**Revision for the mid-term test**

**PRACTICE 1**

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.***

1. A. volcano B. locate C. oversleep D. icon

2. A. closed B. looked C. rained D. followed

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.***

3. A. surface B. remind C. wander D. spacecraft

4. A. minority B. expedition C. technology D. commitment

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.***

5. One reason birds have been so successful is because of their able to escape from danger quickly.

A B C D

6. Dreams are commonly made up of either visual and verbal images.

A B C D

7. Water has been vital to the development and survivor of civilization.

A B C D

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.***

8. The school\_\_\_\_\_\_\_all the students to take an interest in arts.

A. noticed B. encouraged C. supposed D. managed

9. I like sitting on the beach watching the\_\_\_\_\_\_\_in the evenings.

A. sunshine B. sunrise C. sunlight D. sunset

10. There is\_\_\_\_\_\_\_water in the well but not enough for everyone in the village.

A. few B. a few C. little D. a little

11. I bought these magazines\_\_\_\_\_\_\_have something to read on the trip.

A. for B. so that C. so as to D. in order

12. I have been invited to a wedding \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 14 February.

A. in B. of C. on D. at

13. You don't seem very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about the party. Don't you want to go tonight?

A. enthusiast B. enthusiastic C. enthusiasm D. enthusiastically

14. All \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, no matter how small, will be much appreciated.

A. contribute B. contributed C. contributions D. contributor

15. I wish Susan\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_harder for her examination.

A. will work B. worked C. has worked D. works

16. Mary was really\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_by the beauty of Hanoi.

A. impress B. impression C. impressed D. impressive

17. Would you mind if I\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_your dictionary?

A. borrow B. am borrowing C. borrows D. borrowed

18. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a letter when the telephone rang.

A. wrote B. was writing C. was written D. has written

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.***

19. Jim: “What about collecting used paper, bottles and plastic bags every day?” - Ha and Mai: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. Because they can pollute the environment. B. How come? Who can do that?

C. That's a very good idea. Let's do that. D. What about this weekend?

20. Phuong: “I'm taking my TOEFL test tomorrow.” - Daisy: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. Good fortune. B. Good luck. C. Good outcome. D. Good success.

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word in each of the following questions.***

21. The Internet is available only in cities and towns, so we cannot easily get access to it in the countryside.

A. visiting B. existing C. safe D. helpful

22. The naughty boy was scolded for breaking the neighbour's window yesterday.

A. told off B. complimented C. caught D. taken care of

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

23. A small fish needs camouflage to hide itself so that its enemies cannot find it.

A. cover B. beautify C. show D. locate

24. Solar energy doesn't cause pollution, but it is not cheap.

A. expensive B. effective C. commercial D. possible

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.***

Since the world has become industrialized, there has been an increase in the number of animal species that have become extinct or nearly extinct. Bengal tigers, (35) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were once found in a large number in jungles, now are thought to be only 2,300 in number. By the year 2025 their (36) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the world is estimated to be down to zero. The dangerous thing is that people don't hunt them for money but mainly (37) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ they enjoy hunting them. Animals like the Bengal tiger, as well as other endangered species are very important to the world's ecosystem. International laws protecting these animals must be passed to save them. Countries around the world have begun to solve the problem in many ways. Reserves and national parks have been established. Money provided by world organizations has been spent on maintaining the parks. The use of products made from (38) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ species has been stopped.

25. A. whose B. which C. that D. who

26. A. population B. amount C. quantity D. diversity

27. A. for B.therefore C. because D. so

28. A.dangerous B. danger C. endangered D. endanger

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.***

One of the biggest trends in television in recent years has been the rise of “Reality TV”. These shows, in which ordinary people are placed in unusual situations and then filmed without a script, have become some of the highest rating shows on television. Early programs of this genre, including Big Brother (from the Netherlands) and Survivor (from the United States), have led to dozens of copycat programs in many different countries. A common element to many of these programs is that a number of contestants are placed in a closed environment in **which** they are filmed 24 hours a day, and every week contestants are thrown off the show. What is it about these shows that makes them so popular? Perhaps it is because viewers enjoy watching ordinary people with real emotions being placed in extraordinary, situations. Or perhaps it is that people are really voyeurs - they enjoy being a spy, looking secretly into other people’s lives.

29. In recent years, "Reality TV has become more and more\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. interesting B. unusual C. popular D. enjoyable

30. The underlined word **‘‘which”** in the passage refers to\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. a common element B. a closed environment

C.every week D.the show

31. What is true about “Reality TV”?

A. They are made by ordinary people. B. They create many copycat programs.

C.They describe people’s lives. D. They are filmed without a script.

32. We can infer from the passage that\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. “Reality TV” used to be more trendy

B. “Reality TV" is becoming more and more competitive

C.viewers enjoy watching something real but unusual

D. viewers can become spies to look into other people’s lives

***Mark letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.***

**33. He started working in this company five years ago.**

A. He has worked in this company for five years.

B. It was five years ago did he start working in this company.

C. He hasn’t worked in this company for five years.

D. It is five years since he has worked in this company.

**34. The woman was too weak to lift the basket.**

A. Although she was weak, she could lift the basket.

B. The woman shouldn't have lifted the basket because she was so weak.

C. She was so weak that she couldn't lift the basket.

D. The woman lifted the basket, so she wasn't very weak.

**35. "If I were you, I would take a break," Tom said to Daisy.**

A. Tom wanted to take a break with Daisy.

B. Tom advised Daisy to take a break.

C. Tom suggested not taking a break.

D. Tom wanted to take a break, and so did Daisy.

**36. They got success since they took my advice.**

A. They took my advice, and failed.

B. If they did not take my advice, they would not get success.

C. But for taking my advice, they would not have got success.

D. My advice stopped them from getting success.

**37. They did not let me in because I was not a member of the club.**

A. They invited me although I was not a member of the club.

B. They did not allow me to enter because I was not a member of the club.

C. They invited me to the clubs as if I had been a member.

D. They asked me to get out of the club because I was not a member.

**38. The last time I went to the museum was four years ago.**

A. I have not been to the museum for four years.

B. Four years ago, I often went to the museum.

C. My going to the museum lasted four years.

D. At last I went to the museum after four years

**39. They are not allowed to go out in the evening by their parents.**

A. Their parents do not want them to go out in the evening.

B. Their parents never let them to go out in the evening.

C. Going out in the evening is permitted by their parents.

D. Although their parents do not allow, they still go out in the evening.

**40. This is the first time I attend such an exciting holiday.**

A. The first holiday I attended was exciting.

B. I had the first exciting holiday.

C. My attendance at the first holiday was exciting.

D. I have never attended such an exciting holiday before.

**PRACTICE 2**

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.***

01. A. watches B. misses C. makes D. wishes

02. A. book B. pool C. school D. soon

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.***

03. A. suggested B. remember C. restaurant D. increase

04. A. population B. government C. understand D. scientific

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.***

05. It’s late. It’s a time for us going home.

A B C D

06. I thought I recognized the assistant which served us.

A B C D

07. The twentieth century was a time when there was a lot of important events.

A B C D

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.***

08. My house \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_in 1986.

A. is built B. was building C. was built D. has been built

09. The doctor \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_me not to stay up too late at night.

A. advised B. suggested C. insisted D. forced

10. Tomorrow we'll go to Noi Bai Airport to meet Maryam, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_comes from Malaysia.

A. who B. whom C. whose D. that

11. His house looks very large and beautiful. It is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_house.

A. a seven-room B. a seven-rooms C. seven room D. seven rooms

12. If you get up early, you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_late.

A. weren't B. wouldn't be C. aren't D. won't be

13. It's very hot today. I wish I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_on the beach now.

A. am B. was C. were D. had been

14. When he lived in the city, he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to the theater twice a week.

A. uses to go B. has gone C. used to go D. was going

15 My father asked us \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_too much time playing computer games.

A. not to spending B. did not spend C. not to spend D. to not spent

16. Hoai cannot remember the name of the restaurant \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_she ate her favorite roasted duck.

A. which B. whose C. whom D. where

17. If I were a flower, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a sunflower.

A. was B. were C. will be D. would be

18. Nobody went to the party, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

A. does he B. do they C. didn’t they D. did they

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.***

19. **Sally:** "What about collecting used paper every day?" ~ **Jenny:** " \_\_\_\_\_\_\_"

A. Yes, you must. B. Well done.

C. That's a good idea. D. Thanks, it's nice of you.

20. **Peter:** “Would you like some more tea?" ~ **John**: " \_\_\_\_\_\_\_"

A. Yes, give me some B. Yes, you would

C. No, I won't D. No, please

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word in each of the following questions.***

21. The development of basic skills like how to cross the street, or what to do when you get lost, must be carefully taught at primary school.

A. social B. necessary C. cultural D. difficult

22. I’m happy that my sister is getting on very well in her new job.

A. making progress B. avoiding punishment

C. feeling surprised D. learning new things

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

23. The spoken language differs considerably from the written language.

A. greatly B. a lot C. very little D. similarly

24. In some rural areas, English is an optional subject for school children.

A. compulsory B. interesting C. voluntary D. academic

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.***

Newspapers, magazines, and books are the written media. Newspapers are one of the main sources for spreading news and events (25)\_\_\_\_\_\_ the world.

Radio and television supply information and entertainment to the public. Motion pictures are one of the most (26)\_\_\_\_\_\_ forms of entertainment. Movies can also teach people many other subjects.

The multimedia computer helps students learn about a particular topic in a (27)\_\_\_\_\_\_ of ways. When we use the Internet, we can give and get a lot of information very (28)\_\_\_\_\_\_.

25. A. all B. throughout C. out D. on

26. A. right B. interested C. expensive D. popular

27. A. variety B. difference C. change D. kind

28. A. exactly B. correctly C. secretly D. quickly

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.***

Malaysia is one of the countries of the Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN). It is divided into two regions, known as West Malaysia and East Malaysia. They are separated by about 640 km of the sea and together comprise an area of 329,758 sq. km. Malaysia enjoys tropical climate. The Malaysian unit of currency is the ringgit, consisting of 100 sen.

The capital of Malaysia is Kuala Lumpur and it is also the largest city in the country. The population in 2001 was over 22 million. Islam is the country’s official religion. In addition, there are other religions such as Buddhism and Hinduism. The national language is Bahasa Malaysia (also known simply as Malay). English, Chinese, and Tamil are also widely spoken. The language of instruction for primary school children is Bahasa Malaysia, Chinese, or Tamil. Bahasa Malaysia is the primary language of instruction in all secondary schools, although some students may continue learning in Chinese or Tamil. And English is a compulsory second language.

29. According to the paragraph one, which of the following is NOT correct?

A. The sea divides Malaysia into two regions. B. A ringgit consists of 100 sen.

C. Malaysia is a member of ASEAN. D. Malaysia has got about 640 km of the sea.

30. Kuala Lumpur \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. had over 22 million people in 2001 B. is the second largest city in Malaysia

C. is the capital city of Malaysia D. is the biggest city in West Malaysia

31. The national religion of Malaysia is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. Islam B. Buddhism C. Hinduism D. Bahasa

32. The number of languages widely spoken in Malaysia \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. one B. two C. three D. four

***Mark letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.***

**33. I’m sorry I can’t go to your birthday party tomorrow.**

A. I wish I can go to your birthday party tomorrow.

B. I wish I can’t go to your birthday party tomorrow.

C. I wish I could go to your birthday party tomorrow.

D. I wish I couldn’t go to your birthday party tomorrow.

**34. “Why don’t you meet to discuss how to organize the fair?”**

A. He suggested that we should meet to discuss how to organize the fair.

B. He suggested that we shouldn’t meet to discuss how to organize the fair.

C. He suggested to meet to discuss how to organize the fair.

D. He suggested to meeting to discuss how to organize the fair.

**35. Nobody has invited me, so I’m not going to the party.**

A. Because I haven’t been invited, I’m going to the party.

B. Because of I haven’t been invited, I’m not going to the party.

C. Because I have been invited, I’m not going to the party.

D. Because I haven’t been invited, I’m not going to the party.

**36. They have a great interest in artificial intelligence.**

A. They are great interested in artificial intelligence.

B. They are greatly interested in artificial intelligence.

C. They aren’t great interested in artificial intelligence.

D. They aren’t greatly interested in artificial intelligence.

**37. Although it rained heavily, we all enjoyed the excursion.**

A. Despite it rained heavily, we all enjoyed the excursion.

B. Despite the rain heavy, we all enjoyed the excursion.

C. Despite the heavy rain, we all enjoyed the excursion.

D. Despite the heavily rain, we all enjoyed the excursion.

**38. Our school library contains over 50 thousand books.**

A. There is over 50 thousand books in our school library.

B. There are over 50 thousand books in our school library.

C. There have been over 50 thousand books in our school library.

D. There has been over 50 thousand books in our school library.

**39. She loves Japanese food. She goes to that Japanese restaurant every week.**

A. She loves Japanese food so she goes to that Japanese restaurant every week.

B. She loves Japanese food because she goes to that Japanese restaurant every week.

C. She loves Japanese food because of she goes to that Japanese restaurant every week.

D. She loves Japanese food as she goes to that Japanese restaurant every week.

**40. “Where are you going on your holidays?” I asked them.**

A. I asked them where they are going on their holidays.

B. I asked them where are they going on their holidays.

C. I asked them where they were going on their holidays.

D. I asked them where were they going on their holidays.

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**PRACTICE TEST 11**

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.***

1. A. arranged B. wanted C. climbed D. stayed

2. A. lazy B. sticky C. supply D. baggy

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.***

3. A. habitat B. athletics C. interview D. memory

4. A. benefit B. commercial C. encourage D. embroider

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.***

5. Tom has got the job. You must congratulate him for his success.

A B C D

6. The cooker who is in the kitchen doesn’t work anymore.

A B C D

7. She will pay less but she uses two energy-saving bulbs.

A B C D

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.***

8. He went to a seaside resort because he was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on water-skiing.

A. bright B. eager C. keen D. interested

9. It took him years to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the shock of his wife dying.

A. take on B. get over C. go off D. put off

10. He was advised that he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ singing lessons.

A. should take B. will take C. had taken D. took

11. He will not be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to vote in this year's election.

A. old enough B. enough old C. as old enough D. enough old as

12. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ extended family include several generations living together in the same house.

A. A B. An C. The D. Ø

13. The crowd at the basketball game were wild\_\_\_\_\_\_\_excitement.

A. for B. like C. in D. with

14. I've tried those tablets and they are not\_\_\_\_\_\_\_in helping me stop coughing.

A. effective B. successful C. profitable D. helpful

15. Which is\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Mount Everest or K2 in the Himalaya?

A. higher B. the higher C. highest D. the highest

16. He couldn't reach the goal, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_surprised me.

A. who B. whom C. which D. that

17. He will take US to the town \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we can see old temples.

A. that B. which C. when D. where

18. This is the first time I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the experiment on plant breeding.

A. have done B. do C. would do D. did

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.***

19. **Tom:** "Congratulations! You've passed the exam." ~ **John:** "\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ "

A. No, I don't think so B. Many thanks C. Sorry, I don't D. Not at all

20. **Lan:** “Why don’t we go out for a picnic?” ~ **Trang:** “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. Congratulations! B. That’s a good idea.

C. Because I’m busy. D. You’re very kind to say so

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word in each of the following questions.***

21. Don't worry, you can count on me. I’ll try my best to help you.

A. look after B. live on C. rely on D. stand for

22. We had a discussion in class today about requiring students to wear, school uniforms.

A. ban B. arrangement C. reduction D. debate

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

23. If we had taken his sage advice, we wouldn't be in so much trouble now.

A. unwilling B. clever C. unwise D. eager

24. When you put on clothing or make-up, you place it on your body in order to wear it.

A. take off B. look after C. wash up D. get on

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.***

It is estimated that about three billion people use the internet computer network around the world. Most people use the Internet to (35) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_information or for entertainment. A new study, however, shows US that almost 10% of Internet users are using it SO often that it is seriously harming their lives. The study says that these people may find it difficult to stop using the Internet because they have become addicted. Someone who is addicted finds it extremely difficult to stop (36) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_activity. According to a psychologist in the field. 30% of Internet users claim that they use the Internet to escape from (37) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_or emotions. The study also shows that having a chat or discussion with strangers on the Internet is one of the most (38) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_activities.

25. A. take B. get C. make D. catch

26. A. the B. a C. an D. Ø

27. A. trouble B. nuisance C. dangers D. problems

28. A. liking B. desired C. addictive D. hunted

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.***

It is a common saying that we do not fully value a thing until we lose it. We often value the love and worth of a friend when he has been taken from US by death more than when he was with US in the flesh; it is only when we have left school or college that we understand the greatness of our opportunity of education, which has gone forever; and it is the sick and the ailing who realize the value of good health, when we are young and strong, we cannot imagine what it is to be weak and ailing. We are so used to vigorous health that we take it for granted. The organs of our body work so smoothly that we scarcely know we have lungs and liver, heart and stomach. But when any of these gets upset and gives US pain and sickness, we learn by bitter experience what an unspeakable blessing it is to be well.

Loss of health makes US miserable, and a burden to ourselves and our friends. It cripples our efforts so that we cannot accomplish many of the good and great things we might have done. It spoils our life. What must we do to keep our health?

We must be moderate in eating and drinking and wise in the choice of plain, wholesome simple food. Gluttony has killed thousands, and strong drink tens of thousands. We must, when young, get plenty of sleep, which is "nature's sweet restorer", and not try to burn the candle at both ends. We must live as much as possible in the open air and keep our rooms well ventilated. We must get sufficient and regular physical exercise, and keep our bodies clean. And we must avoid bad habits and secret sins as we avoid the devil, and keep our thoughts clean and our bodies pure. Our ideal must be the sound mind in the sound body.

29. Accordingtothe passage, weoftenappreciateourfriends\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. only when they are with US B. only when they are good to US.

C. only when they passed away D. only when they live a long way from US.

30. We do not take care of our health because\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. we are always in good health B. most of the diseases can be cured nowadays

C. we are so accustomed to good health D. we are so busy making a living

31. Poor health makes us. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A. useless B. unable to fulfil our expectations

C. a shame to our friends D. fail to become famous

32. The best title for the passage is. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. Health and Human Aspirations B. Health and Our Success

C. How to Keep Our Health D. The Value of Health

***Mark letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.***

**33. “I will help you,” Bob said to me.**

A. Bob told me he would help me. B. Bob asked me to help him.

C. Bob said that he would help you. D. Bob warned me that he would help her.

**34. They had decorated the tree with colored balls.**

A. Colored balls had been decorated under the tree.

B. The tree had been decorated with colored balls.

C. They had decorated colored balls and the tree.

D. With colored balls the tree had looked beautiful.

**35. I don’t want to hear you complaining any more.**

A. I’ve had enough of your complaining. B. I wish to hear you complaining more and more.

C. Why don’t you complain more? D. I’m too busy to listen to your complaining.

**36. I didn't arrive in time to see her.**

A. I was early enough but I didn't see her. B. She was late so I couldn’t see her.

C. I wasn't early enough to see her. D. I am so late that I can't see her.

**37. The exercise was so difficult that we couldn’t do it.**

A. It was so a difficult exercise that we couldn’t do it.

B. It was too a difficult exercise that we couldn’t do it.

C. It was enough a difficult exercise that we couldn’t do it.

D. It was such a difficult exercise that we couldn’t do it.

**38. He is sorry he is not able to speak English well.**

A. He wishes he can speak English well.

B. He wishes he could speak English well.

C. He wishes he is able to speak English well.

D. He wishes he was able to speak English well.

**39. Tom passed the test easily.**

A. Tom have no difficulty passing the test. B. Tom has no difficulty passing the test.

C. Tom had no difficulty passing the test. D. Tom didn’t have no difficulty passing the test.

**40. My friend cannot run as fast as me.**

A. I can run faster than my friend. B. I cannot run faster than my friend.

C. I can run faster as my friend. D. I can run faster more than my friend.

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**PRACTICE TEST 12**

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently front that of the rest in each of the following questions.**

1. A. volcanoes B. postpones C. approaches D. prepares

2. A. chaotic B. torch C. archway D. checkout

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

3. A. pavement B. vacancy C. versatile D. procession

4. A. exhausted B. fabulous C. hilarious D. embarrassed

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.**

5. I do not know where could he have gone so early in the morning.

A B C D

6. The oxygen in the air we breathe has no tasting, smell, or color.

A B C D

7. When contented, and occasionally when hunger, cats frequently make a

A B C

purring sound.

D

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

8. You can buy dairy\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in this shop.

A. producers B. production C. productivity D. products

9. If they aren't careful with their money, they'll get into\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. loss B. problem C. debt D. missing

10. Patrick must be out of the\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of arriving late for meetings.

A. habit B. custom C. use D. fashion

11. The dinner party went on much longer than John had\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. expected B. wondered C. attended D. appeared

12. “Would you like to have\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ coffee?”

A. an amount of B. a lot C. some D. little

13. Elizabeth needs a new pair of shoes because she has\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her old ones.

A. got out of B. grown out of C. looked after D. gone off

14. Of all the factors affecting agricultural production, weather is the one\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the most.

A. it influences farmers B. why farmers influence it

C. that influences farmers D. farmers that it influences

15. It's difficult to\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ what our lives would be like without music.

A. expect B. imagine C. remember D. see

16. After drinking a big bottle of\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, he got drunk.

A. milk B. orange juice C. water D. liquor

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.**

17. - “Congratulations on your winning!"’

- “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. You are a good friend B. You are welcome.

C. Thank you. D. I'm very happy.

18, - “How did you get here?”  
 - “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. I came here by train B. I came here last night.

C. The train is so crowded. D. Is it far from here?

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

19. The professor tried to stimulate interest in archaeology by taking his students on expeditions.

A. simulate B. fake C. encourage D. diminish

20. In this fairytale there is a wicked old woman. Nobody wants to come near her.

A. evil B. marked C. weak D. immortal

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

21. It's tough being an applicant these days. Imagine the questions interviewers ask!

A. violent B. costly C. generous D. pleasant

22. People who go ahead constructively in life are those who hold on to their work or opportunities with zest.

A. indifference B. hesitancy C. passion D. enthusiasm

**Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

An earthquake is shaking, quaking or trembling of the ground. An earthquake (23) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_when two blocks of the earth hit, bump or slide past one another. You feel the ground shaking. Small and big earthquakes happen all the time on land and in ocean. The ground shaking that happens under water can cause big (24) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_called tsunami.

What do we need to do during an earthquake? If you are inside a house or a school hide under a bed or a desk and stay there (25) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_the quaking stops. Stay away from the stairs, windows, walls and furniture because they might collapse and hurt you. Don't go to the kitchen and don't (26) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a gas stove because it might cause fire.

If you're outside, go to open grounds (the nearest school's ground or square). Stay away from buildings, trees, power lines and other big things that might fall on you. If you are in the car or on the road, stay inside your (27) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_until the shaking stops. The driver should stop on the side of the road far from big objects or buildings.

23. A. happens B. explodes C. rotates D. damages

24. A. winds B. floods C. waves D. rains

25. A. though B. until C. since D. while

26. A. turn B. light C. blow D. hold

27. A. house B. vehicle C. seat D. position

**Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.**

People invent things to enhance their lives. Today, inventions are mostly improvements of previous inventions. With technology, inventions are taking a shorter and shorter time to complete.

One such invention is the camera. The time taken to invent the camera in the sixteenth century was prolonged due to the lack of technology and scientific knowledge. When inventors first tried to take a photograph in 1558, the image could not stay on the paper permanently. It was only in 1837 that inventors managed to produce pictures that did not fade away.

With the invention of the camera, further improvements were made and the first underwater camera was invented in 1856. It was placed in a tightly sealed container. However, when the contraption was underwater, the container broke before many pictures were taken. It was only in the 1980s that a camera was made to be able to go deep underwater without being damaged. Less than twenty years later, technology allowed underwater cameras to take photographs in color and to go even deeper into the water. The cameras even looked like a fish.

With better technology, an invention will never stay stagnant. People will be relentless in their efforts at making improvements to an invention.

28. How are inventions of today different from those in the past?

A. They gradually enrich people's lives. B. They need less time to complete.

C. They have intention of being larger. D. They are effectively used.

29. What happened to the image on the photograph of the first camera?

A. The image disappeared.

B. The image was different after a time period.

C. The color of image did not stay a long time.

D. The image could not remain on the paper for long.

30. How many years later did it take the inventors to produce the first underwater camera after the first camera?

A. 321 years. B. 279 years C. 298 years D. 389 years

31. The first underwater camera was\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. made after one improvement B. put in a container

C. stuck to a box D. covered with a seal

32. How was the underwater camera in the 1980s different from the previous?

A. It had the shape of fish.

B. It could take color photos and go deeper.

C. It could swim like á fish.

D. It took color pictures without going into water.

**II. WRITING (2.0 points)**

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.***

**33.** The coffee was not strong enough to keep us awake.

1. We fell asleep as the coffee was weak.
2. We weren’t awake even though the coffeewas weak.
3. The coffee was too strong to keep us awake.
4. We were awake because the coffee was strong.

**34.** I have never listened to jazz music before.

1. This is the first jazz music I listen to.
2. This is the first time I listen to jazz music.
3. This is the first time I have listened to jazz music.
4. This is the first time I listened to jazz music.

**35.** Noisy as the hotel was, they stayed there.

1. Much as the hotel was noisy, they stayed there.
2. In spite of the noisy hotel and they liked it.
3. Despite the hotel was noisy, they stayed there.
4. Although the noisy hotel, they stayed there.

**36.** “I’ll let you know the answer by the end of this week”, Tom said to Janet.

1. Tom offered to give Janet the answer by the end of the week.
2. Tom promised to give Janet the answer by the end of the week.
3. Tom suggested giving Janet the answer by the end of the week.
4. Tom insisted on letting Janet know the answer by the end of the week.

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.***

**37.** The coffee was very strong. He couldn’t drink it.

1. The coffee was so strong that he could drink it.
2. He couldn’t drink the strong coffee before.
3. The coffee was not weak enough for him to drink.
4. The coffee was too strong for him to drink.

**38.** I met the workers. Reporters interviewed them last week.

1. I met the workers because reporters interviewed them last week.
2. I met the workers who interviewed reporters last week.
3. I met the workers who were interviewed by reporters last week.
4. I met reporters who interviewed workers last week.

**39.** You don’t try to work hard. You will fail in the exam.

1. Unless you try to work hard, you won’t fail in the exam.
2. Unless do you try to work hard, you will fail in the exam.
3. Unless you try to work hard, you will fail in the exam.
4. Unless don’t you try to work hard, you will fail in the exam.

**40.** My brother can’t find a job. He is very well-qualified.

1. My brother can’t find a job in spite of he is very well-qualified.
2. My brother can’t find a job even though he is very well-qualified.
3. My brother can’t find a job despite he is very well-qualified.
4. My brother can’t find a job, but he is very well-qualified.

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**PRACTICE TEST 13**

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the rest in each of the following questions.**

1. A. metropolitan B. fossil C. horror D. offering

2. A. concentrate B. confident C. contestant D. consequent

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

3. A. violent B. cultural C. assistant D. compliment

4. A. community B. desirable C. electrical D. habitable

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.**

5. Their free trip, which they won on a television game-show, include four days

A B C D

in London and a week in Paris.

6. The young are thought being the future leaders of the country, and it is essential

A B C

that they understand their responsibilities.

D

7. If there will be too much exhaust fume in the air, our breathing will be

A B C

badly affected.

D

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

8. My uncle and aunt live\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a farm 120 kilometers east of Ha Noi.

A. in B. on C. from D. at

9. The boys can't get to sleep. They're wide\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. waking B. awake C. woken D. awaken

10. The\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at the football match became violent when their team lost.

A. observers B. audiences C. spectators D. customers

11. Would you\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a minute, please? I'll try to connect you.

A. keep in B. stay on C. hold on D. stop on

12. The patient's progress was very encouraging as he could\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ get out of bed without help.

A. nearly B. only C. merely D. barely

13. The Mediterranean town of Benidom is one of the biggest holiday\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Spain.

A. resorts B. beaches C. locations D. coasts

14 .I hate\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in exams. I think it is unacceptable.

A. cheating B. lying C. deceiving D. tricking

15. As everyone knows, the first and last\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the Titanic ended in disaster.

A. journey B. trip C. travelling D. voyage

16. I didn't\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I was talking to the Principal until he told me his name.

A. realize B. recognize C. identify D. distinguish

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.**

17. - “Many happy returns of the day!” - “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. Thanks! B. The same to you!

C. You too! D. Good luck!

18. - “What shall we do this weekend?” - “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. No problem. B. Let's go outing to the zoo.

C. Oh. that's good. D. I'll go out for dinner.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

19. The boundary between Canada and the United States has been unfortified for over one hundred years.

A. border B. binding C. relationship D. water

20. This organization aims to help the less able in society to lead an independent life.

A. identify B. entertain C. assist D. defend

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

21. Someone who can think fast and make decisions easily is said to be brilliant.

A. smart B. cheerful C. stupid D. successful

22. When you play professional football, you lose the ability to play simply for fun.

A. watched only, not played well B. played in a team, not individually

C. considered serious as a job D. done for enjoyment, not as a job

**Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

The ideal breakfast, say scientists, is a glass of orange juice, a cup of coffee and a bowl of cereal. People who start the day with a drink of vitamin c, a dose of caffeine and their favorite cereal are happier and perform better (23) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the morning. Andy Smith, of the University of Bristol, said, “A study of 600 people who were asked to record their breakfast (24) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ found that those who regularly ate cereal in the morning had a more positive mood compared with those who ate other foods or had no breakfast. Earlier research had shown that people whose (25) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ performance was measured immediately after eating breakfast of any kind performed 10 percent better on test of remembering, speed of response and ability to (26) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, compared with those given only a cup of decaffeinated coffee." In further research, Professor Smith said that people who drank four cups of coffee a day performed more (27) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_all day than those who drank less. He suggested that sensible employers should give out free coffee or tea.

23. A. while B. throughout C. whole D. along

24. A. ways B. traditions C. uses D. habits

25. A. sensible B. mental C. social D. physical

26. A. concentrate B. attend C. follow D. listen

27. A. well B. comfortably C. efficiently D. profitably

**Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.**

Wikipedia is an encyclopaedia that is available on the Internet and what people love about it is that it can be edited by absolutely everybody.

When and how did it start? It was founded in 2001 by a guy called Jimmy Wales. It started as a fancy idea, a kind of hobby and everybody is surprised how popular it has become and how many computer scientists it has attracted. It has got a collection of about 1.8 m articles, the majority of which are in English; however, one can find some articles in over 200 languages. If it was a business, it would earn lots of money.

How is it possible that articles that can be changed by anyone are correct? The Wikipedia is based on wikis - a special software which lets everyone modify a webpage and it is true that anyone can change the information on the page if they think it's incorrect. But, the Wikipedia has a team of over 13,000 people who are experts in different fields and who correct any inaccurate information sent by people.

Is it error-free? One may say so. Recently, for example, the British journal Nature looked at the scientific information in Wikipedia and **confirmed** it was very reliable and that they didn't find many errors. It was very good news for the founder as well as for all the users.

Why is it becoming so popular? Like the whole idea of the Internet, it's also quick and available to everyone. The greatest thing of all is that it is free. Some people also stress that it's fun to be able to add what you know to the information on the net. IT specialists believe it has a very bright future and most claim it's the most brilliant invention ever.

28. According to the passage, Wikipedia\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. was created by a team of computer scientists B. began as a business idea

C. became popular as soon as it started D. started as one man's passion

29. Articles in Wikipedia are\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. mostly about science B. mostly in English

C. translated into 200 languages D. very interesting

30. Wikipedia remains accurate as much as possible because\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. all people who write for it are experts

B. it has a special type of software programme

C. there are people who monitor it for mistakes

D. not everybody can change the information

31. The underlined word “confirmed” in the passage is closest in meaning to\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. said something with hesitation B. showed that something was true or correct

C. explained something clearly D. proved that something was wrong

32. The greatest advantage of Wikipedia is that\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. you don't have to pay for it B. it is created by ordinary people

C. everyone can use it D. is quick and reliable

**II. WRITING (2.0 points)**

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.***

**33.** “I was not there at the time” said he.

**A.** He denied that he was there at the time.

**B.** He denied that he wasn’t there at the time.

**C.** He denied being there at the time.

**D.** He denied not being there at the time.

**34.** “I haven’t been very open-minded,” said the manager.

1. The manager promised to be very open-minded.
2. The manager admitted not having been very open-minded.
3. The manager denied having been very open-minded.
4. The manager refused to have been very open-minded.

**35.** Peter used to work as a journalist for a local newspaper.

1. Peter enjoyed working as a journalist for a local newspaper.
2. Peter no longer likes the job as a journalist for a local newspaper.
3. Peter has stopped working as a journalist for a local newspaper.
4. Peter refused to work as a journalist for a local newspaper.

**36.** “You had better see a doctor if the sore throat does not clear up.” she said to me.

1. She reminded me of seeing a doctor if the sore throat did not clear up.
2. She ordered me to see a doctor if the sore throat did not clear up.
3. She insisted that I see a doctor unless the sore throat did not clear up.
4. She suggested that I see a doctor if the sore throat did not clear up.

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.***

**37.** My friend Albert as decided to buy a motorbike. His car was stolen last week.

1. My friend Albert, whose car was stolen last week, has decided to buy a motorbike.
2. My friend Albert whose car was stolen last week has decided to buy a motorbike.
3. My friend Albert has decided to buy a motorbike which car stolen last week.
4. My friend Albert has decided to buy a motorbike has his car stolen last week.

**38.** The book is very interesting. My brother bought it yesterday.

1. The book which my brother bought it yesterday is very interesting.
2. The book my brother bought yesterday is not interesting.
3. The book which is very interesting my brother bought yesterday.
4. The book which my brother bought yesterday is very interesting.

**39.** He had just finished eating his breakfast. Then he fell down.

1. Hardly did he finished eating his breakfast when he fell down.
2. Hardly he had finished eating his breakfast when he fell down.
3. Hardly have he finished eating his breakfast when he fell down.
4. Hardly had he finished eating his breakfast when he fell down.

**40.** She was the first woman in the Philippines. She was elected as the president of the country.

1. She was the first woman being elected as the president of the Philippines.
2. She was the first woman who is elected as the president of the Philippines.
3. She was the first woman to be elected as the president of the Philippines.
4. She was the first woman elected as the president of the Philippines.