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Verb Conjugation, Tense, and Aspect On the Farm...

Reading Level 3

Directions: Read each of the following sentences. **Choose the answer that best completes each sentence**. Circle your response.



| 1. | Angus the Cow and Franky the Pighaymow. | _ Mai | rk Twain to one another in the barn's |
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| a) | was reading | b) | reading |
| c) | were reading | d) | we're reading |
| 2. | Patty the Chicken invited to the kit Farmer Brown. | chen | before she received the invitation from |
| a) | wasn't never | b) | have never been |
| c) | weren't never | d) | had never been |
| 3. | Patty the Chicken, Franky the Pig, and Shelly Brown's lowrider pickup truck. | the | Sheep on the back of Farmer |
| a) | were rapping and singing | b) | was rapping and singing |
| c) | we're rapping and singing | d) | was going to be rapping and singing |
| 4. | Nellie the Horse her fanciest shoes | at th | e hoedown later tonight. |
| a) | wore | b) | was wearing |
| c) | had been wearing | d) | will be wearing |
| 5. | Mrs. Brown was disappointed because she | | bacon for breakfast. |
| a) | want | b) | had wanted |
| c) | has wanted | d) | have wanted |
| 6. | Patty the Chicken eggs in the dogh henhouse collapsed. | ouse | ever since Farmer Brown's rickety old |
| a) | laying | b) | been laying |
| c) | has been laying | d) | done been laying |

| 7. | The ears of corn on Farmer Brown's fieldfor the annual Harvest Festival. | | ripe and ready to be picked just in time |
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| a) | is | b) | was |
| c) | were | d) | has been |
| 8. | Shelly the Sheep too cold to go o Farmer Brown. | utside | at night since she was just sheered by |
| a) | may be | b) | maybe |
| c) | may be was | d) | may be were |
| 9. | The animals that slept in the barn a solution from Farmer Brown. | cold | during the long winter nights and demanded |
| a) | was | b) | were |
| c) | we're | d) | been |
| 10. | Franky the Pig saw that Farmer Brown on his to-do list earlier that morning. | | "Carve up bacon" and "Grind hamburger" |
| a) | writes | b) | had wrote |
| c) | has wrotten | d) | had written |
| 11. | "One of the reasons that the United States of the rich top soil," said Farmer Brown. | | a great place to have a farm is because |
| a) | are | b) | am |
| c) | be | d) | is |
| 12. | Patty the Chicken gave the signal and the devise a plan. | anima | als by Nellie the Horse's trough to |
| a) | met | b) | meet |
| c) | had meeten | d) | meets |
| 13. | "W-W-We'd all get extra hay if Franky chattered the frigid Shelly the Sheep with | | |
| a) | was | b) | were |
| c) | we're | d) | was being |
| 14. | Farmer Brown's cold hands star of the barn echoed with moos of anguish. | rtling | to Angus the Cow, so much so that the halls |
| a) | were | b) | was |
| c) | we're | d) | is |

| 15. | The other animals were worried because I and licking their lips. | Mr. an | d Mrs. Brown at Patty the Chicken |
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| a) | was looking | b) | were looking |
| c) | we're looking | d) | had looked |
| 16. | Frankie the pig and Angus the Cow murderous Farmer Brown. | t | ogether on a plan to escape from the |
| a) | working | b) | are working |
| c) | is working | d) | been working |
| 17. | Farmer Brown would have found the anim them just in time. | nal's e | scape plans if Shelly the Sheep |
| a) | hasn't eat | b) | hadn't ate |
| c) | hadn't aten | d) | hadn't eaten |
| 18. | Agatha the Goose Farmer Browsteals his keys. | vn wit | h a fit of coughing while Franky the Pig |
| a) | distract | b) | distracted |
| c) | will distract | d) | had distracted |
| 19. | Shelly the Sheep behind Farme trip him when he gets up from the stool. | r Brov | wn while he is milking Angus the Cow and |
| a) | sneaked | b) | has sneaked |
| c) | is sneaking | d) | will sneak |
| 20. | After Shelly the Sheep Farmer unlock the barn door. | Brow | n, Patty the Chicken and Franky the Pig will |
| a) | trip | b) | trips |
| c) | tripped | d) | had tripped |
| 21. | After Patty the Chicken had unlocked the barn and into the house | barn o | door, Nellie the Horse out of the |
| a) | ran | b) | runs |
| c) | will run | d) | is running |
| 22. | When Nellie the Horse got into Farmer Brkitchen and knocked over the dishes. | rown's | s little house, she into his crowded |
| a) | bolts | b) | bolted |
| c) | will bolt | d) | is bolting |

| 23. | Farmer Brown Shelly the Sheep with those dreadfully noisy clippers. | a sw | eater to keep her warm after sheering her |
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| a) | could of gave | b) | could a gave |
| c) | could of given | d) | could have given |
| 24. | Angus the Cow and Frankie the Pig are go Agatha the Goose it. | ing to | attach the wagon to the tractor and then |
| a) | drove | b) | drives |
| c) | will drive | d) | had driven |
| 25. | If a goose drive a tractor before as this spectacle unfolds. | , you' | ll want to want to keep your eyes on Agatha |
| a) | you'll never saw | b) | you never seen |
| c) | you've never seen | d) | you've never saw |
| 26. | Patty the Chicken and the other chickens _ as they attempted to escape. | | eggs at Farmer Brown and Mrs. Brown |
| a) | throw | b) | threw |
| c) | are throwing | d) | will throw |
| 27. | Shelly the Sheep on wool sweat stampeded through the house. | ers in | Mrs. Brown's closet while Nellie the Horse |
| a) | was trying | b) | were trying |
| c) | will be trying | d) | we're trying |
| 28. | The animals agreed that Farmer Brown | | them better when he had the chance. |
| a) | should of treated | b) | should have treated |
| c) | should a treated | d) | should treat |
| 29. | Farmer Brown made a deal with Franky th together peacefully. | e Pig | and the rest of the animals so that they all |
| a) | had lived | b) | had been living |
| c) | could life | d) | could live |
| 30. | After seeing the defensive capabilities of t the store if I Farmer Brown. | hose a | animals, I would get my bacon and beef from |
| a) | was | b) | were |
| c) | we're | d) | was being |