1. Bertha and Fred were surprised the first time they saw Miss Agnes because
   A. she had a bird on her shoulder.
   B. she looked very young.
   C. she was wearing pants.
   D. she was in a wheelchair.

2. While teaching history, Miss Agnes
   A. made a time-line for the wall.
   B. showed pictures of how other people farmed.
   C. had the students pick a country to study.
   D. talked about wars often.

3. Miss Agnes _____ when the village had a dance.
   A. taught the villagers to waltz
   B. played her squeeze box
   C. watched Benny play the trumpet
   D. did not like to hear the drums play

4. Fred’s mother was angry about Fred going to school because
   A. the school was far away from home.
   B. Fred would become smarter than her.
   C. she wanted Fred to remain a baby.
   D. she needed Fred’s help at home.

5. Fred’s grandfather, who liked Fred to tell him about science and history,
   A. made up silly stories for the children.
   B. always gave the children candy.
   C. did not know the four food groups.
   D. had not known about World War I.

6. When she read "Robin Hood," Miss Agnes
   A. used different voices for the characters.
   B. talked very softly so the students had to listen.
   C. told the students that Robin Hood was bad.
   D. scolded the students for laughing at the story.
7. Fred's mother, who was single,
   A. disliked being around men.
   B. worked all the time.
   C. wanted to attend school.
   D. needed a steady job.

8. How did Fred get her name?
   A. Her mother's aunt had always loved the name Fred.
   B. Her father named her after a friend's mother.
   C. Her father's favorite story had a character named Fred.
   D. Her grandfather's name was Fred.

9. Fred and Bokko's grandmother _____ because their mother wasn't patient enough.
   A. sang them to sleep at night
   B. listened to their funny stories
   C. taught them to sew and knit
   D. showed them how to snare a rabbit

10. Miss Agnes brightened the schoolroom by
    A. making curtains for the windows.
    B. having the students paint pictures.
    C. opening all of the windows.
    D. taping magazine pictures on the walls.

11. What did Miss Agnes do while she was packing to leave?
    A. She showed Fred where to buy a diary.
    B. She tried to give Fred a picture of herself.
    C. She helped Fred mix paints for school.
    D. She told Fred she was leaving her a teapot.

12. Miss Agnes often had trouble
    A. keeping the fire going.
    B. remembering signs.
    C. ending school on time.
    D. finding her way home.

13. Miss Agnes was surprised at Bokko because Bokko
    A. hadn't been to school.
    B. wouldn't wear shoes in the snow.
    C. spoke very clearly.
    D. was a good math student.
14. The students who weren't good readers
   A. painted pictures and played games.
   B. read about Dick and Jane.
   C. were helped by the older students.
   D. worked on numbers instead.

15. The teacher before Miss Agnes left to go back to town because
   A. the children and everything smelled like fish.
   B. she was tired of being cold and wet all year.
   C. she was frightened by all the animals.
   D. the townspeople refused to pay her.

16. Marie stopped coming to school
   A. to begin writing her own books.
   B. to care for her brothers and sisters.
   C. to start her own baby-sitting business.
   D. to work at the store to pay for groceries.

17. Miss Agnes knew Bertha's real mother because
   A. they had shared a room in college.
   B. Bertha's mother had lived in England.
   C. Miss Agnes had taught at Allakaket.
   D. they had met on Sam's birthday.

18. The people from the village of Dolbi moved because
   A. the beaver and elk were scarce.
   B. it flooded too often.
   C. a logging company tore it down.
   D. a fire had destroyed most of it.

19. The class wasn't surprised when Jimmy Sam
   A. explained how to build a dam for the river.
   B. ran away to see the world.
   C. said he wanted to become a teacher.
   D. decided to work with microscopes.

20. Miss Agnes said that Sam Dubin had returned to his country without any money because
   A. he had been cheated out of it.
   B. it had burned in a house fire.
   C. he had lost it in a bet.
   D. it was given to a poor woman.
21. Miss Agnes hurried to finish reading "Robin Hood" because
   A. the class had lost interest in it.
   B. families were going to winter camp.
   C. she was tired of reading out loud.
   D. it was close to the end of school.

22. Miss Agnes said that Fred was good at
   A. making maps.
   B. writing stories.
   C. growing flowers.
   D. catching fish.

23. This book was written by
   A. Jean Craighead George.
   B. Kirkpatrick Hill.
   C. Claudia Mills.
   D. Joyce Carol Thomas.

24. When the children arrived at the school, they saw that
   A. the walls were freshly painted.
   B. there were no desks at all.
   C. the desks were in a circle.
   D. the windows had been covered.

25. When Fred and Bertha met her, Miss Agnes
   A. asked them to show her around town.
   B. served them tea like grownups.
   C. fixed them sandwiches for lunch.
   D. refused to talk to them.

26. When Fred's mother made mitten harnesses, Fred and Bokko
   A. dyed them different colors.
   B. made pom-poms for them.
   C. helped stretch the skins.
   D. sewed buttons on them.

27. When she wrote letters on the board, Miss Agnes
   A. was picky about them being neatly written.
   B. enjoyed singing songs about their sounds.
   C. had the children write them three times.
   D. made lists of words that used the letters.
28. Miss Agnes had the students put the old schoolbooks
   A. in the library.
   B. in a box for storage.
   C. into the coal stove.
   D. on their heads.

29. On the first day of school with Miss Agnes as the teacher, Fred
   A. fell in the mud on her way to school.
   B. kept looking at the map on the wall.
   C. sat as stiff as a stick in her desk.
   D. was too excited to sit still and listen.

30. When Sam told Fred he brought her a new teacher, he
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