#### **Practice Test D – Structure**

1.	Some snakes lay eggs, but others birth to live offspring.  (A) give	6.	The best known books of Ross Macdonald, write of detective novels, feature the character Lew Archer, a private detective.
	(B) giving		(A) is the
	(C) they give		(A) is the (B) is an
	(D) to have given		(C) they are by
			(D) the
2.	Because it was so closely related to communication,		
	art form to develop.	7.	The first building to employ steel skeleton construction
	(A) drawing was probably the earliest		·
	(B) to draw early was probably		(A) Chicago, Illinois, the home of the Home Insurance
	(C) early drawing probably		Company Building completed in 1885
	(D) the earliest draw		(B) the Home Insurance Company Building in Chicago, Illinois, was completed in 1885
			(C) because the Home Insurance Company Building in
3.	Halley's Comet had its first documented sighting in 240		Chicago, Illinois, was completed in 1885
	B.C. in China and it has been seen from the Earth 29 times.		(D) the Home Insurance Company Building in Chicago,
	Earth 29 times.		Illinois, in 1885
	(A) after		P
	(B) because of	8.	During the course of its growth, a frog undergoes a true
	(C) since then		metamorphosis with a fishlike larval stage.
	(D) that is		(A) (
		>	(A) begin (B) began
4.	that managers commit in problem solving is		(C) beginning
	jumping to a conclusion about the cause of a given		(D) is begun
	problem.		
	(A) Major errors		
	(B) Since the major error		
	(C) The major error (D) Of the major errors		
5	Algonkian-speaking Native Americans greeted the		
J.	Pilgrims settled on the eastern shores of what is		
	now New England.		
	\ P )		
	(A) to whom		
	(B) of which		
	(C) who (D) which		
	(5) Willow		

9.	Mahalia Jackson, combined powerful vitality with great dignity, was one of the best-known gospel singers in the United States.	13.	Following the guidelines for speaking and voting established by the book <i>Robert's Rules of Order</i> , during meetings.
	<ul><li>(A) it was her singing</li><li>(B) which songs</li><li>(C) who sang</li><li>(D) whose singing</li></ul>		<ul> <li>(A) and avoid large decision-making organizations' procedural confusion</li> <li>(B) large decision-making organizations avoid procedural confusion</li> <li>(C) is procedural confusion avoided by large decision-</li> </ul>
10.	Precious metals, gems, and ivory have been used to make buttons, but most buttons are made of wood, glass, or plastic.		making organizations (D) are avoiding procedural contusion in large decision-making organizations
	(A) such materials that (B) materials as such	14.	Indigo is a vat color, —called because it does not dissolve in water.
	(C) such materials as (D) such materials		(A) which it (B) it is
11.	Outside the bright primary rainbow, much fainter secondary rainbow may be visible.		(C) but (D) so
	(A) so (B) a (C) since	15.	Associated with the Denishawn company from 1916 until 1923, Martha Graham developed a powerful, that was integral to the foundations of modern dance.
	(D) still		<ul><li>(A) expressively stylish</li><li>(B) a style expressive</li></ul>
12.	Any critic, teacher, librarian, or poet who hopes to broaden poetry's audience faces the difficult challenge of persuading skeptical readers		(C) stylishly expressive (D) expressive style
	<ul><li>(A) that poetry is important today</li><li>(B) for poetry to be important today</li><li>(C) to be important poetry today</li><li>(D) poetry that is important today</li></ul>		

#### Practice Test D – Written Expression

16.	According to most <u>psychological</u> studies, body language <u>expresses</u> a speaker's emotions and attitudes, and it also tends to affect the emotions and attitudes of the <u>listen</u> .
17.	The dachshund <u>is</u> a hardy, <u>alert</u> dog with a <u>well</u> sense of <u>smell</u> .
18.	Quasars, <u>faint</u> celestial objects <u>resembling</u> stars, are <u>perhaps</u> the most distant objects <u>know</u> .
19.	The <u>importance</u> of environmental stimuli in <u>the</u> development of coordination between sensory input <u>and</u> motor response varies lo species <u>to</u> species.
20.	A <u>smile</u> can be observed, described, and reliably <u>identify</u> ; it <u>can also</u> be elicited and manipulated under <u>experimental</u> conditions.
21.	A <u>musical genius</u> , John Cage is noted for his highly <u>unconventional</u> ideas, and <u>he respected</u> for his unusual compositions <u>and performances</u> .
22.	Chocolate is prepared by a <u>complexity</u> process of cleaning, <u>blending.</u> and roasting cocoa beans, which <u>must be</u> ground and <u>mixed</u> with sugar.
23.	Several million points on the human body registers either cold, heat, pain, or touch.

24. In the 1800's <u>store</u> owners sold everything from <u>a needle</u> to a plow, <u>trust</u> everyone, and <u>never</u> took

inventory.

25.	<u>Although</u> they reflect a strong social conscience, Arthur Miller's stage works are <u>typical</u> more <u>concerned</u> with individuals than with <u>systems.</u>
26.	While highly prized for symbolizing good luck, the four-leaf clover is rarity found in nature.
27.	An involuntary reflex, <u>an</u> yawn is almost impossible to slop <u>once</u> the mouth muscles <u>begin</u> the <u>stretching</u> action.
28.	Elected to serve in the United States House of Representatives in 1968, Shirley Chisholm was known for advocacy the interests of the urban poor.
29.	A mirage is an <u>atmospheric</u> optical illusion <u>in what</u> an observer sees a nonexistent body of water <u>or</u> an image of some <u>object.</u>
30.	Turquoise, <u>which found</u> in microscopic crystals, is opaque with <u>a</u> waxy luster, <u>varying in</u> color <u>from</u> greenish gray to sky blue.
31.	Homo erectus is the name commonly given into the primate species from which humans are believed to have evolved.
32.	Today modern textile mills can manufacture as much <u>fabrics</u> in <u>a few</u> seconds as it once took <u>workers</u> weeks <u>to produce</u> by hand.
33.	The Hopi, the westernmost <u>tribe of Pueblo Indians</u> , have <u>traditionally lived large</u> multilevel structures clustered in <u>towns</u> .

- 34. Exploration of the Solar System is <u>continuing</u>, and at the present rate of <u>progress</u> all the planets will have been contacted <u>within</u> the <u>near</u> 50 years.
- 35. Since <u>their</u> appearance on <u>farms</u> in the United Stales between 1913 and 1920, trucks <u>have changed</u> patterns of production and <u>market</u> of farm products.
- 36. Antique collecting <u>became</u> a significant pastime in the 1800's <u>when</u> old <u>object</u> began to be <u>appreciated for</u> their beauty as well as for their historical importance.
- 37. American painter Georgia 0' Keeffe is well known <u>as</u> her large paintings of flowers <u>in which</u> single <u>blossoms</u> are <u>presented</u> as if in close-up.
- 38. <u>Despite</u> television is the dominant entertainment medium for United States households, Garrison Keillor's Saturday night <u>radio show</u> of folk songs and stories <u>is</u> heard by <u>millions</u> of people.
- 39. The work which the poet Emma Lazarus is best known is "The New Colossus," which is inscribed on the pedestal of the Statue of Liberty.
- 40. <u>In</u> the New England colonies, Chippendale designs were adapted to <u>locally</u> tastes, and <u>beautiful</u> furniture <u>resulted</u>.

#### **Practice Test D – Answers**

Question Number	Answer	Level of Difficulty	Answered Correctly
1	Α	E	93%
2	Α	E	84%
3	С	E	84%
4	С	E	80%
5	С	M	72%
6	D	M	69%
7	В	M	78%
8	С	M	61%
9	D	M	60%
10	С	E	80%
11	В	D	43%
12	Α	M	58%
13	В	D	48%
14	D	D	40%
15	D	D	51%
16	D	E	90%
17	С	M	76%
18	D	E	83%
19	D	E	87%
20	В	M	79%
21	С	E	83%
22	Α	) E	81%
23	С	M	74%
24	С	M	76%
25	В	M	74%
26	D	M	70%
26	Α	М	66%
28	C.	M	67%
29	В	M	57%
30	, A 9	M	57%
31	В	M	57%
32	Α	D	42%
33	<b>D</b> C	D	53%
34	D	D	56%
35	D	D	52%
36	С	D	54%
37	A	D	50%
38	A	D	45%
39	A	D	51%
40	В	M	55%
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