**ENGLISH PRACTICE 50**

**A. PHONETICS.**

**I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the other three in the following questions**

1. A tr***ea***t B. h***ea***t C. sw***ea***ter D. b***ea***t

2. A c***o***mpose B. c***o***mplete C. c***o***mpany D. c***o***mplain

3. A coll***ect***  B. subj***ect*** C. rej***ect*** D. l***ect***ure

4. A ***s***ugar B. ***s***terile C. ***s***train D. ***s***erve

5. A ba***th***s B. ba***th*** C. ba***the*** D. brea***the***

**II. Choose the word whose stress is different from the other three in the following questions**

6. A complain B. fortune C. honest D. party

7. A gravity B. harmony C. redundant D. wonderful

8. A communicate B. accuracy C. formation D. competitor

9. A magniíìcent B. diffìcult C. sparkling D. hospital

10. A itinerary B. comíortable C. emergency D. experiment

**B. GRAMMAR - VOCABULARY - LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS.**

**I. Choose the best fit to fill in the blank**

31. I saw a thief take Bill’s wallet, so I ran.......him, but I didn’t catch him.

A. into B. over C. after D. near

32. I called on her yesterday: she......... a meal at the time.

A. cooked B. has cooked C. was cooking D. cook

33. My grandfather is.....to walk without a stick.

A. enough old B. old enough C. too old D. many ages

34. You will become ill.....you stop working so hard.

A. until B. when C. if D. unless

35. Everyone .....Tom was invited to the party.

A. but B. as C. from D. for

36. Those shoes look very tight. Do they really.....you?

A. match B. fit C. suit D. measure

37. I don’t know..... to pronounce this word.

A. what B. why C. when D. how

38. My sister is busy.....an exercise of English.

A. in doing B. to do C. at doing D. doing

39. Each of them ......answers very well.

A. know his B. know their C. knows D. knows their

40. He has worked.....the manager in that company for nearly 15 years.

A. like B. as C. the same D. different

41. Mary as well as David and Jane ...... ready for the exam tomorrow.

A. is B. will C. are D. being

42. There is a(n)...... to every rule.

A. minus B. exception C. abstract D. subtract

43. You should have your car.........two days beíore you have a long trip.

A. to check B. checking C. checked D. check

44. Mummy, we only have.....rice for dinner tonight. You have to buy a few more kilos.

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

45. They apologized.....late.

A. in arriving B. on arriving C. for arriving D. their arriving

**II. Write the correct form of CAPITAL word to fill in the blank**

46. Bell experimented with ways of transmitting..................over a long distance. **SPEAK**

47. It is ........................... to eat too much sugar and fat. **HEALTH**

48. After having taken an aspirin, her headache........................ **APPEAR**

49. Our main............................... to export are rice, coffee and rubber. **PRODUCE**

50. This form must have the............................. of the writer. **SIGN**

**III. Find the mistake and correct it**

51. It took us quite a long time to qet here. It was a three-hours journey.

52. Although I am not interested in English but I try my best to get good marks.

53. The more I got to know Tom, the fewer I liked hịm.

54. I can’t invite you to dinner as I have my house painted at the moment.

55. The company has so little money that it can’t hardly operate anymore.

**IV. Choose the best form of verb in the bracket to fill in the blank**

56. My children enjoy...................... (allow) to stay up late when there is something special on TV.

57. The nicest vase...............(break) while it was being moved to another room.

58. The television.................................(repair). It's working now.

59. The student (punish)................................yesterday is Tim’s brother.

60. How many lessons...............you (miss)..........................this year ?

**C. READING.**

**I. Read the passage and choose the best fit to fill in the blank**

People in many countries grow fresh water fish from eggs. They move the small fish into lakes and rivers. The fish live and (61).... there. People go (62)....... in these lakes and rivers. They enjoy catching fish because fish is also good food. Now the Japanese grow salt waterfish. Most of them are yellow tail fìsh. Workers grow the fish from eggs. Every time they feed the fish, they play (63)...... of piano music. The fish (64)....... that piano music means food. When the fish are small, the Japanese put them into the ocean near the land. The fish find some of their (65)....... food. Workers also feed them. They play the same piano music. The fish (66)....... know the music. They swim towards it and (67)....... the food. In (68)....... months the fish become large. The Japanese play the same music. The fish swim towards it and the workers (69)...... them. The Japanese get about 15 percent of their seafood (70)...... farms in the ocean.

**Trả lời**

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67. A. see B. find C. bite D. hold

68. A. some B. a few C. couple D. many

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70. A. on B. of c. from D. in

**II. Write the correct preposition to fill in the blank**

In Canada and the United States,..... (71) of the most popular days in the year is Halloween. Halloween is on October 31st. It’s a day..... (72) some people dress up in strange or unusual costumes. For example, they may dress up to look..... (73) an animal, a person form, a book or movie, or a famous person from history. In some places, children go to school in..... (74) costumes. After dark, many young children...... (75) on their costumes and visit their neighbors. They knock on the ..... (76) and shout “Trick or treat!” Then the neighbours ..... (77) them some candy, and the children go on to the...... (78) house. Adults also enjoy dressing up for Halloween. ..... (79) are usually Halloween parties in the evening and usually there is a prize for the best or ..... (80) unusual costume.

**D. WRITING.**

**I. Rewrite the sentence without changing the meaning**

81. What is your date of birth?

When........................................................

82. I am not as good at Maths as my brother is.

My brother is.............................................

83. She is usually a hard worker.

She ......................................

84. Who was the inventor of this machine?

Who..............................................

85. We like reading books better than seeing movies.

We..........................................................

86. What interesting movies!

How...........................

87. You should not watch TV too late.

You’d ......................................

88. How heavy were you last year?

How....................................

89. We didn’t enjoy the trip because of the heavy rain.

The heavy rain stopped....................................

90. A train leaves at eight o’clock every morning.

There is ..................................................

**II. Rewrite the sentence, using given words**

91. One/ disadvantages / living in the countryside / lack / public transport.

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92. I / always / keep / window / open / order / let / fresh air / in.

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93. How long / you / leam English?

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97. Our accommodation / include / ticket price.

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99. People / throw / away / billions / cans / every year.

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**Key - practice 51**

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**II. Cho dạng đúng của từ IN HOA**

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55. The company has so little money that it **can’t** hardly operate anymore.

**IV. Cho dạng đúng của động từ trong ngoặc.**

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**56. being allowed – 57. was broken – 58. has been repaired – 59. punished – 60. have missed**

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70. A. on B. of c. from D. in

**II. Điền từ thích hợp vào chỗ trống để hoàn thành đoạn văn sau.**

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**71. one – 72. when – 73. like – 74. those – 75. put – 76. door – 77. give – 78. next – 79. there – 80. most**

**D. WRITING.**

**I. Viết lại những câu sau sử dụng gợi ý sao cho nghĩa của câu không đổi.**

81. What is your date of birth?

When........................................................ ***When were you born?***

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My brother is............................................. ***My brother is better in Maths than me / I am.***

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She ...................................... ***She usually works hard.***

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85. We like reading books better than seeing movies.

We.......................................................... ***We prefer reading books to seeing movies.***

86. What interesting movies!

How........................... ***How interesting the movies are!***

87. You should not watch TV too late.

You’d ...................................... ***You’d better not watch TV too late.***

88. How heavy were you last year?

How.................................... ***How much did you weigh last year?***

89. We didn’t enjoy the trip because of the heavy rain.

The heavy rain stopped.................................... ***The rain stopped us from enjoying the trip.***

90. A train leaves at eight o’clock every morning.

There is .................................................. ***There is a train at eight o’clock every morning.***

**II. Sử dụng từ gợi ý để viết thành câu hoàn chỉnh.**

91. One/ disadvantages / living in the countryside / lack / public transport.

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**91. One of the disadvantages of living in the countryside is the lack of public transport.**

**92. I always keep the window open in order to let fresh air in.**

**93. How long have you leamed English?**

**94. Homework must be handed before the end of the week.**

**95. These exercises are too difficult for the students to do without any mistakes.**

**96. One of my classmates always plays computer games.**

**97. Our accommodation includes ticket price.**

**98. Some of the goods at the new stores will be the same as the ones at the small shop.**

**99. People throw away billions of cans every year.**

**100. The tiger asks the farmer why the strong buffalo is his servant and (why) he is the master.**