Exercise 1. Studying Sentences

The sentences are: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 11, 13, 15.

Exercise 2. Sentence Puzzles

The numbers to be inserted in the parentheses are: (4) warned us of a fire.

(1) David scampered off. (5) has bright red wheels. (3) watched the squirrels. (2) drew me to the kitchen. (Score 2 points for each jumbled sentence arranged in correct order, making a total of 15 for the entire exercise.) 6. John plays baseball. 7. God made the world out of nothing. 8. A rainbow has many colors. 9. Mother's fur coat keeps her warm. 10. Eskimos hunt animals with spears.

Exercise 3. Studying the Paragraph

Beginning sentence: The Nile River means everything to the country of Egypt. Ending sentence: Egypt is truly called the Gift of the Nile. Number of middle sentences: Two. (In scoring allow 2 points for each of the three correct answers on "River of Life." "Warm Up!" should be copied in paragraph form, scoring 2 points for the title and each of the four sentences copied correctly and 4 points for indentation and correct punctuation within the sentences.)

Exercise 4. The Parts of a Letter

(Allow 2 points for correctly identifying each part of the letter; 15 points for copying the second letter in the correct form.) The second letter should be arranged as follows:

> 3820 Walnut Street Columbus , Ohio 48206 September 15, 19....

Dear Ronald,

Is your new pet a turtle? Your riddle reminds me of a turtle I once had. Pete was a lazy old fellow and he liked to bury himself in mud. One day he wandered away and I could not find my pet.

Your friend, Martin

Exercise 5. The Heading of a Letter

1. 810 Seton Ave.
Baltimore, Maryland 22561
October 11, 19...
2. 1173 College Road
Cleveland, Ohio 67910
January 28, 19...
3. 210 Wesley Avenue
Mt. Morris, Illinois 43456
December 3, 19...
4.. 325 Main Street
Bloomsbury, N. Jersey 10113
May 15, 19...

5. 220 Garland Avenue Orlando, Florida 35534 December 3, 19.... 6. 712 Adams Street Spokane, Washington 88561 June 13, 19....

Exercise 6. Correct Use of "Give, Gave, Given"

1. gave. 2. given. 3. gave. 4. Give. 5. given. 6. gave. 7. gave. 8. give. 9. give. 10. given. 11. given. 12. gave. 13. given. 14. gave. 15. given.

Exercise 7. Correct Use of "Do, Did, Done"

1. did. 2. done. 3. did. 4. did. 5. done. 6. did. 7. done. 8. done. 9. did. 10. Do. 11. done. 12. done. 13. done. 14. Do. 15. did. 16. done. 17. did. 18. do. 19. did. 20. do.

Exercise 8. Like Words

1. asked. 2. nearly. 3. Rescue. 4. valuable. 5. tardy. 6. Grasp. 7. still. 8. old. 9. afraid. 10. chose.

Exercise 9. Opposites

1. false. 2. take. 3. cold. 4. true. 5. long. 6. win. 7. old. 8. hot. 9. stupid. 10. low. 11. give. 12. young. 13. far. 14. short. 15. lose. 16. first. 17. kind. 18. wide. 19. left. 20. narrow.

Exercise 10. Homonyms

(Allow 1 point for each homonym and 4 points for copying the paragraph correctly.) The homonyms in order are: blew, blue, knew, new, buy, No.

Exercise 11. Kinds of Sentences

1. Telling, period. 2. Telling, period. 3. Asking, question mark. 4. Telling, period. 5. Telling, period. 6. Asking, question mark. 7. Asking, question mark. 8. Telling, period. 9. Asking, question mark. 10. Asking, question mark. Sentences 11 to 20 are followed by periods. 11. Commanding. 12. Telling. 13. Commanding. 14. Telling. 15. Commanding. 16. Commanding.

17. Telling. 18. Commanding. 19. Commanding.

20. Telling. 21. Asking, question mark. 22. Exclaiming, exclamation point. 23. Asking, question mark.

24. Exclaiming, exclamation point. 25. Asking, question mark. 26. Asking, question mark. 27. Exclaiming, exclamation point. 28. Asking, question mark.

29. Exclaiming, exclamation point. 30. Exclaiming, exclamation point.

Exercise 12. Capital Letters at the Beginning of Sentences

1. The, period. 2. Skate, period. 3. An, period. 4. Who, question mark. 5. What, exclamation point. 6. Greet, period. 7. The, period. 8. King, period. 9. Can, question mark. 10. Visit, period. 11. How, exclamation point. 12. How, question mark. 13. Locate, period. 14. Music, period. 15. Cotton, period. 16. The, period. 17. In, period. 18. What, exclamation point. 19. Give, period. 20. How, question mark.

Exercise 13. The Contractions "Haven't," "Couldn't," "Wouldn't"

1. haven't. 2. couldn't. 3. haven't. 4. Wouldn't. 5. couldn't. 6. haven't. 7. couldn't. 8. haven't. 9. couldn't. 10. wouldn't. 11. Haven't. 12. wouldn't. 13. haven't. 14. haven't. 15. couldn't. 16. haven't. 17. Couldn't. 18. Wouldn't. 19. couldn't. 20. haven't.

Exercise 14. Review Test

1. Three. 2. our. 3. Fifth. 4. Telling. 5. Two. 6. No. 7. young, old. 8. has. 9. would not. 10. little.

Exercise 15. The Beginning Sentence of a Paragraph

Suggested underscorings are: 1. visit to the dentist . . exciting. 2. circus . . . narrow escape. 3. rainy day . . . happy. 4. brother . . . finding things. 5. trick Mr. Ocean played. 6. John and I . . . painters. 7. amusing thing . . . in school. 8. pictures . . . in the clouds. 9. fun . . . doll collector. 10. cow . . . useful animal. Suggested beginning sentences for "Mischievous Miss" (10 points) are: Our baby is always getting into mischief. We never know what prank my baby sister will be playing next.

Exercise 16. Middle Sentences

The sentences of "A Queer Catch" should be arranged in the following order (10 points): He hooked a very troublesome catch that almost capsized the boat. Slowly, carefully he pulled it from the water. How embarrassed he was to see that his huge prize was a "No Fishing" sign! Misfit sentences (5 points allowed for each) are: "Man of God" - Would you like to work in Ireland? "Little Apprentice" - The garage is behind the house. "Winged Intruder" - The house belonged to my aunt. Suggested middle sentences for "Father's Little Helper" (15 points) are: First I attached one end of the spring upside down. Then I hit my finger with the hammer.

Exercise 17. The Salutation of a Letter

1. Dear cousin Anne. 2. My dear Aunt. 3. Dearest Mother. 4. Mary dear. 5. Dear Uncle Edward. 6. My dearest Sister. 7. Dear Dr. Conley. 8. My darling Grandmother. 9. Dear Peter. 10. Dear Sister Louise. (These salutations are, of course, followed by commas.) Suggested salutations are: 11. My dear Sister. 12. Dear Aunt Ellen. 13. Dear George. 14. My dear Parents. 15. My dear friend Mary. 16. Dear Grandfather. 17. Dear Father Long. 18. My dear Brother. 19. Dear Joan. 20. Dear Dad.

Exercise 18. Nouns or Name Words

1. milkman, bottles, milk. 2. uncle, car. 3. animals, jungle. 4. Birds, nests, trees. 5. children, picnic, park. 6.

Knives, forks, spoons, table. 7. giraffe, neck. 8. Grandmother, drum, brother. 9. farmer, tomatoes, corn, peas. 10. Scouts, tents. 11. chalk, erasers, box. 12. rivers, oceans. 13. stamps, cards, missionaries. 14. store, street. 15. flowers, window. 16. train, station. 17. Cows, grass. 18. church. 19. Boys, kites, days. 20. playmates.

Exercise 19. Proper Nouns and Common Nouns

1. Philadelphia, proper; city, common. 2. Mary, proper; cake, common. 3. Holland, proper; country, windmills, common. 4. picture, wall, common; Saint Joseph, proper. 5. clown, children, common. 6. Hannibal, Alps, proper; elephant, common. 7. Andrew, proper; balloon, common. 8. September, proper; month, common. 9. China, proper; silk, common. 10. goats, barn, common. 11. Daniel, proper; football, common. 12. monkeys, zoo, common; Mary Ellen, proper. 13. Noe, proper; ark, common. 14. Father Walsh, Europe, proper; airplane, common. 15. friend, hospital, common. 16. raft, water, common. 17. Ellen, Mary, proper; party, common. 18. Sir Galahad, Holy Grail, proper. 19. Columbus, America, proper. 20. Mr. Hines, proper; grocer, common.

Exercise 20. Correct Use of "Teach" and "Learn"

1. Teach. 2. Teach. 3. teach. 4. learn. 5. teach. 6. teach. 7. learn. 8. teach. 9. learn. 10. teach. 11. learn. 12. learn. 13. learn. 14. teach. 15. teach. 16. teach. 17. learn. 18. Teach. 19. learn. 20. learn.

Exercise 21. "No" Words

The correct words are: 1. any. 2. any. 3. Nothing. 4. any. 5. no. 6. anything. 7. no. 8. never. 9. any. 10. Nothing. 11. any. 12. any. 13. any. 14. any. 15. any. 16. never. 17. any. 18. any. 19. anything. 20. any.

Exercise 22. Like Words

1. vacant. 2. invented. 3. large. 4. hope. 5. odd. 6. speak. 7. saved. 8. gentle. 9. quick. 10. aid. 11. bright. 12. map.

Exercise 23. Opposites

Numbers to be inserted in parentheses are: (7) difficult. (6) anything. (8) sold. (1) sweet. (10) happy. (2) back. (4) west. (5) noisy. (3) dirty. (9) light. 11. wide. 12. young. 13. cold. 14. asleep. 15. false. 16. right. 17. rich. 18. small. 19. finished. 20. found.

Exercise 24. Homonyms

1. blew. 2. read. 3. some. 4. blue. 5. threw. 6. beet. 7. right. 8. by. 9. know. 10. write. 11. beat. 12. see. 13. not. 14. sea. 15. sale. 16. new. 17. son. 18. knot. 19. no. 20. tail. 21. red. 22. buy. 23. sail. 24. Meet. 25. sun.