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Sentence Match Quiz for Category: preterite_poder

Mark the sentence that matches each item below.

1) Llueve, por eso no pudimos salir.

- A: It's raining, therefore we couldn't go out.
- B: We couldn't see her face.
- C: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?
- D: Were you able to take them together?

2) No pude ver la película porque tuve que acostarme temprano.

- A: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?
- B: I couldn't do anything.
- C: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?
- D: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.

3) No pude hacer nada.

- A: I couldn't do anything.
- B: I couldn't dial his phone.
- C: Were you able to take off the other nuts?
- D: Were you able to take them together?

4) ¿Pudiste cambiar la llanta?

- A: Were you able to change the tire?
- B: She couldn't lift her suitcase because it was too heavy.
- C: We couldn't see her face.
- D: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.

5) Anoche no pude ir al gimnasio, estaba cansado.

- A: Marta could beat the record by swimming faster than ever.
- B: Were you able to do your homework this afternoon?
- C: Were you able to go to the store yesterday?
- D: Last night I couldn't go to the gym; I was tired.

6) Quiso abrir la puerta pero no pudo.

- A: Pablo couldn't find Norway on the map.
- B: Were you able to take them together?
- C: I couldn't go to bed at nine o'clock because I had a lot of homework to do.
- D: He wanted to open the door but he couldn't.

7) Del viaje trajimos lo más que pudimos.

- A: From the trip we brought as much as we could.
- B: Were you able to take them together?
- C: Were you all able to help her?
- D: Last night I couldn't go to the gym; I was tired.

8) Pablo no pudo situar Noruega en el mapa.

- A: I was traumatized and I couldn't sleep.
- B: He wanted to open the door but he couldn't.
- C: Pablo couldn't find Norway on the map.
- D: I was able to go to the pool.

9) ¿Pudiste encontrar a alguien que pudiera ayudarnos?

- A: Were you all able to help her?
- B: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- C: Pablo couldn't find Norway on the map.
- D: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?

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10) Me traumaticé y no pude dormir.

- A: I couldn't go to bed at nine o'clock because I had a lot of homework to do.
- B: Were you able to do your homework this afternoon?
- C: I was traumatized and I couldn't sleep.
- D: Pablo couldn't find Norway on the map.

11) Pude ir a la piscina.

- A: The doctor couldn't stop the bleeding.
- B: I was able to go to the pool.
- C: I couldn't dial his phone.
- D: Were you able to do your homework this afternoon?

12) Nadie nos pudo ayudar. Nadie pudo ayudarnos.

- A: I couldn't help you this morning.
- B: Were you able to do your homework this afternoon?
- C: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- D: I couldn't dial his phone.

13) ¿Pudieron ustedes hablar inglés cuando llegaron a Utah?

- A: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?
- B: We weren't able to help Mary.
- C: Were you able to change the tire?
- D: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?

14) Ella no pudo levantar su maleta porque era muy pesada.

- A: She couldn't lift her suitcase because it was too heavy.
- B: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- C: Pablo couldn't find Norway on the map.
- D: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?

15) No pudimos verle la cara.

- A: Were you all able to help her?
- B: We weren't able to help Mary.
- C: I couldn't go to bed at nine o'clock because I had a lot of homework to do.
- D: We couldn't see her face.

16) ¿Pudiste tomarlos juntos?

- A: Were you able to take them together?
- B: Yes, I tried to go but I couldn't because my car did not start.
- C: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- D: We couldn't see her face.

17) Olvidó el número de teléfono, de manera que no pudo llamar.

- A: Last night I couldn't go to the gym; I was tired.
- B: He forgot the telephone number so he couldn't call.
- C: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- D: We weren't able to help Mary.

18) No pude frenar a tiempo y chocamos.

- A: I couldn't brake in time, and we collided.
- B: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?
- C: Were you able to take them together?
- D: He stopped working at the factory at 5:00 o'clock so we were able to talk to him.

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19) ¿Pudiste hacer tus tareas esta tarde?

- A: I couldn't dial his phone.
- B: I couldn't go to bed at nine o'clock because I had a lot of homework to do.
- C: I couldn't do anything.
- D: Were you able to do your homework this afternoon?

20) ¿Pudiste sacar las otras tuercas?

- A: We weren't able to help Mary.
- B: Were you able to take off the other nuts?
- C: He forgot the telephone number so he couldn't call.
- D: Were you able to change the tire?

21) Yo no pude ayudarte esta mañana.

- A: He wanted to open the door but he couldn't.
- B: Were you able to do your homework this afternoon?
- C: Were you all able to help her?
- D: I couldn't help you this morning.

22) No pude marcar su teléfono.

- A: I couldn't dial his phone.
- B: Were you able to do your homework this afternoon?
- C: Last night I couldn't go to the gym; I was tired.
- D: We weren't able to help Mary.

23) Marta pudo romper el récord nadando más rápido que nunca.

- A: Were you able to go to the store yesterday?
- B: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- C: Marta could beat the record by swimming faster than ever.
- D: Were you all able to help her?

24) El doctor no pudo detener la hemorragia.

- A: Yes, I tried to go but I couldn't because my car did not start.
- B: I couldn't do anything.
- C: We couldn't see her face.
- D: The doctor couldn't stop the bleeding.

25) Llovía, por eso no pudimos salir.

- A: Were you able to change the tire?
- B: He forgot the telephone number so he couldn't call.
- C: It was raining, therefore we couldn't go out.
- D: The doctor couldn't stop the bleeding.

26) ¿La pudieron ayudar ustedes?

- A: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?
- B: Yes, I tried to go but I couldn't because my car did not start.
- C: Were you able to take off the other nuts?
- D: Were you all able to help her?

27) ¿Pudiste ir a la tienda ayer?

- A: I was traumatized and I couldn't sleep.
- B: From the trip we brought as much as we could.
- C: She couldn't lift her suitcase because it was too heavy.
- D: Were you able to go to the store yesterday?

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28) No pude acostarme a las nueve porque tenía muchas tareas que hacer.

- A: I was able to go to the pool.
- B: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- C: We weren't able to help Mary.
- D: I couldn't go to bed at nine o'clock because I had a lot of homework to do.

29) El paró de trabajar en la fábrica a las cinco, así que pudimos hablar con él.

- A: The doctor couldn't stop the bleeding.
- B: I couldn't brake in time, and we collided.
- C: He forgot the telephone number so he couldn't call.
- D: He stopped working at the factory at 5:00 o'clock so we were able to talk to him.

30) Quiso abrir la puerta pero no pudo. Entonces decidió esperarme. Pero yo tampoco pude.

- A: The doctor couldn't stop the bleeding.
- B: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- C: She couldn't lift her suitcase because it was too heavy.
- D: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.

31) Nosotros no pudimos ayudar a María.

- A: I couldn't help you this morning.
- B: Were you able to change the tire?
- C: Were you all able to help her?
- D: We weren't able to help Mary.

32) Sí, traté de ir pero no pude porque mi carro no arrancó.

- A: It was raining, therefore we couldn't go out.
- B: Yes, I tried to go but I couldn't because my car did not start.
- C: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?
- D: I couldn't do anything.

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Answer Key for Worksheet 56dac

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1 = A , 2 = D , 3 = A , 4 = A , 5 = D , 6 = D , 7 = A , 8 = C , 9 = D , 10 = C , 11 = B , 12 = C , 13 = A , 14 = A , 15 = D , 16 = A , 17 = B , 18 = A , 19 = D , 20 = B , 21 = D , 22 = A , 23 = C , 24 = D , 25 = C , 26 = D , 27 = D , 28 = D , 29 = D , 30 = D , 31 = D , 32 = B