UNIT III Module 1 Responding to Differences of Opinion and Culture

Overview

"What is man that Thou art mindful of him... Thou hast made him a little lower than the angels, and Thou hast crowned him with glory and honor..."

- Psalm 8

The measure of man is great and the mosaic of his life is as varied and multifaceted as his many and differing beliefs, cultures, opinions, colors and creeds.

This module focuses on how to cope and respond to these differences. After going through the module it is hoped that you will be able to deal with these differences objectively and coolheadedly as befitting an understanding, creative and intellectual creature to whom God gave dominion over all His creation.



Objectives

After going through the activities in the module you will be able to:

- 1. discover literature as a means of understanding man and his fellowmen
- 2. deduce the meaning of words through structural clues
- 3. form new words by affixation
- 4. sequence events in a narrative
- 5. make inferences and predictions
- 6. scan to locate required information on indicated points
- 7. point out how attitude influences one's behavior
- 8. react to the experiences of the characters in relation to real life situation
- 9. read non-verbal materials correctly
- 10. express ideas effectively
- 11. state one's feelings and reactions in a letter

Instructions

Here are some specific ways for you to learn from this Module. Remember to follow these steps.

- 1. Do not write anything on this module as several students will be using it. Do all your work in your notebook. **Be sure to label your work by the module number and title**. Keep a separate notebook for your Reflective Journal.
- 2. Read each section carefully. If you have not read the first two sections, go over them first.
- 3. Each module begins with a brief introduction or **Overview** followed by a list of **Objectives** you are expected to learn.
- 4. Before working on the activities, answer the **Pretest** first. Find out how well you did by checking your answers against the answers given under the **Self-check** of the pretest.
- 5. As you work on the activities try to relate them to the objectives of this module. What skill or strategy does the activity develop?
- 6. After each activity, go over the **Self-check** that follows to find out how will you fared in that activity. Pay attention to the items you missed. Learn from your mistakes.
- 7. After working on all the activities take the **Posttest**.

Now take the pretest. Please do you best.

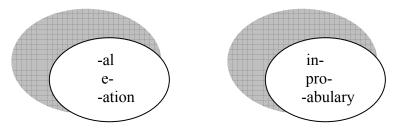


I. Vocabulary. Using Affixes

A. Write the correct word for the blank in each sentence. Choose from the boxes below.



- 1. I think Rin Tin Tin is a very good performer, he's an excellent _____
- 2. He is usually very busy helping people in trouble; he is very
- 3. He does things like fight bears and save babies; he is ______ interested in defending those who need help.
- 4. I wish my dog would behave like Rin Tin Tin; he doesn't _____ bravely at all though.
- B. Complete the word in each sentence with the correct prefix or suffix from the bubbles. Use the affix only once.

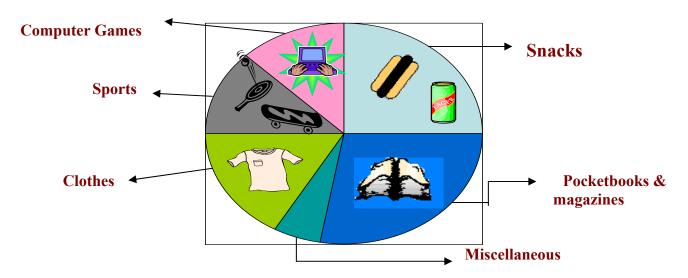


- 6. Maxine sings opera; music is her voc_____
- 7. Herbie howls a lot; he has powerful voc _____ chords.
- 8. Denny reads the dictionary; he has a large voc _____
- 9. Rita remembers those trips; they ______voke memories.
- 10. These people make a lot of trouble; they ______ voke every one.

II. Interpreting a Circle / Pie Graph

Look at the following pie graph closely then answer the questions that follow. Write letters where options are given.

How Paolo Spends His Monthly Allowance



- 11. How many items are represented in this pie graph?
- 12. Which item represents the biggest expense?
- 13. Which item represents the least expense?
- 14. Which two items when combined represent over half of the total expenses?
- 15. Which item represents one fourth of the total expenses?
- 16. Which two items when combined represent the same amount of expenses as the item for snacks?
- 17. From this circle graph we can infer that
 - a. Paolo is a party goer.

- c. Paolo enjoys outdoor games most.
- b. Paolo's favorite hobby is reading.
- d. Paolo loves to go outdoors

III. Reading Comprehension

Read the selection below then write the letter of your answer to each question that follows.

¹It was noon after the rain. ² Some soldiers on patrol spotted a body sprawled on a distant rice paddy. ³They approached it cautiously and one soldier turned the body over. ⁴To his surprise, it was a teenager with eyes mutely pleading not to be hurt.

- 5"What are you doing this far, son? Go home."
- ⁶"I have no home. The rebels killed my family."
- ⁷ "How did you escape?"

⁸ "I was in school. ⁹ When I arrived home I found my parents and sisters dead and our house burned to the ground. ¹⁰ A neighbor took me in and allowed me to sleep in his barn for a few nights. Later, he advised me to leave our village and go where nobody knew me. ¹² He cautioned me never to tell anybody that Father was a police informer. ¹³ That was three years ago. ¹⁴ Today, I work and stay in the fields during the day and listen to birds' songs and insects' beneath the stars at night."

18.	What is the selection about? a. A police informer b. A war victim		A dead teenager A kind soldier			
19.	Where is this scene most likely to happen? a. In a big cityb. In a small town	c.	In the mountains In a remote barrio)		
20.	When were the boy's family killed? a. That morning b. The night before	c. d.	A week ago Three years ago			
21.	What did the rebels destroy? a. The boy's home b. The entire barrio	c. d.	The mayor's house The soldiers' camp			
22.	Which adjective best describes a rice field a. Dusty b. Shining		noon after a rain? Shimmering	d.	Rainy	
23.	To what word does it in sentence 3 refer? a. Body b. Rice paddy	c.	Rain	d.	Soldier	
24.	What does <i>spotted</i> as used in sentence 2 n a. Stained b. Delivered at once	c.	? Made at random Observed			
25.	To what sense does with eyes mutely please a. Hearing b. Sight	_	best appeal? Taste	d.	Touch	
26.	What does <i>turned over</i> as used in sentence a. Surrendered to the enemies b. Beaten by the soldier	c.	nean? Reversed the posi Ran over	ition		
27.	What must the boy have felt when the sole a. Angry b. Afraid		questioned him? Happy	d.	Sad	
28.	Why did the boy sprawl himself on the paa. wanted to escape attention.b. accidentally tripped and fell.	c.	? He fainted from hung wanted to ask for	-) .	
29.	How did he feel as he lay on the ground? a. Sick b. Tired	c.	Hungry	d.	Scared	
30.	What adjectives best describe the soldiers a. Brave and patriotic b. Cruel and merciless	c.	Observant and sy	-		

	31.	what kind of person was the neighbor? a. Compassionate b. Selfish	c.	Strict	d.	Cruel	
	32.	Why was the boy advised to leave the villa a. He had no more family. b. His life was in danger.	c.	He had plenty of He was wanted by			
	33.	To what word does <u>he</u> in sentence 12 refer a. Boy b. Father		Neighbor	d.	Informer	
	34.	What trait of the boy is most admirable? a. Determination to fight b. Ability to escape		Ability to hide his Determination to		-	
	35.	What is the predominant sensory image in a. Taste b. Smell		tence 14? Sound	d.	Touch	
	36.	What does sentence 14 mean? The boy a. is now an orphan. b. has no place to live in.		is a music lover. loves nature.			
	37.	Which of the following is most likely to happen? If the boy agreesa. he will be given a gun to defend himself.b. he will be given to the rebels.c. the soldiers will bring him back to the barrio.d. the soldiers will take him with them.					
	38.	What is the purpose of the selection? a. To tell a story b. To describe something		To explain a proc To stress a point	ess		
	39.	Which of the following is a good title for ta. An Orphaned Boy c. The Survivor	c.	election? The Soldiers and When Parents Die		ру	
IV	. Gr	rammar					
		Complete the blank with the correct prese	nt p	erfect tense form o	f the	e verb in parentheses	
	40.	Since ancient times men (1	mak	e) maps of the eart	h.		
	41.	Many maps of the sixteenth century		(lose).			
	42.	Research(bring) to	ligh	t some of these ma	ps.		
	43.	Modern geographers (write	e) bo	ooks about old saili	ngs.		

44.	Only half of th	e world _		(m	ap) accurat	ely.			
45.	45. We (study) about modern map-making.								
46.	The first atlas		(com	e) to us fro	om Ptolemy	7.			
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IV. Gr	rammar								
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Perfect? Amazing! Congratulations.

Did you score between 35-49? Very good! Keep up the good work and study the module very well so you'll score better.

Did you get between 20-34? Not bad for starters. Use the module to the max so you'll improve.

Is your score 19 or lower? That's okay. You're just starting anyway, but you have to study harder and do the activities very well to improve.

Good luck!

Words Unlocked

Fill in the blanks with the correct word chosen from the box below. Write your answers in your notebook.

1. The man murmured incoherent words. The words came out from his lips________.

2. The stranger gave the girls a furtive glance. He continued looking at them_______.

3. She was reluctant to leave her hometown for the big city. She finally left_______.

4. Her husband's condition was critical. He was ________ ill.

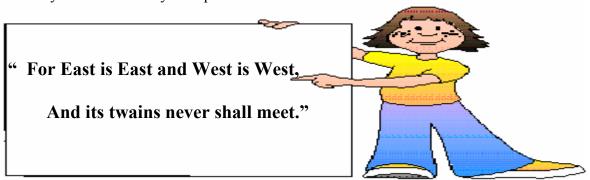
5. Their employer was stern. He would speak ________ to them.

6. One of the passengers stalled the bus at Naga City. The other passengers waited ______.

grudgingly seriously stealthily unintelligibly



Explain what you understand by this quotation:



Do you agree with this? Why or why not? Cite examples in real life to support your answer. Look at the title of the selection. What, do you think, is the story likely to be?





The Small Japanese Girl

(Condensed from the story of the same title) Celso Al. Carunungan

The large Greyhound bus stopped at Philadelphia at four o'clock in the morning of December 25, 1952. A small girl in dark-blue dress and a tiny leather tote-bag stepped into the bus. Since all the seats were taken, except the one beside me, she walked straight to it and sat down quietly. When I saw that the girl was Japanese, at once the memory of my brother Porvenir returned to me. He was captured by the Japanese on March 4, 1944 in San Pablo City. No one can say for sure whether he was killed by the Japanese or not – but he never returned to this date.

When the bus started to move again along the snow-banked highway, I heard the girl sniffling softly. I looked at her furtively, and in the dim glow of the lights on the road, I saw her eyes gleaming with tears.

After a while, I heard her voice; she was muttering something like a chant in Japanese. When our eyes met, I could not help but talk to her.

"Hello," I said. "Are you Japanese?"

"Yes, sir," she said. "You, Chinese?"
"No," I answered quickly. "I'm

Filipino."

"Oh," she said softly, "I met a Filipino on board the ship on my way to America six months ago. He hated me so. He hated all Japanese. He said the Japanese killed his father."

"The Japanese killed my brother, too," I said grimly.

"I'm sorry to hear that," she said wiping her face with her fist. "You hate the Japanese, too?"

"I don't know," I said. "We loved our brother very much, and my mother was never at peace since he was taken away from us."

"What happened to him?" she asked.

"One night, the Japanese came to our house and caught my brother playing *God Bless America* on the phonograph. He loved that song very much and sang it all the time. In those dark years that song was a symbol of hope and faith for all of us. The Japanese soldiers took my brother away saying he was a traitor to Japan because of that song. That was the last time we saw him."

"It was not the Japanese people who killed your brother," she said slowly. "It was something else. We Japanese, we hate war, too. We don't like death and suffering. But there was nothing we could do. We were forced to obey those who did not care for suffering and death so long as they got what they wanted. I had a brother, too. He used to make beautiful paper flowers and lanterns and clever toys for the children of our village near Kyoto. He was a sweet happy boy, but they sent him to war. We never saw him again. Only his clothes and his little notebook and a tiny Buddha were sent to us with the note that my brother was killed in gallant action."

Her voice mingled with the sound of the bus and the snore of a big plump man in a dark brown jacket.

When the bus stopped at Harrisburg, it was almost five o'clock. "You have ten minutes," the driver said as he left the bus to go to the depot.

In twelve minutes, the driver was back but the Japanese girl was still out. I told the driver about it and he looked at his watch, murmured incoherent words, and shook his head. He waited while the other passengers mumbled their displeasure.

When the girl finally turned up, she headed straight to her seat. The man who snored was now awake and said loudly. "Next time you have to do something lady, do it faster. You're in America now."

She said nothing. She just sat there quiet and sad-looking.

"Are you going to New York, Miss?" I asked finally.

"Yes, sir," she said.

"I am, too." I said. "Where in New York?"

"St. Alban's Hospital."

"A hospital? On Christmas Day?" I stared at her. "Are you.... Are you ill?"

"No, That hospital is for navy men only," she said, facing me. "My husband's there."

"A doctor?"

"No, A patient. He's been there for sometime now. He's an American navy flyer who was shot down in Korea six months ago."

"You're going to visit him?" I asked again.

"Yes. I was late in coming to the bus in Harrisburg, because I called up the nurse over there to ask about him. He's critically ill and they might operate on him today."

"So that's why you were crying...." I said foolishly.

"I love him so, mister," she said, her voice full of gentleness and childlike softness. "I met him in Tokyo and he was the nicest man I've ever met. I loved him at once and married him when he asked me to. When they sent him to America after the crash I went to America in the cheapest boat. I saw Bill in the hospital and my heart almost broke seeing him lying there pale and thin, his face and shoulders scarred. His parents were there, too and they seemed not to like me at all. But Bill was so nice and I forgot all the coldness of his parents."

"I wish I could live there in the hospital to be at his side, helping him always. He has a good nurse but I know no one could take care of Bill better than myself for no one loves him much more than I do."

She paused for a minute.

"Please don't be bored with the talk," she said a bit wearily. "It's the only way I could keep my sanity."

"I'm not bored," I said. "Go on."

"When visiting hours were over, Bill told his parents to take good care of me. His mother smiled and nodded but his father snarled at her and sternly refused to take me with them to Philadelphia. He did not like me, maybe, because he did not know anything about what the Japanese people really are."

Now pause and answer the following.

How did the passengers feel when the Japanese girl boarded late in Harrisburg? Why was she late?

Do you think Bill's father finally agreed to take her with them to Philadelphia? Read on to find out.

"I tried to hide my pain from Bill, because I did not want him to feel hurt too so I told him I can take care of myself. That night, I took a hotel in New York while Bill's parents went back to Philadelphia."

The girl breathed hard. The long sentences seemed difficult for her.

"I tried to visit Bill everyday. Whenever I could not go to the hospital, I called up his nurse who was very nice and she would tell me how he was."

"Yesterday, I received a letter from Bill's mother asking me to visit them for Christmas. She said that she knew from Bill that I was going to have a baby soon, and she wanted me to be there so there will be someone to take care of me when my time came. I went reluctantly as Bill wanted me to spend the holiday with his family. He told me it would make him very happy. The mother

received me very well but the father said some nasty words and they had a bitter quarrel. When he struck her with his fist, I tried to help her but he told me to leave or he would strike me, too. Afraid about my baby and about Bill I ran away, hoping to bother him no more."

"I called up the St. Alban's nurse before I left Philadelphia and she said Bill's condition was not too good. They were giving him blood transfusion when I called. I took the bus, because I did not have enough money for a plane fare. I am very anxious to know how he is, so every station I passed by I made a call. I'll make another call when the bus stops again," she said.

"You have enough money?" I asked.

"Yes, I don't care if I have no breakfast," she answered.

"I'll give you the money for the next call." I said.

"No, please," she said.

Now pause again and answer the following questions.

What was Bill's condition the last time the girl called? Why did she take a bus when there was an emergency? What did the narrator decide to do? Will she accept it?

Read on to find out.

"Accept it as my Christmas gift to you." I said smiling.

She looked at me. "You're very good sir," she said. "I'm happy to know you, because like me you have learned to understand many difficult things of love and hate. Japan is not the soldier who killed your brother. Japan is me and my parents and my brother who made paper lanterns and paper flowers and who is now dead. America is not Bill's father. America is Bill and his mother and that great man who said that all men are created equal."

She accepted the money.

When the bus stopped in New Jersey, she left the bus hurriedly. While she was down I told the passengers of her sad story and the calls she was making to her critically ill husband. The man who made the painful remarks earlier spoke, "Why don't we pass the hat around so we can give her something for the next calls? After all, its Christmas."

Everyone nodded and I passed the hat and got about two dollars in change. The man who made the suggestion put in a crisp dollar bill

She was delayed again in returning but now we did not care. When she came up she was quiet as she walked to her seat. After what seemed to be an endless moment, I tapped her shoulder gently.

"Miss," I said softly. "The passengers of this bus felt that they would like to help you in your difficulties. We passed the hat around. Accept, please, our little gift to you – for your next calls to the hospital."

She looked at me; her face was pale, her eyes full of tears. Her hair was disheveled and the tears made tiny streams on her face sweeping the powder off.

"Thanks to all of you," she said, full of emotion. "Thank you very much. But I don't need the money anymore. The nurse said he's dead," the girl cried. "He's dead, my Bill," and she covered her face with her hands and sobbed loudly and unashamedly.

One lady wiped her eyes with her handkerchief for she was also crying. I held the money uneasily in my hand not knowing what to do with it and tried to stop myself from crying too.

The girl raised her hand and looked at me. "Mister, don't be sorry for me," she said. "My husband is not dead. Like your brother he's alive somewhere. He's coming back....someday."

Then she stood up and everyone looked at her tearful face. "Don't be sorry for me," she said loudly. "Let's sing together for my husband and for the brother of this Filipino." She pointed at me. "After all, it is now Christmas."

She started to hum the first bars of *God Bless America*. The man who gave the dollar bill caught the song and he sang in his loud off-key voice. I took the girl's small leather bag placed the money inside it and then I sang, too. The driver also sang from his seat. Soon, the whole bus was singing with the most wonderful singing I have ever heard in my whole life.



Scanning for Details

- 1. What is the setting of the story?
- 2. Who is the narrator? What is his nationality?
- 3. What is the nationality of the girl?
- 4. Where was she going? the narrator?
- 5. Why was the girl in such a distressed state?
- 6. Who was the girl's husband? What was his nationality and occupation?
- 7. Where did they meet?
- 8. What happened to him? What did the girl do?
- 9. Where did she meet his family? How did his family receive her?
- 10. What bad news did she receive on her last call to the hospital? How did she take the news?

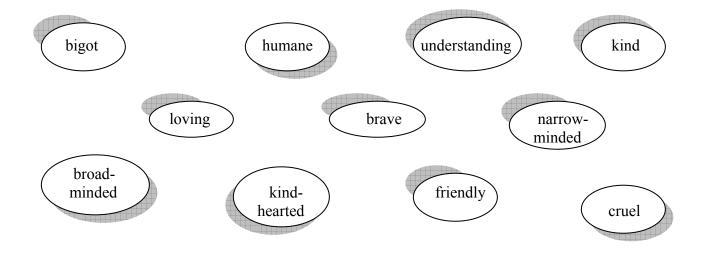
Sequencing Events

Arrange the following events as they appeared in the story. Write letters only.

- a. Then at Harrisburg, the bus was delayed by her to the displeasure of other passengers.
- b. Sensing that something was troubling her, he asked if she was ill.
- c. The Filipino narrator met a small Japanese girl in a bus bound for New York.
- d. Finally, all the passengers sang God Bless America.
- e. The girl answered she's okay but her husband, Bill, was seriously ill in a New York hospital.
- f. But when the girl returned she told them her husband died.
- g. Learning about her plight, the narrator gave her money for her next call.
- h. So, she called up the hospital every time the bus stopped to ask about him.
- i. One passenger suggested that they pass the hat around so they could help her financially.
- j. When she left the bus at New Jersey the narrator explained to the other passengers why she delayed the bus at Harrisburg.

Understanding the Story

- 1. Why was the narrator somewhat unfriendly with the Japanese girl at the beginning of the story? What made him change his attitude? If you were in his place would you have done the same? Why or why not?
- 2. Which of the following traits are possessed by the characters? Fill in the chart by choosing from the bubbles



Japanese girl	Bill's father	Bill's mother	Narrator

Cite lines from the story to support your answer.

- 3. What excuse did the Japanese girl give for the attitude of Bill's father?
- 4. Explain the following:
 - a. "It was not the Japanese people who killed your brother. It was something else. We, Japanese hate war, too. We don't like death and suffering. But there was nothing we could do. We were forced to obey by those who did not care provided they got what they wanted..."
 - b. "Japan is not the soldier who killed your brother. Japan is me and my parents and my brother who made paper lanterns.... America is not Bill's father. It is Bill and his mother and that great man who said all men are created equal."
- 5. Based on the selection, what heartaches and struggles may one endure if he marries one not of his own race? Why?
- 6. Could the story happen in real life? Cite instances to support your answer.
- 7. What is the message of the selection? Is it still applicable today? Explain.

Write Thing

Imagine that you were on the bus with the Japanese girl. You are now back home and you decide to write her a letter telling what you think of her because of what she did.

Give the girl a name and start writing the letter. You may begin this way.

Dear Sumi.

Hi! I'm Bobby Sioson. I sat a few seats away from you on the bus to New York. I was deeply touched by your attitude so I decided to let you know how you have touched my life.

(Continue)



Self-check

Words Unlocked.

- 1. incoherently
- 2. furtively

- 3. reluctantly
- 4. critically

- 5. sternly
- 6. grudgingly

While Reading

- A. The passengers were displeased.

 She had to telephone the hospital where her husband was confined.
- B. Bill was seriously ill.She had no money for the plane fare.The narrator decided to give her money for her next call.

Post Reading

Scanning for Details

- 1. aboard a Greyhound bus; Dec. 25, 1952
- 2. A Filipino man
- 3. Japanese
- 4. Both were going to New York, the girl specifically to St. Alban's Hospital
- 5. Her husband was critically ill in the hospital.
- 6. Bill, a navy flyer
- 7. Tokyo, Japan during the Korean War
- 8. He was shot down in Korea. When he was taken to America, the girl followed him.
- 9. Yes, in the hospital. She was given a cold treatment.
- 10. Her husband died. She cried at first, but later on accepted the death and led the passengers in the singing of *God Bless America*.

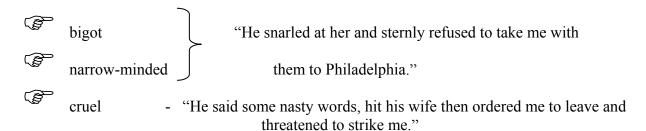
Sequencing Events

1. c 3. b 5. h 7. j 9. f 2. a 4. e 6. g 8. i 10. d

Understanding the Story

- 1. Because he remembered the cruelty of the Japanese soldier who killed his brother during the war. He took pity on her when he saw her crying. (Varied answers)
- 2. Character Traits Possessed Proof from the Story
 - a. Japanese girl
 - brave She went to America alone; she stayed in a hotel alone.

 loving "I wish I could live in the hospital to take care of Bill...."
 - understanding "He did not like me maybe because he did not know anything about what the Japanese people really are."
 - b. Bill's father



c. Bill's mother

broad-minded - "Bill told his parents to take care of me and his mother smiled and nodded."



kindhearted - "She knew from Bill that I was going to have a baby soon and she wanted me to be there so there will be somebody to take care of me when my time comes."

d. Narrator

B

kind

- "I'll give you money for your next call."



humane

- "you're very good, mister.... You have learned to understand many difficult things about love and hate...."

- 3. That he did not know what kind of people the Japanese really are.
- 4. Varied answers.
- 5. One has to overcome the biases and prejudices of the families of the husband or wife and be prepared and be brave to accept whatever kind of treatment they would receive.
- 6. Yes. Varied answers
- 7. Intermarriages between cultures, races or creeds could be difficult.

Your Score



Perfect score is 55. Did you score 55? Fantastic? You have become a good reader. Congratulations.

Is your score between 40-54? Very good! Keep up the good work or better yet improve.

Is your score between 25-39? You're doing fine but you can do better if you try some more.

But if you score 24 or lower please try your best to improve in the succeeding activities.

Skills Enhancer

Reading Non-Verbal Materials

In mathematics and science a discussion requiring several pages of words can be done better with non-verbal materials like graphs, diagrams and tables. These are used to sum up a body of facts already set forth or to make ideas clear and memorable.

To bring together information about topics like imports and exports, expenses and wages, weather, growth and development of human beings graphs are used. The kinds of graphs are:

- **1. Pictograph.** This is a simple kind of graph using pictures. A picture represents a number which is indicated in a legend.
- **2. Bar graph.** This maybe horizontal or vertical and gives information about numbers. It is used to show comparison by means of bars of different sizes or heavy lines drawn to scale.
- **3. Pie or Circle graph.** This is used to show the relationships of the parts to the whole.
- **4. Line/ flowchart or line graph.** This is used to show organizational relationship or directional trends.

To answer questions of quantity or stage of development or time, tables are used. They present facts through organized series of numbers related to a central topic.

To interpret graphic materials effectively the following may be helpful.

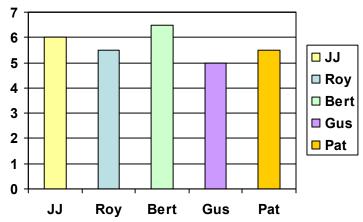
- 1. Get a general idea of the contents by reading the title carefully and determining what items are being examined or compared.
- 2. Look for general truths and general trends.
- 3. Look for the specific points you need.
- 4. Try to analyze the reason for the use of the particular form you are studying.
- 5. Try to get the implication of the data. Form your own inference and conclusion.

Exercise 1. Interpreting a Bar Graph

The graphic representation that follows indicates the following information:

- 1. The numbers on the left indicate the height in feet.
- 2. The names of the players are found at the bottom.
- 3. The length of the shaded areas gives the height of each player.





Write the answers to the following.

- 1. Which one of the boys is the tallest?
- 2. Which one of the boys is the shortest?
- 3. How tall is JJ?
- 4. Which two boys are the same in height?
- 5. Bert is taller than the six foot mark. About how tall is Bert?
- 6. How much taller is JJ than Gus?
- 7. How much taller is Bert than JJ?
- 8. Pat is half-way between the five foot mark and the six foot mark. How tall is Pat?
- 9. How much taller is Bert than Roy?
- 10. What game is being played by the team?



Now let's see how you fared. Check your answers against those that follow.

- 1. Bert
- 4. Roy and Pat
- 7. one-half inch
- 10. basketball

- 2. Gus
- 5. six and a half
- 8. five feet and a half

- 3. six feet
- 6. one inch

9. one inch

Your Score



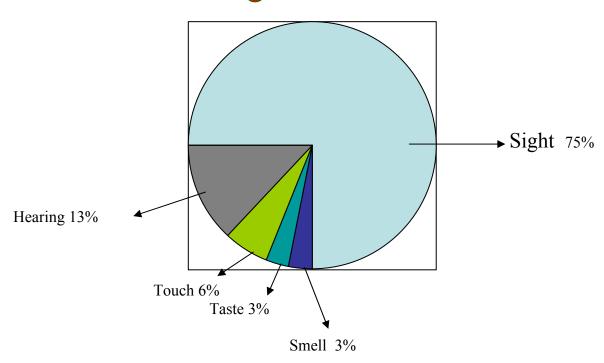
Perfect? That's great. Congratulations!

You should get 6 or higher to be considered good in interpreting a bar graph. Otherwise study the graph again, this time noting carefully the items you missed before going any further.

Exercise 2. Interpreting a Circle or Pie Graph

Study the graph below then answer the questions that follow. Where there are choices write the letter only.

Using the Senses



- 1. How many senses are represented in the pie graph?
- 2. How many senses when combined represent ¼ of the pie graph?
- 3. Which of the senses do we use most?
- 4. Which senses do we use least?
- 5. What can we conclude from this graph?
 - a. Man needs more than one sense to live.
 - b. The sense of sight represents \(^3\)/4 of the pie graph.
 - c. Man's eyes are very important.
 - d. We should take good care of our sense organs.



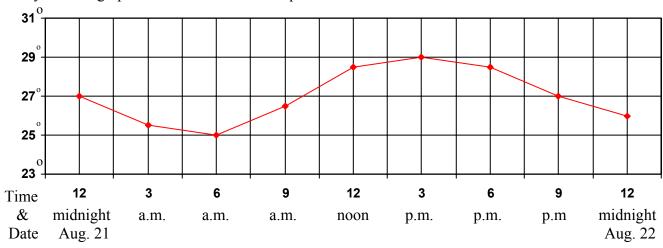
Now check your answers against the key.

- 1. five
- 2. four
- 3. sight
- 4. taste and smell
- 5. c

You should score 3 or higher to say you can read a pie graph correctly. Otherwise study the graph again to get what you missed.

Exercise 3. Interpreting a Line Graph.

Study the line graph below then answer the questions that follow.



- 1. How many hours are covered by the graph?
- 2. What was the temperature at 9 a.m.? Was it rising or falling?
- 3. At what time was temperature the highest?
- 4. At what time was temperature the lowest?
- 5. After 3:00 p.m. did the temperature rise or fall?
- 6. During what hours was temperature the same?
- 7. Which midnight was cooler?
- 8. During what time of day was it coolest?
- 9 What is the line graph about?



- 1. 24 hours
- 2. 26°; rising
- 3. 3 p.m.
- 4. 6 a.m.

5. It fell

- 9. Temperature of Aug. 21
- 6. 12 midnight Aug. 21 & 9 p.m.
- 7. midnight, Aug. 22
- 8. 6 a.m.

You should get 5 or higher. Otherwise study the line graph again and see what you missed.

Exercise 4. Interpreting a Table

Study this table and answer the questions that follow. Write your answers in your notebook.

Some Data on Metals

Metal	Cracifia	Average Wt.	Melting	Coeffi	cient of	Chan
(Element)	Specific Gravity	per cu. ft. (lbs.)	Point (°C)	Thermal Expansion	Heat Conductivity	Shop Name
Aluminum	2.7	169	658	13.3	0.52	Aluminum
Argentum	10.5	656	960	10.5	0.57	Silver
Aurum	19.3	1205	1063	8.0	0.7	Gold
Chromium	7.14	444	1615	4.5	0.17	Chromium
Cuprum	8.94	448	1083	9.1	0.92	Copper
Ferrum	7.86	494	1535	6.6	0.19	Iron
Nickel	8.90	556	1452	7.6	0.14	Nickel
Platinum	21.5	1344	1755	54.3	0.166	Platinum
Plumbum	11.35	709	328	16.4	0.083	Lead
Stannum	5.75	359	232	12.4	0.16	Tin
Stibium	6.68	418	630	6.27	0.04	Antimony
Wolfram	19.3	1196	3370	2.2	0.48	Tungsten
Zinc	7.14	446	419	18.0	0.27	Zinc

- 1. How many metals are included in the table?
- 2. How many metals are known by a different shop name?
- 3. What is the shop name of the metal with the highest melting point?
- 4. What metal is the heaviest?
- 5. What is the shop name of the metal which is the best conductor of heat?
- 6. What is the shop name of the metal that melts easily?
- What are the shop names of two metals having the same specific gravity?
- 9. What is the shop name of the metal which is the poorest conductor of heat?
- 10. What is the shop name of the lightest metal?



Let's find out how well you can read a table. Check your answers against the following.

- 1. Thirteen
- 3. Tungsten
- 5. Copper
- 7. Chromium
- 9. Antimony

- 2. Eight
- 4. Platinum
- 6. Tin
- 8. Zinc
- 10. Aluminum



Perfect? Terrific! You are a good reader of tables. Congratulations! You should get 6 or higher to make the grade. Otherwise study the table again and find out what you missed before proceeding any further.

Language Focus

Study the following sentences paying special attention to the italicized verbs.

- 1. The Japanese girl *has delayed* the bus in Harrisburg.
- 2. All the passengers *have* already *boarded*.
- 3. The driver has been waiting for sometime.

The italicized verbs are in the present perfect tense.

Generalizations

The present perfect tense is formed by the helping verb *has* or *have* and the past participle of the main verb $(S_1 \text{ and } S_2)$. The present perfect progressive is formed by the helping verbs *has been* or *have been* + $\underline{V\text{-ing}}(S_3)$. This form emphasizes the duration of time.

The present perfect tense expresses an action which began in the past and continues to the present. Expressions introduced by *for* and *since* are used.

Other uses of the present perfect tense are:

1. The present perfect tense expresses an action which began in the past and has just been completed. The expression *just* is used.

The girl *has* just *boarded* the bus. The passengers *have* just *seen* her.

2. The present perfect tense with *already* and *yet* shows indefinite time. *Already* is used in an affirmative statement. *Yet* is used in a negative statement. *Yet* may be used in an affirmative question to express a negative statement.

The narrator *has* already *told* them her sad plight.

They haven't helped her yet.

Has the girl received their financial assistance yet?

3. The present perfect tense may be used to express actions which occurred at intervals in the past. The expressions *always*, *ever* and *never* are used.

The Japanese people *have* always *wanted* peace. Bill's father *has* never *accepted* the Japanese girl for a daughter-in-law. *Have* they ever *realized* how much she loves their son?

Activity 1. A Review

Can you supply the past participle of the following irregular verbs? Go ahead. Write them in your notebook. The first verb is done for you.

Base	Past	Past Participle	Base	Past	Past Participle
 be begin lend break bring burst catch drink freeze grow lead make ring fall give 	was, were began lent broke brought burst caught drank froze grew led made rang fell gave	been	16. rise 17. put 18. see 19. steal 20. throw 21. write 22. shrink 23. spring 24. swim 25. wear 26. go 27. choose 28. leave 29. fly 30. run	rose put saw stole threw wrote shrank sprang swam wore went chose left flew ran	



Let's find out how much you remembered of the irregular verbs. Check your answers against the following.

1.	been	6. burst	11. led	16. risen	21. written	26. gone
2.	begun	7. caught	12. made	17. put	22. shrunk	27. chosen
3.	lent	8. drunk	13. rung	18. seen	23. sprung	28. left
4.	broken	9. frozen	14. fallen	19. stolen	24. swum	29. flown
5.	brought	10. grown	15. given	20. thrown	25. worn	30. run

You should score at least 26 or higher. If not study the past participle of all irregular verbs before going any further.

Activity 2. Fill in the blank with the correct form of the present perfect tense of the verb in parentheses.

A. 1. Until a bird (learn) to fly, it will not leave its nest.
2. Why are you so late? I(wait) for you for several hours now.
 2. Why are you so late? I (wait) for you for several hours now. 3. As soon as you (finish) your work you may leave.
4. Mando (lose) all his money in a poor investment.
5. After the matter (decide) you can join us.
6. It is warm today: the dry season (begin).
7. The guest (just arrive). I (see) him already.
8. She speaks English well because she (speak) English all her life.
9. Candida (be) an honor student since Grade One.
10. The Lenten season (just end).
11. Beth is very kind; she(help) me all day.
12. Most of the audience (already leave) the conference hall when he came.
13. We are staying in Malabon where we (stay) for five years.
14. He (not see) his brother for more than ten years.
15. The speaker(speak) on Filipino culture, values, traditions and weakness for an
hour.
<u>B</u> ,
Ken is a Peace Corps Volunteer. He(1) (be) here since October.
He(2) (take) trips to various historical and scenic spots. He(3)(already
visit) Fort Santiago, Rizal Park and Wow Philippines. He(4) (also go) to Tagaytay,
Baguio and Banawe. He(5) (experience) many aspects of Filipino life ever since he
arrived. He(6)(attend) a town fiesta and(7) (witness) a barrio
wedding, too. He(8) (taste) native delicacies and he thinks they're good.
He(9) (develop) a liking for <i>adobo</i> and <i>lechon</i> . He(10) (try)
dancing the <i>Tinikling</i> and the <i>Maglalatik</i> . His one big wish, though, is to ride on a calesa.
He (11) (never ride) in one before.
Self-check Went to know how you fored? Check your engages against those that follows
Want to know how you fared? Check your answers against those that follow.

- A. 1. has learned
 - 2. have been waiting
 - 3. have finished
 - 4. has lost
 - 5. has been decided
 - 6. has begun
- B. 1. has been
 - 2. has taken
 - 3. has already visited
 - 4. has also gone

- 7. has just arrived have seen
- 8. has spoken
- o. Has spoker
- 9. has been
- 10. has just ended
- 11. has been helping
 - 5. has experienced
 - 6. has attended7. has witnessed
 - 8. has tasted

- 12. have already left
- 13. have stayed
- 14. has not seen
- 15. has spoken
- 9. has developed
- 10. has tried
- 11. has never ridden



Perfect score is 27. Did you get 27? Excellent! You pick up fast. Congratulations. Is your score between 22-26? Very Good! But there is still so much room for improvement. Try harder in the succeeding activities.

Is your score between 17-21? Not bad, but you can do better than that. Please spend more time in your studies. Try harder in the succeeding activities

Did you get 16 or lower? So much leaves to be desired. Please spend more time in your studies and study the Generalization again before going to the next activity.

Activity 3A. Use of Ever and Never

Change each statement to a question. Number 1 is done for you.

1. Manoling has never attended an *Ati-Atihan* festival.

Has Manoling ever attended an *Ati-Atihan* festival?

- 2. I have never lied to my parents.
- 3. Richard has never gone to a disco.
- 4. The girls have never violated school rules and regulations.
- 5. Sarah has never been to Subic.
- 6. The senator has never left the country.

Activity 3 B. Answer the following questions using the present perfect progressive. Number 1 is done for you.

1. What have they been doing since this morning?

They have been working on their project since this morning?

- 2. What has the boy been reading all day?
- 3. Have you been studying your lessons?
- 4. What has the carpenter been fixing since yesterday?
- 5. Has the class valedictorian been working on her speech?
- 6. What has the new student been complaining about all week?



Let's see how you performed. Check your answers against the key that follows. Score each correct answer two points.

- 3A. 2. Have you ever lied to your parents?
 - 3. Has Richard ever gone to a disco?
 - 4. Have the girls ever violated school rules and regulations?
 - 5. Has Sarah ever been to Subic?
 - 6. Has the senator ever left the country?
- 3B. 2. The boy has been reading science fiction all day.
 - 3. Yes, I have been studying my lessons.
 - 4. The carpenter has been fixing the old built-in cabinet since yesterday.
 - 5. Yes, the class valedictorian has been working on her speech.
 - 6. The new student has been complaining about her class schedule all week.



Perfect score is 20. Perfect? That's great! Congratulations!

Did you score between 15-19? Very good! Keep up the good work.

Is your score between 10-14? Not bad. But you could have done better.

But if you scored 9 or lower you've got a lot of making up to do. Please spend more time in your studies to make the grade. You're lagging behind.

Everyday Expressions

Study the following idioms with take.

take aback - to surprise or shock

take after - resemble *take away* - to remove

take back
 to retract; to accept the return of a purchase
 to record in writing; to remove or dismantle

take off - to flee; remove

take out - obtain or secure; remove

take over - assume control or responsibilitytake to - develop a liking for; develop a habit

Exercise 1. Complete the blank with the correct form of the idiom with take.

1.	If Jojo obtains enou	gh shar	e, he can	the company.
			w the policeman he	
3.	Malou was		by Marlon's unexpecte	d proposal.
4.	Father	a life i	insurance policy last week	
5.	Rodolfo has		smoking a pipe instead or	f cigarettes.
			that rubble	
7.	Anything you say m	ay be	and used	as evidence.
8.	All the Pineda child	ren	their father in hei	ght.
9.	I'm tired of encodin	g this r	eport, could you please	?
10.	Please		that ugly poster.	
11.	Manufacturers shou	ld	any faulty produ	ıct.
12.	The teacher	tł	ne new girl in class immed	iately.
13.	He the r	noney_	from his	savings account yesterday
14.	He all th	ne nasty	y things he said about her.	
15.	your	wet sh	noes before entering the ro	om.



Let's find out how your fared. Check your answer against the key that follows.

 1. take over
 6. take away
 11. take back

 2. took off
 7. taken down
 12. took to

 3. taken aback
 8. take after
 13. took out

 4. took out
 9. take over
 14. took back

 5. taken to
 10. take down
 15. take off



Perfect? Excellent! You know your idioms well. Congratulations

Is your score between 11-14? Very good! Keep up the good work.

Did you score between 7-10? That's fine but there is still so much room for improvement. Study your idioms harder.

Is your score 6 or lower? You've got to do something to improve your performance. Please put in more diligence in your studies.

Exercise 2.

Surely you can use these idioms in your own sentences. Go ahead. Try writing these in your notebook.

You are almost through with the module. To assess your gains take the posttest.



I. Vocabulary. Using Affixes

A. Write the correct word for the blank in each sentence. Choose from the boxes below.

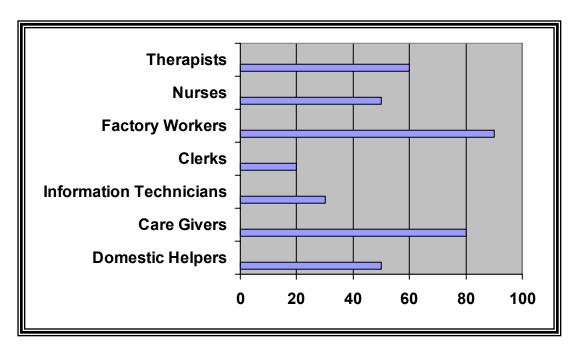
sickness	sicken	sick	sickeningly	sicker
2. My guitar te have	eacher isn't practiced.	ink I'll pretend to be cheerful to my	mother, but very an	
4. I shall preter5. Well, I took	nd I have measles; the my guitar lesson after	ou to practice playing nat is an easyer all; my mother known in the land to be a land to b	to spo	ot.
B. Complete the waffix only or		e with the prefix or	suffix chosen from t	the bubble. Use the
	trans- im- ex-		-able -ation -er	
8. The port 9. Trains, plane	in	port many product of one country from an our hotel carried of all means of	our bags down to tl	_ port ne waiting taxicab.

10. Junior carried the port ______ radio to the picnic.

II. Study Skills: Interpreting a Bar Graph

Study the graph below then write the letter of your answer to each question.

Acceptance Rate of Contract Workers for Taiwan.



Rate in Percent

- 11. How many kinds of contract workers are needed for Taiwan?
 - a. 4
- b. 8
- c. 5

d. 7

- 12. What contract workers does Taiwan need most?
 - a. Therapists

- c. Care givers
- b. Factory workers
- d. Nurses
- 13. What contract workers does Taiwan need least?
 - a. Clerks

- c. Information technicians
- b. Domestic helpers
- d. Nurses
- 14. Which two contract workers have equal chances of acceptance for Taiwan?
 - a. Clerks and information technicians
- c. Care givers and factory workers
- b. Nurses and domestic helpers
- d. Therapists and nurses
- 15. Which is a reasonable conclusion based on the graph?
 - a. Taiwan is health conscious.
 - b. There are many well-off old people in Taiwan.
 - c. Taiwan is fast becoming industrialized.
 - d. Domestic helpers are badly needed in Taiwan.

III. Reading Comprehension.

Read the following selections then write the letters of your answers to the questions that follow.

Α.

A nobleman and a merchant once met in a tavern. For their lunch they both ordered soup. When it was brought, the nobleman took a spoonful but the soup was so hot that he burned his mouth and tears came to his eyes. The merchant asked why he was weeping.

The nobleman was ashamed to admit that he had burned his mouth and answered, "Sir, I once had a brother who committed a great crime for <u>which</u> he was hanged. I was thinking of his death and <u>that</u> made we weep."

The merchant believed the story and began to eat his soup. He too burned his mouth so that he had tears in his eyes. The nobleman noticed it and asked the merchant, "Sir, why do you weep?"

The merchant who now saw the nobleman had deceived him answered, "My Lord, I am weeping because you were not hanged with your bother."

- 16. The nobleman and the merchant met in a
 - a. motel.
- b. night club.
- c. restaurant.
- d. beer house.

- 17. It in sentence 3, paragraph 1 refers to
 - a tavern
- b lunch
- c. spoonful.
- d. soup.

- 18. The nobleman did not tell the truth because he
 - a. was noble.

c. was in a tavern.

b. felt ashamed.

- d. was angry.
- 19. Which in paragraph 2 refers to
 - a. crime.
- b. brother.
- c. death.
- d. mouth.

- 20. That in sentence 2 paragraph 2 refers to
 - a. weep.
- b. thinking.
- c. crime.
- d death

- 21. The merchant believed the nobleman because
 - a. all noblemen tell the truth.
 - b. merchants are duly bound to believe noblemen.
 - c. the nobleman was clever.
 - d. the merchant was stupid.

22.		d in the selection deceived. b.	n that means <i>cheat</i> hanged.		s burned.	d.	noticed.
23.	a.	of his burned me waved with la poured out the	-	c.	ould have told the truth. scolded the waiter	r.	
24.	a.	very cold soup	nerchant both had o. vl of soup each.		each a share of the chicken soup.	e he	at of the soup.
25.		of the story is serious. b.	humorous.	c.	sarcastic.	d.	sentimental.
3.							
Afghan housan	istan. ² ' d flowers	" You don't ki – a thousand si	now its smile. ³ I miles. ⁴ The thorn	n th busl	e spring, after the	rai atio	rful man in the desert ons, it is covered with in buds and blossom
26.		es <i>unpredictabl</i> Unseen b.	<i>e</i> in sentence 1 me Unknown		Impossible	d.	Immeasurable
27.	_	-	s used in sentence : Metaphor		Personification	d.	Apostrophe
28.			sentence 3 refer? Afghanistan	c.	Rains	d.	Desert
29.			nsory impression i Touch		entence 3? Sight	d.	Smell
30.		es <i>thornbush</i> in Sadness b.	sentence 4 imply Happiness		Suffering	d.	Repentance
31.	_	ure of speech is Hyperbole b.	s used in sentence s Antithesis		Metonymy	d.	Personification
32.	a.	he author's pur Describe the d Compare dese		c. d.			t is better than man

C.

Leisure

- ¹ What is this life if full of care,
- ² We have no time to stand and stare?
- ³ No time to stand beneath the boughs,
- ⁴ And stare as long as sheep or cows.
- ⁵ No time to see, when woods we pass,
- ⁶ Where squirrels hide their nuts in grass.
- ⁷ No time to see, in broad daylight,
- ⁸ Streams full of stars, like stars at night.
- ⁹ No time to turn at Beauty's glance,
- ¹⁰ And watch her feet, how they can dance,
- ¹¹ No time to wait till her mouth can,
- ¹² Enrich that smile her eyes began.
- ¹³ A poor life this if, full of care,
- ¹⁴ We have no time to stand and stare.
- 34. What does *leisure* as used in the poem mean?
 - a. Time to rest and appreciate things
 - b. Time to hide nuts
 - c. Time to work hard and efficiently
 - d. Time to meditate
- 35. What scene is referred to in lines 3 and 4?
 - a. Seashore
- b. Woodland
- c. Farm
- d. Park

- 36. What does *woods* in line 5 mean?
 - a. Wind instruments
 - b. Wild with excitement

- c. Timber
- d. Forest
- 37. To what sense does line 8 best appeal?
 - a. Hearing
- b. Sight
- c. Touch
- d. Taste

- 38. To what word does *her* in line 10 refer?
 - a. Leisure
- b. Glance
- c. Beauty
- d. Care

- 39. What kind of life is devoted entirely to work?
 - a. Dull

- b. Carefree
- c. Inspiring
- d. Fruitful

- 40. How can streams full of stars be seen in broad daylight?
 - a. During a solar eclipse, stars appear at daytime.
 - b. Stars are reflected by quiet streams.
 - c. Sunlight reflected by running water sparkle like stars.
 - d. Pebbles under the water shine like stars.
- 41. What is the dominant sensory image in the poem?
 - a. Sight
- b. Touch
- c. Sound
- d. Motion

- 42. What does the poem suggest? That people should
 - a. go to the forest.

c. work and play at the same time.

b. take time to relax.

d. live to work only.

IV. Grammar

Complete the blank with the correct present perfect form of the verb in parentheses.

43.	The people of Holl	land (build) dykes and canals to protect their low-lying
	country from the s	ea.
44.	The sea	(be) the "enemy" of Holland from the beginning.
45.	Great floods	(cause) enormous destruction in Holland from time to time.
46.	Dutch engineers	(work) to this day on reclamation schemes.
47.	We	(just finish) reviewing verb forms.
48.	Rome	(always be) the center of Catholicism.
49.	Man	_ (reach) the stars.
50.	Scientists	(split) the atom which was believed to be the smallest particle of
	matter.	
51.	Mankind	_(not find) a solution to the problem of population explosion yet.
52.	Many small nations	which used to be colonies of foreign powers (achieve)
	independence.	
53.	Our way of life	(teach) us the value of promptness.
54.	With new modes of	travel people (become) time-conscious.
55.	We	(grow) dependent on our own timepieces.



Let's find out how much knowledge you've gained from the module. Check your answers against the following.

- I. Vocabulary. Using Affixes
 - A. 1. sicker
- 2. sickeningly
- 3. sicken
- 4. sickness
- 5. sick

- B. 6. export
- 7. importer
- 8. porter
- 9. transportation
- 10. portable

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11. d

12. b

13. a

14. b

15. c

III. Reading Comprehension

A. 16. c

21. c

22. a

B. 26. b 27. c

31. a

36. d

41. a

17. d

23. c

28. d

32. d 33. d 37. b 38. c 42. b

18. b 19. a

20. c

24. c

25. b

29. c 30. c C.34. a

35. c

39 a 40. c

IV. Grammar

43. have build

44. has been

45. have caused

46. have been working

47. have just finished

48. has always been

49. has reached

50. have split

51. has not found

52. have achieved

53. has taught

54. have become

55. have grown

Your Score



Perfect? Excellent! It's a pleasure working with you. Congratulations. Did you score between 40-54? Very good! Keep up the good work. I'm happy for you. Is your score between 25-39? Okay, but you could have done better had you tried harder. I know you can score higher than this.

If you scored 24 or lower you've got to improve and do this fast. You're running against time. Try harder to make the grade. Good luck!

Before you put aside this module, spend some time reflecting on what you have learned from it. Use this format in your reflective journal. Check the column that best describes your feeling about the activities you did. For the last column, give your reason.

What I think of the activities in this module

	How I liked them		
Things I Did	(Very much)	(Just fine)	(Not so much because)
What I liked best			