

Commas in a Series

Decide which of the two underlined words should be followed by a comma. If both words should be followed by a comma, choose *both*. If the sentence is correct as it is, choose *correct*. Mark your answer on the answer sheet.

1. At our picnic, we will eat hamburgers, hot dogs and buns.
A eat **C** *both*
B hot dogs **D** *correct*
2. Joe, May and Ben said they can come.
A May **C** *both*
B said **D** *correct*
3. May will bring plates, spoons and knives.
A bring **C** *both*
B spoons **D** *correct*
4. We can play games like tennis baseball, or basketball.
A like **C** *both*
B tennis **D** *correct*
5. The tennis courts swimming pool and baseball fields are close by.
A tennis courts **C** *both*
B swimming pool **D** *correct*
6. For swimming, you will need a bathing suit, suntan lotion and a towel.
A need **C** *both*
B suntan lotion **D** *correct*
7. Montell and Jaime will be coming with Shane Breanna and Patsy.
A Shane **C** *both*
B Breanna **D** *correct*
8. It will be fun to play games, to eat hot dogs, and to take walks.
A play **C** *both*
B eat **D** *correct*
9. Joe will bring his dogs Barkley, Oscar and Tyson.
A Joe **C** *both*
B Oscar **D** *correct*
10. We will also have soda, ice cream, and chocolate cake at the picnic.
A ice **C** *both*
B chocolate **D** *correct*
11. We can also play games like volleyball cards, or charades.
A volleyball **C** *both*
B games **D** *correct*
12. We will need charcoal and matches.
A charcoal **C** *both*
B matches **D** *correct*
13. Ketchup mustard, and relish are all yummy on certain picnic food.
A Ketchup **C** *both*
B relish **D** *correct*
14. Do you like lettuce tomato and onion on your hamburger?
A lettuce **C** *both*
B tomato **D** *correct*
15. I like sauerkraut, mustard and pickles on my hot dogs.
A mustard **C** *both*
B hot **D** *correct*
16. Fried chicken, corn on the cob, or bratwurst are also good picnic foods.
A Fried **C** *both*
B Corn **D** *correct*
17. In the evening, we can sing songs, roast marshmallows or tell stories.
A marshmallows **C** *both*
B sing **D** *correct*
18. My favorite kind of stories are ghost stories and Native-American legends.
A are **C** *both*
B ghost **D** *correct*