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### List 1

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	The pool was filled with dirt and leaves.	8	
2	He ducked under the counter to avoid eye contact.	9	
3	What are you feeding this dog?	6	
4	Do you think this is easy?	6	
5	Today we honor a legend.	5	
6	Traffic school was not where I wanted to be.	9	
7	She struggled with a significant weight problem.	7	
8	You are welcome, regardless of your age.	7	
9	I have a sneaking suspicion history will repeat itself.	9	
10	There is no need to be cruel.	7	
11	They cleaned the office for the new faculty member.	9	
12	He cried when the pet goat was sent to market.	10	
13	He did not have an original thought in his head.	10	
14	Do you believe in miracles?	5	
15	How does a lizard's tail grow back?	7	
16	The dog ate the snow.	5	
17	Try to stay focused on the task at hand.	9	
18	The bone structure of her face was striking.	8	
19	She directly said no to the family's plea.	8	
20	It was the first time she ever offered to pay.	10	

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#### List 2

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	She had a sly way of introducing insults.	8	
2	She was not looking forward to meeting his acquaintance.	9	
3	They found a beak in the Thanksgiving turkey.	8	
4	That is a great piece of information.	7	
5	Her parents wanted to pay.	5	
6	He did not like smoky bars.	6	
7	I think I need a nap.	6	
8	l just need a little air.	6	
9	Take a big wild guess.	5	
10	The engagement was not official yet.	6	
11	The nasty weather caused severe flooding.	6	
12	Your place really turned out great.	6	
13	Why did the dog have to die in the end?	10	
14	Why do you try to manipulate the system?	8	
15	There is something suspicious afoot.	5	
16	We celebrate African American culture.	5	
17	He is completing his apprenticeship at the funeral home.	9	
18	It became quite apparent that he had been drinking.	9	
19	The blatant display of favoritism was shocking to the class.	10	
20	She did not require an escort up the stairs.	9	

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Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	His organizational skills were lacking.	5	
2	The squeaky wheel was continually ignored.	6	
3	A fortune cookie does not supply reliable information.	8	
4	Reality television is extremely popular.	5	
5	Why don't people like me?	5	
6	The mall closed early on Sundays	6	
7	He was quite angry about the noise.	7	
8	The harder you work the luckier you get.	8	
9	The general public has a right to know.	8	
10	How many times can she say no?	7	
11	The princess' hair looked like two cinnamon rolls.	8	
12	Don't live beyond your means.	5	
13	This headache is getting worse every minute.	7	
14	I need to cash this check.	6	
15	What was that movie with the rainbow and ruby shoes?	10	
16	How many kitchen utensils do you own?	7	
17	Do I need a reason to be kind?	8	
18	The velvet suit fit perfectly.	5	
19	It takes talent to conceal such dislike.	7	
20	Sometimes life just isn't fair.	5	

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List 4

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	He was her favorite visitor so far.	7	
2	He used the leftovers for lunch the next day.	9	
3	Can you type forty words per minute?	7	
4	I do not like the word "swivel".	7	
5	The power struggle was between the teacher and student.	9	
6	He accidentally shaved off his eyebrows	6	
7	I'll have a cranberry and vodka please.	7	
8	He received the invitation too late.	6	
9	The old trunk is filled with past treasures.	8	
10	She did not think the feeling would ever return.	9	
11	We are not equipped to handle heavy rains here.	9	
12	It was homemade banana bread.	5	
13	He started slicking his hair back.	6	
14	It is really none of your business.	7	
15	The old man fell asleep in his moving motorized chair	10	
16	A strange fruit hung from the tree.	7	
17	It looks like a modern day castle.	7	
18	The hot tub was contaminated.	5	
19	You are contributing to bettering peoples lives.	7	
20	She wanted to give it a personal touch.	8	

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### List 5

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	He got five ulcers trying to retire before forty.	9	
2	The flying monkeys aimed to capture her.	7	
3	The office smelled like popcorn.	5	
4	There was still so much to do.	7	
5	The bread is stale.	4	
6	I don't appreciate your candor.	5	
7	I'm not sure it's due to a thyroid problem.	9	
8	Where's the beef?	3	
9	Are you going to find out the sex of the baby?	11	
10	I don't drink tap water.	5	
11	Strangely, they claim sun exposure can cause cancer.	8	
12	He introduced her as the decorator.	6	
13	I don't mind if we stay home tonight.	8	
14	Do not judge by appearances.	5	
15	Anyone who would do this must be incredibly giving.	9	
16	She abandoned those ways years ago.	6	
17	The instructor said she was not smart enough.	8	
18	Women can be intellectual as well as beautiful.	8	
19	The necklace is from a small village.	7	
20	How could you do such a thing?	7	

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List 6

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	Shopping can become an addiction I hear.	7	
2	He bit the head off the gingerbread man.	8	
3	I accidentally overwound grandpa's watch.	5	
4	You are an exceptional person.	5	
5	The bandage became bothersome.	4	
6	He drank to excess after the hamster's death.	8	
7	She finally stood up to the abuse.	7	
8	Love is not sacrifice.	4	
9	I think it is about time to lose weight.	9	
10	That cologne smells great.	4	
11	There were not enough hours in the day.	8	
12	Speak now or forever hold your peace.	7	
13	The city was filled with famous sculptures.	7	
14	You should try to get six hours of sleep.	9	
15	Her dress is made out of wheat.	7	
16	Her roots were three inches long.	6	
17	Go ahead and have a second helping.	7	
18	Her smile revealed a silver tooth.	6	
19	From now on I will be a voice for my own.	11	
20	It was an easy mistake to make.	7	

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# List 7

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	He was a bit on the dramatic side.	8	
2	The lack of attention he received brought turmoil.	8	
3	I should have gone into medicine.	6	
4	There is a surgery that will prevent sweating.	8	
5	The effects were not immediate.	5	
6	Don't let him talk you out of it.	8	
7	You really surprised me.	4	
8	The bottom of the bathrobe was wet.	7	
9	I received a dozen red, long-stem roses.	8	
10	Thank you so much for the bracelet!	7	
11	The incessant bird chirping became irritating	6	
12	Who is to say what is normal?	7	
13	This was a thrill I can't define.	7	
14	We are going to the monster truck show.	8	
15	The calculator was missing the number eight.	7	
16	He never looks like the picture.	6	
17	You are great looking for your age.	7	
18	Grandmother had several nice rings.	5	
19	I forgot the name of the show with that kid doctor.	11	
20	He became quite grouchy after dinner.	6	

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### List 8

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	The microwave caused static in the television picture.	8	
2	Her shopping carts always had a wheel stuck.	8	
3	That's quite a mug you have.	6	
4	I wanted to become a skilled critical thinker.	8	
5	A stuffy nose can leave you unable to taste.	9	
6	There was no place to park.	6	
7	Be a positive force in someone's life.	7	
8	Today we celebrate a chapter of civil rights.	8	
9	I see the competition as already won.	7	
10	She lied to herself about who she really was.	9	
11	They would not tolerate drunkenness.	5	
12	The insurance company does not treat me fairly.	8	
13	You stole my idea.	4	
14	She could only sleep for five hours.	7	
15	Internet dating is taking off.	5	
16	The toilet seat inopportunely broke in half.	7	
17	Remember that you are helping others.	6	
18	He gave her the prize out of the cereal box.	10	
19	The art show comes through town next week.	8	
20	The personalized license plate did not make any sense.	9	

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### List 9

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	Good customer service is becoming obsolete.	6	
2	They stayed in a bed and breakfast.	7	
3	A real friend does not ignore an obligation.	8	
4	Quitting is not an option.	5	
5	Observe the world with a positive outlook.	7	
6	Sometimes laughter is not the best medicine.	7	
7	Divorce is simply not an option.	6	
8	The children were slightly misguided.	5	
9	A sister- in- law can be a toxic poison.	9	
10	Sometimes it is better to let things go.	8	
11	The television program contained many insulting remarks.	7	
12	The bakery opened early.	4	
13	They are not her natural born children	7	
14	She was a well financed women.	6	
15	The towing company damaged the car.	6	
16	We don't have sidewalk cafes in America.	7	
17	We went golfing everyday for the whole week.	8	
18	He looked quite silly shadowing his every move.	8	
19	She swallowed her pride in the name of unity.	9	
20	I wonder how much money a mortician makes.	8	

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#### List 10

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	He tried to leave earlier than usual on Fridays.	9	
2	The thick makeup clogged her pores.	6	
3	He died when you were only seven.	7	
4	It was a strapless white dress.	6	
5	You deserve a break today.	5	
6	I am so frustrated with this task.	7	
7	They went sledding down the hill.	6	
8	You should learn to keep unwelcomed opinions to yourself	9	
9	Stay positive and it will all be over soon.	9	
10	I could use a long bubble bath.	7	
11	After several attempts at marriage he finally got it right.	10	
12	He gave me a thirty eight special.	7	
13	There are several ways to pronounce "nucleus".	7	
14	Something seems different about you.	5	
15	Will you change the laundry at the commercial?	8	
16	He finds your life offensive.	5	
17	In family feuds, the winner is the loser.	8	
18	The father was ashamed of his son.	7	
19	You look awesome in red.	5	
20	I can not take it anymore.	6	

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#### List 11

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	That memory seems like only yesterday.	6	
2	The plane circled for an hour before landing.	8	
3	They needed a lock on the refrigerator.	7	
4	You are speaking a little too loudly.	7	
5	Do you know why you have the day off today?	10	
6	The researcher was said to be a brilliant man.	9	
7	The event was free, but parking was seven dollars.	9	
8	He added chili powder to everything.	6	
9	It's your world, boss.	4	
10	I couldn't believe my eyes.	5	
11	Gun control is a touchy issue.	6	
12	He held an impressive record.	5	
13	Everything is great for the first year.	7	
14	I need to clean out all those drawers.	8	
15	She is a conversational wizard.	5	
16	Please don't steal my ideas.	5	
17	I would never have guessed she was that old.	9	
18	Her boyfriend was a great copycat.	6	
19	She ignored his agony and put herself first.	8	
20	Her laugh was like nails on a chalkboard.	8	

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List 12

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	Can I have a break please?	6	
2	Her poor attitude did not win her any friends.	9	
3	Consequently, he lost his best friend.	6	
4	We have plenty of drama queens in the world.	9	
5	You have to be willing to challenge everything.	8	
6	The child caused a ruckus in the restaurant.	8	
7	He secretly bought a house three doors down.	8	
8	Can you make me laugh?	5	
9	She was disrespectful of others time and comfort.	8	
10	I can't wait to be the center of attention.	9	
11	Her had an ear to ear grin.	7	
12	He broke the bottle of wine on the carpet.	9	
13	She had to babysit in the afternoon.	7	
14	Please disconnect my telephone service.	5	
15	It will be an early day tomorrow.	7	
16	Project your imagination to the point of visualizing success.	9	
17	This will be a perfect weekend to relax.	8	
18	She was bold and yet polite.	6	
19	She should be a martyr for Halloween.	7	
20	She laughed out loud in spite of herself.	8	

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Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	You can be so smug at times.	7	
2	She seriously injured her hand knitting.	6	
3	I appreciate your help very much.	6	
4	He was described as having pizzazz.	6	
5	The fireman did not have eyebrows.	6	
6	Why should we believe you?	5	
7	What is the new, hot topic?	6	
8	The teachers seriously lacked teaching skills.	6	
9	How can you not notice your transparency?	7	
10	If only you could choose your family members.	8	
11	He compared life to a box of chocolates.	8	
12	They carry different styles at other stores.	7	
13	He gave her a leaf blower as an anniversary gift.	10	
14	What is your secret?	4	
15	Maybe it was best they did not have children.	9	
16	He brought the mayor pencils.	5	
17	This is supposed to be hard.	6	
18	This was purely a means to an end.	8	
19	They thought the green glob was avocado.	7	
20	She picked the raisins out of the bread.	8	

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#### List 14

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18 Barbeque sauce does not compliment vanilla ice cream 8	
19The slacks were too tight.5	
20 He had a severe allergic reaction to peanuts 8	

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#### List 15

Sentence	Text	Poss	Score
1	He worried about money constantly.	5	
2	Those two were like peas and carrots.	7	
3	She omitted her invitation.	4	
4	Organization is the key.	4	
5	There was an enormous age difference.	6	
6	It's what's on the inside that really counts.	8	
7	There was not any medication available for the tourists.	9	
8	The boy enjoyed dancing with his dog.	7	
9	I wish she would convince herself she could fly.	9	
10	She always had to have things her way.	8	
11	She returned the shirt because it required future ironing.	9	
12	I don't think those eggs are cooked well.	8	
13	He didn't notice his sister had grown up.	8	
14	It was an inspirational story.	5	
15	Having a garbage disposal is great!	6	
16	She mowed the lawn at thirty six weeks pregnant.	9	
17	Mom called to check on me.	6	
18	They found her missing mother.	5	
19	What exactly do they make hotdogs out of?	8	
20	Isn't this considered cruel and unusual punishment?	7	

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