Questions 13 - 18 refer to the following student essay.

The T-shirt is a common item of clothing valued by wearers around the world for its comfort and

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casual style. T-shirts come in all colors, and very

or some writing. It is even possible for individuals to custom order T-shirts with unique designs.

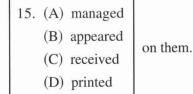
14. (A) as different as

(B) the most different

(C) very differently from (D) very different from

T-shirts as we know them today, however, are

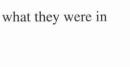
| the past. The first T-shirts were usually white, plain-looking undergarments with no designs |
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- 16. (A) If not covered
 - (B) If not to cover (C) Not covering if

 - (D) If they do not cover

by another shirt, they were



| 13. | (A) | often | they carry a picture, a logo, |
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| | (B) | ready | |
| | (C) | clear | |
| | (D) | unusual | |

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considered inappropriate for wearing around the house, much less in public. Many people believe

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that the practice of wearing a T-shirt as an outer shirt entered into mainstream culture

17. (A) so (B) as if (C) it was (D) because of He popularity of movies of the 1950s starring the American actor (D) because of 18. (A) Wore it (B) He wore (C) Wearing (D) Wearing it

recognized as an expression of one's individuality.