

Name _____

Date _____
(Answer ID # 0610590)

Context Clues

1. Equestrian items would include saddles, horseshoes, and reins.

Using the example clue, the word **equestrian** in this sentence means

- A** having to do with the equator **C** having to do with royalty
 B having to do with horses **D** having to do with hair

2. Mom and Dad used fans to ventilate the attic.

Using the explanation clue, the word **ventilate** in this sentence means

- A** close **C** tighten
 B create an air flow **D** paint

3. The bullfighter walked with a sense of bravado, as if he were bragging about how great he was.

Using the comparison clue, the word **bravado** in this sentence means

- A** cowardly **C** weakness
 B restraint **D** boasting or bragging

4. If we don't collaborate on the plan, it will never work because too many of us won't work together.

Using the comparison clue, the word **collaborate** in this sentence means

- A** friendly **C** work together
 B socialize **D** harm

5. It is nice that Amy is a tranquil child, but I'd like to see her more energetic at times.

Using the contrast clue, the word **tranquil** in this sentence means

- A** sick **C** brave
 B difficult **D** calm

6. The book of logic contained many conundrums - mind-exercising puzzles.

Using the synonym clue, the word **conundrums** in this sentence means

- A** pictures **C** answers
 B stories **D** puzzles

Name _____

Date _____
(Answer ID # 0826996)

Context Clues

19. I could not recollect where I put my favorite baseball bat, but then I remembered that I let Dillon borrow it last weekend.

Using the antonym clue, the word **recollect** in this sentence means

- A recline C examine
 B remember D find

20. A sleuth, such as Sherlock Holmes, can be very helpful in solving crimes.

Using the example clue, the word **sleuth** in this sentence means

- A senior citizen C pilot
 B detective D man

21. We almost collided with the bus, but it moved just in time for us to miss it.

Using the comparison clue, the word **collided** in this sentence means

- A crashed into C drove around
 B ran D conflicted

22. The bully sent a venomous, not loving, look at Max.

Using the antonym clue, the word **venomous** in this sentence means

- A tired C spiteful
 B loving D happy

23. Connor decided to matriculate at the local community college. He wanted to begin to pursue a degree at the school.

Using the comparison clue, the word **matriculate** in this sentence means

- A enroll C quit
 B resign D abandon

24. The graduation will commence at 7:00 p.m. and end at 9:30 p.m.

Using the contrast clue, the word **commence** in this sentence means

- A be eventful C begin
 B be over D conflict

