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Fact and Opinion 6

Directions: Read each statement and then circle whether it is a fact or opinion. Explain your answer.

1. The history of ballet began in Italy during the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

2. Dancing is a safe and healthy activity.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

3. Hip hop dancing has been featured in movies such as *Step Up* and *Stomp the Yard*.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

4. People have been dancing for thousands of years.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

5. Ballet dancing requires more training than hip hop dancing.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

6. Dancing isn't a real sport.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

7. It takes two people to do the Tango as it was intended to be done.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

8. In 2007 over 8,400 people were hospitalized in America for dance related injuries.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

9. Ballet dancing is more respectable than hip hop dancing.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

10. The longest that anyone has played a dancing video game in one session is 24 hours and 2 minutes.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

11. Dancing is a lot more fun when you have a partner.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

12. Break dancing is a style of dance that originated in New York in the 1970s.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

13. Michael Jackson is one of the greatest dancers of all time.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

14. Dancing is forbidden in some societies.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

15. Kevin Bacon plays the leading role in the movie *Footloose*.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

16. It is hard to dance without the right kind of music playing.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

17. The waltz is danced in triple time.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

18. The tarantella is a folk dance that originated in Italy.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

19. The waltz is a classy dance.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

20. Tap dancing is one of the most difficult styles of dance to master.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

21 Tap dancing shoes have a piece of metal called a “tap” attached to the heel and toe.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

22. Ballroom dancing is more sophisticated than krump dancing.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

23. Choreography is an important part of the music industry.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

24. Line dancers generally do not make physical contact with each other.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____

25. More youngsters should settle their rivalries through competitive dance instead of fighting.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____