

ECAT Pre Engineering MCQ's Test For English Full Book

Sr	Questions	Answers Choice
1	HE: HIS	A. I: me B. they: these C. he: him D. she: her
2	Astute:	A. Provoke B. Shrewd C. Cognizant D. Hostile
3	Pakistan is a country exports mango all over the world.	A. Who B. Which C. Whom D. That
4	Stage : Director	A. Choir : Soprano B. Judge : Lawyer C. Band : Clarinet D. Meeting : Chairman
5	The robbers broke the house and carried away all cash and jewellery with them.	A. In B. On C. Into D. After

In the early 1920's, settlers came to Alaska looking for gold. They traveled by boat to the coastal towns of Seward and Knik, and from there by land into the gold fields. The trail they used to travel inland is known today as the Iditarod Trail, one of the National Historic Trails designated by the congress of the United States. The Iditarod Trail quickly became a major thoroughfare in Alaska, as the mail and supplies were carried across this trail. People also used it to get from place to place, including the priests, ministers, and judges who had to travel between villages down this trail was via god sled.

Once the gold rush ended, many gold-seekers went back to where they had come from, and suddenly there was much less travel on the Iditarod Trail. The introduction of the airplane in the late 1920's meant dog teams were mode of transportation, of course airplane carrying the mail and supplies, there was less need for land travel in general. The final blow to the use of the dog teams was the appearance of snowmoniles.

By the mid 1960's most Alasknas didn't even know the Iditarod Trail existed, or that dos teens had played a crucial role in Alaska's early settlements. Dorothy G.Page, a self-made historian, recognized how few people knew about the former use of sled dogs as working animals and about the Iditarod Trail's role in Alaska's colorful history. To she came up with the idea to have a god sled race over the Iditarod Trail. She presented her idea to an enthusiastic musher, as dog sled drivers are known, named Joe Redington, Sr. Soon the pages and the Redintons were working together to promote the idea of the Iditarod race.

Many people worked to make the first Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race a reality in 1967. The Aurora Dog Mushers Club, along with men from the Adult Camp in Sutton, helped clear years of overgrowth from the first nine miles of the Iditarod Trail. To raise interest in the race, a \$25,000 purse was offered, with Joe Redington donating one acre of his land to help raise the funds. The short race, approximately 27 miles long, was put on a second time in 1969.

After these first two successful races, the goal was to lengthen the race a little further to the ghost town of Iditarod by 1973. However in 1972, the U.S. Army reopened the trail as a winter exercise, and so in 1973, the decision was made to take the race all the way to the city of Nome-over 1,000 miles. There were who believed it could bot be done and that it wad crazy to send a bunch out into vast, uninhabited Alaskan wilderness. But the race went! 22 mushers finished that year, and to date over 400 people have completed it.

As used in paragraph-3, the phrase "self-made historian" implies that Dorothy G. Page

A. Was employed by the state to keep its dog sled history alive B. Was determined to honor the glories of the gold rush in spite of her questionable credentials

C. Had pursued the study of Alaska's history out of her own interest

D. Had personally educated others about Alaska's history

A. Urban

B. Pastoral

C. Office D. Trade

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Bucolic:

8	His father is eighty years old, and he still runs fast	B. An C. The D. None
9	Choose Relative Pair Of Word Vise: Grips	A. Tempers: flare B. Kiln: potter C. Spout: geysers D. Calipers: measure
10	A <u>clever</u> politician will take advantages of every speaking engagement to campaign for the next election.	A. rasg B. intrepid C. crude D. shrewd
11	Upbraid	A. Hurdle B. Praise C. Downcast D. Dishevel
12	Choose correct word or phrase that is most similar to the word given EXTOL	A. To flatter B. Acknowledge C. Deprive of D. Praise E. Tax
13	Please attend what i say.	A. To B. For C. With D. Is
14	Arrogance:	A. Haughtiness B. Modest C. Servility D. Accord
15	<u>Incensed</u> by his rude behaviour, the manager suspended the worker.	A. excited B. inflamed C. enraged D. enthused
16	Amalgamate	A. resourceful B. postpone C. integrate D. segregate
17	Today, Mike and his mom are going to the library. Mike wants to find a book to read. His Mom wants to use a computer there. When they get of the library. Mike finds a book about detectives. He also finds a book with chapters about a friendly ghost. Finally, he finds a book about a man who lives in the woods without food or water. He puts the books on the front desk and waits for his mom. Mike's mom sit at one of the computers in the library. She checks er email and looks at pictures of flowers on the internet. Then she reads a news article on a website. Mike's mom leaves the computer and walks over to Mike, holding up something out for him. Mike looks at her quizzically, It takes him a moment to recognize w that movie for us to watch tonight, "says Mike's mom"Sure, "Mike says, now holding the movie out in front of him. He reads the cover while walking back to the library entrance. He puts his books and the movie on the front desk to check out. A librarian stands behind the counter holding an electronic scanner. "How long can we keep them?" Mike asks her. "Three weeks, "says the librarian. "Cool, "says Mike. Suddenly, Mike is surprised. His mother is checking out something else that is too big to put on the desk. It's a picture of the ocean. "What is that for?" Mike asks. "To put on our wall at home, "says Mike's mom.: You can do that?" Mike asks. Mike's mom smiles at the librarian. "Yes, "she says," but we have to return it in three months. "As used in paragraph 5, the phrase "check out" most nearly means	A. to see B. to rent C. find D. buy
10	Identify Error Vot is was a long hard struggle before they succeeded to produce a practical	A. A B. B C. C
18	Yet is was a long hard struggle before they succeeded to produce a practical concentration. No error	D. D E. E
19	A black sheep:	A. Stranger B. On the run C. Scoundrel D. Gentlemen

A. A

When her grandmother's health began to deteriorate in the fall of 1994, Mary would make the drive from Washington, DC to Winchester every few days.

She hated highway driving, finding it ugly and monotonous. She preferred to take meandering back roads to her grandmother's hospital. When she drove through the rocky town of Harpers Ferry, the beauty of the rough waters churning at the intersection of the Shenandoah and Potomac rivers always captivated her.

Toward the end of her journey, Mary had to get on highway 81. It was here that she discovered a surprising bit of beauty during one of her trips. Along the median of the

nignway, there was a long stretch of wildflowers. I ney were thin and delicate and purple, and swayed in the wind as if whispering poems to each other.

The first time she saw the flowers, Mary was seized by an uncontrollable urge to pull over on the highway and yank a bunch from the soil. She carried them into her grandmother's room when she arrived at the hospital and placed them in a water pitcher by her bed. For a moment her grandmother seemed more lucid than usual. She thanked Mary for the flowers, commented on their beauty and asked where she had gotten them. Mary was overjoyed by the ability of the flowers to wake something up inside her ailing grandmother.

A. "The Fall"

B. "On the Road"
C. "Wildflower Poe"

D. "Living for Tomorrow"

Afterwards, Mary began carrying scissors in the car during her trips to visit her grandmother. She would quickly glide onto the shoulder, jump out of the car, and clip a bunch of flowers. Each time Mary placed the flowers in the pitcher, her grandmother's eyes would light up and they would have a splendid conversation.

One morning in late October, Mary got a call that her grandmother had taken a turn for the worse. Mary was in such a hurry to get to her grandmother that she sped past her flower spot. She decided to turn around head several miles back, and cut a bunch. Mary arrived at the hospital to find her grandmother very weak and unresponsive. She placed flowers in the pitcher and sat down. She felt a squeeze on her fingers. It was the last conversation they had.

What other title would best fit this passage?

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