

Name _____

Subject-Verb Agreement Quiz

Directions: Circle the correct verb in the following sentences.

1. All of the students who took Dave's math Class _____ passed.

- ☐ has
- ☐ have

2. The area _____ dangerous.

- ☐ was
- ☐ were

3. There _____ my Friend.

- ☐ go
- ☐ goes

4. Here _____ some new students.

- ☐ are
- ☐ is

5. There _____ a lovely person over there.

- ☐ are
- ☐ is

6. _____ you in love?

- ☐ Are
- ☐ Is

7. Dave always _____ nice shoes.

- ☐ wear
- ☐ wears

8. Benjamin _____ funny

- ☐ is
- ☐ are

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1. The rhythm of the pounding waves **is / are** calming.
 2. All of the dogs in the neighborhood **were / was** barking.
 3. A high tax, not to mention unemployment, **influence / influences** votes.
 4. My friends and my mother **like / likes** each other.
 5. The team and the band **was / were** on the field.
 6. Building a good marriage and building a good log fire **is / are** similar in many ways.
 7. John or Doris **write / writes** to us regularly.
 8. Neither Carol nor Ted **is / are** excluded from the meeting.
 9. Either Patty or Tom **was / were** asked to lead the meeting.
 10. Neither the basket nor the apples **was / were** expensive.
 11. Neither the apples nor the basket **was / were** expensive
 12. Either Maria or you **was / were** late for class.
 13. Either you or Maria **was / were** late for class.
 14. Hardest hit by the high temperatures and the drought **was / were** the farmers.
 15. Neither of them **like / likes** going to the show.
 16. Each of them **has / have** a good seat.
 17. Everybody in the class **has / have** tickets.
 18. Every silver knife, fork, and spoon **has / have** to be counted.
 19. Each cat and each dog **has / have** its own toy.
 20. The committee **is / are** meeting today.
 21. Ten million gallons of oil **is / are** a lot of oil.
 22. The jury **vote / votes** today.
 23. The number **is / are** very small.
 24. A number of students **was / were** absent.
 25. Ten million gallons of oil **was / were** spilled.
 26. The majority of us **is / are** in favor.
 27. Statistics **is / are** an interesting subject.
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Instructions: For each question, choose the single best answer.

1. My best friend lives _____ Boretz Road.

- ☐ a. in
- ☐ b. on
- ☐ c. at

2. I'll be ready to leave _____ about twenty minutes.

- ☐ a. in
- ☐ b. on
- ☐ c. at

3. Since he met his new girlfriend, Juan never seems to be _____ home.

- ☐ a. on
- ☐ b. in
- ☐ c. at

4. The child responded to his mother's demands _____ throwing a tantrum.

- ☐ a. with
- ☐ b. by
- ☐ c. from

5. I think she spent the entire afternoon _____ the phone.

- ☐ a. on
- ☐ b. in
- ☐ c. at

6. I will wait _____ 6:30, but then I'm going home.

- ☐ a. from
- ☐ b. at
- ☐ c. until

7. The police caught the thief _____ the corner of Cascade and Plum Streets.

- ☐ a. in
- ☐ b. at
- ☐ c. from

8. My fingers were injured so my sister had to write the note _____ me.

- ☐ a. for
- ☐ b. with
- ☐ c. to

9. I am not interested _____ buying a new car now.

- ☐ a. to
- ☐ b. for
- ☐ c. in

10. What are the main ingredients _____ this casserole?

- ☐ a. about
- ☐ b. to
- ☐ c. of

11. My best friend, John, is named _____ his great-grandfather.

- ☐ a. after
- ☐ b. to
- ☐ c. about

12. Grandpa stayed up _____ two in the morning.

- ☐ a. since
- ☐ b. for
- ☐ c. until

13. My parents have been married _____ forty-nine years.

- ☐ a. since
- ☐ b. for
- ☐ c. until

14. He usually travels to Philadelphia _____ train.

- ☐ a. by
- ☐ b. at
- ☐ c. with

15. You frequently see this kind of violence _____ television.

- ☐ a. with
- ☐ b. in
- ☐ c. on

16. I told Mom we'd be home _____ an hour or so.

- ☐ a. to
- ☐ b. in
- ☐ c. at

17. I was visiting my best friend _____ the hospital.

- ☐ a. of
- ☐ b. at
- ☐ c. in