

SAT Grammar Worksheet

Name: _____ Date: _____

Choose the option that best fills each blank. Circle one answer for each question.

1. The collection of maps _____ stored in a climate-controlled room.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. are
- B. is
- C. were
- D. have been

2. The researchers _____ their findings yesterday.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. publish
- B. publishes
- C. published
- D. will publish

3. Each of the instruments _____ a separate protective case.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. have
- B. has
- C. were having
- D. are having

4. By the time the guests arrived, the chef _____ the meal.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. has prepared
- B. will prepare
- C. had prepared
- D. prepares

5. The artists displayed _____ newest paintings in the gallery.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. their
- B. there
- C. they're
- D. its

6. The samples from the river _____ traces of a mineral.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. contains
- B. contain
- C. has contained
- D. is containing

7. Walking through the archive, _____.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. the faded labels caught Lena's attention
- B. Lena noticed the faded labels
- C. the labels were noticed by Lena
- D. there were faded labels that Lena noticed

8. The workshop teaches students to measure accurately, to record observations, and _____.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. analyzing results
- B. the analysis of results
- C. to analyze results
- D. results are analyzed

9. Neither the director nor the assistants _____ available for interviews today.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. is
- B. was
- C. are
- D. has been

10. The bridge, along with the two nearby tunnels, _____ inspected every spring.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. are
- B. were
- C. have been
- D. is

11. The larger observatory's telescope is more powerful than _____.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. the smaller observatory
- B. that of the smaller observatory
- C. the smaller observatory does
- D. those of the smaller observatory

12. Because the reports were incomplete, the committee returned _____ for revision.

Which choice completes the text so that it conforms to the conventions of Standard English?

- A. it
- B. them
- C. its
- D. theirs