**Practice Test 15**

**Time 60’**

**Name:…………………………………Class: ……………….**

**I. MULTIPLE CHOICE: (8.0 points)**

***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.***

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| **Question 1:**  | A. naked | B. looked | C. booked | D. liked |
| **Question 2:** | A. embarrassed | B. empathise | C. helpline | D. depressed |

***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.***

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| **Question 3**:  | A. illiterate | B. communicate | C. entertainment | D. traditional |
| **Question 4**: | A. ability | B. disappointed | C. adolescence | D. authenticity |

***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.***

**Question 5:**The childrenin my village used to goingbare-footed, even in winter. Now they

 A B C D

have shoes.

**Question 6:** She wishes she could speak English as fluent as her sister.

A B C D

**Question 7:** If we go on throwing waste into the water, there would be a great shortage of

A B C D

fresh water in a few decades

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

**Question 8:** Eating from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is a popular habit of people in big cities in Viet Nam

A. libraries B. street vendors C. canteens D. shops

**Question 9**: Huyen My \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a teddy bear, but she doesn’t have one now.

A. used to have B. used to having C. was use to having D. was used to have

**Question 10**: They named their daughter \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their favourite movie star.

A. of B. for C. after D. on

**Question 11:** Many people in our village are still \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. They can’t read or write

A. unhealthy B. traditional C. creative D. illiterate

**Question 12**: I am accustomed to doing morning exercises.

A. used to do B. being used to do C. using to do D. used to doing

**Question 13**: You’ve been a bit tense lately so you need to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a break.

A. get B. take C. has D. let

**Question 14**: He is very careful. When the teacher says anything, he often puts it \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in his notebook

A. with B. on C. down D. up

**Question 15**: We wish LCD projectors \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ still expensive.

A. haven’t been B. were not C. are not D. hadn’t been

**Question 16**: I wish my parents could put themselves in my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. situation B. shoes C. feelings D. heart

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

**Question 17:** Marriage used to be arranged by parents

A. How cool! B. Sure. C. I can’t imagine that. D. I ‘m sorry I can’t.

**Question 18:** Would you mind if I open the window?

A.No, not at all B.You’re welcome C.You can D.Yes, if you like

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

**Question 19:** Linh is feeling a bit frustrated about her study. She’s failed the exam once again.

A. tense B. depressed C. relaxed D. confident

**Question 20**: At the weekends the city center is always packed with people.

A.free B. empty C. busy D. crowded

***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.***

**Question 21**: Do you think we can live on selling silk scarves as souvenirs?

A. have enough money to live B. not have enough money to live

C. earn enough money D. live by

**Question 22**: Students in remote area can’t be able to read or write

A. illiterate B. uneducated C. untrained D. literate

***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.***

More than 90 percent of teenagers nowadays use social media. The increasing usage of social media has led to (23)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ large number of teenagers to be bullied or become a bully online. Cyberbullying, a (24) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to describe bullying that happens on technology platforms, is a serious problem. Studies show that teenagers often say mean thing and hurt other people because they are not aware of the effect of their action. When you socialize in real life, facial expressions and body language allows you (25) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ what you say can be hurtful. The same thing cannot be said about when you socialize, using social media. Teenagers also bully because they can get away with it. Teens can (26) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ bully their peers online without facing any real consequences. Being bullied can lead to depression, low self-esteem or suicide thought. Cyberbullying also (27)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the bullies who often have problem like violence tendency, alcohol and abuse...

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| **Question 23:**  | A. a | B. an | C. the | D. 0 |
| **Question 24:** | A. way | B. mean | C. term | D. kind |
| **Question 25:**  | A. realize | B. to realize | C. realized | D. realizing |
| **Question 26:** | A. easy | B. easily | C. easier | D. the easiest |
| **Question 27:**  | A. effect | B. effects | C. affects | D. affect |

***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***

Education System of Viet Nam in the Past

Because of 1,000 years under the control of China, there were no records which indicated a formal education system in Viet Nam. In 939, Emperor Ngo Quyen expelled the Chinese invaders and declared Vietnamese independence. But the first two dynasties Ngo and Dinh did not last so long, and were busy with the national defense, so the education was just in pagodas. Ly Cong Uan, the founder king of the dynasty had been educated in a pagoda.

To the Ly dynasty, the fundamental education system was officially improved. King Ly Thanh Ton established the Temple of Literature at the ancient Capital of Thang Long to encourage people to appreciate the education. In 1075, the first exam was done by the order of King Ly Nhan Ton to select scholars for the office and the later year, 1076, the Imperial Academy, the first university in Viet Nam’s history, was set up for the education of sons of royalty and other high-ranking officials.

There were also many private classes taught by prominent scholars such as Chu Van An, Le Quy Don, Nguyen BinhKhiem, PhungKhacKhoan, Vo Truong Toan… The students would only study literature and ancient history of China, of Viet Nam for entirety of their schooling. Later on, the Public Administration curriculum was finally added to the programme. When the Ho Royal family ruled the country, students were taught simple mathematics.

From 1918 to 1945, Viet Nam’s education programme adopted the western education system with three levels: elementary, high school, and college. At all levels, from 1945 the Vietnamese national language is officially used. Students have the opportunity to learn literature, history, philosophy, law, science, math, medicine and other languages.

**Question 28**. In the 10th century, parent \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. could let their children have a formal education.

B. were too busy to send their children to school.

C. could send their children to pagodas to have some schooling.

D. didn’t want their children go to school under the control of China.

**Question29.** All of the following were done during the Ly dynasty EXCEPT that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. all good students could go to Imperial Academy

B. King Ly Thanh Ton established the Temple of Literature

C. the Imperial Academy was established in 1076

D. King Ly Nhan Tong ordered to hold the first exam to select scholars.

**Question30**. In the past, students mostly learned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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| A. public administrationC. the ways to rule the country | B. science subject and mathematicsD. literature and ancient history |

**Question31**. We can infer from the passage that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. the private classes replaced the Imperial Academy

B. education was highly appreciated during the dynasties

C. mathematics was highly developed during the Ho dynasty

D. the prominent scholars such as Le Quy Don couldn’t teach at the Imperial Academy

**Question32**. From 1918 to 1945, Viet Nam’s education system \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. officially used the Vietnamese national language

B. was divided into three levels

C. was the same as the western education system

D. had a wide range of subjects at college

***II. WRITING: (2.0 point)***

***Finish the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, beginning with the given words.***

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| **Question 33:** My school has no playground equipment for extra activities. |
| * I wish \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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| **Question 34**:“ I can’t concentrate! It’s too noisy in here.” said he. |
| * He said \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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| **Question 35:** Mount Everest is the highest mountain in the world. |
| * No \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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| **Question 36**: Although the salary was low, he accepted the job |
| * Despite \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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***Combine two sentences into a new one using the given words in brackets. Do not change the given words in any ways.***

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| **Question 37**: The weather was fine. That’s why we had a good crop. ( because) |
| * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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| **Question 38**: His mother is sick. He can’t join us for the party. (If) |
| * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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| **Question 39**:His leg was broken. He managed to get out of the car. ( In spite) |
| * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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| **Question 40**: I have no bike. I want to have one so much. ( wish) |
| * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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**PRACTICE TEST 16**

***Time: 60’***

**Name:**…………………………………………**Class:**………………………

**I. MULTIPLE CHOICE ( 8.0 pts )**

***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.***

**Question 1.** A. pens B. stays C. puts D. reads

**Question 2.** A. threaten B. beat C. leave D. weave

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

**Question 3.** A. cosmetic B. greeting C. funny D. history

**Question 4.** A. order B. celebrate C. wonderful D. rehearse

***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.***

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| **Question 5**. We had | to cancel |  | our | trip | because |  | the | heavy rain. |
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| **Question 6**. I | haven’t got | any | money | left. Could I | borrow |  | any | from you? |
|  | A |  | B |  | C |  | D |  |

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| **Question 7**. There | are | two pens | on | the table; | a | blue one | is | mine. |
|  | 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.***

**Question 8.**By 2018, my brother ………. for this company for six years.

A. had worked      B. has worked C. was working D. worked

**Question 9.** Don’t worry, Mum. I ………. you as soon as I arrive in England.

A. am calling B. call C. will call D. am going to call

**Question 10.** Let’s go for a walk, ………. ?

A. shall we B. shall you C. will we D. will you

**Question 11.**………. so much noise! The little baby is sleeping.

A. Make B. Don’t make C. Making D. To make

**Question 12.** This hat is much prettier, but it costs ………. as the other one.

A. as many B. twice as many C. as much as D. twice as much

**Question 13.** By 2000, our family had lived in this city ……….. 25 years.

A. for B. in C. at D. since

**Question 14.** We are in the same class. Our ………. has lasted for 4 years.

A. friendly B. friend C. friendship D. friendliness

**Question 15.** You have never been to Paris, ………. ?

A. haven’t you B. have you C. don’t you D. do you

**Question 16.**Every advanced nation has strict regulations to protect endangered ………. .

A. type B. class C. group D. species

***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.***

**Question 17.** - *Peter*: How well you speak English, Mai.” - *Mai*: ………. .

A. I think so. I’m proud of myself. C. Thank you for your beautiful words for me

B. Say it again. I like to hear your words. D. Thanks anyway!

**Question 18.** - *Paul*: “I’ve got an appointment with my doctor today? - *John*: ………... .

A. Who do you want to meet? C. What time is it?

B. What’s the matter with you? D. How does he feel?

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

**Question 19.**Scientists have**recently** argued that Einstein’s contributions to Physics and Mathematics are less important than Newton’s.

A. at once B. just now C. shortly D. before

**Question 20.**He **resembles** his father in appearance very much.

A. takes after B. looks after C. calls after D. names after

***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 question.***

**Question 21**.My younger brothers are obedient most of the time, but they are quite **mischievous** sometimes.

A. hard-working B. disruptive C. naughty D. well- behaved

**Question 22**.They always **look down on** people who are poor

A. look for B. look after C. look up to D. dislike

***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 numbered blank.***

**Da Lat – Dream City**

Da Lat lies on Lam Vien plateau, in the Central Highland province of Lam Dong, 300 kilometers north of Ho Chi Minh City. Da Lat is a well-known city (**23**) ……….all the people who have been there once. Da Lat is known like a city of pine trees, waterfalls and flowers. Da Lat is described as a forest of flowers with different colors and various species. Flowers can be found (**24**) ……….and in any season. We can see flowers in Da Lat in the parks, in front of the houses, in the gardens etc. Da Lat has the widest range of orchid varieties in the country. Da Lat has (**25**) ……….rivers and canals but it has many picturesque waterfalls. It takes tourists several days to visit all the waterfalls in the area. The famous Cam Ly Falls is only kilometers (**26**) ……….the town center. The Prenn Falls is 10 kilometers in the south of Da Lat. The water (**27**) ……….

down like a white shade. Da Lat people are very proudof it. They always boast to tourists about it in the first place. Around the PrennFalls is the valley of various flowers and Pine Hills.

**Question23**.A. exciting B. attracting C. suggesting D.believing

**Question24**.A. somewhere B. anywhere C. nowhere D.everywhere

**Question25**.A. few B. little C. much D.lots

**Question26.** A.in B.at C.to D.from

**Question27**. A. falls B.goes C.pours D.walks

***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.***

There is one planet that still fascinates and teases scientists mainly because it doesn’t have an atmosphere to obscure observation, yet it is not big enough for sufficiently accurate telescopic observation. The fact that it is also very close to the sun also makes it difficult for astronomers.

However, space telescopes have told us a lot more about Mercury. It is rather similar to Earth’s moon and to Mars. There are mountainous areas dotted with craters and large valleys which are uncratered. The moon’s valleys have fewer cracks and ridges are smoother. Mercury’s valleys are filled with volcanic rocks, similar to on the moon, yet there is no evidence of volcanoes, even extinct ones, on Mercury, as there is on the both Mars and the moon, and of course here on Earth.

So, scientists presume the valleys on Mercury were caused by different things, that is to say not by volcanoes, but by very large meteorites, which also caused the cracks in the terrain and left the ridges rough and uneven. More and better photos of Mercury are at present at best only hypotheses.

**Question28**. What is the main topic of this passage?

A. Astronomers’ difficulties. C. The Earth’s moon.

B. Observation of planets. D. The planet, Mercury

**Question29**. Why does Mercury still tease scientists?

A. Because it has an atmosphere which obscures observation.

B. Because it is too close to the sun.

C. Because it is difficult for space probes to get close to.

D. Because it is too small.

**Question30**. What is true about Mercury but not true about the moon or Mars?

A. The valleys are filled with volcanic rocks. C. There are no volcanoes.

B. The valleys are uncratered. D. They are hilly regions.

**Question31**. What does the author imply space telescopes can do better than land-based telescopes?

A. Show more of the planet, Mercury. C. Show what caused Mercury’s valleys.

B. Show the meteorites which hit Mercury. D. Show the volcanoes on Mercury.

**Question32**. What can we infer from the passage that astronomers still need to get more detailed observation of Mercury?

A. More hypotheses C. Larger space telescopes.

B. Better and more space telescopes. D. More ways to prove hypotheses.

***II. WRITING ( 2.0 pts )***

***Finish the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, beginning each new one with the given word(s). Write the new sentences on your answer sheet.***

**Question33**. “ You’d better learn harder for the final exam, Peter”, Daisy said.

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**Question34**. Ba has never been to Ho Chi Minh City.

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**Question35**. Although Tom is a poor student, he learns very well.

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**Question36**. It is said that Singapore is very green and clean.

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***Combine two sentences into a new one, using the words in brackets. Do not change the given words in any way. Write the new sentences on your answer sheet.***

**Question37**. The only thing is how to go home. It make me worried. (***which***)

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**Question38**. The water in this lake very dirty so we can’t swim in it. (***too***)

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**Question39**. Mary could not go to school yesterday because she was sick. (***because of***)

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**Question40**. You helped me a lot with the work. Thank you very much for it. (***helping***)

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