

Subject-Verb Agreement

Fill in the blanks with a verb form that agrees with the subject.

1. The orator and philosopher
dead.

is
are

2. The artist and the poet
arrived.

has
have

3. The long and the short of the matter
..... that we cannot continue like
this.

is
are

4. Every man and woman a
vote.

has
have

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5. Neither Peter nor Harry
passed the exam.

has
have

6. No nook or corner left
unexplored.

was
were

7. Either John or Sam to quit.

has
have

8. Either you or I mistaken.

am
are
is

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9. He is not to blame, nor you.

- is
- are
- have

10. You and he birds of the same feather.

- is
- are

11. My father and I lived here for many years.

- has
- have

12. Neither praise nor censure to bother him.

- seem
- seems

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Answers

1. The orator and philosopher is dead.
2. The artist and the poet have arrived.
3. The long and the short of the matter is that we cannot continue like this.
4. Every man and woman has a vote.
5. Neither Peter nor Harry has passed the exam.
6. No nook or corner was left unexplored.
7. Either John or Sam has to quit.
8. Either you or I am mistaken.
9. He is not to blame, nor are you.
10. You and he are birds of the same feather.
11. My father and I have lived here for many years.
12. Neither praise nor censure seems to bother him.