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1.

James caught a trout while fishing on lake Michigan last year.

Which word in this sentence should begin with a capital letter?

- A. caught
  - B. trout
  - C. lake
  - D. year
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2. Which sentence uses correct punctuation?

- A. Where is the jelly? she asked.
  - B. Where is the jelly?" she asked.
  - C. "Where is the jelly? she asked.
  - D. "Where is the jelly?" she asked.
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3.

Did your mom say when she would pick you up

Which punctuation mark is needed at the end of this sentence?

- A. ! (exclamation point)
  - B. ? (question mark)
  - C. . (period)
  - D. " (quotation marks)
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4.

Mr. jackson is the principal of our school.

Which word in this sentence should begin with a capital letter?

- A. jackson
  - B. principal
  - C. our
  - D. school
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5.

Jocelyn said, "every night, I pack my book bag for school."

Which word in this sentence needs a capital letter?

- A. every
  - B. night
  - C. book bag
  - D. school
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6.

Right in front of me was the biggest hairiest spider I had ever seen in my whole life!

This sentence is missing a comma. The missing comma belongs

- A. after in
  - B. after biggest
  - C. after spider
  - D. after seen
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7.

Once upon a time, a boy had a great adventure

Which punctuation change corrects this sentence?

- A. Take away the comma.
  - B. Add a period after *adventure*.
  - C. Add a question mark after *time*.
  - D. Add quotation marks around *great*.
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8.

Can you please help me?

This sentence is a

- A. question.
  - B. statement.
  - C. command.
  - D. exclamation.
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9.

The principal and i are going to the circus.

Which word in this sentence needs a capital letter?

- A. principal
  - B. i
  - C. going
  - D. circus
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10. Which sentence correctly uses capital letters?

- A. My favorite baseball team is the atlanta braves.
  - B. My favorite baseball team is the Atlanta braves.
  - C. My favorite baseball team is the Atlanta Braves.
  - D. My favorite Baseball team is the Atlanta Braves.
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11.

How do you drive from here to the police station!

Which punctuation change would correct this sentence?

- A. The exclamation point should be a period.
  - B. The exclamation point should be a comma.
  - C. The exclamation point should be a semicolon.
  - D. The exclamation point should be a question mark.
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12.

There was a great story on the television show named night watch yesterday.

Which underlined word or words in this sentence should be capitalized?

- A. story
  - B. television show
  - C. night watch
  - D. yesterday
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13.

whoever wins the finals will bring home a trophy and the grand prize.

Which word needs a capital letter?

- A. whoever
  - B. finals
  - C. trophy
  - D. grand
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14.

Many people from Europe come to visit the united States each year.

Which word should have a capital letter?

- A. people
- B. visit
- C. united
- D. year

15.

Dear Mom

I will be late getting home tonight because I am going to my friend Anna's house.

Love, Karen

Which word should be followed by a comma?

- A. Dear
  - B. Mom
  - C. Anna's
  - D. Karen
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16.

Where is the grocery store!\_

Which punctuation mark should replace the exclamation point in this sentence?

- A. a period (.)
  - B. a comma (,)
  - C. an apostrophe (')
  - D. a question mark (?)
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17.

There are many cattle ranches in the \_\_\_\_\_.

Which word completes this sentence correctly?

- A. west
  - B. West
  - C. wests
  - D. west's
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18.

Our classmate ramona enjoys her school.

Which word in this sentence should have a capital letter?

- A. classmate
  - B. ramona
  - C. enjoys
  - D. school
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19. Which is the correct sentence?

- A. the children are going to the movie on friday, August 30.
  - B. The children are going to the movie on Friday, august 30.
  - C. the children are going to the Movie on Friday, August 30.
  - D. The children are going to the movie on Friday, August 30.
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20. In which sentence should the word *south* begin with a capital letter?

- A. Florida is south of Georgia.
- B. Take the south road to find the airport.
- C. The south is known for its great cooking.
- D. Border collies came from south Scotland.

**Answer Key**

1. C) lake
2. D) "Where is the jelly?" she asked.
3. B) ? (question mark)
4. A) jackson
5. A) every
6. B) after biggest
7. B) Add a period after *adventure*.
8. A) question.
9. B) i
10. C) My favorite baseball team is the Atlanta Braves.
11. D) The exclamation point should be a question mark.
12. C) night watch
13. A) whoever
14. C) united
15. B) Mom
16. D) a question mark (?)
17. B) West
18. B) ramona
19. D) The children are going to the movie on Friday, August 30.
20. C) The south is known for its great cooking.