Diagnostic Parts of Speech Quiz

 On the line next to the number, write the first letter of the word indicated by the part of speech in the parentheses. Underline the indicated word within the sentence. If your consecutive letters are correct, you will spell out the names of four trees in items 1 through 12 and four first names in items 13 to 25. Write these six names on the lines below the last numbered item. Each correct answer is worth 4 points.

1. _____ **(preposition)** He walked around the corner.

2. _____ **(pronoun)** Paul hopes that she will sing with the choir.

3. _____ **(pronoun)** Can Jerry help him with the science project?

4. _____ **(noun)** Have you seen the eraser?

5. _____ **(noun)** The lock was stuck.

6. _____ **(noun)** She purchased the margarine with him.

7. _____ **(adjective)** Older people tire more easily.

8. _____ **(adjective)** He is agile.

9. _____ **(adjective)** Kind people are often rewarded.

10. _____ **(adverb)** The police officer ran fast.

11. _____ **(adverb)** My sister answered the question intelligently.

12. _____ **(adverb)** You really should see this art exhibit, Kenny.

13. _____ **(preposition)** Reggie fell by the stairs.

14. _____ **(preposition)** Can you jump over the hurdle?

15. _____ **(preposition)** May I sit between you two?

DIAGNOSTIC TEST 2   PARTS OF SPEECH *(Continued)*

16. ＿＿＿＿ **(verb)** Joke about it now.

17. ＿＿＿＿ **(verb)** They overcharged me.

18. ＿＿＿＿ **(verb)** Ozzie, eat up.

19. ＿＿＿＿ **(conjunction)** I cannot go, for I have much to do.

20. ＿＿＿＿ **(conjunction)** I like peanuts and potato chips.

21. ＿＿＿＿ **(conjunction)** He wants to buy the house, yet he knows it is too expensive.

22. ＿＿＿＿ **(interjection)** Jeepers! This is a great deal.

23. ＿＿＿＿ **(interjection)** Ah! The sun is so warm.

24. ＿＿＿＿ **(interjection)** No! I will never try that.

25. ＿＿＿＿ **(adverb)** Georgette eventually walked her brother to the station.

The four trees are ＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿, ＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿,

＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿, and ＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿.

The four first names are ＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿, ＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿,

＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿, and ＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿＿.

Number correct ＿＿＿ × 4 = ＿＿＿%