ANSWER KEY WITH EXPLANATIONS

TRANSPORT Vocabulary Test

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Explanations

1. Volvo will make a new _____ which will be able to carry 25 cars.
✔ **A) transporter**
A **transporter** is a very big lorry that carries many cars at one time. A van or a pick-up truck is much too small for 25 cars.

2. As they like travelling a lot, instead of buying a house, they bought a _____.
✔ **A) caravan**
A **caravan** is a vehicle that people can live and sleep in while they travel, so it can take the place of a house.

3. A _____ is a vehicle bigger than a normal car and smaller than a bus, which can carry 8–12 people.
✔ **C) minibus**
A **minibus** is a small bus for about 8–12 passengers. A **van** is mostly used for carrying goods, not people.

4. The _____ is filled with oil.
✔ **C) tanker**
A **tanker** is a ship or lorry with a large tank for carrying liquids such as oil.

5. Our construction company has more than 100 _____ for transporting doors and windows from one city to another.
✔ **C) trucks**
Trucks are large vehicles for carrying heavy goods over long distances. Taxis, buses and jeeps carry people, not big loads.

6. He has been waiting at the _____ stop for 20 minutes, but none has come yet.
✔ **D) bus**
We wait for a bus at a **bus stop**. For trains we say **station**, and for planes **airport**.

7. They are moving from their old apartment to a new house. They are taking all their furniture in a _____.
✔ **B) lorry**
A **lorry** (British English for a big truck) can carry heavy things like furniture. A car is too small, and a tanker carries liquids.

8. A _____ is similar to a bicycle, but it has an engine that helps it move more quickly.
✔ **B) motorcycle**
A **motorcycle** has two wheels like a bicycle, but it also has an engine, so it goes faster.

9. The _____ will arrive at Amsterdam railway station at 3:00 PM.
✔ **A) train**
A **railway station** is where **trains** arrive and leave. Planes use airports and buses use bus stations.

10. Fifty students and four teachers were traveling in a _____.
✔ **A) bus**
A **bus** is big enough for more than fifty people. A van, a truck or a taxi cannot carry so many passengers.

11. Bill Gates is very rich. He flies from the roof of his office to his house by _____.
✔ **A) helicopter**
A **helicopter** can take off and land in a small place, such as a roof. A plane needs a long runway.

12. The _____ arrived at the harbour today with 500 people on board.
✔ **D) ferry**
A **ferry** is a big boat that carries many passengers (and often cars) across water. Yachts, speedboats and rowboats are too small for 500 people.

13. A vehicle which is made to travel on rough roads is a _____.
✔ **C) jeep**
A **jeep** is a strong car made for bad roads and rough ground. A sports car is made for speed on good roads.

14. A vehicle whose roof can be folded back or removed is a _____.
✔ **D) convertible**
A **convertible** is a car with a roof that you can fold back or take off, so you can drive in the open air.

15. A _____ is a small, fast boat with a powerful engine.
✔ **A) speedboat**
A **speedboat** is a small boat with a strong engine that goes very fast. A sailboat uses the wind, not an engine.