3.2 Two Odd Ones Out: Test Pack

about 60 minutes

Total Marks

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In each question you are given five words. Three of the five words share something in common: they might belong to the same group, hide a smaller word inside them, follow the same spelling rule, or sound like other words. The other two words do not fit that link. Read all five words carefully, work out what links three of them, then choose the option (A to E) that names the two words which do NOT belong. Study the worked example before you begin, then work through the questions in order.

Worked example. Here are five words: LION, TIGER, HAMMER, LEOPARD, CHISEL. Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three? **Answer: HAMMER and CHISEL.** LION, TIGER and LEOPARD are all big cats, so they form the group of three. HAMMER and CHISEL are tools, not animals, so they are the two words that do not belong with the other three.

1 Here are five words:
SEVENTEEN, NINETY, TENANT, BASKET, PENCIL.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) SEVENTEEN and NINETY
- ☐ B) SEVENTEEN and TENANT
- ☐ C) NINETY and TENANT
- ☐ D) SEVENTEEN and BASKET
- ☐ E) BASKET and PENCIL

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2 Here are five words:
ATHLETICS, CYCLING, HOCKEY, LONDON, YORK.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) ATHLETICS and YORK
- ☐ B) ATHLETICS and HOCKEY
- ☐ C) HOCKEY and YORK
- ☐ D) CYCLING and LONDON
- ☐ E) LONDON and YORK

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3 Here are five words:
GALLEON, COMPASS, OSTRICH, WHINE, MOUTH.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) COMPASS and MOUTH
- ☐ B) GALLEON and MOUTH
- ☐ C) COMPASS and GALLEON
- ☐ D) GALLEON and WHINE
- ☐ E) MOUTH and WHINE

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4 Here are five words:
KNOT, GNOME, WRIST, SPOON, FORK.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) SPOON and FORK
- ☐ B) KNOT and GNOME
- ☐ C) KNOT and WRIST
- ☐ D) GNOME and WRIST
- ☐ E) KNOT and SPOON

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5 Here are five words:
MARCH, ARCHER, SHORTS, WALK, SWIM.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) ARCHER and MARCH
- ☐ B) SWIM and WALK
- ☐ C) MARCH and SHORTS
- ☐ D) ARCHER and SHORTS
- ☐ E) ARCHER and SWIM

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6 Here are five words:
CRASH, PURPLE, HISS, BLACK, ROAR.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BLACK and CRASH
- ☐ B) PURPLE and ROAR
- ☐ C) HISS and PURPLE
- ☐ D) BLACK and PURPLE
- ☐ E) HISS and ROAR

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7 Here are five words:
OTTER, PLANE, VALLEY, FOOT, POPLAR.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) PLANE and VALLEY
- ☐ B) FOOT and PLANE
- ☐ C) FOOT and OTTER
- ☐ D) OTTER and PLANE
- ☐ E) PLANE and POPLAR

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8 Here are five words:
KITE, JIGSAW, PORTUGAL, YOYO, EGYPT.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) KITE and PORTUGAL
- ☐ B) PORTUGAL and YOYO
- ☐ C) JIGSAW and KITE
- ☐ D) EGYPT and KITE
- ☐ E) EGYPT and PORTUGAL

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9 Here are five words:
LISTEN, EARTH, STOP, PENCIL, RIVER.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) LISTEN and EARTH
- ☐ B) LISTEN and STOP
- ☐ C) PENCIL and RIVER
- ☐ D) EARTH and STOP
- ☐ E) LISTEN and PENCIL

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10 Here are five words:
BUN, MUFFIN, WILLOW, SATELLITE, JUNE.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BUN and WILLOW
- ☐ B) BUN and JUNE
- ☐ C) JUNE and MUFFIN
- ☐ D) JUNE and SATELLITE
- ☐ E) MUFFIN and SATELLITE

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11 Here are five words:
FEAST, COLANDER, DINNER, SATELLITE, PARROT.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) DINNER and PARROT
- ☐ B) COLANDER and FEAST
- ☐ C) COLANDER and SATELLITE
- ☐ D) FEAST and PARROT
- ☐ E) FEAST and SATELLITE

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12 Here are five words:
BALLOON, KETTLE, BUTTON, CAMEL, TIGER.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BALLOON and KETTLE
- ☐ B) BALLOON and BUTTON
- ☐ C) KETTLE and BUTTON
- ☐ D) CAMEL and TIGER
- ☐ E) BALLOON and CAMEL

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13 Here are five words:
SPANNER, WRENCH, GEOGRAPHY, SCREWDRIVER, BACK.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BACK and GEOGRAPHY
- ☐ B) SCREWDRIVER and WRENCH
- ☐ C) BACK and WRENCH
- ☐ D) GEOGRAPHY and WRENCH
- ☐ E) GEOGRAPHY and SCREWDRIVER

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14 Here are five words:
FEAST, THUMB, POUND, MINNOW, PINK.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) FEAST and MINNOW
- ☐ B) FEAST and THUMB
- ☐ C) MINNOW and THUMB
- ☐ D) MINNOW and PINK
- ☐ E) MINNOW and POUND

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15 Here are five words:
PAINTER, TEACHER, BAKER, HAPPY, QUICKLY.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) PAINTER and TEACHER
- ☐ B) PAINTER and BAKER
- ☐ C) TEACHER and BAKER
- ☐ D) PAINTER and HAPPY
- ☐ E) HAPPY and QUICKLY

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16 Here are five words:
TUB, CROISSANT, PURSE, JUNE, PACKET.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) JUNE and PACKET
- ☐ B) CROISSANT and PACKET
- ☐ C) CROISSANT and JUNE
- ☐ D) CROISSANT and PURSE
- ☐ E) PACKET and PURSE

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17 Here are five words:
ELBOW, FOXGLOVE, SUNFLOWER, DAISY, TOE.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) ELBOW and SUNFLOWER
- ☐ B) ELBOW and FOXGLOVE
- ☐ C) DAISY and FOXGLOVE
- ☐ D) DAISY and ELBOW
- ☐ E) ELBOW and TOE

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18 Here are five words:
FINCH, CALF, ANGRY, SOCKS, BROTHER.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) ANGRY and BROTHER
- ☐ B) BROTHER and CALF
- ☐ C) ANGRY and FINCH
- ☐ D) CALF and SOCKS
- ☐ E) CALF and FINCH

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19 Here are five words:
BLUE, MINIBUS, MAROON, KITE, GNAT.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) KITE and MINIBUS
- ☐ B) GNAT and KITE
- ☐ C) BLUE and MAROON
- ☐ D) MAROON and MINIBUS
- ☐ E) GNAT and MAROON

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20 Here are five words:
GREY, SUMMER, PAPAYA, PEPPER, YARD.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) PAPAYA and SUMMER
- ☐ B) GREY and YARD
- ☐ C) GREY and PAPAYA
- ☐ D) PAPAYA and YARD
- ☐ E) GREY and SUMMER

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21 Here are five words:
HOSPITAL, MARSH, CHEERFUL, KANGAROO, SUN.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) HOSPITAL and SUN
- ☐ B) HOSPITAL and KANGAROO
- ☐ C) MARSH and SUN
- ☐ D) HOSPITAL and MARSH
- ☐ E) CHEERFUL and MARSH

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22 Here are five words:
HEART, SHOWN, SPARE, TABLE, MONEY.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) HEART and SHOWN
- ☐ B) HEART and SPARE
- ☐ C) TABLE and MONEY
- ☐ D) SHOWN and SPARE
- ☐ E) HEART and TABLE

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23 Here are five words:
YELLOW, DECEMBER, TOFFEE, PENTAGON, BUTTER.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BUTTER and PENTAGON
- ☐ B) DECEMBER and YELLOW
- ☐ C) PENTAGON and YELLOW
- ☐ D) DECEMBER and PENTAGON
- ☐ E) BUTTER and YELLOW

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24 Here are five words:
KNIGHT, WRITE, SCENT, CHAIR, PENCIL.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) KNIGHT and WRITE
- ☐ B) KNIGHT and SCENT
- ☐ C) WRITE and SCENT
- ☐ D) CHAIR and PENCIL
- ☐ E) KNIGHT and CHAIR

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25 Here are five words:
TENNIS, FOREHEAD, LIP, TOOTH, GALE.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) GALE and TENNIS
- ☐ B) GALE and TOOTH
- ☐ C) LIP and TOOTH
- ☐ D) FOREHEAD and TENNIS
- ☐ E) FOREHEAD and GALE

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26 Here are five words:
MECHANIC, GECKO, LIZARD, STEW, COBRA.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) MECHANIC and STEW
- ☐ B) GECKO and MECHANIC
- ☐ C) LIZARD and STEW
- ☐ D) COBRA and MECHANIC
- ☐ E) GECKO and LIZARD

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27 Here are five words:
ANNOUNCE, CHIN, APRON, UNCLE, HADDOCK.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) ANNOUNCE and HADDOCK
- ☐ B) CHIN and UNCLE
- ☐ C) CHIN and HADDOCK
- ☐ D) ANNOUNCE and UNCLE
- ☐ E) APRON and HADDOCK

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28 Here are five words:
EXETER, CUCUMBER, ELY, SOCKS, TRURO.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) ELY and SOCKS
- ☐ B) CUCUMBER and ELY
- ☐ C) EXETER and SOCKS
- ☐ D) CUCUMBER and SOCKS
- ☐ E) ELY and TRURO

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29 Here are five words:
WALES, AUSTRALIA, MEXICO, BALLOON, PLANE.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) MEXICO and PLANE
- ☐ B) MEXICO and WALES
- ☐ C) BALLOON and MEXICO
- ☐ D) PLANE and WALES
- ☐ E) BALLOON and PLANE

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30 Here are five words:
RAIN, VIOLIN, CHEERFUL, SLEET, SNOW.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) CHEERFUL and VIOLIN
- ☐ B) CHEERFUL and SNOW
- ☐ C) CHEERFUL and RAIN
- ☐ D) RAIN and SLEET
- ☐ E) RAIN and VIOLIN

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31 Here are five words:
PHARMACY, GRANDAD, SON, JEWELLER, GRANDMA.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) GRANDAD and PHARMACY
- ☐ B) GRANDAD and GRANDMA
- ☐ C) GRANDAD and JEWELLER
- ☐ D) JEWELLER and PHARMACY
- ☐ E) PHARMACY and SON

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32 Here are five words:
SCOTLAND, CONE, CARDIGAN, PARSNIP, BAGPIPES.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BAGPIPES and PARSNIP
- ☐ B) PARSNIP and SCOTLAND
- ☐ C) BAGPIPES and CARDIGAN
- ☐ D) CONE and PARSNIP
- ☐ E) CARDIGAN and PARSNIP

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33 Here are five words:
WHINE, SPRUCE, RUGBY, BUS, SOUTH.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BUS and SPRUCE
- ☐ B) BUS and WHINE
- ☐ C) RUGBY and WHINE
- ☐ D) SPRUCE and WHINE
- ☐ E) RUGBY and SPRUCE

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34 Here are five words:
ZEBRA, EXCITED, IRELAND, SUNFLOWER, ACTOR.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) IRELAND and SUNFLOWER
- ☐ B) SUNFLOWER and ZEBRA
- ☐ C) ACTOR and SUNFLOWER
- ☐ D) ACTOR and IRELAND
- ☐ E) ACTOR and ZEBRA

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35 Here are five words:
AUTUMN, SPRING, BAG, TIN, SUMMER.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BAG and TIN
- ☐ B) BAG and SPRING
- ☐ C) AUTUMN and TIN
- ☐ D) SUMMER and TIN
- ☐ E) AUTUMN and SUMMER

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36 Here are five words:
CANYON, DESERT, FIR, PINE, HAZEL.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) CANYON and HAZEL
- ☐ B) CANYON and FIR
- ☐ C) CANYON and DESERT
- ☐ D) FIR and PINE
- ☐ E) DESERT and FIR

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37 Here are five words:
CAULIFLOWER, TRAM, PEA, BUS, BICYCLE.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BICYCLE and BUS
- ☐ B) CAULIFLOWER and PEA
- ☐ C) BICYCLE and CAULIFLOWER
- ☐ D) PEA and TRAM
- ☐ E) CAULIFLOWER and TRAM

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38 Here are five words:
MONK, JANUARY, FATHER, BICYCLE, CLATTER.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) CLATTER and JANUARY
- ☐ B) FATHER and JANUARY
- ☐ C) FATHER and MONK
- ☐ D) CLATTER and FATHER
- ☐ E) JANUARY and MONK

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39 Here are five words:
GRANDMA, PLAIN, STAR, CRATE, TWEED.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) CRATE and GRANDMA
- ☐ B) PLAIN and TWEED
- ☐ C) PLAIN and STAR
- ☐ D) CRATE and STAR
- ☐ E) GRANDMA and STAR

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40 Here are five words:
THUNDER, ORANGE, HEEL, CHEETAH, CHERRY.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) CHEETAH and CHERRY
- ☐ B) HEEL and ORANGE
- ☐ C) CHEETAH and THUNDER
- ☐ D) ORANGE and THUNDER
- ☐ E) CHEETAH and ORANGE

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41 Here are five words:
BUILDER, OBOE, SAXOPHONE, VIOLIN, BROWN.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BROWN and OBOE
- ☐ B) OBOE and VIOLIN
- ☐ C) BROWN and VIOLIN
- ☐ D) BROWN and SAXOPHONE
- ☐ E) BROWN and BUILDER

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42 Here are five words:
GNAT, TROUSERS, BLOUSE, LORRY, COAT.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) GNAT and TROUSERS
- ☐ B) COAT and LORRY
- ☐ C) BLOUSE and GNAT
- ☐ D) GNAT and LORRY
- ☐ E) BLOUSE and TROUSERS

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43 Here are five words:
BAT, PICNIC, LUNCH, SUPPER, LILY.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BAT and SUPPER
- ☐ B) LUNCH and SUPPER
- ☐ C) LILY and PICNIC
- ☐ D) BAT and LILY
- ☐ E) LILY and LUNCH

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44 Here are five words:
WHITE, CRIMSON, GREEN, PLIERS, POLAND.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) GREEN and PLIERS
- ☐ B) PLIERS and WHITE
- ☐ C) CRIMSON and PLIERS
- ☐ D) GREEN and WHITE
- ☐ E) PLIERS and POLAND

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45 Here are five words:
CAVE, LADLE, HULL, TWENTY, LEGO.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) HULL and LEGO
- ☐ B) LEGO and TWENTY
- ☐ C) CAVE and LADLE
- ☐ D) LADLE and TWENTY
- ☐ E) LADLE and LEGO

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46 Here are five words:
BRISTOL, DERBY, BALLET, LEICESTER, NERVOUS.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BALLET and BRISTOL
- ☐ B) LEICESTER and NERVOUS
- ☐ C) BALLET and NERVOUS
- ☐ D) BALLET and LEICESTER
- ☐ E) BRISTOL and LEICESTER

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47 Here are five words:
RATTLE, POACH, SCOTLAND, HEEL, MAROON.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) HEEL and SCOTLAND
- ☐ B) MAROON and SCOTLAND
- ☐ C) POACH and SCOTLAND
- ☐ D) MAROON and POACH
- ☐ E) HEEL and RATTLE

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48 Here are five words:
CALF, TIGER, STORM, GREEN, ARMOUR.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) CALF and STORM
- ☐ B) GREEN and STORM
- ☐ C) ARMOUR and STORM
- ☐ D) ARMOUR and CALF
- ☐ E) ARMOUR and GREEN

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49 Here are five words:
SCARLET, BEIGE, BUS, TAXI, CAR.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BUS and SCARLET
- ☐ B) CAR and TAXI
- ☐ C) CAR and SCARLET
- ☐ D) SCARLET and TAXI
- ☐ E) BEIGE and SCARLET

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50 Here are five words:
GOAT, WINDMILL, TURKEY, CANYON, DUCK.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) CANYON and WINDMILL
- ☐ B) DUCK and WINDMILL
- ☐ C) DUCK and TURKEY
- ☐ D) TURKEY and WINDMILL
- ☐ E) GOAT and WINDMILL

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51 Here are five words:
SHORTS, COAT, JACKET, APRIL, RIVER.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) JACKET and SHORTS
- ☐ B) APRIL and SHORTS
- ☐ C) APRIL and RIVER
- ☐ D) COAT and RIVER
- ☐ E) RIVER and SHORTS

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52 Here are five words:
CHORD, KANGAROO, BRASS, AIRSHIP, DEER.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BRASS and DEER
- ☐ B) AIRSHIP and CHORD
- ☐ C) BRASS and CHORD
- ☐ D) AIRSHIP and KANGAROO
- ☐ E) CHORD and DEER

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53 Here are five words:
SHORTS, MARIGOLD, LAWYER, PINE, VELVET.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) LAWYER and PINE
- ☐ B) LAWYER and SHORTS
- ☐ C) PINE and SHORTS
- ☐ D) MARIGOLD and PINE
- ☐ E) LAWYER and MARIGOLD

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54 Here are five words:
SPOT, TUNA, LAWN, HERRING, SCALE.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) LAWN and TUNA
- ☐ B) HERRING and SCALE
- ☐ C) LAWN and SCALE
- ☐ D) HERRING and LAWN
- ☐ E) HERRING and TUNA

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55 Here are five words:
JELLY, POACH, TUNA, ESSAY, TURQUOISE.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) TUNA and TURQUOISE
- ☐ B) ESSAY and POACH
- ☐ C) JELLY and TUNA
- ☐ D) ESSAY and TURQUOISE
- ☐ E) JELLY and TURQUOISE

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56 Here are five words:
PRONOUN, MONKEY, FALCON, IGUANA, HOP.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) HOP and MONKEY
- ☐ B) HOP and PRONOUN
- ☐ C) IGUANA and PRONOUN
- ☐ D) FALCON and IGUANA
- ☐ E) HOP and IGUANA

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57 Here are five words:
MILE, MEXICO, SWEDEN, TONNE, WALES.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) MEXICO and SWEDEN
- ☐ B) MILE and TONNE
- ☐ C) MILE and WALES
- ☐ D) SWEDEN and TONNE
- ☐ E) MILE and SWEDEN

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58 Here are five words:
DRUM, PLANE, TROWEL, SCOOTER, DRILL.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) DRILL and SCOOTER
- ☐ B) DRUM and PLANE
- ☐ C) DRILL and TROWEL
- ☐ D) SCOOTER and TROWEL
- ☐ E) DRUM and SCOOTER

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59 Here are five words:
BEACH, MOUNTAIN, METEOR, SPAIN, GLACIER.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BEACH and SPAIN
- ☐ B) GLACIER and METEOR
- ☐ C) MOUNTAIN and SPAIN
- ☐ D) BEACH and MOUNTAIN
- ☐ E) METEOR and SPAIN

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60 Here are five words:
OWL, ARMOUR, VELVET, LETTER, LAMB.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) ARMOUR and LETTER
- ☐ B) LETTER and OWL
- ☐ C) LAMB and LETTER
- ☐ D) LAMB and OWL
- ☐ E) LAMB and VELVET

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61 Here are five words:
TIN, TABLE, PEAR, BRASS, BRONZE.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BRONZE and PEAR
- ☐ B) PEAR and TIN
- ☐ C) BRASS and BRONZE
- ☐ D) BRASS and TABLE
- ☐ E) PEAR and TABLE

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62 Here are five words:
WHALE, DOLPHIN, SPIDER, SHARK, ANT.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) SPIDER and ANT
- ☐ B) WHALE and DOLPHIN
- ☐ C) WHALE and SHARK
- ☐ D) DOLPHIN and SHARK
- ☐ E) WHALE and SPIDER

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63 Here are five words:
BUILDER, RADISH, CAPE, GLANCE, ADVERB.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) BUILDER and CAPE
- ☐ B) GLANCE and RADISH
- ☐ C) ADVERB and CAPE
- ☐ D) CAPE and GLANCE
- ☐ E) BUILDER and GLANCE

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64 Here are five words:
SKULL, TUNA, TREASURE, ANCHOR, APRICOT.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) SKULL and TUNA
- ☐ B) ANCHOR and TREASURE
- ☐ C) APRICOT and TUNA
- ☐ D) ANCHOR and APRICOT
- ☐ E) APRICOT and SKULL

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65 Here are five words:
LIQUORICE, MINT, CANDY, MONK, CASTLE.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) CANDY and MONK
- ☐ B) LIQUORICE and MINT
- ☐ C) CASTLE and MONK
- ☐ D) CASTLE and MINT
- ☐ E) CASTLE and LIQUORICE

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66 Here are five words:
DIARY, TUNE, WILLOW, GREECE, GRILL.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) GREECE and WILLOW
- ☐ B) GRILL and TUNE
- ☐ C) DIARY and TUNE
- ☐ D) DIARY and GRILL
- ☐ E) TUNE and WILLOW

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67 Here are five words:
VERB, PINT, SILK, POUND, TROUT.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) TROUT and VERB
- ☐ B) SILK and VERB
- ☐ C) SILK and TROUT
- ☐ D) POUND and SILK
- ☐ E) POUND and TROUT

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68 Here are five words:
RED, SATIN, TURQUOISE, BROWN, KILOMETRE.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) KILOMETRE and TURQUOISE
- ☐ B) BROWN and RED
- ☐ C) KILOMETRE and SATIN
- ☐ D) SATIN and TURQUOISE
- ☐ E) KILOMETRE and RED

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69 Here are five words:
CABINET, TEACHER, FERRY, OCTAGON, DRIVER.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) DRIVER and TEACHER
- ☐ B) CABINET and FERRY
- ☐ C) CABINET and OCTAGON
- ☐ D) CABINET and DRIVER
- ☐ E) DRIVER and FERRY

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70 Here are five words:
DOG, CAT, TABLE, RABBIT, CHAIR.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) TABLE and CHAIR
- ☐ B) DOG and CAT
- ☐ C) DOG and RABBIT
- ☐ D) CAT and RABBIT
- ☐ E) DOG and TABLE

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71 Here are five words:
TRUMPET, DRUM, HAMMER, VIOLIN, SPANNER.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) TRUMPET and DRUM
- ☐ B) TRUMPET and VIOLIN
- ☐ C) DRUM and VIOLIN
- ☐ D) TRUMPET and HAMMER
- ☐ E) HAMMER and SPANNER

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72 Here are five words:
TIE, LOAD, PACK, CARRY, LIFT.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) CARRY and LIFT
- ☐ B) TIE and LOAD
- ☐ C) PACK and LIFT
- ☐ D) LOAD and PACK
- ☐ E) LOAD and CARRY

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73 Here are five words:
NIGHT, SIGHT, FRIGHT, EIGHT, FREIGHT.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) NIGHT and SIGHT
- ☐ B) EIGHT and FREIGHT
- ☐ C) NIGHT and FRIGHT
- ☐ D) SIGHT and FRIGHT
- ☐ E) NIGHT and EIGHT

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74 Here are five words:
STAPLE, PASTEL, PETALS, PLANET, TABLES.
Three of these five words share something in common. Which TWO words do NOT belong with the other three?

- ☐ A) STAPLE and PASTEL
- ☐ B) STAPLE and PETALS
- ☐ C) PASTEL and PETALS
- ☐ D) STAPLE and PLANET
- ☐ E) PLANET and TABLES

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Question 1

E) BASKET and PENCIL - BASKET and PENCIL do not begin with a hidden number, whereas SEVENTEEN, NINETY and TENANT all begin with a hidden number (SEVEN, NINE, TEN). **B1**

Answer: E) BASKET and PENCIL

Question 2

E) LONDON and YORK - LONDON and YORK do not fit; ATHLETICS, CYCLING, HOCKEY are all sports **B1**

Answer: E) LONDON and YORK

Question 3

E) MOUTH and WHINE - MOUTH and WHINE do not fit; COMPASS, GALLEON, OSTRICH all have 7 letters **B1**

Answer: E) MOUTH and WHINE

Question 4

A) SPOON and FORK - SPOON and FORK have no silent first letter, whereas KNOT, GNOME and WRIST each start with a silent letter (K, G, W). **B1**

Answer: A) SPOON and FORK

Question 5

D) ARCHER and SHORTS - ARCHER and SHORTS do not fit; MARCH, SWIM, WALK are all ways of moving **B1**

Answer: D) ARCHER and SHORTS

Question 6

D) BLACK and PURPLE - BLACK and PURPLE do not fit; CRASH, HISS, ROAR are all kinds of sound **B1**

Answer: D) BLACK and PURPLE

Question 7

E) PLANE and POPLAR - PLANE and POPLAR do not fit; FOOT, OTTER, VALLEY all contain a double letter **B1**

Answer: E) PLANE and POPLAR

Question 8

E) EGYPT and PORTUGAL - EGYPT and PORTUGAL do not fit; JIGSAW, KITE, YOYO are all toys and games **B1**

Answer: E) EGYPT and PORTUGAL

Question 9

C) PENCIL and RIVER - PENCIL and RIVER are not anagrams of another common word, whereas LISTEN, EARTH and STOP are each an anagram of another common word (SILENT, HEART, POTS/TOPS/SPOT). **B1**

Answer: C) PENCIL and RIVER

Question 10

B) BUN and JUNE - BUN and JUNE do not fit; MUFFIN, SATELLITE, WILLOW all contain a double letter **B1**

Answer: B) BUN and JUNE

Question 11

B) COLANDER and FEAST - COLANDER and FEAST do not fit; DINNER, PARROT, SATELLITE all contain a double letter **B1**

Answer: B) COLANDER and FEAST

Question 12

D) CAMEL and TIGER - CAMEL and TIGER have no double letter, whereas BALLOON, KETTLE and BUTTON each contain a double letter (LL, TT, TT). **B1**

Answer: D) CAMEL and TIGER

Question 13

A) BACK and GEOGRAPHY - BACK and GEOGRAPHY do not fit; SCREWDRIVER, SPANNER, WRENCH are all tools **B1**

Answer: A) BACK and GEOGRAPHY

Question 14

D) MINNOW and PINK - MINNOW and PINK do not fit; FEAST, POUND, THUMB all have 5 letters **B1**

Answer: D) MINNOW and PINK

Question 15

E) HAPPY and QUICKLY - HAPPY is an adjective and QUICKLY is an adverb, not job nouns, whereas PAINTER, TEACHER and BAKER are all nouns naming a person's job. **B1**

Answer: E) HAPPY and QUICKLY

Question 16

C) CROISSANT and JUNE - CROISSANT and JUNE do not fit; PACKET, PURSE, TUB are all containers **B1**

Answer: C) CROISSANT and JUNE

Question 17

E) ELBOW and TOE - ELBOW and TOE do not fit; DAISY, FOXGLOVE, SUNFLOWER are all flowers **B1**

Answer: E) ELBOW and TOE

Question 18

B) BROTHER and CALF - BROTHER and CALF do not fit; ANGRY, FINCH, SOCKS all have 5 letters **B1**

Answer: B) BROTHER and CALF

Question 19

D) MAROON and MINIBUS - MAROON and MINIBUS do not fit; BLUE, GNAT, KITE all have 4 letters **B1**

Answer: D) MAROON and MINIBUS

Question 20

B) GREY and YARD - GREY and YARD do not fit; PAPAYA, PEPPER, SUMMER all have 6 letters **B1**

Answer: B) GREY and YARD

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Question 21

C) MARSH and SUN - MARSH and SUN do not fit; CHEERFUL, HOSPITAL, KANGAROO all have 8 letters **B1**

Answer: C) MARSH and SUN

Question 22

C) TABLE and MONEY - Removing the last letter from TABLE or MONEY gives no real word (TABL, MONE), whereas Removing the last letter from HEART, SHOWN and SPARE gives a real word (HEAR, SHOW, SPAR). **B1**

Answer: C) TABLE and MONEY

Question 23

D) DECEMBER and PENTAGON - DECEMBER and PENTAGON do not fit; BUTTER, TOFFEE, YELLOW all contain a double letter **B1**

Answer: D) DECEMBER and PENTAGON

Question 24

D) CHAIR and PENCIL - CHAIR and PENCIL have no homophone partner, whereas KNIGHT, WRITE and SCENT are each a homophone of another word (NIGHT, RIGHT, CENT/SENT). **B1**

Answer: D) CHAIR and PENCIL

Question 25

A) GALE and TENNIS - GALE and TENNIS do not fit; FOREHEAD, LIP, TOOTH are all parts of the face **B1**

Answer: A) GALE and TENNIS

Question 26

A) MECHANIC and STEW - MECHANIC and STEW do not fit; COBRA, GECKO, LIZARD are all reptiles **B1**

Answer: A) MECHANIC and STEW

Question 27

C) CHIN and HADDOCK - CHIN and HADDOCK do not fit; ANNOUNCE, APRON, UNCLE all begin with a vowel **B1**

Answer: C) CHIN and HADDOCK

Question 28

D) CUCUMBER and SOCKS - CUCUMBER and SOCKS do not fit; ELY, EXETER, TRURO are all UK cities **B1**

Answer: D) CUCUMBER and SOCKS

Question 29

E) BALLOON and PLANE - BALLOON and PLANE do not fit; AUSTRALIA, MEXICO, WALES are all countries **B1**

Answer: E) BALLOON and PLANE

Question 30

A) CHEERFUL and VIOLIN - CHEERFUL and VIOLIN do not fit; RAIN, SLEET, SNOW are all types of weather **B1**

Answer: A) CHEERFUL and VIOLIN

Question 31

D) JEWELLER and PHARMACY - JEWELLER and PHARMACY do not fit; GRANDAD, GRANDMA, SON are all family members **B1**

Answer: D) JEWELLER and PHARMACY

Question 32

D) CONE and PARSNIP - CONE and PARSNIP do not fit; BAGPIPES, CARDIGAN, SCOTLAND all have 8 letters **B1**

Answer: D) CONE and PARSNIP

Question 33

A) BUS and SPRUCE - BUS and SPRUCE do not fit; RUGBY, SOUTH, WHINE all have 5 letters **B1**

Answer: A) BUS and SPRUCE

Question 34

B) SUNFLOWER and ZEBRA - SUNFLOWER and ZEBRA do not fit; ACTOR, EXCITED, IRELAND all begin with a vowel **B1**

Answer: B) SUNFLOWER and ZEBRA

Question 35

A) BAG and TIN - BAG and TIN do not fit; AUTUMN, SPRING, SUMMER are all seasons **B1**

Answer: A) BAG and TIN

Question 36

C) CANYON and DESERT - CANYON and DESERT do not fit; FIR, HAZEL, PINE are all trees **B1**

Answer: C) CANYON and DESERT

Question 37

B) CAULIFLOWER and PEA - CAULIFLOWER and PEA do not fit; BICYCLE, BUS, TRAM are all road and rail vehicles **B1**

Answer: B) CAULIFLOWER and PEA

Question 38

C) FATHER and MONK - FATHER and MONK do not fit; BICYCLE, CLATTER, JANUARY all have 7 letters **B1**

Answer: C) FATHER and MONK

Question 39

E) GRANDMA and STAR - GRANDMA and STAR do not fit; CRATE, PLAIN, TWEED all have 5 letters **B1**

Answer: E) GRANDMA and STAR

Question 40

D) ORANGE and THUNDER - ORANGE and THUNDER do not fit; CHEETAH, CHERRY, HEEL all contain a double letter **B1**

Answer: D) ORANGE and THUNDER

Question 41

E) BROWN and BUILDER - BROWN and BUILDER do not fit; OBOE, SAXOPHONE, VIOLIN are all musical instruments **B1**

Answer: E) BROWN and BUILDER

Question 42

D) GNAT and LORRY - GNAT and LORRY do not fit; BLOUSE, COAT, TROUSERS are all clothes **B1**

Answer: D) GNAT and LORRY

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Question 43

D) BAT and LILY - BAT and LILY do not fit; LUNCH, PICNIC, SUPPER are all meals **B1**

Answer: D) BAT and LILY

Question 44

E) PLIERS and POLAND - PLIERS and POLAND do not fit; CRIMSON, GREEN, WHITE are all colours **B1**

Answer: E) PLIERS and POLAND

Question 45

D) LADLE and TWENTY - LADLE and TWENTY do not fit; CAVE, HULL, LEGO all have 4 letters **B1**

Answer: D) LADLE and TWENTY

Question 46

C) BALLET and NERVOUS - BALLET and NERVOUS do not fit; BRISTOL, DERBY, LEICESTER are all UK cities **B1**

Answer: C) BALLET and NERVOUS

Question 47

C) POACH and SCOTLAND - POACH and SCOTLAND do not fit; HEEL, MAROON, RATTLE all contain a double letter **B1**

Answer: C) POACH and SCOTLAND

Question 48

D) ARMOUR and CALF - ARMOUR and CALF do not fit; GREEN, STORM, TIGER all have 5 letters **B1**

Answer: D) ARMOUR and CALF

Question 49

E) BEIGE and SCARLET - BEIGE and SCARLET do not fit; BUS, CAR, TAXI are all road and rail vehicles **B1**

Answer: E) BEIGE and SCARLET

Question 50

A) CANYON and WINDMILL - CANYON and WINDMILL do not fit; DUCK, GOAT, TURKEY are all farm animals **B1**

Answer: A) CANYON and WINDMILL

Question 51

C) APRIL and RIVER - APRIL and RIVER do not fit; COAT, JACKET, SHORTS are all clothes **B1**

Answer: C) APRIL and RIVER

Question 52

B) AIRSHIP and CHORD - AIRSHIP and CHORD do not fit; BRASS, DEER, KANGAROO all contain a double letter **B1**

Answer: B) AIRSHIP and CHORD

Question 53

D) MARIGOLD and PINE - MARIGOLD and PINE do not fit; LAWYER, SHORTS, VELVET all have 6 letters **B1**

Answer: D) MARIGOLD and PINE

Question 54

B) HERRING and SCALE - HERRING and SCALE do not fit; LAWN, SPOT, TUNA all have 4 letters **B1**

Answer: B) HERRING and SCALE

Question 55

A) TUNA and TURQUOISE - TUNA and TURQUOISE do not fit; ESSAY, JELLY, POACH all have 5 letters **B1**

Answer: A) TUNA and TURQUOISE

Question 56

B) HOP and PRONOUN - HOP and PRONOUN do not fit; FALCON, IGUANA, MONKEY all have 6 letters **B1**

Answer: B) HOP and PRONOUN

Question 57

B) MILE and TONNE - MILE and TONNE do not fit; MEXICO, SWEDEN, WALES are all countries **B1**

Answer: B) MILE and TONNE

Question 58

E) DRUM and SCOOTER - DRUM and SCOOTER do not fit; DRILL, PLANE, TROWEL are all tools **B1**

Answer: E) DRUM and SCOOTER

Question 59

E) METEOR and SPAIN - METEOR and SPAIN do not fit; BEACH, GLACIER, MOUNTAIN are all landforms **B1**

Answer: E) METEOR and SPAIN

Question 60

D) LAMB and OWL - LAMB and OWL do not fit; ARMOUR, LETTER, VELVET all have 6 letters **B1**

Answer: D) LAMB and OWL

Question 61

E) PEAR and TABLE - PEAR and TABLE do not fit; BRASS, BRONZE, TIN are all metals **B1**

Answer: E) PEAR and TABLE

Question 62

A) SPIDER and ANT - SPIDER and ANT are land minibeasts, whereas WHALE, DOLPHIN and SHARK all live in the sea. **B1**

Answer: A) SPIDER and ANT

Question 63

A) BUILDER and CAPE - BUILDER and CAPE do not fit; ADVERB, GLANCE, RADISH all have 6 letters **B1**

Answer: A) BUILDER and CAPE

Question 64

C) APRICOT and TUNA - APRICOT and TUNA do not fit; ANCHOR, SKULL, TREASURE are all things linked to pirates **B1**

Answer: C) APRICOT and TUNA

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Question 65

C) CASTLE and MONK - CASTLE and MONK do not fit; CANDY, LIQUORICE, MINT are all sweets **B1**

Answer: C) CASTLE and MONK

Question 66

C) DIARY and TUNE - DIARY and TUNE do not fit; GREECE, GRILL, WILLOW all contain a double letter **B1**

Answer: C) DIARY and TUNE

Question 67

E) POUND and TROUT - POUND and TROUT do not fit; PINT, SILK, VERB all have 4 letters **B1**

Answer: E) POUND and TROUT

Question 68

C) KILOMETRE and SATIN - KILOMETRE and SATIN do not fit; BROWN, RED, TURQUOISE are all colours **B1**

Answer: C) KILOMETRE and SATIN

Question 69

E) DRIVER and FERRY - DRIVER and FERRY do not fit; CABINET, OCTAGON, TEACHER all have 7 letters **B1**

Answer: E) DRIVER and FERRY

Question 70

A) TABLE and CHAIR - TABLE and CHAIR are pieces of furniture, whereas DOG, CAT and RABBIT are all animals. **B1**

Answer: A) TABLE and CHAIR

Question 71

E) HAMMER and SPANNER - HAMMER and SPANNER are tools, whereas TRUMPET, DRUM and VIOLIN are all musical instruments. **B1**

Answer: E) HAMMER and SPANNER

Question 72

A) CARRY and LIFT - Adding UN- to CARRY or LIFT does not make a real word, whereas Adding UN- to TIE, LOAD and PACK makes a real word (UNTIE, UNLOAD, UNPACK). **B1**

Answer: A) CARRY and LIFT

Question 73

B) EIGHT and FREIGHT - EIGHT and FREIGHT are spelled similarly but rhyme with 'gate', not with NIGHT, whereas NIGHT, SIGHT and FRIGHT genuinely rhyme with each other. **B1**

Answer: B) EIGHT and FREIGHT

Question 74

E) PLANET and TABLES - PLANET and TABLES use a different set of letters, so they are not part of that anagram set, whereas STAPLE, PASTEL and PETALS are all anagrams of each other (same letters A, E, L, P, S, T). **B1**

Answer: E) PLANET and TABLES

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