English Communication Skills



Quiz Answer Keys

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Quiz 1-1 Answer Key

1. (b) he had made a solemn promise to rescue them
2. (a) fought back and defended himself
3. (c) the invention of the Cotton Gin
4. (d) all of the above
5. (c) she wanted to teach her students a lesson about gratitude
6. (d) keeping on going
7. (g) determination to finish
8. (f) surrounding
9. (i) influence future generations
10. (b) unborn human baby, during the first 8 weeks of development
11. (c) pushed
12. (h) come to be
13. (a) encourage
14. (e) function in many ways
15. Rules; clearly
16. Persons, places, things, ideas
17. Common
18. Proper
19. *s*
20. *es*
21. *v*
22. *f, fe*
23. consonant
24. *s*
25. vowel
26. *i; es*
27. *s*
28. Chambers
29. Glasses
30. Lives
31. Giraffes
32. Heroes
33. Embryos
34. Radios
35. Presidencies
36. Boys
37. Essays
38. Families
39. Studios
40. Tacos
41. Volcanoes
42. Roofs
43. Wolves
44. Boxes
45. Prospects
46. False
47. True
48. True
49. True
50. replace
51. first; second; third
52. (c) I, me, we, us, my, mine, our, ours
53. (a) you, your, yours
54. (b) he, him, his, she, her, hers, they, them, their, theirs, it, its
55. (f) indefinite
56. (c) reflexive
57. (a) possessive
58. (d) demonstrative
59. (b) relative
60. (e) interrogative
61. persevere
62. courage
63. diligence
64. compassion
65. goals; people

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Quiz 1-2 Answer Key

1. (c) they were trying to catch a thief
2. (b) compete for and win a medal in the Olympic Winter Games
3. (d) All of the above.
4. (c) evaluate his relationships, habits, and activities to see if they were helping or hindering his dreams
5. (d) All of the above
6. (i) outside boundary
7. (d) what one thinks to be true
8. (l) impossible
9. (a) happiness
10. (c) speed up
11. (k) nighttime
12. (f) heavenly
13. (e) wicked
14. (j) high
15. (b) require or demand
16. (h) suitability for working
17. (g) believability
18. renames
19. appositive
20. action, life
21. infinitive
22. to
23. noun
24. time
25. present
26. past
27. future
28. shall, will
29. shall
30. shall
31. will
32. (c) Future
33. (a) Past
34. (b) Present
35. (c) Future
36. (a) Past
37. (b) Present
38. True
39. False
40. True
41. True
42. not; form
43. –ing
44. –ed
45. change
46. (b) Past Participle
47. (a) Present Participle
48. (b) Past Participle
49. (b) Past Participle
50. (b) Past Participle
51. (a) Present Participle
52. (b) Past Participle
53. completed, perfected
54. any
55. had, has, have, shall, will
56. supposition
57. noble
58. fulfillment
59. dream; destiny
60. wrong

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Quiz 1-3 Answer Key

1. (d) he feels drawn to the woods and streams because they are so beautiful
2. (b) he knew reading good books would cultivate a love of learning
3. (a) bees
4. (d) All of the above
5. (c) to authenticate certain documents issued by the government
6. (f) time of year when day and night are equal in length
7. (c) shortest day of winter or longest day of summer
8. (i) odd habits
9. (k) movement of wind
10. (j) suffering or pain
11. (l) facial expression
12. (m) lie
13. (d) margins or limits
14. (a) bird
15. (h) confused
16. (b) fly high above
17. (e) prove something is true
18. (g) solemn promise
19. descriptive
20. add to
21. Nouns; pronouns; adjectives
22. describe
23. Which; what; how
24. demonstrative
25. singular
26. plural
27. articles
28. the
29. a, an
30. Verbs, adjectives; adverbs
31. When, how, where; what extent
32. –ly
33. Wildly
34. Personally
35. Respectfully
36. Virtuously
37. Diligently
38. Kindly
39. Regularly
40. Courageously
41. Graciously
42. (c) for this purpose
43. (e) year of our Lord
44. (i) in good faith or sincerely
45. (f) seize the day
46. (a) and the rest
47. (h) by the day
48. (d) Holy Faith
49. (b) always faithful
50. (g) always vigilant
51. Passage; beauty
52. Honesty
53. lead
54. soar
55. character

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Quiz 2-1 Answer Key

1. (c) Translated the Bible into the Algonquin language
2. (e) Member of British parliament
3. (d) Copilot of a damage aircraft
4. (b) Father of the American Navy
5. (a) Made nursing an honorable profession
6. (f) detailed; tiresome
7. (i) managed to survive
8. (j) wasteful
9. (b) height
10. (h) full
11. (a) planned
12. (d) crude or temporary
13. (e) not moving
14. (g) favorable
15. (c) information
16. Noun; subject; verb; predicate
17. Being, doing
18. Subject
19. Simple; appositive
20. Simple
21. Appositive
22. Compound
23. John Paul Jones was a great sea captain. Does this sentence have a compound subject? No
24. Savanah, Georgia was designed by General James Oglethorpe. Does this sentence have a compound subject? No
25. The men, women, and children left prison to begin a new life in the Colonies. Does this sentence have a compound subject? Yes
26. All / seemed lost.
27. Wise youth / pay attention, follow directions, and complete their work.
28. Jones / took command of a new ship.
29. The captain of the ship, John Paul Jones, said he had not begun to fight.
30. General James Oglethorpe, the leader of the Georgia Colony, designed Savannah.
31. At the age of 16, Florence felt God was calling her to a life of service to others. No appositive
32. Being, doing
33. Predicate
34. Direct object, predicate nominative, indirect object, object of a preposition (any order)
35. Direct object
36. Predicate nominative
37. Indirect object
38. Object of a preposition
39. (a) Direct Object
40. (b) Predicate Nominative
41. (b) Predicate Nominative
42. (a) Direct Object
43. (b) Object of a preposition
44. (a) Indirect object
45. (a) Indirect object
46. (b) Object of a preposition
47. Phrase
48. Phrases
49. Noun, adjective, adverb
50. (a) Noun
51. (c) Adverb
52. (b) Adjective
53. Clause
54. Independent, dependent
55. Independent
56. Dependent
57. Subject, verb
58. (b) Dependent clause
59. (a) Independent clause
60. (a) Independent clause

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Quiz 2-1 Answer Key

61. (b) Dependent clause
62. Trained
63. Awareness; Action
64. Details
65. Courage, courage
66. Always

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Quiz 2-2 Answer Key

1. Sacagawea
2. New Orleans
3. Brad Cohen
4. Pony Express
5. together
6. (j) Passing across a continent
7. (g) Viewpoint
8. (i) Searched
9. (b) Unintentional
10. (k) Comes before
11. (e) Solemn promise
12. (d) Bad language
13. (h) Careless
14. (a) Common
15. (f) Young female cows
16. (c) Musical instrument
17. (b) also known as an independent clause
18. (c) contains two or more simple sentences put together
19. (a) an independent clause added to a dependent clause
20. (a) Simple
21. (b) Compound
22. (a) Simple
23. (c) Complex
24. (c) Complex
25. (b) Compound
26. (c) join words, phrases, and clauses of equal value (ex. *for, and, nor, but, or, yet*)
27. (a) appear in pairs and show how two or more things work together (ex. *both/and, either/or, and not only/but*)
28. (b) connect words, phrases, and clauses of unequal value (ex. *because, although, before, if, and while*)
29. (c) Subordinating
30. (a) Coordinating
31. (b) Correlating
32. (b) Correlating
33. (c) Subordinating
34. (a) Coordinating
35. __X__ over
36. ____ if
37. __X__ throughout
38. __X__ for
39. __X__ in
40. ____ eaten
41. __X__ at
42. __X__ up
43. __X__ below
44. __X__ down
45. True
46. True
47. False
48. A couple <u>of thunderstorms</u> had rumbled <u>over our place</u>.
    Basic sentence: A couple had rumbled.
49. The rider got home by racing <u>at a gallop through the storm</u>.
    Basic sentence: The rider got home by racing.
50. Americans won the victory <u>in the War of 1812</u>.
    Basic sentence: Americans won the victory.
51. quit
52. goal
53. Success
54. Noble
55. hard work

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Quiz 2-3 Answer Key

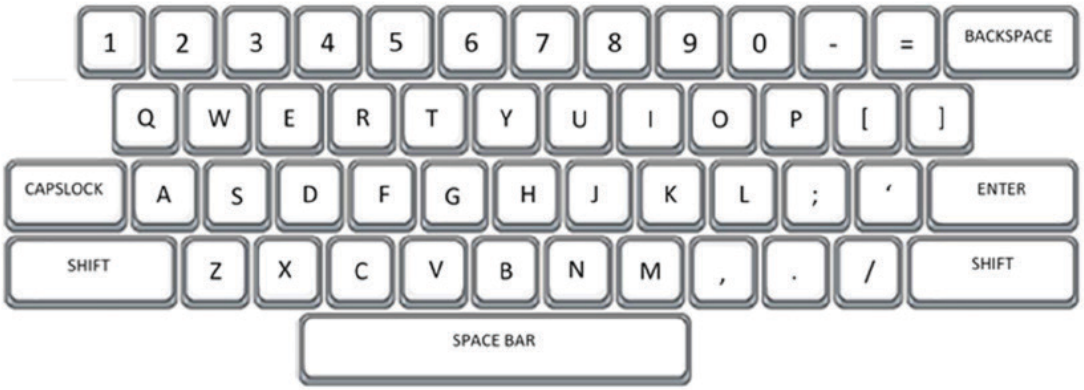
1. True
2. True
3. True
4. True
5. False
6. (m) Bible
7. (f) Laws
8. (g) Skilled
9. (k) Moral belief
10. (l) Way of thinking
11. (c) Warning
12. (j) Publicity
13. (a) Supported
14. (n) Praise
15. (o) Started
16. (h) Keenly
17. (i) Spiritual advisor
18. (e) Nickname for priest
19. (d) Abbreviation formed from initial letters of other words
20. (b) Short form of words
21. May
22. Might
23. Got
24. Has
25. Lie
26. Lay
27. That
28. Which
29. Good
30. Well
31. Affix
32. Prefix
33. Suffix
34. Bi-
35. Un-
36. Pro-
37. De-
38. Tri-
39. Trans-
40. Re-
41. Achievement or achiever
42. Guidance
43. Royally or royalty
44. Highly
45. Inventor
46. Publisher
47. Governor or government
48. (c) Uses the words “like” and “as” to compare two things
49. (f) Compares two things that are very different, but have some similarities
50. (e) Uses exaggeration to add effect or emphasis
51. (a) Adds human qualities to ideas or to things that are not living
52. (b) Substitutes a mild or indirect word to avoid saying something embarrassing or unpleasant
53. (d) Uses a part to represent the whole, or whole to represent parts
54. (e) Euphemism
55. (c) Hyperbole
56. (f) Synecdoche
57. (a) Simile
58. (b) Metaphor
59. (d) Personification
60. (b) How are you?
61. (a) Talk to you later.
62. (a) Goodnight
63. (b) Laughing out loud
64. (a) As soon as possible
65. Values
66. Life
67. Success
68. Mess
69. Actions

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Quiz 3-1 Answer Key

1. (b) Responsible
2. (c) Bible
3. (a) Innovation
4. (a) Resourcefulness
5. (b) Determination
6. (c) Peacefulness
7. (g) Imitate
8. (f) One who destroys
9. (a) Uneducated
10. (b) Countryside
11. (i) One who learns a trade from another
12. (d) Inventive and original
13. (e) Free enterprise
14. (k) Imaginative
15. (j) Skillful
16. (h) Business person
17. Homonyms
18. Homophones
19. Homographs
20. Synonyms
21. Antonyms
22. Homographs
23. Antonyms
24. Synonyms
25. Homonyms
26. Homophones
27. QWERTY
28. Properly labeled keyboard should look like the example below.
29. Responsibility
30. Govern
31. High
32. Developing
33. Succeed



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Quiz 3-2 Answer Key

1. Restraint
2. Consciences
3. Possum
4. Character
5. Responsibility
6. (k) Deliberate teasing
7. (e) Without restraint
8. (f) Overpower
9. (d) Without
10. (j) Sure to happen
11. (i) Not involved in sexual activities
12. (c) Fierce
13. (b) Shorten
14. (a) Purpose or future
15. (g) Unclear or hidden
16. (h) Starting point
17. Exact
18. Before; after
19. Change
20. Punctuation
21. Interrogative
22. Exclamatory
23. Declarative
24. Periods
25. Abbreviated
26. I heard him say, "I respect Tonya and want to remain pure until marriage."
27. "Be careful where you let those feelings lead you," counselled Dad.
28. Any guy who pressures a girl for intimacy is to be avoided like the plague**!**
29. Did you see the possum in the tree**?**
30. The house is on Baker Street.
31. Martin Luther King Jr.
32. Dr.
33. Ft.
34. St. Francis of Assisi
35. Introduce
36. Series, series
37. Lengthy
38. Separate
39. And
40. Hyphens
41. Many trees were damaged in the orchard: pears, peaches, and mulberries.
42. The minister preached about Psalm 139:14.
43. I can meet you for lunch at 11:30 A.M.
44. Sam growled and raced toward the fruit trees; I followed with the flashlight and gun.
45. The wild-eyed possum stared back at us.
46. Thirty-five apples fit in the basket.
47. Pause
48. Series
49. Between
50. State; country
51. Letter
52. Those prints were made by integrity, honesty, goodness, kindness, and commitment.
53. Dear Mom and Dad,
54. Los Angeles, California
55. July 4 1776
56. (b) Nonfiction
57. (b) Nonfiction
58. (a) Fiction
59. (b) Nonfiction
60. (a) Fiction
61. (a) Fiction
62. (b) Nonfiction
63. (a) Fiction
64. (b) Nonfiction
65. (a) Fiction
66. (b) Nonfiction
67. (b) Nonfiction
68. Advantage
69. Reputation

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Quiz 3-2 Answer Key

70. Abbreviate
71. Separate
72. Live

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Quiz 3-3 Answer Key

1. (b) First US Deputy Marshal of African American descent
2. (d) Played neighborhood baseball despite physical challenges
3. (a) Had a box she was instructed not to open
4. (e) Wrote a poem about manhood for his son
5. (c) Young prodigy honored by General George Washington
6. (j) Personality
7. (e) Type or variety
8. (i) Large steps
9. (a) In order by date and time
10. (c) Suggest
11. (h) Fancy and detailed
12. (b) Confine or hold back
13. (d) Bother
14. (g) A dishonest man
15. (f) Genius
16. (b) Autobiography
17. (b) Biography
18. (b) False
19. Plot
20. Characters
21. Thought
22. Diction
23. Music
24. Scene
25. (a) True
26. (b) Epic Tale
27. (a) Myth
28. (a) Myth
29. (b) Epic Tale
30. (a) Myth
31. (b) Epic Tale
32. (b) Epic Tale
33. (a) Myth
34. (a) Myth
35. (b) Epic Tale
36. Message
37. Words, paper
38. Know, feel, see, hear, experience
39. Meter
40. Sonnet
41. Heart
42. Substance
43. Only
44. Choices
45. Expecting

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Quiz 4-1 Answer Key

1. (b) San Jacinto
2. (b) Congress cannot establish a state religion or prevent people from worshipping as they choose.
3. (d) To revise the Articles of Confederation
4. (d) All of the above
5. (b) Declaration of Independence
6. (h) Remember or memorialize
7. (f) Divine protection and care
8. (i) By mouth (using words)
9. (g) Commands
10. (k) Absolute and unchangeable
11. (b) Discussions
12. (j) Loud and determined
13. (l) Lots and lots
14. (d) Careful or thorough
15. (e) Obvious
16. (c) Usually or always
17. (a) Precisely
18. History
19. Cursive
20. Writing
21. Left
22. Right
23. Shoulder
24. Half
25. Tilt
26. Remember the Alamo.
27. We hold these truths to be self-evident.
28. Read the handwriting on the wall.
29. *Remember the past.*
30. *Work hard today.*
31. *Plan for tomorrow.*
32. Mistakes
33. Choices
34. Doing
35. Character
36. Mind

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Quiz 4-2 Answer Key

1. (b) Purple Heart
2. (c) Reservation
3. (a) *Taming of the Shrew*
4. (c) Type font
5. (b) Remarkable
6. (i) Began
7. (f) Unfortunate
8. (a) Difficult and demanding
9. (h) Problems or difficulties
10. (g) Make up for something lacking
11. (b) Link or relationship
12. (c) Turn over
13. (e) Unique
14. (d) Intelligence
15. Greeting
16. Reason; information; thanks; help
17. Comments; closing
18. Same; professional
19. Sign
20. Stationary
21. Address
22. Dyslexia
23. Written
24. Same
25. Correlation
26. Early
27. Different
28. Fonts
29. Complex
30. Compensate
31. ____ Separate dyslexics from normal student.
32. __X__ Do as much work as possible on computers.
33. __X__ Use audio-enhanced dictionaries and curriculum.
34. ____ Use larger fonts for better visibility.
35. __X__ Practice writing in cursive.
36. __X__ Listen to audiobooks.
37. __X__ Use text to speech readers.
38. ____ Limit time allowed to complete tasks.
39. __X__ Cover keyboard keys with letters in special fonts.
40. __X__ Use speech to text software.
41. ____ Learn a new language.
42. Gratitude
43. Communicate
44. Position
45. History

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Quiz 4-3 Answer Key

1. (c) All-American Girls Professional Baseball League
2. (c) His mother's diligence
3. (d) All of the above
4. (b) U.S. Constitution
5. (a) Normal
6. (h) Images or representations
7. (j) Resulting from
8. (i) Help or simplify
9. (l) Thrown
10. (k) Fill with air
11. (c) Straight up and down
12. (b) Group of people who represent others
13. (d) 100 years
14. (n) 10 years
15. (m) Unpredictability
16. (e) Precise or careful
17. (g) Sacredness
18. (a) Number facts
19. (f) Naturally occurring substances in your body that create physical and emotional change
20. Note-taking
21. Focus
22. Listen
23. Distractions
24. Hand
25. Longer
26. Remember; retain; reproduce
27. Paraphrasing
28. Work
29. (h) And
30. (j) Equal or same
31. (e) Number
32. (i) Change or difference
33. (a) With
34. (d) Because
35. (k) Government
36. (l) Minimum
37. (c) Maximum
38. (b) For example
39. (f) Before
40. (g) As soon as possible
41. Cornell Notes
42. Outline
43. Bullet Points
44. Goals
45. Faithfully
46. Outline
47. Thoughts
48. Responsibilities

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Quiz 5-1 Answer Key

1. (a) Constitution
2. (c) Carry on a long and expensive war to force America's submission
3. (d) All of the above
4. (b) Being willing to lay down your life for another
5. (a) Doing what is right even when no one is looking
6. (e) Approved or authorized
7. (j) Modify, change, or improve
8. (i) Qualified; authorized
9. (n) Long and drawn-out
10. (h) Drain or exhaust
11. (b) Beginning
12. (p) Something shocking or upsetting
13. (m) Wear away over time
14. (o) Unconsciousness; insignificance
15. (q) Evidence or proof
16. (g) Repeated
17. (a) Briefly, using few words
18. (r) Analyze or break down into parts
19. (d) Make easier
20. (c) Behaviors
21. (k) Advantageous
22. (l) Generally
23. (f) Absolutely necessary
24. Idea, topic
25. support
26. logical
27. introduction, body, conclusion
28. subject, predicate
29. detailed
30. run-on
31. rambling
32. idea
33. introduction
34. body
35. conclusion
36. clearly, succinctly
37. prompts
38. planning
39. specifically, separately
40. right
41. author
42. privileges
43. friend
44. character

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Quiz 5-2 Answer Key

1. (b) Humanity and Deity
2. (c) Germs exist even if they cannot be seen with the naked eye
3. (a) Gravitational pull
4. (d) In God we trust.
5. (a) Reconnects
6. (l) Randomly; without a plan
7. (o) Time without end
8. (f) Think about; Envision
9. (a) Proud or overconfident
10. (p) Hesitatingly or unwillingly
11. (m) Spoiled or stinking
12. (i) Closeness
13. (e) Causes
14. (b) Logically
15. (d) Subordinate or obedient to another
16. (n) Refute or contradict
17. (j) Automatically or intuitively
18. (g) Resolve; bring together; make right
19. (h) Perceptively; wisely; intelligently
20. (c) Formal customs or ceremony
21 (k) Love offered without demands
22. five
23. Prewriting
24. Planning
25. Drafting
26. Editing
27. Proofreading
28. ideas
29. ideas
30. outline
31. Main point
32. Sub point
33. Supporting details
34. Supporting details
35. Sub point
36. Supporting details
37. Supporting details
38. rewriting
39. type
40. Proofreading
41. final
42. (a) Means to capitalize
43. (d) Means to insert
44. (b) Means to make a lowercase letter
45. (c) Means to delete punctuation
46. future
47. inquiry
48. evidence
49. rules
50. faulty

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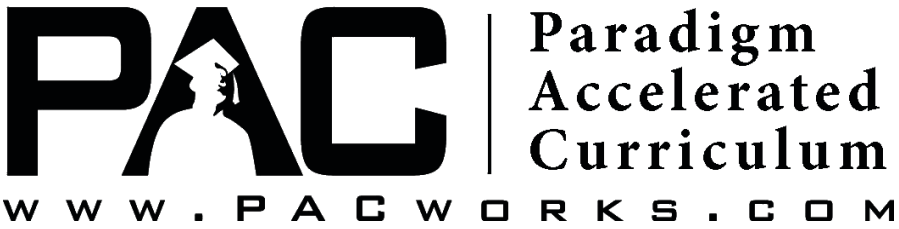
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Quiz 5-3 Answer Key

1. (a) Listening
2. (d) All of the above
3. (c) Wiley College
4. (a) Skewed
5. (b) Give me liberty or give me death!
6. (e) Cautioning or warning
7. (l) Knowledge rightly applied
8. (g) Truth
9. (d) Foundational
10. (n) Beliefs
11. (q) Timid or embarrassed manner
12. (o) Strength or force
13. (a) Able to read and write well in a language
14. (m) Competing
15. (c) Contradict; invalidate; disprove
16. (h) Built; established
17. (r) Influence or control
18. (p) Slanted or twisted
19. (j) Basic part of something
20. (k) Tough; challenging
21. (f) Unconquerable
22. (i) Watchful and cautious
23. (b) Strong wind or storm
24. __X__ Busy schedules
25. ____ Silence
26. __X__ Phone calls
27. __X__ Texts
28. __X__ Music
29. __X__ Emails
30. __X__ Social media
31. __X__ Digital games
32. listen
33. Ideas
34. Ideas
35. Carefully; critically
36. evaluate
37. emotions
38. Inductive
39. Deductive
40. Fallacies
41. Post Hoc; Red Herring; Appeal; Authority
42. skewed
43. impromptu
44. listeners
45. Circumstances
46. clearly
47. Honesty
48. reaching

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