ENGLISH VOCABULARY TESTS

Device or Devise Quiz: 20 Questions with Answers

20 questions · Choose the correct answer. Online test and answer key with explanations:
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1. My phone is the only ___ I take on holiday.
A) device **B)** devise **C)** devices **D)** devised

2. The class had to ___ a way to stop an egg breaking when it was dropped.
A) devise **B)** device
C) devices **D)** deviced

3. Alliteration is a literary ___ that repeats the first sound of words.
A) devise **B)** device **C)** devize **D)** devised

4. Engineers have ___ a new system for sorting recycling.
A) deviced **B)** devized **C)** devised **D)** device

5. On rainy afternoons, my parents leave us to our own ___.
A) devices **B)** devises **C)** device **D)** devise

6. Please switch off all electronic ___ before the exam starts.
A) devises **B)** device **C)** devised **D)** devices

7. Who ___ this game? It's brilliant!
A) deviced **B)** devices **C)** devised **D)** device

8. A smoke alarm is a simple safety ___ that saves lives.
A) devise **B)** devised
C) device **D)** devising

9. The team is ___ a plan to raise money for the school trip.
A) devicing **B)** device
C) devises **D)** devising

10. She ___ a clever way to save water in the garden. (American English)
A) devized **B)** deviced **C)** devised **D)** device

11. In her will, she ___ her house to her nephew. (legal English)
A) deviced **B)** devised **C)** device **D)** devices

12. Rhymes like "i before e" are a useful memory ___ for spelling.
A) device **B)** devise
C) devised **D)** devising

13. The drama group ___ its own play instead of using a script.
A) deviced **B)** devised **C)** devices **D)** device

14. Spies in old films use clever ___ hidden in pens and watches.
A) devises **B)** device **C)** devised **D)** devices

15. It took months to ___ a timetable that suited everyone.
A) device **B)** devise
C) devices **D)** devising

16. My aunt ___ crossword puzzles for the local newspaper every week.
A) devices **B)** devises **C)** device **D)** devizes

17. A dishwasher is a labour-saving ___: it does a boring job for you.
A) devise **B)** devised
C) devising **D)** device

18. The new spelling test was carefully ___ by a group of teachers.
A) deviced **B)** devised **C)** device **D)** devices

19. Which word ends with a z sound, like the word eyes?
A) device **B)** advice **C)** ice **D)** devise

20. In the story, a lost letter is the plot ___ that brings the two sisters together.
A) device **B)** devise **C)** devised **D)** devises

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