

MegaGoal Book 5 Unit 1: Two Is Better Than One

Vocabulary

Question type: Fill in the Blank

Complete each sentence with a word from the box.

compensate	fled	invaluable	predators
devoted	grieving	legendary	unification

1. Lions are thought to be one of the most dangerous _____ on Earth.
2. People who are _____ the death of a loved one often isolate themselves from friends and family.
3. To _____ for their poor eyesight, zebras have excellent hearing.
4. The American Civil War resulted in the _____ of the southern and northern states.
5. Paintings by Monet, the famous impressionist are _____. They cannot be replaced.
6. The robbers _____ from the scene of the crime.
7. The twin sisters are _____ to each other. They share everything and support each other.
8. Ayrton Senna is a _____ Formula 1 driver who won three world championships in the 1980s and 1990s. He was one of the most famous and popular race drivers in the world.

Grammar

Complete each sentence with *other*, *others*, or *another*.

9. Can I have _____ glass? This one is broken.

10. These are sugar cookies, and the _____ are chocolate chip.

11. Could you give me the _____ bowl? This one is too small.

12. This is the best chair we have. The _____ are not as comfortable.

Question type: Short Answer

Rewrite each sentence. Add *do*, *does*, or *did* for emphasis.

13. I like to go to the beach in the summer.

14. We enjoyed the film yesterday evening.

15. He drives fast in his new car.

Reading

Question type: Multiple Choice

Read the text and answer the questions. Choose the best answer to each question.

Honeybees and Flowers



Honeybees and flowers are two species that share a symbiotic relationship. The honeybee helps the flower and the flower helps the honeybee. How does this relationship work?

Honeybees eat the nectar (sugary water), and pollen (yellow protein powder) that are made by flowers. Honeybees need the pollen to survive and grow. Since flowers bloom in the springtime, this

is the season that most bees are born. Honeybees use the nectar from flowers to make honey. Honeybees store their honey in their hive, or home. When there is no nectar available, bees eat the stored up honey in their hive.

In turn, flowers need honeybees too. In order to survive, flowers need to spread their pollen. When flower pollen is spread to another flower, the new flower can make seeds, or baby plants. This is called pollination. When honeybees eat the pollen from a flower, they often get pollen on their bodies. Then when they move to the next flower, some of that pollen falls off, and the new flower has been pollinated. Because flowers need honeybees, they come in bright colors and have a sweet smell, which attract the honeybees.

The relationship between honeybees and flowers is a good example of symbiosis. Neither can survive without the other.

16. How do flowers attract bees?

- A. They grow near hives.
- B. They are colorful and have a sweet smell.
- C. They make a special sound.
- D. They shoot pollen into the air.

17. In symbiosis, one species cannot survive without the _____.

- A. other
- B. others
- C. another
- D. an other

18. Honeybees and flowers share a _____ relationship.

- A. symbolism
- B. symbolic
- C. symbiotic
- D. symbiosis

19. What is *nectar*?

- A. a food that bees need to survive
- B. colorful flower petals

- C. a yellow protein powder made by flowers
- D. a sugary water made by flowers

20. What is *pollination*?

- A. the making of pollen
- B. the spreading of pollen from one flower to another
- C. the collecting of pollen by honeybees
- D. the making of honey from pollen

Listening

Question type: Fill in the Blank

Listen to the text and fill in the blank in each question/statement.

21. The author's grandfather was a highly respected _____
22. The grandfather was the _____, most serene person.
23. He never _____ and never lost his temper.
24. The author's grandmother was the exact _____, compared to the grandfather.
25. The grandmother used to get _____ about things.
26. There were fine, _____, antique chairs with brocade upholstery.
27. Grandmother decided to sell everything to the first bidder, because it _____ too much dust .
28. When grandfather found out that she had gotten rid of the antique furniture, he didn't lose his temper; he simply _____, and sat at the table to have his lunch.
29. The incident _____ up the amazing _____ between these two wonderful people.

Form, Meaning and Function

Question type: Multiple Choice

Choose the best answer to fill in the blank in each question.

30. You must visit the new museum. It is _____ interesting. We learned so many new things.

- A. quite
- B. absolutely
- C. really
- D. a bit

31. The science department at the public university recently bought some _____ technology. They now have the best lab in the country.

- A. interactive
- B. historical
- C. educational
- D. state-of-the-art