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PART ONE: SENTENCE COMPLETION

Fill in the circle that corresponds to the word that best completes the meaning of each sentence.

1. The phrase "Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers" is an example of _____.
 - a. literature
 - b. alliteration
 - c. obliteration
 - d. imprecation
2. With the quarterfinals over, there were only four players left in the _____ round.
 - a. indeterminate
 - b. tripartite
 - c. luminous
 - d. semifinal
3. The depressed patient was watched closely because she was _____.
 - a. indeterminate
 - b. suicidal
 - c. linear
 - d. multilinear
4. At the family reunion, we traced our _____ back five generations.
 - a. parricide
 - b. perfidy
 - c. lineage
 - d. verdict
5. *The Joy of Cooking* is often said to be the _____ cookbook for people just learning to cook.
 - a. definitive
 - b. luminous
 - c. tripartite
 - d. multilinear
6. The publisher and two writers signed a _____ contract.
 - a. sui generis
 - b. multilinear
 - c. tripartite
 - d. indeterminate
7. The story of Oedipus, the Greek king who unintentionally murdered his father, involves _____.
 - a. parricide
 - b. literature
 - c. scissors
 - d. confinement
8. The man who killed his wife was convicted for _____.
 - a. infidelity
 - b. uxoricide
 - c. travesty
 - d. suicide
9. The _____ plot had so many storylines that I could barely follow it.
 - a. tripartite
 - b. definitive
 - c. multilinear
 - d. indeterminate
10. The movie star is a _____ in Hollywood.
 - a. partner
 - b. luminary
 - c. perfidy
 - d. travesty
11. Amnesia is an _____ of a person's memory.
 - a. imprecation
 - b. obliteration
 - c. alliteration
 - d. extortion
12. The beaming bride was positively _____.
 - a. definitive
 - b. luminous
 - c. diffident
 - d. linear
13. At first, the term "double _____" seems to be a contradiction – an oxymoron.
 - a. vision
 - b. graduate
 - c. transgression
 - d. solitaire
14. Each state has decision-making power in cases of _____ punishment.
 - a. devious
 - b. capital
 - c. pusillanimous
 - d. gregarious
15. Her skilled _____ suggested that she had an educated background.
 - a. benediction
 - b. elocution
 - c. spectacle
 - d. benevolence
16. The pastor performed the _____ for the slain soldier at the graveside.
 - a. proverb
 - b. obsequies
 - c. edict
 - d. verbiage

PART TWO: SYNONYMS

Fill in the circle that corresponds to the word that is most similar in meaning to the word in capital letters.

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| 17. SUI GENERIS | 20. PORTION | 23. VESTIBULE | 26. DEPRECATE |
| a. charitable | a. whole | a. lobby | a. free |
| b. unique | b. sum | b. garment | b. condemn |
| c. greedy | c. perfidy | c. interior | c. pardon |
| d. ordinary | d. piece | d. horizon | d. lessen |
| 18. AVER | 21. INDETERMINATE | 24. PRECARIOUS | 27. TRAVESTY |
| a. avoid | a. decisive | a. fixed | a. transport |
| b. dispute | b. unavailable | b. unsteady | b. distortion |
| c. assert | c. vague | c. surefire | c. replica |
| d. argue | d. restrained | d. terminal | d. reproduce |
| 19. LITERATURE | 22. TERMINATE | 25. VERDICT | 28. IMPART |
| a. signature | a. begin | a. confusion | a. leave |
| b. writings | b. finish | b. commotion | b. keep |
| c. leisure | c. commence | c. decision | c. withhold |
| d. illumination | d. originate | d. courtroom | d. convey |

PART THREE: ANTONYMS

Fill in the circle that corresponds to the word that is most opposite in meaning to the word in capital letters.

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| 29. IMPRECATION | 32. INFIDELITY |
| a. praise | a. betrayal |
| b. implication | b. unfaithfulness |
| c. acclaim | c. loyalty |
| d. insinuation | d. persistence |
| 30. FINALE | 33. DIFFIDENT |
| a. climax | a. humiliated |
| b. beginning | b. different |
| c. finish | c. shy |
| d. faith | d. bold |
| 31. CONFINEMENT | 34. PARTNER |
| a. release | a. spouse |
| b. restriction | b. husband |
| c. detention | c. wife |
| d. limitation | d. individual |

PART FOUR: ANALOGIES

Read each analogy below. Fill in the circle that corresponds to the word that best completes the analogy.

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| 35. frog : toad :: SCISSORS : _____ | 38. arrive : depart :: VERIFY : _____ |
| a. shears | a. validate |
| b. knife | b. confirm |
| c. leg | c. falsify |
| d. swimming | d. provoke |
| 36. seat : chair :: PERFIDY : _____ | 39. story : tale :: SUICIDE : _____ |
| a. persuasiveness | a. euthanasia |
| b. perseverance | b. self-murder |
| c. disloyalty | c. victim |
| d. sincerity | d. revival |
| 37. open : closed :: LINEAR :: _____ | 40. happily : sadly :: TERMINALLY : _____ |
| a. straight | a. in the middle |
| b. plotted | b. at the end |
| c. winding | c. at the beginning |
| d. direct | d. never |