

1. The following defines: **Narrative literary works whose content is produced by the imagination and is not necessarily based on fact.**
 - A. Fantasy
 - B. Pulp fiction
 - C. Detective story
 - D. Fiction
 - E. Whimsical literature
2. It is often used to indicate ownership of a book:
 - A. Blurb.
 - B. Binding
 - C. Bookplate
 - D. Jacket
3. Rare books can be qualified as
 - A. Books vulnerable to theft
 - B. Books bound in leather
 - C. Well-thumbed books
4. An individual who loves books, especially "for qualities of format", who loves books for their content, or otherwise loves reading is a:
 - A. Alert reader
 - B. Bookworm
 - C. Keen reader
 - D. Avid reader
5. List at least three of the reasons why books are censored and/or banned.
6. Choose one book that you think everyone should read and explain your reasoning.
7. What is creative nonfiction?
8. What is an autobiography? (give definition)
9. Substitute the word(s) in *italics* with ONE SUITABLE WORD from the active vocabulary you've covered during the term (textbook "Focus on CAE", Units 1-3). Write the word ONLY, do not rewrite the sentence in full. Phrasal verbs in answers are counted as ONE word:
 - 1) When you are tired or anxious, it's extremely difficult to get information back from your memory.
 - 2) Popular fears about losing memory with age are based on (a) faulty thinking that we slow down mentally with age.
 - 3) Losing hold is definitely not and inevitable consequence of the aging process.
 - 4) She's really forgetful and careless. She's constantly forgetting about her assignments and therefore, finds it difficult to meet the deadlines.
 - 5) You're a genius! Your sudden clever idea worked out perfectly!

- 6) In the Sahara desert the climate is characterized by long periods of time during which no rain falls.
- 7) Blinding severe snowstorms with high winds cause huge inconveniences for the drivers.
- 8) The balls of ice falling like rain from the sky was so strong, that it damaged the car roofs.
- 9) The truck drivers' strike all over the country brought traffic on the roads to virtual halt.
- 10) Do you know the guy's name? – Sorry, I haven't got the slightest idea.
- 11) The temperature outside was freezing, and there was no heating on the train, so the journey was lousy.
- 12) Elephants in the Zoo were given warm showers to prevent hypothermia.
- 13) High temperatures climate is bad for people with increased tendency to headaches.
- 14) I was really going to phone you, I mean it, it just escaped from my mind.
- 15) When you group like activities, the preparation time happens just once for the whole list.
- 16) The solution to your problem is in two ways – either you give up or pretend that you don't care.
- 17) After a busy working day, I find it difficult to relax.
- 18) I'm really sorry for interrupting, but could you tell me
- 19) The best way to avoid time eater is to establish self-discipline and do not change (=keep, proceed with) it.
- 20) If you give me a piece of paper, I'll put down my phone number. (HO HE «write»).

1. List at least three of the reasons why books are censored and/or banned. **Sexuality, profanity, blasphemy, sedition, drug/alcohol use, obscenity, misogyny, racism, sexism, homophobia, offensive to disabled people, etc.**

2. Choose one book that you think everyone should read and explain your reasoning. **This could be any of the books from their own lists that we discussed together.**

3. What is creative nonfiction? **Creative nonfiction (or narrative nonfiction) is a literary genre that blends fact and fiction. A writer will start from historical or factual events or people, and create a semi-fictional narrative from it.**

5. What is an autobiography? **A personal account of the author's life, written by the author her/himself.**

Key.

- 1) retrieve
- 2) misconception
- 3) grip
- 4) scatterbrained
- 5) brainwave
- 6) droughts
- 7) blizzards
- 8) hail
- 9) standstill
- 10) foggiest
- 11) rotten
- 12) stave off
- 13) proneness
- 14) slipped
- 15) occurs
- 16) two-pronged
- 17) wind down
- 18) butting in (to butt in)

19) stick to
20) jot