ANSWER KEY WITH EXPLANATIONS

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Explanations

1. Gold is a _____.
✔ **A) metal**
Gold is a hard, shiny material like silver and iron. It is a **metal**.

2. The lung is a (an) _____.
✔ **D) organ**
An **organ** is a part inside the body that does a special job. The heart, the lungs and the brain are organs.

3. The machine is out of _____. It doesn't work, so we can't use it.
✔ **B) order**
Out of order means a machine is broken and does not work. Example: **The lift is out of order.**

4. He was ill last week, but now he is in good _____.
✔ **A) health**
In good health means well, not ill. The clue is **He was ill last week, but now…**

5. Hats are out of _____.
✔ **C) fashion**
Out of fashion means not popular now. People don't wear these things much today.

6. When the children saw him, they were all in deep _____.
✔ **D) shock**
We say **in deep shock** when someone is very surprised and upset. After **in deep** we need a noun, so **afraid** and **scared** are wrong.

7. The firm is in _____ difficulty.
✔ **C) financial**
Financial means about money. **In financial difficulty** means the company has money problems.

8. He is on a student grant. What does this sentence mean?
✔ **B) He gets money to pay for his studies.**
A **grant** is money that the government or a college gives you to pay for your studies. You do not pay it back.

9. The heart is about the size of a _____.
✔ **D) fist**
A **fist** is your hand when you close your fingers tightly. Your heart is about this size.

10. It was a rude _____.
✔ **D) joke**
A **rude joke** is a joke that is not polite and may upset people. We need a noun after **rude**.

11. I am a Beatles _____.
✔ **D) fan**
A **fan** is a person who likes a singer, band or team very much. Example: **I'm a football fan.**

12. Bill is a man of _____.
✔ **B) principle**
A man of principle is a man with strong ideas about what is right, and he always follows them. We need a noun after **of**.

13. It was not my _____. He broke the window.
✔ **A) fault**
Fault means the bad thing is because of you. **It was not my fault** means I didn't do it. He broke the window.

14. The pillow is _____.
✔ **C) soft**
Soft is the opposite of hard. A pillow is soft, so your head is comfortable at night.

15. Lora is _____ in Spanish.
✔ **C) fluent**
Fluent means able to speak a language easily and well. After **is** we need an adjective: **She is fluent in Spanish.** Not **fluently**, because that is an adverb.

16. He was not _____ of my plan.
✔ **C) aware**
Aware of means knowing about something. **He was not aware of my plan** = he didn't know about it.

17. Some of the students of this college live in the _____ on the college campus.
✔ **B) dormitory**
A **dormitory** is a building where students live at a college or university. In British English we also say **halls of residence**.

18. He is _____ Linguistics at the University of Oxford.
✔ **D) studying**
We **study** a subject at a university. Example: **She is studying Medicine.**

19. There won't be a _____ for that film.
✔ **A) queue**
A **queue** is a line of people waiting for something. Not many people want to see that film, so there won't be a queue.

20. Each teacher _____ the contract.
✔ **D) signed**
You **sign** a contract when you write your name on it to show you accept it.