3.12-2 Word Analogies: Practice Set 2: 10-minute Pack

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Each question gives you a pair of words linked by a relationship, then a third word. Work out how the first pair of words is linked, then choose the option (A to E) that completes the second pair in exactly the same way. Only one option is correct in each question. Study the worked example below before you begin: notice how the wrong options are all around the right idea but each misses the relationship in a different way, for example the wrong level of detail, the wrong word type, or a word linked to the third word by a different and weaker connection. Work steadily through the questions in order: they start off easier and get harder as you go.

Worked example. SPRING is to SEASON as MONDAY is to ? (A) Week (B) Day (C) Tuesday (D) Calendar (E) Weekend
Answer: B) Day. Spring is one specific example within the wider category of a season; it names a type of season. Monday, in the same way, is one specific example within the wider category of a day; it names a type of day. Week is too large a unit, containing many days rather than naming the category Monday belongs to. Tuesday is another specific example of a day, not the general category itself, so it cannot complete the relationship. Calendar is the tool that lists all the days, not the category name. Weekend describes a pair of specific days, not the general category that Monday, as a weekday, belongs to.

1 HELMET is to HEAD as GOGGLES is to ?

- ☐ A) Eyes
- ☐ B) Face
- ☐ C) Nose
- ☐ D) Ears
- ☐ E) Head

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2 CATERPILLAR is to BUTTERFLY as MAGGOT is to ?

- ☐ A) Fly
- ☐ B) Butterfly
- ☐ C) Bee
- ☐ D) Wasp
- ☐ E) Beetle

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3 COMPOSER is to SYMPHONY as ARCHITECT is to ?

- [ ] A) Scaffolding
- [ ] B) Site
- [ ] C) Blueprint
- [ ] D) Building
- [ ] E) Construction

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4 WARDROBE is to CLOTHES as FRIDGE is to ?

- [ ] A) Cheese
- [ ] B) Freezer
- [ ] C) Food
- [ ] D) Shelves
- [ ] E) Kitchen

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5 WHISK is to BEAT as GRATER is to ?

- [ ] A) Chop
- [ ] B) Grate
- [ ] C) Dice
- [ ] D) Peel
- [ ] E) Mix

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6 MAN is to MEN as WOMAN is to ?

- [ ] A) Ladies
- [ ] B) Womenfolk
- [ ] C) Woman
- [ ] D) Womanhood
- [ ] E) Women

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7 FLY is to FLEW as DRAW is to ?

- [ ] A) Drawn
- [ ] B) Draws
- [ ] C) Drawing
- [ ] D) Draw
- [ ] E) Drew

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8 CAREFUL is to CAREFULLY as GENTLE is to ?

- ☐ A) Gentleness
- ☐ B) Gently
- ☐ C) Gentler
- ☐ D) Gentlest
- ☐ E) Gentle

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9 LAWYER is to CLIENT as SHOPKEEPER is to ?

- ☐ A) Customer
- ☐ B) Shop
- ☐ C) Till
- ☐ D) Goods
- ☐ E) Money

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10 COMPASS is to DIRECTION as SPEEDOMETER is to ?

- ☐ A) Distance
- ☐ B) Fuel
- ☐ C) Weight
- ☐ D) Speed
- ☐ E) Altitude

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11 FARMER is to TRACTOR as PLUMBER is to ?

- ☐ A) Pipe
- ☐ B) Sink
- ☐ C) Tap
- ☐ D) Wrench
- ☐ E) Water

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12 PRIEST is to CHURCH as VET is to ?

- [ ] A) Kennel
- [ ] B) Zoo
- [ ] C) Clinic
- [ ] D) Reserve
- [ ] E) Stable

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13 TROOP is to MONKEYS as PRIDE is to ?

- [ ] A) Tigers
- [ ] B) Lions
- [ ] C) Leopards
- [ ] D) Cheetahs
- [ ] E) Panthers

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Question 1

A) Eyes - the exact body part goggles cover, matching the head as the exact body part a helmet covers **B1**

Answer: A) Eyes

Question 2

A) Fly - the adult insect a maggot becomes, matching the butterfly a caterpillar becomes **B1**

Answer: A) Fly

Question 3

D) Building - the finished creation, matching the symphony as the composer's finished creation **B1**

Answer: D) Building

Question 4

C) Food - the general term for what a fridge holds, matching clothes as the general term for what a wardrobe holds **B1**

Answer: C) Food

Question 5

B) Grate - the defining action of a grater, matching beat as the defining action of a whisk **B1**

Answer: B) Grate

Question 6

E) Women - the irregular plural of woman, matching men as the irregular plural of man **B1**

Answer: E) Women

Question 7

E) Drew - the simple past tense of draw, matching flew as the simple past tense of fly **B1**

Answer: E) Drew

Question 8

B) Gently - the adverb formed from the adjective gentle, matching carefully formed from careful **B1**

Answer: B) Gently

Question 9

A) Customer - the person a shopkeeper serves, matching the client a lawyer works for **B1**

Answer: A) Customer

Question 10

D) Speed - the quantity a speedometer measures, matching direction as the quantity a compass shows **B1**

Answer: D) Speed

Question 11

D) Wrench - the tool a plumber holds and uses to work, matching the tractor a farmer uses **B1**

Answer: D) Wrench

Question 12

C) Clinic - the specific workplace a vet treats animals in, matching the church as the priest's specific workplace **B1**

Answer: C) Clinic

Question 13

B) Lions - the animal described by the collective noun pride, matching monkeys described by troop **B1**

Answer: B) Lions

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