ANSWER KEY WITH EXPLANATIONS

Will and Would for Habits Quiz

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Explanations

1. When I was a child, my grandmother ___ make jam every summer from the fruit in her garden.
✔ **A) would**
Would describes repeated actions in the past, often in nostalgic stories.

2. My dog ___ follow anyone who has food in their hand.
✔ **B) will**
Will can describe typical behaviour in the present.

3. When I was young, I ___ long hair.
✔ **C) used to have**
Would is only for repeated actions, not states. For states, use used to.

4. Of course she was late. She ___ stop to chat with everyone she met!
✔ **A) would**
Stressed would shows annoyance at a typical habit in the past.

5. My laptop ___ start. Can you help me?
✔ **B) won't**
Won't can mean refuses to, for people and machines.

6. We ___ Rome three times when I was a child.
✔ **C) visited**
For an exact number of times, use the past simple, not would.

7. "He WILL keep interrupting me!" With will stressed, the sentence shows ___.
✔ **D) annoyance at a habit**
Stressed, full will shows annoyance at a habit the speaker cannot change.

8. "He forgot my birthday again." "Well, he ___, wouldn't he?"
✔ **A) would**
Well, he would means that's typical of him.

9. A traditional English breakfast ___ include eggs, bacon and toast.
✔ **B) will**
In descriptions, will means usually: it will include ...

10. These days I ___ get up at six.
✔ **D) usually**
Used to is only for the past. For a present habit, say usually or tend to.

11. Don't worry about the broken glass. Accidents ___ happen.
✔ **C) will**
Accidents will happen is a fixed saying: they are normal.

12. This car ___ do 60 miles to the gallon.
✔ **B) will**
Will can describe what something is able to do.

13. Choose the correct sentence.
✔ **C) As a child I used to be very shy.**
Be shy is a state, so use used to (or the past simple), not would.

14. He ___ tell me his name, so I called the manager.
✔ **B) wouldn't**
Wouldn't means refused to in the past.

15. Which sentence describes a past habit in a story?
✔ **B) Every morning she would walk the dog before breakfast.**
Would + base verb with a time phrase describes a repeated past action.

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