

Malala Yousafzai Test

1. Malala was born in the country of _____.

- A. Iran
- B. Pakistan
- C. China
- D. Russia

2. When she was born, her father Ziauddin _____.

- A. was disappointed
- B. rejected her
- C. was very happy
- D. said he wanted another son

3. Her father had trouble starting a school because _____.

- A. of a lack of financing
- B. he couldn't get a license
- C. he didn't want girls in his school
- D. lumber was scarce

4. In the Pashtun culture _____.

- A. guests were not welcome
- B. families were not close
- C. guests could not be refused
- D. animals were exchanged

5. One of their special religious days honored _____.

- A. Adam
- B. Noah
- C. Jacob
- D. Abraham

6. To find out when the special day Eid ul-Azha began, the family _____.

- A. looked at the moon
- B. listened to the radio
- C. watched TV
- D. went online

7. Malala's father wanted her to become a _____.

- A. teacher
- B. doctor
- C. politician
- D. housewife

8. After the Taliban came, the people of Pakistan _____.

- A. suffered
- B. prospered
- C. were happy
- D. enjoyed life more

9. The Taliban forced men to _____.

- A. work in the mines
- B. grow long beards
- C. leave their wives
- D. stop praying

10. They required women to _____.

- A. drive cars
- B. wear gray clothing
- C. teach in the schools
- D. wear burqas

11. The burqa was a garment that _____.

- A. was knee length
- B. covered the whole body
- C. was made by a certain tailor
- D. all women wanted to wear

12. Poor children in Pakistan helped their families by _____.

- A. working in the local stores
- B. getting food from the garbage cans
- C. selling cans and bottles from the rubbish heap
- D. begging food from the vendors

13. Malala asked her father to _____ for the poor children.

- A. provide free schooling
- B. buy food
- C. supply clothing
- D. provide transportation

14. Malala wrote a letter to God and put it _____.

- A. on top of a mountain
- B. up on the roof
- C. in a tall tree
- D. in the stream

15. Many people died in 2005 when there was _____.

- A. a cyclone
- B. an earthquake
- C. a famine in the land
- D. a hailstorm

16. Sharia law is based on the _____.

- A. Pakistan constitution
- B. laws passed by the Congress
- C. the Koran that Muslims follow
- D. laws determined by the army

17. Malala called herself Gul Makai when she _____.

- A. blogged on a website
- B. went to school each day
- C. left the country
- D. met with her friends

18. When Malala began to speak out, her mother worried that her daughter would _____.

- A. become self-centered
- B. start receiving threats
- C. becoming too tired
- D. neglect her studies

19. Terrorists attacked her because _____.

- A. she was a girl
- B. she was a Pashtun
- C. they wanted to silence her
- D. she was a good student

20. On her sixteenth birthday, Malala _____.

- A. went to school as usual
- B. received 8000 birthday cards
- C. was discharged from the hospital
- D. spoke to the United Nations