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ENGLISH 9

Sample test no. 1

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others in each group.

1. A. visited B. looked C. celebrated D. persuaded

2. A. shout B. mountain C. household D. through

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the word whose main stress position is placed differently from that of the others in each group

3. A. primary B. religion C. tropical D. friendliness

4. A. impression B. separate C. recognize D. optional

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the word OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined words

5. Elephants will become extinct if man continues killing them.

A. die out B. survive C. living D. dead

6. Their classmates are writing letters of acceptance.

A. agreement B. refusal C. admission D. confirmation

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined words

7. The natives were angry when foreigners came to their country and took over their land.

A. migrants B. tourists C. locals D. members

8. The lost hikers stayed alive by eating wild berries and drinking spring water.

A. connived B. surprised C. revived D. survived

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the correct word or phrase to complete each of the sentences

9. I am \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to call the doctor. I just need to get some rest.

A. too sick B. not sick enough C. sick enough D. so sick that

10. I enjoy living in the countryside \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the air here is very quiet.

A. because B.although C.so that D. when

11. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my friends were unsuccessful at the job interviews.

A.Most B.The most of C. Most of D. Most out of

12. All right. Stop talking. I’m beginning \_\_\_\_\_\_\_what you mean.

A. to understand B. understand C. to be understood D. being understood

13. Nguyen Du is a famous Vietnamese \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .

 A. poem B. poetry C. poetic D. poet

14......the weather forecast, it will rain heavily later this morning.

A. Because of B. Due to C. On account of D. According to

15. Do you think he is.......of doing the job?

A. suitable B. capable C. able D. competent

16. Bob has a bad lung cancer and his doctor has advised him to.......smoking.

A. put up B. take up C. give up D. turn up

17. Because of.......weather conditions, California has an advantage in the production of fruits and vegetables.

A. favour B. favourite C. favourably D. favourable

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

18. Let’s go somewhere for a drink\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A. All right B. Yes, we do C. No, we don’t . D. No, thanks

19. ~ *Bill*: "Let's stop for a drmk." ~ *Bruce*: "........... "

A. You’re welcome. B. Long time no see. C. Nice to meet you. D. Sorry, we've got little time.

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the part that is incorrect

20. Her sister knows how for prepare Chinese foods.

 A B C D

21. We won’t know the value of health until we will lose it

 A B C D

22 The streets are crowded with a population who has no interest in learning.

 A B C D

Read the following passage and mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the correct word that best completes each blank

Environment, housing, employment and nutrition are all factors that affect our quality of life. Health is, however, possibly the most important element. With good health, people can function to their fullest capacity and provide for those ...(23)... are incapable of providing for themselves - the elderly, the sick and children.

 Health is not just (24)…… of disease, though freedom from disease is of major importance. Health is the state of total physical, mental and social well-being. To be healthy, people need a reasonable ...(25)... of physical labour, a decent environment, which includes sanitation and clean water, a balanced, dear diet, and adequate rest.

 In developing countries, diseases are not the only cause of high mortality rates. Unhealthy or exhausting work, crowded living conditions, too little food and a poor diet are also prime causes of the numbers of ...(26).... Providing basic health care and preventing and treating disease are primary goals today. Hygiene and imunization programs must be available to all. Health care ...(27)... everybody cannot be just a noble aim; it must be a basic human right.

23. A. who B. which C. when D. people

24. A. lack B. absence C. short D. without

25. A. time B. amount C. work D. dose

26. A. die B. deaths C. dead D. deadly

27. A. for B. with C. to D. without

Read the following passage and mark to indicate the corect answer to each of the questions that follow

Mozart, who was born on January 27, 1756 in the Austrian city of Salzburg, was neither the first nor the last child prodigy, but he was certainly the greatest. He was born into a moderately prosperous family where his unmatched musical genius made itself known extremely early. Mozart began leaning to play harpsichord at three and his earliest known work was composed in 1761 when he was five, the age at which he also first appeared in public. From the age of six, when his father took him on the first foreign tour, Mozart toured the courts and musical centres of Austria, Germany, France, England, Holland, Switzerland and Italy. It has been calculated that Mozart spent almost a third of his short life - he died at the age of thirty five – travelling. As Mozart matured, he continued to tour and give concerts. Mozart also wrote a lot of operas. His first opera, Mitridate, Re di Ponto, was performed in Milan when he was 14, and it was the first of many successes in the theatre.

28. How rich was Mozart’s family?

A. Very rich B. As rich as a financial C. Not very rich D. Very poor

29. When did he take the first step into the world of music as a composer?

A. When he was three B. When he was five

C. When he was fourteen D. When he was thirty-five

30. What did he do on his first tour to some major European countries?

A. He made so much sightseeing B. He toured the courts and musical centres

C. He toured only D. He did nothing

31. Why is it possible to name Mozart “A travelling composer”?

A. Because he spent almost a third of his short life travelling. C. Because he never travelled.

B. Because he liked travelling a lot. D. Because he had good imagination.

32. What expression in the passage means “an exceptionally clever child”?

A. A child normal B. A child clever

C. A child prodigy D. Child playing harpsichord.

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

33. Eight years ago we started writing to each other.

We have ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

34. People learn English all over the world.

English ………………………………………………………………………………………………….………….

35. We won’t go on holiday because we don’t have enough money.

If ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………..……..

36. *“Why do you come here late?”, she asked me.*

She asked …………………………………………………………………………………………………………..

Combine two sentences innto a new one using the given words in brackets. Do not change the given words in any ways

37. *I lent him some money. I wanted him to continue his study at college.* (order)

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38 *Everyone was watching the dolphin. They were greatly fascinated with it*. (which)

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39. Susan didn’t apply for the job in the foreign company and regrets it now. (wish)

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40. People cut down more forests, animals find it harder to survive. (The)

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Sample test no. 2

Student’s full name: ………………………………………… Class/ School: …………………………………

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others in each group.

1. A. pens B. books C. laughs D. brackets

2. A. gift B. hire C. shift D. trick

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the word whose main stress position is placed differently from that of the others in each group.

3. A. enjoy B. religion C. expect D. population

4. A. Chinese B. although C. instruction D. currency

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the word OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined words.

5. Whatever the activity level, all types of hobbies can require high levels of expertise.

 A. incompetence B. expertness C. skillfulness D. incapable

6. My parents always disapproved of my smoking. They even told me once it would stop me growing taller.

A. objected to B. supported C. denied D. refused

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined words

7: The most irritating people are those who ask really stupid s while their friends video our reactions.

A. humorous B. annoying C. exciting D. cheerful

8: A person who suffers from stage fright is easily intimidated by a large audience.

A. encouraged B. improved C. applauded D. frightened

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the correct word or phrase to complete each of the sentences.

9. He used to collect stamps. He gave up \_\_\_\_\_\_\_stamps long ago.

A. to collect B. collected C. collecting D. to have collected

10. She presented her ideas clearly and \_\_\_\_\_\_.

 A. logically B. logic C. logical D. logics

11. Hoa and Lan \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shopping yesterday.

A. went B. go C. make D. bought

12. The people \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ live in Greece speak Greek, don’t they?

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

13. **Everyone spoke very quietly** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **wake the baby up.**

**A. for not to B. so not to C. do not to D. in order not to**

14. Snow and rain......of nature.

A. is phenomenon B. are phenomenon C. are phenomena D. is phenomena

15. Don’t start smoking till the others......their meal.

A. had finished B. will finish C. finished D. have finished

16: We......forget our passport when we travel abroad.

A. mustn't B. couldn’t C. needn’t D. don’t have to

17: He said he......then, but he would get to the party by nine.

A. will go B. is going C. was going D. had gone

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

18. It ‘s so hot . Why don’t we go swimming ? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A. Yes, we do B. No, we don’t C. That’s a good idea. D. Yes, thanks

19. *Susan shared her sorrow with her friend about her losing purse*.

 ~ *Susan*: "I have lost my purse." ~ *Her friends*: " ............"

A. Oh, what a pity! B. Oh, be careful. C. That’s nothing. D. It’s careless

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the part that is incorrect.

20. Not put your clothes on the bed.

 A B C D

21. Unlike my father, I don’t like many sugar in my coffee.

 A B C D

22. Even though she looks very young, she is twice older than my thirty-year old sister.

 A B C D

Read the following passage and mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the correct word that best completes each blank

After my multilingual English class talked excitedly about the board game *Monopoly* recently, I searched on the Internet. To my surprise, I found several sites ...(23)... the use of *Monopoly* in the classroom, to teach accounting, economics and even sociology. And there in ...(24)... the secret of the game's success, according to some teaching experts. There are important lessons to be learnt from it ...(25)... changes in the game over the years, its guiding principle remains the same - to become the richest player through buying, selling and renting property. However, it doesn't embrace the *'get-rich-quick'* philosophy; far from it. The experts say it teaches us how to stay rich, by investing prudently. And that idea (26) ………….. to people the world over, ...(27)... of nationality, age or gender *Monopoly* makes players think about how to make money work for them. So, if you're wondering how to teach your children about finance, you could do a lot more than introduce them to this game.

 23:A. advocated B. advocating C. advocation D. advocate

 24:A. stays B. lies C. puts D. falls

 25:A. Despite B. However C. Nevertheless D. Although

 26:A. leads B. gets C. appeals D. sends

 27:A. regardless B. dismissive C. thoughtless D. notwithstanding

Read the following passage and mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the corect answer to each of the questions that follow

Over a period of time, many habitats change with respect to the types of plants and animals that live there. This change is known as succession.

Succession occurs because plants and animals cause a change in the environment in which they live. The first weeds and grasses that appear on a bare field, for example, change the environment by shielding the soil from the direct sunlight. As these plants spread, the ground surface becomes cooler and moisture, than it was originally. Thus, the environment at the ground surface has been changed. The new surface conditions favor the sprouting of shrubs. As shrubs grow, they kill the grasses by preventing light from reaching them and also build up the soil in the area; in addition, they attract animals that also enhance the shrubs. They are not able to shade out oak and hickory seedlings; however, they have found the forest floor suitable. These seedlings grow into large trees that eventually shade out the pines.

28: *What is the best title of this passage?*

A. The importance of weeds and grasses B. How environmental habitats change

C. The success of oak and hickory D. Animal and plant habitat

29: *According to the passage, how do weeds and grasses affect the soil?*

A. They add nutrients to it B. They speed seeds on it

C. They attract animal to it D. They make it cooler and wetter

30: *It can be inferred from the passage that\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*

A. pines and grasses can exist together B. birds discourage the growth of shrubs

C. oak and hickory trees grow taller than pines D. weeds and grasses prefer cold climate

31: *Which of the following encourages the life of animals?*

A. pine seedlings B. shrubs C. grasses D. large trees

32: *Compared to pines, hickories are\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*

A. shorter B. higher C. as high D. more suitable for forest floor

Mark letter A, B, C, D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the given one.

Finish the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, beginning with the given words (conditional, passive voice, reported speech, tense exchange…)

33. ‘Can you play the piano?”, he asked the girl.

He asked

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34. He did not work hard. He failed the exam.

If

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35 It was such rotten meat that it had to be thrown away.

=> The meat was.................................................................

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36. It is essential that Professor Van Helsing is met at the airport.

=> Professor Van Helsing................................................................................

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Combine two sentences innto a new one using the given words in brackets. Do not change the given words in any ways (relative clauses, adverbials, comparatives, wishes sentence, conditional…)

37. Cultures vary from country to country. (different)

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38. The book costs $15,50 but I have only $14,50. (more)

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39. If I hadn’t had so much work to do I would have gone to the movies (because)

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40. Despite his early retirement, he found no peace in life (although)

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