

## **English Home Language, Grade 10, Rules of Concord**

### **Choose the correct verb**

1. She \_\_\_ to school every day. (go/goes)
2. The dogs \_\_\_ loudly. (bark/barks)
3. My brother \_\_\_ a new phone. (has/have)
4. Those children \_\_\_ very noisy. (is/are)
5. Peter and John \_\_\_ soccer after school. (play/plays)
6. The teacher \_\_\_ the lesson carefully. (explain/explains)
7. Her friends \_\_\_ going to the concert. (is/are)
8. My cousin \_\_\_ from Cape Town. (come/comes)
9. The bus \_\_\_ at 8 a.m. (leave/leaves)
10. The girls \_\_\_ on the playground. (was/were)
11. Bread and butter \_\_\_ his favourite breakfast. (is/are)
12. Neither the cat nor the dogs \_\_\_ hungry. (is/are)
13. The manager and his assistant \_\_\_ here. (is/are)
14. My uncle and aunt \_\_\_ visiting us soon. (is/are)
15. Rice and curry \_\_\_ my favourite meal. (is/are)
16. Either John or his friends \_\_\_ coming. (is/are)
17. The principal, together with the teachers, \_\_\_ attending the event.  
(is/are)
18. Both the guitar and the violin \_\_\_ difficult instruments. (is/are)
19. There \_\_\_ a cat and two birds in the yard. (is/are)
20. Neither the players nor the coach \_\_\_ happy. (was/were)
21. Everyone \_\_\_ excited about the trip. (is/are)
22. Each of the boys \_\_\_ a turn. (get/gets)
23. Somebody \_\_\_ knocking at the door. (is/are)
24. Nobody \_\_\_ the answer. (know/knows)
25. All of the cake \_\_\_ gone. (is/are)
26. The team \_\_\_ playing well. (is/are)
27. The committee \_\_\_ divided in their decision. (is/are)
28. Some of the books \_\_\_ missing. (is/are)
29. Mathematics \_\_\_ difficult for her. (is/are)

30. The herd of cattle \_\_\_\_ moving slowly. (was/were)
31. The number of students in the class \_\_\_\_ increasing. (is/are)
32. A number of students \_\_\_\_ absent. (is/are)
33. Ten litres of water \_\_\_\_ enough. (is/are)
34. The news \_\_\_\_ shocking. (was/were)
35. The trousers \_\_\_\_ in the drawer. (is/are)
36. Neither of the answers \_\_\_\_ correct. (is/are)
37. The police \_\_\_\_ searching the building. (is/are)
38. There \_\_\_\_ a pencil and two pens on the table. (is/are)
39. The jury \_\_\_\_ divided in their opinion. (was/were)
40. Here \_\_\_\_ the books you asked for. (is/are)