Quiz 3: Take-Home Grammar

Feel free to consult your *Rules of Thumb* book.

**Due in class Wednesday, 11/ 20**

**Circle the correct word to complete each of the following sentences:**

1. (It's / Its) not worth it for just two minutes' pleasure.

2. Life is something that happens when you (ca'nt / can't) get to sleep.

3. The boy mowed the old (ladys' / lady's) lawn for a dollar.

4. I have two (dress's / dresses) to choose from.

**Complete the following sentences in the PRESENT tense:**

5. Salt and sugar \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ *(look)* the same.

6. Neither Greg nor Lucy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ *(eat)* meat.

7. That family always \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ *(argue)*.

8. The professor’s attitude does \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (*make*) me angry.

**Complete the following sentences in the PAST tense:**

9. The people there \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ *(be)* very noisy.

10. My cousin \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ *(be)* looking thinner than ever.

11. My mother \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ *(buy)* too much flour.

**Circle the correct verb tense to complete each of the following sentences:**

12. I (was slept / slept / has slept ) for seven hours last night.

13. When I came to this city, I (haven't known / didn't know / wasn't knowing) anyone.

14. She is a mean person; I don't like (talk / talking / have talk) to her.

15. Where (have you gone / did you went/ did you go) last night?

16. He loved to (biked / bike/ biking) in the early morning.

17. The interviewer didn’t let her (to finish / finished/ finish) her answer.