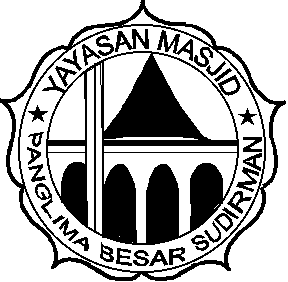
E. A polar bear goes into the sea when it is angry

40. A polar bear goes into the sea when it is afraid.

The SYNONIM of the underlined word is ……………..

A. shy B. angry C. scared D. shocked E. happy

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**SOAL ULANGAN BLOK 8**

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Kelas : X IPS Waktu : 90 Menit

Semester : 2 ( Genap ) Tahun Pel : 2011/2012

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**I. GRAMMAR SECTION : PASSIVE VOICE**

**Instruction : Choose the correct answer !**

1. Passive : A new cell phone …. by Romi last week.

A. bought B. is bought C. were bought D. was bought E. are bought

2. Active : Shahnaz sings a beautiful song.

Passive : A beautiful song is ….. by Shahnaz.

A. sing B. song C. sung D. sang E. singing

3. Active : They cancelled all the flights because of the storm last week.

Passive : All the flights ….. because of the storm last week.

A. are cancelled B. cancelled C. were cancelled

D. cancel E. was cancelled

4. Active : Our English teacher explained the lesson yesterday.

Passive : …..

A. Our English teacher was explained by the lesson yesterday

B. The lesson was explained by our English teacher yesterday

C. The lesson were explained by our English teacher yesterday

D. The lesson is explained by our English teacher yesterday

E. The lesson explained by our English teacher yesterday

5. Active : Sahara watches the popular TV program.

Passive : ……

A. Sahara is watched by the popular TV program

B. The popular TV program is watched by Sahara

C. Sahara watched the popular TV program

D. The popular TV program was watched by Sahara

E. The popular TV program are watched by Sahara

6. Active : Five men attacked my friend in the street two days ago.

Passive : …… in the street two days ago.

A. Five men were attacked by my friend B. My friend was attacked by five men

C. Five men are attacked by my friend D. My friend is attacked by five men

E. My friend attacked five men

7. Active : Some one stole my wallet in that shop last week

Passive : My wallet ….. in that shop last week.

A. is stolen B. was stolen C. stolen D. is stealing E. was being stolen

8. Active : People speak English all over the world.

Passive : English ….. all over the world.

A. are spoken B. spoken C. is spoken D. was spoken E. were spoken

9. Passive : The interview questions …… in a good way by Wisnu yesterday.

A. is answered B. are answered C. answered

D. was answered E. were answered

10. Active : The government builds a new ring road around the city.

Passive : A new ring road ….. by the government around the city.

A. is built B. is build C. was built D. was build E. built

**II. READING SECTION : SPOOF, REPORT, AND NEWS ITEM**

**Instruction : Choose the correct answer !**

**Text 1. The following text is for questions no. 11 - 14**

**Kendari SAR Team Finds 3 more Victims**

KENDARI, Southeast Sulawesi: On Thursday, a search-and-rescue team found three more victims from a ship that sunk in the Banda Sea, who had been missing since the big storm occurred on Friday night last week. They were Aris Triono, the captain of the cargo ship, Yakub, a crew, and Suharto, a passenger.

They were found on Thursday floating in waters close to Menui Island, Central Sulawesi Province. The province is adjacent to Southeast Sullawesi province, within those territory lies the Banda Sea. Two other victims were first saved by the SAR team in the Banda Sea on Saturday last week, only a day after the ship sunk.

The SAR team is still looking for 10 crew members and a passenger still missing from the incident, said Rocky Asikin, the head of Kendari SAR team. - JP

11. The statements below are true, EXCEPT ….

A. The SAR team has found 10 crew members

B. There are two victims found on Saturday

C. Rocky Asikin is the leader of Kendari SAR team

D. The ship sunk because of the big storm

E. The incident happened in Banda Sea

12. How many victims are there in the incident?

A. 3 B. 10 C.15 D. 16 E. unknown

13. Who are found on Thursday?

A. Rocky Asikin Aris B. Triono, Yakub, and Suharto C. Ten passengers

D. Two victims E. All passengers

14. When did the incident happen ?

A. Wednesday B. Thursday C. Friday D. Saturday E. Kendari

**Text 2. The following text is for questions no. 15 - 21**

**Robin And Rita at Work**

Robin and Rita worked in the West End of London. Robin was a musician. He played the flute with his mouth and he drummed with his foot. He also played the cymbals with his knees and the accordion with his hands. He was a busker ; a street musician. He played outside cinemas. People in the queue threw money into his hat. I asked him, “ What does Rita play ? “

“Nothing ,” he said. “Nothing ?” I said surprisingly. I asked him again curiously ,” Then why do you need her ?’ Robin answered, “ I can’t pick up the money . “

15. The communicative purpose of the text above is to ……..

A. inform the readers about the important incident happened on that day

B. entertain readers with amusing or funny story

C. describe a particular person , thing , or place

D. retell the events which happened in the past

E. describe the steps how to make something

16. The organization of the text is ….

A. General statement > Explanation 1 > Explanation 2

B. Orientation > events > reorientation

C. General classification > Description >

D. Orientation > evaluation > conflict > solution > re-orientation

E. Orientation > Event > Twist

17. Which of the following is TRUE according to the text above ?

A. Robin and Rita were street musicians B. Rita was a Robin’s wife

C. Robin could play some music instruments D. Robin was a street singer

E. Robin played the cymbals with his hands

18. He was a busker. What does a busker mean ?

A. a street magician B. a beggar C. a street singer

D. a street musician E. a tramp

19. People in the queue threw money into his hat. ‘his’ refers to ………….

A. Robin B. Rita C. people D. the queue E. hat

20. He played outside cinemas. The OPPOSITE of ‘outside’ is …………

A. external B. internal C. inside D. exterior E. interior

21. Robin answered, “ I can’t pick up the money . “ ‘Pick up’ means …………..

A. put B. take C. find D. select E. give

**Text 3. The following text is for questions no. 22 - 27**

**A SUPERVISOR JAILED FOR STRIKING INDONESIAN MAID**

SINGAPORE: A supervisorwas jailed for two months for repeatedly striking his Indonesian maid on the head and back with a television remote control, news reports said on Thursday.

Boorhanuddien admitted in a Singapore court, he physically abused the woman on several occasions between June and October 2002, The Straits Times said.

The magistrate’s court heard that Boorhan, 31, began striking Inem, 18, about two months after she started working for him.

He hit her on the head with the TV set’s remote control because he was unhappy with her work. On one occasion, he punched her on the back after accusing her of daydreaming.

S.S. Dhillon, Boorhan’s lawyer, said his client lost his “better senses” when he saw his daughter’s face was covered as she lay in bed.

He said his client thought the maid had put the child in danger. – DPA

22. Why did the man hit his maid ?

A. He saw his daughter’s face B. He didn’t like his maid’s work

C. He has lost his “better sense” D. His maid was very lazy

E. The maid disturb him when he was watching TV

23. When did the striking begin ?

A. when his maid started working B. two months after his maid started working

C. when he was unhappy D. on Thursday E. on October , 2002

24. “**He** hit her on the head with the TV set’s remote …” He refers to ….

A. S.S. Dhillon B. Boorhan’s lawyer C. Inem

D. Boorhanuddin E. Indonesian maid

25. What does the text want to tell us about?

A.The crime of Indonesian maid.

B.The attitude of the supervisor.

C. The crime done by supervisor to his maid.

D. Inem’s crime toward her supervisor.

E. A television remote control which is used to hit head.

26. Which one is the TRUE statement according to the text?

A. Boorhan hit Inem by stick.

B. Inem is jailed for a month.

C. The supervisor treated his maid kindly.

D. Boorhan punched his maid Inem on the back because she is lazy.

E. The supervisor stroked his maid because he was unhappy with her work.

27. What is the communicative purpose of the text?

A. To inform readers about Indonesian maid in Singapore.

B. To tell a news about supervisor’s crime in Singapore.

C. To describe the crime in Singapore.

D. To persuade reader to believe the crime in Singapore.

E. To discuss maid problem in Singapore.

**Text 4. The following text is for questions no. 28 - 33**

## Nasreddin and the Pot

One day Nasreddin borrowed a pot from his neighbour Ali. The next day he brought it back with another little pot inside. "That's not mine," said Ali. "Yes, it is," said Nasreddin. "While your pot was staying with me, it had a baby."

Some time later Nasreddin asked Ali to lend him a pot again. Ali agreed, hoping that he would once again receive two pots in return. However, days passed and Nasreddin had still not returned the pot. Finally Ali lost patience and went to demand his property.

"I am sorry," said Nasreddin. "I can't give you back your pot, since it has died." "Died!" screamed Ali, "how can a pot die?" "Well," said Nasreddin, "you believed me when I told you that your pot had had a baby."

28. One day Nasreddin borrowed a pot from his neighbor.

What is the OPPOSITE of the underlined word ?

A. ask B. lend C. give D. turn back E. take

29. Who was the owner of the pot ?

A. Nasreddin B. Ali C. Ali’s neighbor

D. Nasreddin’s brother E. Nasreddin’s sister

30. However, days passed and Nasreddin had still not returned the pot.

What is the SYNONYM of the underlined word ?

A. ask B. lend C. give D. turn back E. take

31. How many times did Nasreddin borrow the pot ?

A. never B. only once C. twice D. three times E. many times

32. How many pots did he give back the first time ?

A. 1 B. 2 C. 3 D. 4 E. 5

33. How many pots did Nasreddin return the second time ?

A. 0 B. 1 C. 2 D. 3 E. 4

**Text 5. The following text is for questions no. 34 - 36**

**POLAR BEARS**

The polar bear is a very big white bear. We call it the polar bear because it lives inside the Arctic Circle near the North Pole. There are no polar bears at the South Pole.

The polar bears live at the North Pole. There is only snow, ice and water. There is no any land.

These bears are three metres long, weigh 450 kilos. They can stand up on their back legs because they have very wide feet. They can use their front legs like arms. The polar bears can swim very well. They can swim 120 kilometres out into the water. They catch fish and sea animals for food. They go into the sea when they are afraid.

People like to kill the polar bears for their beautiful white coats. The government of Canada, the United States, and Russia say that no one can kill polar bears now. They do not want all these beautiful animals to die.

34. What is the main idea of the last paragraph ?

A. Polar bears are very big animals

B. Polar bears live at the North Pole

C. There are no polar bears at the South Pole

D. Polar bears are killed because of their beautiful white coats

E. There is no any land at the North Pole

35. Which of the following is NOT TRUE about polar bear ?

A. A polar bear weighs 450 kilos B. A polar bear is three metres long

C. A polar bear catches fish for food D. There is no any land at the North Pole

E. A polar bear goes into the sea when it is angry

36. A polar bear goes into the sea when it is afraid.

The SYNONIM of the underlined word is ……………..

A. shy B. angry C. scared D. shocked E. happy

**Text 6. The following text is for questions no. 37 - 40**

JAKARTA : To avoid trees falling due to hollow branches and feeble roots, the Park Agency will replace around 500,000 trees throughout South Jakarta and West Jakarta.

The agency’s head Ery Baskoro said Jakarta had around five millions trees, with 10 percent of them being Burmese rosewood, locally known as *angsana*, which have hollow roots and can easily topple.

“Most of them are aged between five and ten years. We will replace them with mahogany, tamarind and rain trees that have stronger roots,” he said.

He explained the administration planted *angsana* because they grew quickly. At the time, he said, the city wanted to boost the number of trees in the city.

Up to October, the city administration received 40 insurance claims this year over fallen trees. Ery said the insurance payments ranged between Rp. 1 million and Rp. 2 millions for each case depending on the severity.

37. Which information is TRUE according to the text ?

A. The Park Agency needs to handle the problem of flood in Jakarta.

B. Mahogany, tamarind and tropical trees are examples of the plants to avoid

trees falling.

C. The city administration does not afford to pay for the insurances.

D. The administration city thought the *angsana* had strong roots.

E. The trees aged between five and ten years are necessarily replaced with trees

having stronger roots.

38. What is the purpose of the text ?

A. to inform the condition of trees in Jakarta.

B. to tell the readers on the importance of trees.

C. to persuade the readers to plant the trees.

D. to narrate the process of planting the trees.

E. to entertain the readers on how we are excited about planting trees.

39. What is the text about ?

A. The planning of replacing 500,000 trees.

B. The insurance payment for fallen trees.

C. The central locations for planting the trees.

D. The importance of growing trees in Jakarta

E. The plants that make Jakarta shady.

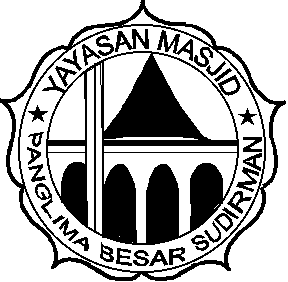
40. “Most of them are aged between five and ten years. “ Them in this sentence refers to …..

A. hollow branches and feeble roots B. 500,000 trees

C. the agency’s head Ery Baskoro D. mahogany, tamarind and rain trees

E. the city administration

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**SOAL ULANGAN BLOK 8**

Mata Pelajaran : Bahasa Inggris Hari/tanggal : Senin, 28 Mei 2012 D

Kelas : X IPS Waktu : 90 Menit

Semester : 2 ( Genap ) Tahun Pel : 2011/2012

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**I. GRAMMAR SECTION : PASSIVE VOICE**

**Instruction : Choose the correct answer !**

1. Active : Five men attacked my friend in the street two days ago.

Passive : …… in the street two days ago.

A. Five men were attacked by my friend B. My friend was attacked by five men

C. Five men are attacked by my friend D. My friend is attacked by five men

E. My friend attacked five men

2. Active : Some one stole my wallet in that shop last week

Passive : My wallet ….. in that shop last week.

A. is stolen B. was stolen C. stolen D. is stealing E. was being stolen

3. Passive : The interview questions …… in a good way by Wisnu yesterday.

A. is answered B. are answered C. answered

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4. Active : Sahara watches the popular TV program.

Passive : ……

A. Sahara is watched by the popular TV program

B. The popular TV program is watched by Sahara

C. Sahara watched the popular TV program

D. The popular TV program was watched by Sahara

E. The popular TV program are watched by Sahara

5. Active : They cancelled all the flights because of the storm last week.

Passive : All the flights ….. because of the storm last week.

A. are cancelled B. cancelled C. were cancelled

D. cancel E. was cancelled

6. Active : People speak English all over the world.

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A. are spoken B. spoken C. is spoken D. was spoken E. were spoken

7. Passive : A new cell phone …. by Romi last week.

A. bought B. is bought C. were bought D. was bought E. are bought

8. Active : Shahnaz sings a beautiful song.

Passive : A beautiful song is ….. by Shahnaz.

A. sing B. song C. sung D. sang E. singing

9. Active : Our English teacher explained the lesson yesterday.

Passive : …..

A. Our English teacher was explained by the lesson yesterday

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D. The lesson is explained by our English teacher yesterday

E. The lesson explained by our English teacher yesterday

10. Active : The government builds a new ring road around the city.

Passive : A new ring road ….. by the government around the city.

A. is built B. is build C. was built D. was build E. built

**II. READING SECTION : SPOOF, REPORT, AND NEWS ITEM**

**Instruction : Choose the correct answer !**

**Text 1. The following text is for questions no. 11 - 16**

**A SUPERVISOR JAILED FOR STRIKING INDONESIAN MAID**

SINGAPORE: A supervisorwas jailed for two months for repeatedly striking his Indonesian maid on the head and back with a television remote control, news reports said on Thursday.

Boorhanuddien admitted in a Singapore court, he physically abused the woman on several occasions between June and October 2002, The Straits Times said.

The magistrate’s court heard that Boorhan, 31, began striking Inem, 18, about two months after she started working for him.

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S.S. Dhillon, Boorhan’s lawyer, said his client lost his “better senses” when he saw his daughter’s face was covered as she lay in bed.

He said his client thought the maid had put the child in danger. – DPA

11. Why did the man hit his maid ?

A. He saw his daughter’s face B. He didn’t like his maid’s work

C. He has lost his “better sense” D. His maid was very lazy

E. The maid disturb him when he was watching TV

12. When did the striking begin ?

A. when his maid started working B. two months after his maid started working

C. when he was unhappy D. on Thursday E. on October , 2002

13. “**He** hit her on the head with the TV set’s remote …” He refers to ….

A. S.S. Dhillon B. Boorhan’s lawyer C. Inem

D. Boorhanuddin E. Indonesian maid

14. What does the text want to tell us about?

A. The crime of Indonesian maid.

B. The attitude of the supervisor.

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D. Inem’s crime toward her supervisor.

E. A television remote control which is used to hit head.

15. Which one is the TRUE statement according to the text?

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C. To describe the crime in Singapore.

D. To persuade reader to believe the crime in Singapore.

E. To discuss maid problem in Singapore.

**Text 2. The following text is for questions no. 17 - 22**

## Nasreddin and the Pot

One day Nasreddin borrowed a pot from his neighbour Ali. The next day he brought it back with another little pot inside. "That's not mine," said Ali. "Yes, it is," said Nasreddin. "While your pot was staying with me, it had a baby."

Some time later Nasreddin asked Ali to lend him a pot again. Ali agreed, hoping that he would once again receive two pots in return. However, days passed and Nasreddin had still not returned the pot. Finally Ali lost patience and went to demand his property.

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17. One day Nasreddin borrowed a pot from his neighbor.

What is the OPPOSITE of the underlined word ?

A. ask B. lend C. give D. turn back E. take

18. Who was the owner of the pot ?

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20. How many times did Nasreddin borrow the pot ?

A. never B. only once C. twice D. three times E. many times

21. How many pots did he give back the first time ?

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22. How many pots did Nasreddin return the second time ?

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**Text 3. The following text is for questions no. 23 - 26**

**Kendari SAR Team Finds 3 more Victims**

KENDARI, Southeast Sulawesi: On Thursday, a search-and-rescue team found three more victims from a ship that sunk in the Banda Sea, who had been missing since the big storm occurred on Friday night last week. They were Aris Triono, the captain of the cargo ship, Yakub, a crew, and Suharto, a passenger.

They were found on Thursday floating in waters close to Menui Island, Central Sulawesi Province. The province is adjacent to Southeast Sullawesi province, within those territory lies the Banda Sea. Two other victims were first saved by the SAR team in the Banda Sea on Saturday last week, only a day after the ship sunk.

The SAR team is still looking for 10 crew members and a passenger still missing from the incident, said Rocky Asikin, the head of Kendari SAR team. - JP

23. The statements below are true, EXCEPT ….

A. The SAR team has found 10 crew members

B. There are two victims found on Saturday

C. Rocky Asikin is the leader of Kendari SAR team

D. The ship sunk because of the big storm

E. The incident happened in Banda Sea

24. How many victims are there in the incident?

A. 3 B. 10 C.15 D. 16 E. unknown

25. Who are found on Thursday?

A. Rocky Asikin Aris B. Triono, Yakub, and Suharto C. Ten passengers

D. Two victims E. All passengers

26. When did the incident happen ?

A. Wednesday B. Thursday C. Friday D. Saturday E. Kendari

**Text 4. The following text is for questions no. 27 - 33**

**Robin And Rita at Work**

Robin and Rita worked in the West End of London. Robin was a musician. He played the flute with his mouth and he drummed with his foot. He also played the cymbals with his knees and the accordion with his hands. He was a busker ; a street musician. He played outside cinemas. People in the queue threw money into his hat. I asked him, “ What does Rita play ? “

“Nothing ,” he said. “Nothing ?” I said surprisingly. I asked him again curiously ,” Then why do you need her ?’ Robin answered, “ I can’t pick up the money . “

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28. The organization of the text is ….

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29. Which of the following is TRUE according to the text above ?

A. Robin and Rita were street musicians B. Rita was a Robin’s wife

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E. Robin played the cymbals with his hands

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A. a street magician B. a beggar C. a street singer

D. a street musician E. a tramp

31. People in the queue threw money into his hat. ‘his’ refers to ………….

A. Robin B. Rita C. people D. the queue E. hat

32. He played outside cinemas. The OPPOSITE of ‘outside’ is …………

A. external B. internal C. inside D. exterior E. interior

33. Robin answered, “ I can’t pick up the money . “ ‘Pick up’ means …………..

A. put B. take C. find D. select E. give

**Text 5. The following text is for questions no. 34 - 37**

JAKARTA : To avoid trees falling due to hollow branches and feeble roots, the Park Agency will replace around 500,000 trees throughout South Jakarta and West Jakarta.

The agency’s head Ery Baskoro said Jakarta had around five millions trees, with 10 percent of them being Burmese rosewood, locally known as *angsana*, which have hollow roots and can easily topple.

“Most of them are aged between five and ten years. We will replace them with mahogany, tamarind and rain trees that have stronger roots,” he said.

He explained the administration planted *angsana* because they grew quickly. At the time, he said, the city wanted to boost the number of trees in the city.

Up to October, the city administration received 40 insurance claims this year over fallen trees. Ery said the insurance payments ranged between Rp. 1 million and Rp. 2 millions for each case depending on the severity.

34. Which information is TRUE according to the text ?

A. The Park Agency needs to handle the problem of flood in Jakarta.

B. Mahogany, tamarind and tropical trees are examples of the plants to avoid

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36. What is the text about ?

A. The planning of replacing 500,000 trees.

B. The insurance payment for fallen trees.

C. The central locations for planting the trees.

D. The importance of growing trees in Jakarta

E. The plants that make Jakarta shady.

37. “Most of them are aged between five and ten years. “ Them in this sentence refers to …..

A. hollow branches and feeble roots B. 500,000 trees

C. the agency’s head Ery Baskoro D. mahogany, tamarind and rain trees

E. the city administration

**Text 6. The following text is for questions no. 38 - 40**

**POLAR BEARS**

The polar bear is a very big white bear. We call it the polar bear because it lives inside the Arctic Circle near the North Pole. There are no polar bears at the South Pole.

The polar bears live at the North Pole. There is only snow, ice and water. There is no any land.

These bears are three metres long, weigh 450 kilos. They can stand up on their back legs because they have very wide feet. They can use their front legs like arms. The polar bears can swim very well. They can swim 120 kilometres out into the water. They catch fish and sea animals for food. They go into the sea when they are afraid.

People like to kill the polar bears for their beautiful white coats. The government of Canada, the United States, and Russia say that no one can kill polar bears now. They do not want all these beautiful animals to die.

38. What is the main idea of the last paragraph ?

A. Polar bears are very big animals

B. Polar bears live at the North Pole

C. There are no polar bears at the South Pole

D. Polar bears are killed because of their beautiful white coats

E. There is no any land at the North Pole

39. Which of the following is NOT TRUE about polar bear ?

A. A polar bear weighs 450 kilos B. A polar bear is three metres long

C. A polar bear catches fish for food D. There is no any land at the North Pole

E. A polar bear goes into the sea when it is angry

40. A polar bear goes into the sea when it is afraid.

The SYNONIM of the underlined word is ……………..

A. shy B. angry C. scared D. shocked E. happy