

# MOCK TEST 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. invented                      B. messed                      C. ploughed                      D. trained

2. A. guitar      B. cruel      C. truth      D. flute

**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. quarantee    B. volunteer    C. committee    D. awardee

- 4.** A. transmit      B. oppose      C. display      D. feedback

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

5. She said that she visit me the following day.

- A. would      B. will      C. was      D. did

- 6.** My sister arrived \_\_\_\_\_ Paris on a beautiful morning \_\_\_\_\_ September.

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

- 7.** A cousin of \_\_\_\_\_ has helped with fixing the Internet connection in \_\_\_\_\_ apartment.

- A. ours - our                      B. our - ours                      C. her - his                      D. my - mine

- 8.** Our smart TV might help us \_\_\_\_\_ food from the supermarket.

- A. send                      B. borrow                      C. order                      D. produce

- 9.** "Would you like to join my team?" - " "

- A. Really? What a pity!                      B. I'd love to. Thank you.

- C. No, I wouldn't.                      D. I like you said so.

- 10.** There was a small room into \_\_\_\_\_ we all crowded.

- A. which      B. where      C. that      D. whom

- 11.** The company offers its employees free language training but few people take advantage of it.

- A. make                  B. take                  C. do                  D. keep

- 12.** If she had some more money, she \_\_\_\_\_ a better car.

- A. will buy      B. would buy      C. buys      D. bought

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

**FLOOD SAFETY INFORMATION**

1. Tune in to your local news or radio station (**13**) \_\_\_\_\_ weather updates and official advice. If you are advised to evacuate, grab your emergency kit and ID papers and do so immediately.
2. If you have the time and are able to do so safely, unplug appliances and turn off any (**14**) \_\_\_\_\_ like electricity, gas and water before evacuating.
3. To avoid standing, flowing or rising water, move to higher ground. Never try to walk, swim or drive through fast-moving flood water. If you are in your vehicle and it is filling with water, get onto (**15**) \_\_\_\_\_ roof. If you are trapped in a building, get to the highest level and only go onto the roof if necessary. Do not go into a/an (**16**) \_\_\_\_\_ space at the highest level of your home, such as a loft or attic, as this could result in

- 13.** A. from                      B. about                      C. for                      D. of  
**14.** A. appliances              B. utilities                      C. facilities                      D. services  
**15.** A. ∅                      B. a                      C. an                      D. the  
**16.** A. enclosed      B. close                      C. closing                      D. enclose

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

Do you love traveling to cities but can't decide on your next destination? While popular choices like London, Paris, or Rome are often suggested, my personal favorite is Barcelona. \_\_\_\_\_

- a. Can you imagine walking through the historic Gothic Quarter, then relaxing on the Barceloneta beach, and later visiting one of Gaudi's masterpieces?
- b. In addition, the local cuisine, especially the tapas, is one of the best foods I've ever tried.
- c. This Spanish treasure offers an incredible combination of culture, architecture, and entertainment.

- A. c-a-b                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. However, living in Barcelona can be very hard.  
B. In my opinion, it's an experience you shouldn't miss.  
C. Finally, you strap up your basket and go home.  
D. The architecture is breathtaking and memorable.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

The high-technology industry was already around San Francisco. Intel was founded in 1968, and in the same year Stanford University built the first computer mouse. In 1970, Xerox opened a research center **(19)** \_\_\_\_\_ was located in Palo Alto. There were also other companies, like Hewlett Packard, and Fairchild, the world's first "semiconductor" company. **(20)** \_\_\_\_\_, in 1976, an **(21)** \_\_\_\_\_ student called Steve Jobs started a small computer company in his garage; he gave it the same name **(22)** \_\_\_\_\_ the Beatles' record company: Apple. Very soon, more companies, like Seagate and Google, **(23)** \_\_\_\_\_. "Silicon Valley" had arrived. There was even **(24)** \_\_\_\_\_ primitive Internet connecting many addresses in Silicon Valley, called the Arpanet.

(Adapted from <https://linsuapress.com/intermediate/silicon-valley.htm>)

- 19.** A. which                      B. where                      C. who                      D. whom  
**20.** A. Then                      B. However                      C. Yet                      D. Therefore  
**21.** A. electric                      B. electrical                      C. electronics                      D. electricity  
**22.** A. to                      B. with                      C. of                      D. as  
**23.** A. happened                      B. appeared                      C. established                      D. came  
**24.** A. kind of                      B. a sort of                      C. a lot of                      D. a variety of

**Mark the 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.**

**25.** You should study hard, or you won't pass the exam.

- A. If you don't study hard, you will pass the exam.  
B. If you should study hard, or you won't pass the exam.  
C. If you should study hard, you won't pass the exam.  
D. If you study hard, you will pass the exam.

**26.** It takes Lan 15 minutes to travel to work by bike every day.

- A. Lan spends 15 minutes to travel to work by bike every day.
- B. Lan spends 15 minutes travel to work by bike every day.
- C. Lan spends 15 minutes travelling to work by bike every day.
- D. Lan takes 15 minutes travelling to work by bike every day.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** What / he / do / 6 o'clock yesterday morning?

- A. What is he doing at 6 o'clock yesterday morning?
- B. What does he do at 6 o'clock yesterday morning?
- C. What was he doing at 6 o'clock yesterday morning?
- D. What did he do at 6 o'clock yesterday morning?

**28.** By 2030, the way / teenagers / communicate / each other / different / now.

- A. By 2030, the way teenagers communicate with each other will be different from now.
- B. By 2030, the way teenagers communicate with each other is different from now.
- C. By 2030, the way teenagers communicate to each others will be different from now.
- D. By 2030, the way teenagers communicate to each other will be different than now.

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

**29.** What does the note say?

**PARENTS:**  
**Complete and return  
your child's form for  
next month's school  
trip by Thursday.**

- A. Parents must return forms this week if their child is going on Thursday's trip.
- B. Parents cannot go on next month's trip unless they return their forms by Thursday.
- C. The deadline for submitting the forms for the trip is Wednesday.
- D. The last day for returning completed forms for the trip is Thursday.

**30.** What does the notice say?

**Lift service starts at ground floor today. For basement please use the stairs.**

- A. It is not possible to use the lift above the ground floor today.
- B. The lift will not be going to the upper floors today.
- C. The lift will only operate between the ground floor and upper floors today.
- D. The stairs between the basement and the ground floor are closed today.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

Many pre-teens and teenagers enjoy spending their free time doing things like shopping, going to parties, being with friends, gaming and using social media, texting, watching movies, reading and going to the beach or park. Pre-teens and teenagers might also spend their free time doing structured extracurricular activities like arts and sports, community activities or volunteering, or casual work.

Spending some free time together is a great way to stay connected with your child. Doing something one-on-one with parents can be a **treat** for your child. You could go to a movie or concert, cook a meal together, go for a walk, look through family photos, or work together on a project like redecorating your child's room. It just depends on what interests you and your child have in common.

These activities might not happen **spontaneously**. You might need to discuss ideas with your child and plan to spend some time together. If spending free time with you is a new thing, your child might need some encouragement before they're keen. If this is an issue, you could plan short activities you know your child is likely to enjoy to start with. Besides, you could ask your child whether they'd like to invite a friend along. If you spend time together often enough, your child will probably start to feel more enthusiastic, so keep trying. You might need to try a range of activities before you find one you both like.

(Adapted from <https://raisin3children.net.au/pre-teens/entertainment-technolo3y/free-time-activities/free-time>)

**31.** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. How parents bond with their children in their free time

- B. How pre-teens and teens connect with their friends
- C. How pre-teens and teens spend their free time at home
- D. How parents encourage their children to join activities

**32.** What is the activity that many pre-teens and teenagers enjoy during their free time?

- A. Cleaning their rooms
- B. Volunteering
- C. Attending business meetings
- D. Going to school

**33.** Which of the following activities is suggested as a way for parents to spend quality one-on-one time with their child?

- A. Going through family photos
- B. Working alone on a project
- C. Attending a professional conference
- D. Letting their child watch movies with friends

**34.** The word "**treat**" in paragraph 2 is CLOSEST in meaning to.

- A. pleasure
- B. bargain
- C. power
- D. help

**35.** The word "**spontaneously**" in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. readily
- B. quickly
- C. naturally
- D. awkwardly

**36.** Which of the following activities is NOT true about the way parents can encourage their child to be more enthusiastic about spending free time together?

- A. Planning activities the child likes
- B. Inviting the child's friends along
- C. Letting the child plan the activities
- D. Spending time together often enough

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Air pollution is a major global health threat, (37) \_\_\_\_\_. Scientific studies from the World Health Organization show that fine particulate matter (PM2.5) and harmful gases like nitrogen dioxide and sulfur dioxide contribute to respiratory and cardiovascular diseases. Urban areas with high traffic and industrial activities are especially affected, (38) \_\_\_\_\_. The implications are clear: to protect public health, governments need to implement stricter air quality regulations and invest in cleaner energy sources. (39) \_\_\_\_\_. On an individual level, people can contribute by reducing car use, supporting clean energy initiatives, and using energy-efficient appliances. (40) \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. leading to increased hospital admissions for conditions like asthma and heart attacks
- B. linked to millions of premature deaths each year
- C. These actions not only reduce pollution but also improve overall quality of life and help combat climate change.
- D. Cities can reduce vehicle emissions by promoting public transportation and creating green spaces.

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_ **38.** \_\_\_\_\_ **39.** \_\_\_\_\_ **40.** \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 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.**

1. A. pleading      B. village      C. shortbread      D. colleague  
2. A. repairs      B. sustains      C. lacks      D. fairs

**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. suburb      B. preserve      C. fragrance      D. itchy  
4. A. liveable      B. accomplish      C. minimize      D. physical

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

5. Famous Vietnamese \_\_\_\_\_ food includes pho, bun cha and hu tieu.  
A. specialty      B. facility      C. community      D. cuisine  
6. Nowadays, to \_\_\_\_\_ the process of making com, people use machines instead of hands in several steps.  
A. short      B. shortage      C. shorten      D. shorter  
7. My mom wondered \_\_\_\_\_ to pick up first, me or my younger brother.  
A. that      B. which      C. when      D. who  
8. Our group decided to gather \_\_\_\_\_ Jim's house \_\_\_\_\_ 9 p.m. to work.  
A. at - at      B. into - at      C. at - in      D. to - at  
9. "Let me show you how to use that library card." - "\_\_\_\_\_"  
A. I can do it myself.      B. The librarian is not here.  
C. That's very kind of you.      D. No, I wouldn't  
10. The luggage was \_\_\_\_\_ heavy \_\_\_\_\_ the doorman couldn't lift it up.  
A. so - that      B. such - that      C. too - that      D. very - that  
11. My mother asked when \_\_\_\_\_ home the following week.  
A. I would come      B. would I come      C. will I come      D. would I came  
12. How many times \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ that movie since its release?



A. did - watch                      B. have - watched                      C. had - watched                      D. has - watched

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### HOW TO STAY SAFE IN A FIELD TRIP

1. Follow instructions: Always listen to (13) \_\_\_\_\_ teacher or group leader's directions and stay with your group.
2. Be aware of surroundings: Pay attention to the environment and avoid wandering (14) \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Buddy system: Pair up with a friend or classmate to (15) \_\_\_\_\_ no one is left alone.
4. Emergency preparation: Know the emergency procedures, including where to go and what to (16) \_\_\_\_\_ if something happens.

13. A. Ø                      B. a                      C. an                      D. the
14. A. by                      B. out                      C. off                      D. about
15. A. assure                      B. sure                      C. insure                      D. ensure
16. A. interact                      B. contact                      C. communicate                      D. connect

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

Emma had always wanted to learn how to play the piano. One day, she finally signed up for lessons at the local music school. \_\_\_\_\_

- a. At first, it was difficult, and she struggled to remember the notes.
- b. Her family gathered around to listen as she performed confidently at the school recital.
- c. But with each practice session, her skills improved, and soon she could play her favorite song.

A. b-c-a                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most

appropriately.

A. By the end of the day, Emma felt so excited to share her discovery with her family.

B. By the end of the night, she felt proud of her hard work and determination.

C. Emma was so eager to see what other secrets the map might lead to.

D. They laughed and took photos, ending their adventure with an unforgettable memory.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Vietnamese conical hats appeared throughout the country. People said that they originated in the ancient capital city of Hue. As images of *non la* Vietnam were on several Ngoc Lu bronze kettledrums and Ao Thinh bronze jars dating back over 2,500 to 3000 years ago, it is likely that Vietnamese people have worn *non la* Vietnam (19) \_\_\_\_\_ millennia.

*Non la*, like many other traditional Vietnamese clothing items, has its own (20) \_\_\_\_\_, which links to Vietnam rice growing culture. The story is about a gorgeous Goddess who (21) \_\_\_\_\_ the sky to save people from a massive flood. Her large hat, consisting of four round leaves sewn together with bamboo sticks, protected the people from adverse weather. Furthermore, she also taught them how to grow vegetables and trees (22) \_\_\_\_\_. (23) \_\_\_\_\_, after the Goddess vanished, the local people erected a temple to honor her as the rain-shielding goddess. They also attempted to make hats that look the same as the ones worn by the Goddess by using (24) \_\_\_\_\_ and readily available materials like palm leaves and bamboo. The result is the conical hat called *non la* Vietnam that we know today.

(Adapted from <https://vinpearl.com/en/non-la-vietnam-symbolize-traditional-beauty-with-its-simplicity>)

19. A. on                      B. since                      C. for                      D. in

20. A. story of origin      B. story of discovery      C. tale of creation      D. account of origin

21. A. derived from      B. advanced to      C. evolved into      D. descended from

22. A. for a change      B. for fun      C. for a living      D. for a hobby

23. A. However      B. Therefore      C. Moreover      D. Although

24. A. nature      B. naturally      C. natural      D. naturist

**Mark the 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.**

**25.** "Stay in bed for a few days", the doctor said to me.

- A. The doctor told me stay in bed for a few a days.
- B. The doctor told to me to stay in bed for a few days.
- C. The doctor said me to stay in bed for a few days.
- D. The doctor told me to stay in bed for a few days.

**26.** The streets are getting wider, so people build more houses there.

- A. The wider the streets are, more people build houses.
- B. The wider the streets are, people build more houses.
- C. The wider are the streets, the more houses people build there.
- D. The wider the streets are, the more houses people build there.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** This dish/ remind/ time/ our family/ lived/ Taipei.

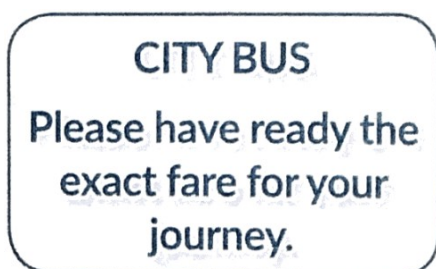
- A. This dish reminds me of the time our family lived in Taipei.
- B. This dish remind me about the time our family lived in Taipei.
- C. This dish reminds me of the time which our family lived in Taipei.
- D. This dish reminds me about the time our family live in Taipei.

**28.** I/ know/ boy/ work/ tour guide/ China.

- A. I know a boy who works as a tour guide in China.
- B. I know a boy works as a tour guide in China.
- C. I know a boy that is working as tour guide in China.
- D. I know a boy who works as a tour guide China.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?



- A. You need to have the correct money when you board the bus.
- B. You need to keep your ticket ready for checking.
- C. Tickets must be bought before boarding the bus.

D. You should not bring too much money on the bus.

**30.** What is true according to the sign?



A. The conference room is accessible through the escalator.

B. The ball room is on same floor as the conference room.

C. You can take the elevator to get to the ball room.

D. The stairs lead to the conference room, not the ball room.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

Teenage years are a time when your young people grow and develop really quickly, and the requirements for some vitamins and minerals, like calcium and iron, is fairly high. The age at which your child will have a growth spurt will vary, but in girls the growth spurt normally peaks at 12.5 years of age, and in boys at age 14 years of age.

Many lifestyle changes take place during adolescence. When children start secondary school, they often have more independence and greater control over the choices they make. They can often make decisions about what and when they want to eat, and how they spend their free time. Media can often be a challenge promoting the "thin" body ideal, as well as challenging other aspects of your family values and beliefs. This may result in difficulty for them knowing what a healthy weight and lifestyle is, and this has the potential to lead to unhealthy eating habits and beliefs.

It is important to listen to what your young people are saying, and explore with them what their views and opinions are. Accepting and understanding your child's point of view, even if you don't agree, is an **essential** part of parenting adolescents to keep lines of communication open. If you build good routines around healthy eating and exercise, they will have an understanding that people come in all different shapes and sizes, and by eating a healthy, varied diet and taking part in regular physical activity, their weight should stay healthy.

*(Adapted from <https://families.barnardos.org.uk/13-19-years/healthy-lifestyles>)*

**31.** What is the age when the growth spurt in girls peaks?

- A. Between 12.5 and 14 years of age      B. At 12.5 years of age
- C. Before 12.5 years of age      D. After 14 years of age

**32.** Which of the following statements is TRUE about the lifestyle changes that take place during adolescence?

- A. Children have more control over their decisions and act more independently.
- B. Children don't usually know how they should spend their free time and what to eat.
- C. The "thin" body ideal from the media makes children stop eating.
- D. Children learn about healthy weigh and lifestyle from social media.

**33.** What should parents NOT do to help their children keep a healthy lifestyle?

- A. Listening and exploring their children's opinions.
- B. Communicating frequently with their children.
- C. Letting children planning their own routines.
- D. Accepting even when parents don't agree with their children.

**34.** The word "**greater**" in paragraph 2 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. senior      B. little      C. petty      D. prime

**35.** The word "**essential**" in paragraph 3 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. important      B. needy      C. massive      D. helpful

**36.** What is the best title of the reading passage?

- A. Nurturing a Healthy Lifestyle in Your Children
- B. Mass Media Influence on Children's Lifestyle
- C. Communicating for a Better Lifestyle
- D. Lifestyle Changes in Adolescence

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Starting in 2028, Sweden will have children begin school at age six, a year earlier than now, replacing the preschool year (forskoleklass) with an extra year in primary school (grundskola). This move, announced by the centre-right government and supported by the Sweden Democrats, (37) \_\_\_\_\_. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. However, critics argue this shift moves away from research that supports play-based learning, (39) \_\_\_\_\_. (40) \_\_\_\_\_.

(adapted from theguardian.com)

- A. which promotes development through exploration and creativity

B. aims to enhance early learning in reading, writing, and Math

C. Education Minister Johan Pehrson believes this will help students develop fundamental skills.

D. Experts caution that formalizing education too early might weaken these play-based methods and impact preschool teachers.

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_ **38.** \_\_\_\_\_ **39.** \_\_\_\_\_ **40.** \_\_\_\_\_

# MOCK TEST 3

**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. adventure    B. education    C. jurisdiction    D. qualification  
2. A. allegiance    B. aesthetic    C. advantage    D. banana

**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. replace    B. lifestyle    C. campus    D. promise  
4. A. occupy    B. religious    C. dependent    D. concentric

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

5. I can't understand how your father managed to \_\_\_\_\_ that man. He had deceived all the rest of us.  
A. see off    B. see through    C. see to    D. see out
6. An artist does \_\_\_\_\_ tasks, such as painting or making music.  
A. create    B. creative    C. creation    D. creator
7. We \_\_\_\_\_ each other since we \_\_\_\_\_ middle school in 2024.  
A. haven't met - left    B. meet - left    C. met - have left    D. haven't meet - left
8. He didn't tell me the reason \_\_\_\_\_ he came late.  
A. when    B. for which    C. why    D. Both B and C
9. Minh and Jack are doing their homework in a self-study room.  
Minh: "Jack, can you give me the textbook?"  
Jack: "\_\_\_\_\_"  
Minh: "Can you pass me the textbook next to you?"  
A. What?    B. I'm coming.    C. Never mind.    D. Sorry?
10. My mother asked \_\_\_\_\_ I planned to go climbing in the summer.  
A. which    B. if    C. unless    D. what
11. John takes actions \_\_\_\_\_ in this turn with \_\_\_\_\_ mistakes than he did

in the previous one.

A. more careful/ more

B. more careful/ fewer

C. more carefully/ less

D. more carefully/ fewer

**12.** Among its \_\_\_\_\_ other uses, fresh water is required by humans for drinking and agriculture.

A. many

B. more

C. less

D. each

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP DAY

1. Join us for Community Clean-Up Day on Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Central Park. Supplies will be **(13)** \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Bring your friends and family! Everyone is welcome to participate, regardless **(14)** \_\_\_\_\_ age or ability.

3. Help improve our neighborhood by picking up litter, planting flowers, and **(15)** \_\_\_\_\_ local spaces.

4. Refreshments provided! Enjoy free snacks and drinks for all volunteers. Let's work together to create **(16)** \_\_\_\_\_ cleaner, greener \_\_\_\_\_.

**13.** A. furnished B. provided

C. covered

D. delivered

**14.** A. of

B. off

C. from

D. about

**15.** A. décor

B. decorated

C. decorative

D.

decorating

**16.** A. the

B. an

C. a

D. Ø

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

I recently took a trip to the enchanting city of Paris, a place that truly has a special spot in my heart. Last summer, I checked out the famous Eiffel Tower and strolled through the delightful streets of Montmartre, soaking in the stunning views and artistic vibe. \_\_\_\_\_



- a. Over the years, I've been lucky enough to visit Paris several times, and each experience has only increased my love for its rich history and lively culture.
- b. As I explored its galleries, I realized just how much I've learned about art and history since my very first trip.
- c. The Louvre Museum, known for its incredible artworks, was definitely a highlight of my visits.

A. b-c-a                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-a-b

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. Paris is also famous for its cozy cafes, where you can enjoy coffee and pastries.
- B. The vibrant street art scene adds a modern touch to the city's classic charm.
- C. Exploring the museums offers a peaceful escape from the city's hustle and bustle.
- D. Paris remains a magical destination that has left a lasting impression on my memories.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

I've had many great moments in class but perhaps the best one took place in my English class about a month ago. I had a **(19)** \_\_\_\_\_ presentation and I felt pretty confident. 30 minutes before my presentation, I decided to incorporate an actor for visual appeal, to correspond with my presentation. I felt even more confident, assure that I would **(20)** \_\_\_\_\_ and keep the audience engaged.

When my presentation started, I gave a signal to my actor, **(21)** \_\_\_\_\_ led me to drop my 8 notecards all over the floor. I was aware that the time was ticking, so I quickly grabbed all the notecards off the floor. I became overwhelmed with embarrassment, listening to the echoing laughter of the audience **(22)** \_\_\_\_\_. I tried to rearrange the cards. The cards in my hand then became extremely restraining. My anxiety levels **(23)** \_\_\_\_\_, and the disorganized cards just added stress to my emotions. I placed the cards down, and felt a great **(24)** \_\_\_\_\_. My words, my explanations, my connections all flowed out my mouth with harmony, and I felt more natural and free as I presented my topic.

**19.** A. 10-minute    B. 10 minutes                      C. ten-minutes    D. ten of minute

**20.** A. catch the eye    B. take notice                      C. draw attention                      D. pay attention

21. A. where                      B. when                      C. that                      D. which  
22. A. but                      B. yet                      C. although                      D. as  
23. A. risen                      B. rose                      C. arose                      D. rise  
24. A sense of relief      B. state of relief      C. state of worry      D. feeling of fear

**Mark the 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.**

25. Jim: "Why don't you call a taxi to the ceremony?"

- A. Jim hoped that I went to the ceremony by taxi.  
B. Jim asked why I didn't call a taxi to the ceremony.  
C. Jim asked for a taxi to the ceremony.  
D. Jim suggested that I should call a taxi to the ceremony.

26. John decided to stop playing chess because of his headache.

- A. John decided to take up playing chess because of his headache.  
B. John decided to give up playing chess because of his headache.  
C. John decided to put up with playing chess because of his headache.  
D. John decided to cut down on playing chess because of his headache.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

27. There/ some/ difference/ vocabulary/ American English/ British English.

- A. There are some differences in vocabulary of American English and British English.  
B. There are some differences in vocabulary between American English and British English.  
C. There are some differences from vocabulary in American English and British English.  
D. There are some differences from vocabulary of American English and British English.

28. You/ should/ sleep early,/ eat/ healthy diet/ do/ physical exercise/ regularly.

- A. You should sleeps early, eats a healthy diet and does physical exercise regularly.  
B. You should sleep early, eat a healthy diet, do physical exercise regularly.  
C. You should sleep early, eat a healthy diet and do physical exercise regularly.  
D. You should sleep early, eat healthy diet, and do physical exercise regularly.

**Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on**

***your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.***

**29.** What does the notice say?

**Notice: The library  
is closed because  
of problems in the  
building. It will stay  
closed until March  
next year.**

- A. There were problems building the library, so it is not open until next March.
- B. The library won't open until next March due to problems in the building.
- C. The library will close next March because of problems in the building.
- D. The library is open until next March due to problems in the building

**30.** What does the sign say?

**Welcome to Kids' Zone!  
Children may play with all toys.  
Running is not allowed.**

- A. Children can bring all their toys.
- B. Children can bring home all the toys.
- C. Running in Kid's Zone is hazardous.
- D. Running in Kid's Zone is forbidden.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

At the World Cities Summit, Resilient Cities Network today released a white paper, titled "Urban Eats: How Cities Leverage Opportunities to Build Resilient Food Systems through Circular Pathways". The report argues that food waste presents an untapped business opportunity that can unlock multiple benefits, such as economic growth and green jobs, improved food security and a healthier planet. Globally, 150 million urban residents are food insecure, while cities generate over 2.8 billion tons of organic waste each year. Only 2% of this waste is captured and recycled to contribute to reduced emissions and increased employment, while also recapturing nutrients for growing food.

"Given that cities will consume 80% of the world's food in 2050 while food insecurity continues to rise, it is clear that action must begin there," said Lauren Sorkin, Executive Director of the Resilient Cities Network. "By advancing circular practices that both reduce waste and create value from waste, we can **unlock** multiple resilience benefits, such as reducing carbon footprint of food, improving

food distribution, breaking the dependence on non-renewable inputs in food production, generating jobs and boosting food supply efficiency.”

A circular food economy, which builds resilience, would help deliver an adequate food supply to meet global nutritional needs, and **support** regenerative practices based on reduced waste, recovering nutrients and addressing pollution in the food system.

(Adapted from <https://resilientcitiesnetwork.org>)

**31.** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. Benefits of a resilient circular food system
- B. Benefits of food waste to the economy
- C. Actions that people should take to prevent food waste
- D. Effects of food waste on the global food consumption

**32.** According to paragraph 1, which of the following is NOT the benefit of food waste?

- A. Encouraging economic development
- B. Creating environmentally friendly jobs
- C. Causing food insecurity
- D. Protecting the Earth

**33.** How much food waste is not recycled and captured each year?

- A. 150 tons
- B. 2.8 million tons
- C. 98% of 2.8 million tons
- D. 2% of 2.8 million tons

**34.** What can circular practices do to help the food economy?

- A. Increasing carbon footprint for food
- B. Reducing waste and creating values
- C. Damaging food distribution
- D. Using more non-renewable inputs

**35.** The word "**unlock**" in paragraph 2 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. discover
- B. limit
- C. open
- D. strain

**36.** The word "**support**" in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. back
- B. assist
- C. sustain
- D. reject

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Fussy eating in children is largely influenced by genetics rather than parenting, according to recent research. (37) \_\_\_\_\_. Genetic variation accounted for a

significant portion of this behavior, explaining up to 74% of differences in pickiness as children aged. Dr. Zeynep Nas, a behavioural geneticist, emphasizes that food preferences stem from our genetic makeup, though environmental factors also play a role, (38) \_\_\_\_\_. Analysis of twins revealed that identical twins shared more similar eating habits than non-identical twins, underscoring the genetic link. While genetics is important, parents can still influence their children's diets (39) \_\_\_\_\_. (40) \_\_\_\_\_.

A. As children grow, peer influence becomes more significant, but ongoing support from parents can encourage a broader diet throughout childhood and adolescence.

B. by offering a variety of foods, especially during toddler years

C. A study examining eating habits from toddlers to teenagers found that food pickiness remains relatively stable, peaking at age seven.

D. such as family meal dynamics and the foods available at home

37. \_\_\_\_\_ 38. \_\_\_\_\_ 39. \_\_\_\_\_ 40. \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 4

**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. cough B. spaghetti C. laugh D. enough

2. A. dough B. scout C. sound D. noun

**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. curious B. athletic C. delicious D. terrific

4. A. creation B. occasion C. equity D. decision

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

5. This is \_\_\_\_\_ time I have overworked on a homework assignment.

A. hardest      B. the hardest      C. the most hardly      D. most hard

6. Can you pass me \_\_\_\_\_ salt from the table?

A. a      B. a few      C. this      D. some

7. Huong cannot remember the name of the café \_\_\_\_\_ she enjoyed her favorite cheesecake.

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

8. If you had revised the lesson, you \_\_\_\_\_ higher in the examination.

A. might have scored      B. could score

C. will score      D. would score

9. Mom: "You did a great job with the photo album! Just a heads-up, some of the frames are looking a bit worn out."

Dad: "\_\_\_\_\_ "

A. Got it, I'll get on that soon.

B. What do you think?

C. It looks wonderful!

D. Thank you, I worked hard on it.

10. John told his best friend that he \_\_\_\_\_ a promotion at work.

A. is getting

B. gets

C. will get

D. had got

11. She was \_\_\_\_\_ about the diverse accents during her travels in Europe.

A. excited

B. exciting

C. excite

D. excitement

12. People in our town believe that preserving old traditions can \_\_\_\_\_ community bonds.

A. lengthen

B. widen

C. brighten

D. strengthen

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### WHAT TO DO IN A FLOOD

1. Move to higher ground as soon as a flood warning is issued. Refrain (13) \_\_\_\_\_ walking, driving, or swimming through floodwaters. If trapped, go to the highest floor but avoid (14) \_\_\_\_\_ attics without windows or access points.

2. Be aware that floodwaters may contain (15) \_\_\_\_\_ debris or contamination.

3. Shut off utilities such as gas and electricity if instructed.

4. Stay informed through emergency (16) \_\_\_\_\_ or alerts. Prepare a

13. A. to B. away C. from D. off

14. A. ∅ B. a C. an D. the

15. A. hazard B. hazardous C. hazardously D. hazarded

16. A. broadside B. broadhands C. broadcasts D. broadsheets

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

17. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

A new invention was introduced at the tech expo today. This device blends AI with robotics to make daily tasks easier. \_\_\_\_\_

a. It uses voice control to manage schedules and handle chores.

b. Through such tasks, the device aims to improve convenience and efficiency.

c. Demonstrations showed it organizing rooms and providing updates on the weather.

A. b-c-a B. b-a-c C. a-c-b D. c-b-a

18. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

A. The sleek design of the device was a hit among the attendees.

B. Many people were eager to test the device and see how it could work.

C. This invention could be a major advance in smart technology.

D. Experts at the expo discussed its potential impact on various industries.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Fast food is one of the things that the USA has given to the world. In fact, the Americans did not invent fast food - they just made it (19) \_\_\_\_\_ a lifestyle.

For many years, British fish and chip shops had been offering customers a real meal to eat in the street. Other forms of fast food were also common all over the world. For (20) \_\_\_\_\_, the "packed lunch", some bread and something to eat with, was part of the daily (21) \_\_\_\_\_ of millions of workers all over Europe and North America for over a century.

American-style "fast food" took existing models, improved them, and created a new style of eating (22) \_\_\_\_\_ can adapt to today's fast-paced lifestyle. "Hamburger", (23) \_\_\_\_\_ a German dish, is known as the most popular type of fast food thanks to America, (24) \_\_\_\_\_ it was the first nation in the

world to master large-scale food production, distribution and conservation.

(Adapted from <https://linsuapress.com/advanced/american-food.htm>)

19. A. on                      B. in                      C. from                      D. into  
20. A. instance            B. sure                    C. now                      D. sale  
21. A. schedule            B. routine                C. habit                    D. tasks  
22. A. who                  B. which                  C. where                    D. what  
23. A. origin                      B. originally                C. original                  D. originate  
24. A. as                      B. although                C. despite                  D. thus

**Mark the 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.**

25. "Where did you go on vacation last summer?" I asked her.  
A. I asked her where she had gone on vacation the previous summer.  
B. I asked her where did she go on vacation the previous summer.  
C. I asked her where she went on vacation the previous summer.  
D. I asked her where had she gone on vacation the previous summer.

26. They decorated the tree with colorful Christmas balls.  
A. The tree was decorated with colorful Christmas balls.  
B. Colorful Christmas balls had been decorated under the tree.  
C. The tree had been decorated with colorful Christmas balls.  
D. They had decorated colorful Christmas balls and the tree.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

27. More people / probably / use / solar energy / the future.  
A. More people probably will use solar energy in the future.  
B. More people will probably use solar energy in the future.  
C. More people is probably use solar energy on the future.  
D. More people probably uses solar energy on the future.
28. Flora and fauna / Earth / create / ecological balance / make life possible / humans.  
A. Flora and fauna on Earth creates an ecological balance, which makes life possible for humans.  
B. Flora and fauna in Earth create an ecological balance, which makes life possible to humans.  
C. The flora and fauna on Earth create an ecological balance, which makes life



possible for humans.

D. The flora and fauna in Earth creates an ecological balance, which makes life possible to humans.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?

**COLLEGE OFFICE**  
**Student ID cards will be**  
**available for collection**  
**from 14 January.**

A. Student ID cards are unavailable after 14 January.

B. The earliest students can pick up their ID cards is 14 January.

C. Students should bring in their ID card on 14 January.

D. Students must collect their ID card on 14 January.

**30.** What does the notice say?

**NO BICYCLES AGAINST**  
**GLASS PLEASE.**

A. Do not leave your bicycle touching the window.

B. Broken glass may damage your bicycle tyres.

C. Your bicycle may not be safe here.

D. Do not break the glass using your bicycle.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

If you use instant messaging services, it's very likely that WhatsApp is one of them. But what do you know about it? Did you know that it was invented by Jan Koum, a Ukrainian-born entrepreneur? After he had bought his first iPhone, he got annoyed of missing calls when he went to the gym and WhatsApp grew out of the simple idea that it is good to let people know if you're available. He came up with the name WhatsApp because it sounded like 'What's up?'

There was nothing in Koum's upbringing to suggest that the young Ukrainian would one day change the world of social media. He was brought up in a small village near Kiev. When Koum was sixteen, he emigrated to California with his mother and grandmother, while his father stayed behind and never left

Ukraine. It was a hard time for the family who lived in very run-down accommodation.

Koum studied Computer Science and Maths, but at school he came up against bullying from other boys and often got into trouble. In Ukraine, Koum had left behind his close friends and at that time, he looked down on the **casual** friendships that people had at highschool in America and he eventually dropped out of college.

Things changed when he got a job at Yahoo in the early 2000s. First he met Brian Acton, who would go on to co-found WhatsApp. When Koum and Acton left Yahoo in 2007, they applied for jobs at Facebook. Both were turned down.

Following rejection from Facebook, the two friends decided to go travelling in South America, and it was when they returned to the USA that they co-founded WhatsApp. The app didn't **take off** straight away, which was a real let down for Koum and Acton. However, in 2014 it had more than 400 million users globally. In the end, the huge success of WhatsApp came down to the excellent user experience. Facebook paid more than \$19 billion to acquire WhatsApp, which more than made up for their earlier rejection, turning both Koum and Acton into billionaires.

*(Adapted from Focus 4)*

**31.** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. The life of Koum, the inventor of WhatsApp
- B. The way Koum and Acton tried to sell WhatsApp to Facebook
- C. The way WhatsApp changed social media
- D. The journey of Koum finding his way to America

**32.** Which of the following things inspired Jan Koum to create WhatsApp?

- A. His gym class
- B. His first iPhone
- C. Missing calls
- D. The name 'What's up?'

**33.** What is the challenge that Koum and his family faced after moving to California?

- A. Living in unpleasant living conditions
- B. Leaving his father in Ukraine
- C. Studying computer science and maths
- D. Bullying from other schoolmates

**34.** The word "**casual**" in paragraph 3 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. informal
- B. serious
- C. strange
- D. intentional

**35.** The word “**take off**” in paragraph 4 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. achieve            B. prosper            C. flop            D. decline

**36.** Which of the following activities is NOT true about WhatsApp?

- A. WhatsApp is an instant messaging service.  
B. There is only one inventor who created WhatsApp.  
C. WhatsApp was sold at the price of about \$19 billion.  
D. In the beginning, WhatsApp was not a success.

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

A prolonged strike could seriously hurt Boeing's already struggling finances. Although the company reached a tentative deal with union leaders, workers rejected the offer, (37) \_\_\_\_\_. Boeing stated its willingness to return to the negotiation table and work towards a better agreement. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. As a result, many have been protesting outside Boeing's factories in the Seattle area, (39) \_\_\_\_\_. The strike is also expected to delay deliveries to airlines and disrupt Boeing's financial recovery. (40) \_\_\_\_\_.

*(Adapted from Reuters)*

- A. affecting the production of key planes  
B. saying the terms weren't good enough  
C. The proposed contract included a signing bonus and a promise to build Boeing's next commercial jet in Seattle, but workers were unhappy about losing an annual bonus.  
D. Past strikes have caused major issues for the company, leading to factory shutdowns and significant losses in revenue.

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_    **38.** \_\_\_\_\_    **39.** \_\_\_\_\_    **40.** \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 5

**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. ancient                      B. basic                      C. campus                      D. agent  
2. A. takes                      B. breathes                      C. stays                      D. blows

**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. metro                      B. pursue                      C. visit                      D. carry  
4. A. communal                      B. density                      C. performance                      D. majestic

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

5. \_\_\_\_\_ the newest A24 movie? - Not yet. I haven't had the time.  
A. Have you seen    B. Are you seeing    C. Were you seeing    D. Will you see
6. He told me he \_\_\_\_\_ watch a movie with me after work the next day.  
A. did                      B. will                      C. would                      D. had
7. My deskmate, \_\_\_\_\_ pencilcase is always full, lent me an extra pen when mine ran out of ink.  
A. whom                      B. whose                      C. who                      D. which
8. The researcher's \_\_\_\_\_ to the problem was innovative and effective.  
A. approach                      B. approached                      C. approaching                      D. approaches
9. "Can you help me with this project this weekend?" - " \_\_\_\_\_"  
A. "Sure, I'd be happy to help."  
B. "I need to buy more ink for the printer."  
C. "OK! The movie starts at 7 p.m."  
D. "Why don't you tell your professor?"
10. The boss \_\_\_\_\_ our deadline by a week which means we have more time to reach the quota.  
A. pushed back    B. pushed away    C. pushed over    D. pushed forward
11. There were \_\_\_\_\_ people at the concert than we expected.  
A. less                      B. fewer                      C. much                      D. little
12. Had we known about the traffic jam, we \_\_\_\_\_ an earlier departure.

A. plan  
planned

B. had planned

C. would plan

D. would have

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### WHAT TO DO IN A MEDICAL EMERGENCY

Be prepared to take the following actions:

- Determine the location and quickest route to the nearest emergency department before an emergency happens.
- Keep emergency phone numbers (13) \_\_\_\_\_ in your home where you can easily access them. Also enter the numbers into your cell phone. These numbers include: fire department, police department, poison control center, ambulance center, your health care provider's phone numbers, contact numbers of neighbors or nearby friends or relatives, and work phone numbers.
- Know at which hospital(s) your provider practices and, if (14) \_\_\_\_\_, go there in an emergency.
- Wear a medical identification tag if you have (15) \_\_\_\_\_ chronic condition or look (16) \_\_\_\_\_ one on a person who has any of the symptoms mentioned.
- Get a personal emergency response system if you're an older adult, especially if you live alone.

13. A. \_\_\_\_\_

14. A. musical

B. whimsical

C. practical

D. ethical

15. A. ∅

B. a

C. an

D. the

16. A. into

B. for

C. at

D. around

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

S'more is easy to make and brings a sweet, nostalgic touch to any outdoor experience. To make a s'more, take a long stick, put a marshmallow on the end, and roast it over a fire. \_\_\_\_\_

a. Girl Scouts later popularized it and called it “some more,” which turned into “s’more.”

b. The s'more first appeared in a 1920s cookbook as a “graham cracker sandwich.”

C. When it’s toasted to your liking, place it between two pieces of graham cracker with some chocolate.

A. b-c-a                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

A. Some people even use a microwave to quickly make s’mores.

B. Also, there are even recipes for s’more-flavored ice cream and other desserts.

C. This tasty treat remains a favorite at campfires and outdoor gatherings.

D. You can add different types of chocolate or using flavored marshmallows.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Many people seem to think that the Artificial Intelligence only exists on the digital cloud. (19) \_\_\_\_\_, the AI and other digital medias take up huge amounts of space (20) \_\_\_\_\_ as data centers. It is estimated that approximately 7,000 data center have been built or are in (21) \_\_\_\_\_ all around the world. These centers require much more energy than the average factory. Researchers have found that one ChatGPT request is equivalent to (22) \_\_\_\_\_ a light bulb for 15 minutes, or talking on the phone for an hour. This much energy requires data servers to run hotter (23) \_\_\_\_\_ creates negative effects to the surrounding environment. Even Microsoft has expressed worries that their quest for AI may (24) \_\_\_\_\_ their plan to go carbon negative by 2030.

**19.** A. In reality    B. In hindsight    C. In case                      D. In retrospect

**20.** A. known                      B. called                      C. seen                      D. accepted

**21.** A. reduction    B. enforcement    C. development    D. production

**22.** A. powered    B. powering                      C. powers                      D. power

**23.** A. when                      B. what                      C. who                      D. which

**24.** A. reduce                      B. restrict                      C. hinder                      D. loosen

**Mark the 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.**

**25.** This project accounts for 70% of your final grade. You must pick the topic

carefully.

A. This project accounts for 70% of your final grade; however, you must pick the topic carefully.

B. Although this project accounts for 70% of your final grade, you must pick the topic carefully.

C. This project accounts for 70% of your final grade that you must pick the topic carefully.

D. Since this project accounts for 70% of your final grade, you must pick the topic carefully.

**26.** That picture reminds me of our first family holiday abroad.

A. I think of our first family holiday abroad when I see that picture.

B. That is a picture of our first family holiday abroad.

C. I think of that picture on our first family holiday abroad.

D. That picture was taken on our first family holiday abroad.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** He/ advise/ his friend/ apologize/ her mistake.

A. He advised his friend apologizing for her mistake.

B. He advised his friend to apologize for her mistake.

C. He advised his friend that she will apologize for her mistake.

D. He advised his friend to have apologized for her mistake.

**28.** We/ hope/ ourcountry/ switch to/ sustainable fossil fuel alternatives/ future.

A. We hope our country would have switched to sustainable fossil fuel alternatives in the future.

B. We hope our country would switched to sustainable fossil fuel alternatives in the future.

C. We hope our country had switched to sustainable fossil fuel alternatives in the future.

D. We hope our country will switch to sustainable fossil fuel alternatives in the future.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?

**For regular travelers:  
SAVE MONEY WITH  
SUPER WEEKLY SAVER  
TICKET.**

- A. You need a special type of ticket if you travel regularly.
- B. The Super Weekly Saver ticket can help all travellers to save money.
- C. Cheaper tickets are available for people who travel often.
- D. You must not buy the ticket if you are a one-time traveller.

**30.** Students who do not sign up before Friday lunchtime ...

**Sign up for next week's  
afternoon activities  
before Friday lunchtime.  
If not, we will select  
activities for you.**

- A. won't be able to choose their afternoon activities next week.
- B. will not be able to do afternoon activities next week.
- C. will have to work in the afternoons next week.
- D. will be selected for certain activities next week.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

### **COFFEE**

We all know that a cup of coffee helps to wake you up in the morning, but several studies show that drinking coffee helps to prevent some illnesses like diabetes and Parkinson's disease. Experts say that you can safely drink three cups of espresso during the day, but if you drink too much coffee it can make you feel anxious or keep you awake at night

### **SUNLIGHT**

Spending a long time in the sun is dangerous and can give you skin cancer. But on the other hand, not spending enough time in the sunlight is also bad for you, as it helps US to produce vitamin D. This vitamin is **essential** for strong bones and a healthy immune system, and it also makes people feel happier. Nowadays many people don't get enough sunlight because they wear sunscreen all the time, especially on their faces. However, don't spend too long in the Sun - 15 minutes a day without sunscreen is a healthy amount, and not at midday.



## COMPUTER GAMES

You probably worry about how much time you or your children waste playing computer games. But in fact some studies show that these games can help US learn important skills. It seems that computer games **stimulate** the brain and that people who often play them are probably better at solving problems and making quick decisions. But don't spend too many hours in front of the computer - not more than about two hours a day.

*(Adapted from English File, Oxford University Press)*

**31.** What is the best title for the passage?

- A. Daily Dangers
- B. Everything Bad is Good for You
- C. Too Little Too Much
- D. Best in Small Doses

**32.** According to the passage, what are TWO positive effects of sunlight?

- A. They can strengthen your bones and immune system.
- B. They prevent diabetes.
- C. They can improve problem-solving and critical thinking.
- D. They are more prone to skin cancer.

**33.** According to the passage, which of the following is true about spending time in the sun?

- A. Wearing sunscreen is unnecessary as long as you are in the sun for less than 15 minutes a day.
- B. Spending too much time in the sun is beneficial for vitamin D production.
- C. Spending 15 minutes a day in the sun without sunscreen is considered healthy.
- D. Sunscreen is not needed if you are only in the sun during midday.

**34.** The word "**essential**" in paragraph 2 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. crucial
- B. fundamental
- C. trivial
- D. necessary

**35.** The word "**stimulate**" in paragraph 3 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. activate
- B. encourage
- C. delay
- D. trigger

**36.** Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the passage?

- A. Digital games teaches players quick thinking.
- B. You shouldn't drink more than three cups of espresso per day.
- C. Wearing sunscreen has prevented people from getting enough sunlight.
- D. Coffee can increase your heart rate.

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

The Hague has made history by becoming the first city globally to pass a law banning advertisements for fossil fuel products and high-carbon services. Effective from the start of next year, this groundbreaking legislation will eliminate all public and private ads for petrol, diesel, aviation, and cruise ships from the city's streets, including billboards and bus shelters. (37) \_\_\_\_\_. While some cities like Edinburgh have limited high-carbon advertising through voluntary agreements or council motions, (38) \_\_\_\_\_. It excludes political advertising and general brand promotions but targets ads for high-carbon products and services. The legislation, (39) \_\_\_\_\_, is seen as a bold step in addressing climate change. Advocates believe it will redirect government resources from combating the effects of fossil fuel advertising to supporting sustainable alternatives like public transport. (40) \_\_\_\_\_.

*(Adapted from "The Guardian")*

- A. The Hague's action is expected to inspire similar initiatives worldwide, with proposals also being considered in Toronto, Graz, and Amsterdam.
- B. the Hague's ban is legally binding and marks the first local legislation of its kind
- C. which took two years to pass
- D. This move follows a call from UN Secretary-General Antonio Guterres earlier this year for governments to implement similar bans as those for tobacco.

37. \_\_\_\_\_ 38. \_\_\_\_\_ 39. \_\_\_\_\_ 40. \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 6

**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. hats B. talks C. laughs D. cringes
- 2. A. county B. poultry C. mould D. soul

**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. education    B. pigmentation    C. television    D. comprehension
4. A. spacious    B. dangerous    C. famous    D. adventurous

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

5. If you had planned your time efficiently, you \_\_\_\_\_ to submit the application in time.

- A. wouldn't fail    B. wouldn't have failed  
C. wouldn't be failing    D. wouldn't having

6. \_\_\_\_\_ our culture is considered to be very important.

- A. Observing    B. Preserving    C. Updating    D. Traversing

7. Tom \_\_\_\_\_ his laundry when the lights in his apartment \_\_\_\_\_ out.

- A. did - went    B. had done - went  
C. was doing - went    D. has gone - had gone

8. I will be at the station in a few moments. You should stay \_\_\_\_\_ you are.

- A. what    B. who    C. where    D. which

9: - "I'm afraid we're out of coffee. Would tea be fine?" - "\_\_\_\_\_"

- A. No, I won't.    B. Yes, please, that would be great.  
C. I don't know about that.    D. It's not my favorite.

10. The darker it gets, the more dangerous the road \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. became    B. will become    C. has become    D. becomes

11. The government's latest \_\_\_\_\_ has significantly impacted the economy, according to experts.

- A. decided    B. decision    C. deciding    D. decisiveness

12. Despite his efforts, he made \_\_\_\_\_ progress in solving the complex mathematical problem.

- A. many    B. a few    C. little    D. several

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### WHAT TO DO IN A LANDSLIDE

1. If you suspect (13) \_\_\_\_\_ danger, evacuate immediately.

Inform affected neighbors if you can, and contact your public works, fire or police department.

2. Listen for unusual sounds that might (14) \_\_\_\_\_ moving debris, such

as trees cracking or boulders knocking together.

- 13.** A. prominent B. imminent C. opponent D. permanent  
**14.** A. indicating B. indicates C. indicator D. indicate  
**15.** A.  $\emptyset$  B. an C. a D. the  
**16.** A. at B. over C. for D. out

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

On Thursday night, the UK saw a stunning display of the northern lights. The aurora borealis was brightest in Scotland, Northern Ireland, and Northern England. \_\_\_\_\_

- a. Even Kent caught a faint glimpse of the colors.  
b. They advised people to look north and use a camera for the best view.  
c. Meteorologists suggested a weaker show might occur on Friday.

A. b-c-a B. b-a-c C. a-c-b D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. The weather is expected to be cloudy, which may obstruct the view.  
B. Many people were excited to witness this breathtaking natural phenomenon.  
C. This natural phenomenon typically occurs only in polar regions.  
D. The aurora borealis is caused by solar activity interacting with Earth's atmosphere.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Not long ago, open-air markets played an important (19) \_\_\_\_\_ in the lives of the Vietnamese. Wherever there was open space, the local people could start their own market. There, you could find almost everything from local (20) \_\_\_\_\_ and home-grown products to those (21) \_\_\_\_\_ the sellers bought wholesale from somewhere and (22) \_\_\_\_\_ them for a profit. (23) \_\_\_\_\_ the locals went there nearly every day, they knew one another, and the sellers even remembered the customers' (24) \_\_\_\_\_.

19. A. game                      B. place                      C. part                      D. act

20. A. home-bought      B. home-collected      C. home-made      D. home-removed

21. A. that                      B. where                      C. what                      D. who

22. A. resell                      B. would resell      C. resold                      D. are reselling

23. A. Since                      B. However                      C. Although                      D. Therefore

24. A. friends                      B. preferences      C. hobbies                      D. address

**Mark the 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.**

25. It is reported that the police were searching for the criminal.

A. The criminal is reported to be searching for the police.

B. The criminal is being reported by the police.

C. The criminal is being searched by the police.

D. The criminal is reported to have been caught by the police.

26. You won't become successful unless you have self-discipline.

A. If you don't discipline others, you won't become successful.

B. If you are self-disciplined, you will succeed in life.

C. If you should have self-discipline, you will become successful.

D. If you discipline yourself, you won't have success.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

27. If/ Lan/ want/ focus/ her homework/ should/ turn off/ TV.

A. If Lan wants to focus on her homework, she should turns off the TV.

B. If Lan wanted to focus on her homework, she should be turning off the TV.

- C. If Lan wants to focus on her homework, she should turn off the TV.  
D. If Lan would want to focus on her homework, she should turn off the TV.

**28.** My dad/ meet/ my mum/ when/ he/ visit/ Hoi An Ancient Town.

- A. My dad was meeting my mum when he was visiting Hoi An Ancient Town.  
B. My dad meets my mum when he visited Hoi An Ancient Town.  
C. My dad would have met my mum when he had visited Hoi An Ancient Town.  
D. My dad met my mum when he was visiting Hoi An Ancient Town.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?

Once opened,  
keep in the coldest part  
of refrigerator and  
use within five days.

- A. The product can last five days after opening.  
B. The product should be stored in a refrigerator immediately.  
C. The product doesn't have to be kept cool.  
D. Don't leave the product outside for more than five days.

**30.** What does the notice say?

We accept cash,  
cheques, and all  
major credit cards!

- A. We prefer you to pay with a credit card or in cash.  
B. You must have a credit card and a cheque as well as cash.  
C. You may pay with a credit card, cheque or cash.  
D. You can only use a credit card to pay.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

People in cities around the world walk 10% more quickly than they did twenty years ago. Singapore, a world business centre, is top of the list for fast walkers.

In the USA there is a book called *One-Minute Bedtime Stories* for children. These are shorter versions of traditional stories, especially written for busy parents who need to save time.

People aren't as patient as they were in the past. If the lift takes more than 15 seconds to arrive, people get very impatient because they think they're wasting time. It's exactly the same when an internet page does not open immediately.

Written communication on the internet is getting shorter and shorter and using more and more **abbreviations**, like BFN (bye for now) or NP (no problem). Twitter only allows you to use 140 characters, and now a new social networking site has a limit of just ten words.

Even in our free time we do things in a hurry. Twenty years ago when people went to art galleries they spent ten seconds looking at each picture. Today they spend much less time - just three seconds!

Our cars are faster, but the traffic is worse, so we drive more slowly. The average speed of cars in New York City is 15 km/h. We spend more time than ever sitting in our cars, feeling stressed because we aren't going to arrive on time.

*(Adapted from English File, Oxford University Press)*

**31.** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. How we walk now compared to the past
- B. How technology has changed our lives for the better
- C. How our current society differs from the past
- D. How we used to lead better lives in past times

**32.** Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the text?

- A. People in Singapore walk faster than in other cities.
- B. The speed at which people view art in galleries has decreased.
- C. The average speed of cars in New York City has increased.
- D. Written communication on the internet has become more abbreviated.

**33.** Who is "*One-Minute Bedtime Stories*" written for?

- A. the elderly
- B. teenagers
- C. people who can't sleep
- D. busy parents

**34.** The word "**they**" in paragraph 3 refers to?

- A. lift
- B. internet pages
- C. seconds to arrive
- D. people

**35.** The word "**abbreviations**" in paragraph 3 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. shortened words
- B. informal words
- C. technical words
- D. advanced words

**36.** Which of the following statements is TRUE according to the passage?

- A. Our cars are faster, but our driving speed has decreased.
- B. People like to take their time when they do things nowadays.
- C. People had more patience in the past than they do now.
- D. We become stressed when we worry about being on time.

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Jungle, evolving from a two-man project to an acclaimed eight-piece band (37) \_\_\_\_\_. Their fourth album, Volcano, (38) \_\_\_\_\_, and they are currently touring arenas with a diverse setlist featuring hits from their career. (39) \_\_\_\_\_, Jungle's visual elements have played a crucial role in their identity, but their current live performances have shifted focus to the music. (40) \_\_\_\_\_. Jungle's commitment to showcasing lesser-known rappers and their creative videography is evident in their recordings, but live shows have missed some of these elements, resulting in a solid yet less ambitious performance compared to their innovative studio work.

- A. Known for their fluid, one-take videos with a consistent dance troupe.
- B. embraced live performance and guest vocalists while maintaining a low-key public image
- C. The absence of their dance troupe and guest vocalists during concerts has been noted.
- D. helped them win the Brit Award for Best British Group

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_    **38.** \_\_\_\_\_    **39.** \_\_\_\_\_    **40.** \_\_\_\_\_



# MOCK TEST 7

**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. dependent    B. democratic    C. generation    D. eccentric  
2. A. established    B. replaced    C. breathed    D. basked

**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. permission    B. admission    C. precision    D. destination  
4. A. annual    B. urgent    C. comprise    D. comment

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

5. Did you \_\_\_\_\_ a new haircut recently? You look great!  
A. get    B. got    C. was getting    D. have got
6. His performance was \_\_\_\_\_ than any of his previous shows, leaving the audience speechless.  
A. more better    B. much best    C. far better    D. most better
7. Were it not for my \_\_\_\_\_ helping hands, I wouldn't have been able to finish this project on time.  
A. friend    B. friends    C. friend's    D. friends'
8. Henrietta thought in reverence, "For \_\_\_\_\_, for \_\_\_\_\_ was that bird singing?"  
A. who - what    B. which - that    C. whom - what    D. what - which
9. Karl: 'I'm afraid the meeting might be rescheduled.'  
Jim: "\_\_\_\_\_"  
A. I understand, please keep me updated.  
B. That's not going to work for me.  
C. Oh, when is the new date?  
D. Reschedule it yourself.
10. Marcus was making plans to hang out with his friends when an emergency \_\_\_\_\_ up.

A. made                      B. cropped                      C. took                      D. set

**11.** \_\_\_\_\_ of the proposals presented by the committee were accepted without any revisions.

A. Few                      B. Much                      C. Little                      D. Every

**12.** Her \_\_\_\_\_ skills were crucial to solving the problem efficiently.

A. analytical                      B. analysis                      C. analyze                      D. analyzed

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### **5 STEPS TO TAKE IF YOUR ELEVATOR STOPS**

If the elevator has stopped, it is important to follow these steps:

1. Remain calm and do not attempt to leave the cab without first being cleared to do so by a certified technician or the Fire Department. Request **(13)** \_\_\_\_\_, use the elevator's emergency button, intercom or phone.

2. Keep your distance from the door **(14)** \_\_\_\_\_ all times and do not try to force the doors open.

3. Remember that **(15)** \_\_\_\_\_ elevator has air circulation openings, so there will be no limit on available air inside the cab.

4. Wait for qualified assistance to arrive. Only a **(16)** \_\_\_\_\_ technician or the Fire Department should perform a rescue, if one is deemed necessary.

**13.** A. assisted      B. assistance                      C. assistant                      D. assisting

**14.** A. of                      B. in                      C. at                      D. during

**15.** A. Ø                      B. a                      C. an                      D. the

**16.** A. amplified      B. simplified                      C. quantified                      D. qualified

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

Making homemade noodles with a rich sauce is a simple process. First, mix flour, salt, and water until the dough forms, then let it rest for 45 minutes. \_\_\_\_\_

a. Drain and toss them with sesame oil to prevent sticking.

- b. For the sauce, sauté garlic, chili flakes, and cumin, then add soy sauce, rice wine, sugar, vinegar. Cook until it thickens.
- c. Knead the dough until smooth, cut it into strips, and boil until the noodles rise to the surface.

A. c-a-b                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. Be sure to knead the dough thoroughly, as this step helps create a smooth texture.
- B. Try to keep them even in thickness for consistent cooking.
- C. Toss the noodles in the sauce and garnish with coriander and peanuts.
- D. After boiling, rinse the noodles with cold water to maintain their firmness.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Tropical rain forests (19) \_\_\_\_\_ found in the Amazon region of South America, central America, Africa, South and Southeast Asia. Rain forests are very important to the world's (20) \_\_\_\_\_. The Amazon rain forests alone receive about 30 to 40 percent of the total rainfall on the Earth and produce about the same (21) \_\_\_\_\_ the world's oxygen. Some scientists believe that the decreased size of rainforests will affect the climate on the Earth, (22) \_\_\_\_\_ uncomfortable or even dangerous for life. Saving our rain forests is an international problem. One country, or even a few countries, cannot solve the problem (23) \_\_\_\_\_. The nations of the world must work together to (24) \_\_\_\_\_ a solution before it is too late.

**19.** A. were                      B. have been                      C. are                      D. is

**20.** A. home                      B. climate                      C. habitat                      D. environment

**21.** A. percent in    B. percentage at    C. percent on                      D. percentage of

**22.** A. making it    B. making them    C. letting living                      D. letting Earth

**23.** A. lonely                      B. alone                      C. singly                      D. together

**24.** A. come up with    B. get away with    C. figure it out                      D. make do with

**Mark the 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.**

**25.** Michael announced, "I will be heading to the conference this afternoon."

- A. Michael declared that he will be heading to the conference this afternoon.

- B. Michael stated he would head to the conference later in the day.
- C. Michael did not plan to attend the conference that afternoon.
- D. Michael informed us he will be going to the conference in the afternoon.

**26.** It would have been better if he had told us he couldn't come.

- A. He must have told us he couldn't come.
- B. He should have told us he couldn't come.
- C. It doesn't matter that he didn't tell us he couldn't come.
- D. He can't have told us he couldn't come.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** Please/ not go out / until / rain / stop.

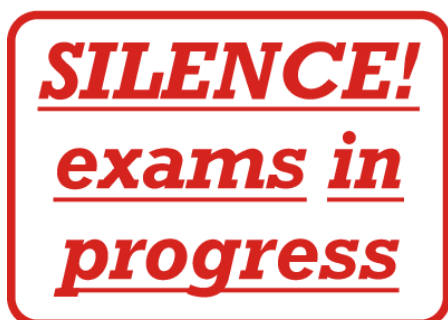
- A. Please was not going out until the rain had stopped.
- B. Please did not go out until the rain stops.
- C. Please do not go out until the rain stops.
- D. Please do not go out until the rain is stopping.

**28.** The noise / the traffic/ prevented /me/ go to sleep/

- A. The noise from the traffic prevented me from going to sleep.
- B. The noise from the traffic is preventing me from go to sleep.
- C. The noise from the traffic will preventing me from going to sleep.
- D. The noise of the traffic prevents me from going to sleep.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?



- A. Do not walk into the exam area.
- B. Do not tell questions to the examiner.
- C. Please remain quiet during the examination.
- D. Do not talk to the other students.

**30.** What does the notice say?



- A. It costs at least £50 to park here for two hours.
- B. There are no parking charges after 2.00 p.m.
- C. You have to pay a fine if you park here for three hours.
- D. If you park for an hour, you have to pay £54.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

How much fruit do you eat every day? And how many vegetables? Food experts today think that we don't have enough of these foods in our diet and they say that we eat too much fat and sugar. This is why the World Health Organization has started a campaign to encourage US to eat more fruit and vegetables. The campaign in the UK is called Five a Day.

### **Why eat fruit and vegetables?**

Fruit and vegetables are full of important vitamins and minerals which our bodies need to be healthy. Scientific studies have shown that eating a lot of them can prevent some illnesses like diabetes and obesity. Also, fruit and vegetables don't contain much fat and they don't have many calories, so **they** help to keep us slim.

### **What counts?**

Nearly all fruit and vegetables count towards your five a day, except potatoes. The food can be fresh, frozen, or in a can, like peaches or peas. It can be raw, cooked, or even dried, like raisins or banana chips. A glass of 100% fruit juice with no added sugar also counts as one portion.

### **How much is a portion?**

A **portion** of fresh fruit or vegetables depends on the size of the food. In the case of small-sized fruit like plums or mandarin oranges, one portion is two pieces of fruit. A piece of medium-sized fruit like an apple, an orange, or a pear also counts as one portion. With larger fruit like melon and pineapple, one portion is a 5 cm slice. We use the same method for calculating portions with vegetables. In the case of salad vegetables, a medium-sized tomato or a 5cm piece of cucumber count as one portion each. For smaller, cooked vegetables like beans and carrots, one portion is three large spoonfuls of vegetables.

**31.** What is the best title for the passage?

- A. Different Nutritional Needs for Teenagers
- B. Healthy Eating Habits for Teenagers
- C. Teens' Problems following Healthy Diets
- D. Parents' Roles in Teens' Eating Habits

**32.** According to the passage, what is ONE possible effect of eating fruits?

- A. They can get illnesses like diabetes and obesity.
- B. Their bodies can stay healthy.
- C. They can lose weight and keep fit.
- D. They are more prone to heart disease.

**33.** According to the passage, how is a portion of large fruit such as melon or pineapple measured?

- A. One whole fruit of melon or pineapple
- B. A 5-cm slice of melon or pineapple
- C. Two pieces of fruit for large fruits
- D. Three large spoonfuls of melon or pineapple

**34.** The word "**they**" in paragraph 2 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. scientific studies
- B. fruits and vegetables
- C. vegetables
- D. fruits

**35.** The word "**portion**" in paragraph 4 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. size
- B. plate
- C. serving
- D. dish

**36.** Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the passage?

- A. The portions of the fruits or vegetables depend on the size of the food.
- B. Eating a lot of fruits can prevent illnesses.
- C. Fruits and vegetables contain important nutrients to keep our bodies healthy.
- D. Teens' poor eating habits can pose a health risk during their adulthood.

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Pandan, believed to have originated from Indonesia's Maluku Islands, is a popular ingredient throughout Southeast Asia, (37) \_\_\_\_\_, with hints of rose or coconut. Fresh pandan leaves offer a grassy note similar to matcha and are widely available in Southeast Asian grocery stores; (38) \_\_\_\_\_. In recent times, pandan has gained popularity in desserts and beverages, but it has long been a staple in

Indonesian and other Southeast Asian savory dishes. (39) \_\_\_\_\_. In savory dishes like stir-fries, curries, and soups, pandan leaves are tied into knots and added to enhance depth and impart a creamy, vanilla-like tone. When preparing sweet dishes with milk or coconut milk, pandan is blended and strained to achieve a concentrated essence and distinctive green color. To substitute vanilla extract in baking, you can use pandan paste, which is also commonly added to enhance the vibrant green color of dishes. (40) \_\_\_\_\_.

(Adapted from thesuardian.com)

- A. known for its unique aroma reminiscent of vanilla
- B. they also freeze well for later use
- C. You can keep both pandan paste and fresh leaves on hand to enjoy the fresh flavor and bright hue they bring to your cooking
- D. For instance, it is often used to infuse coconut rice with aromatic flavors, alongside lemongrass

37. \_\_\_\_\_ 38. \_\_\_\_\_ 39. \_\_\_\_\_ 40. \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 8

**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. vehicle                      B. holiday                      C. behavior                      D. horror
- 2. A. actor                      B. party                      C. backpack                      D. passage

**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. relative                      B. historic                      C. organic                      D. creative
- 4. A. community                      B. development                      C. education                      D. activity

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

- 5. Environmentalists all over the world \_\_\_\_\_ the rich and diverse wildlife of national parks for decades.  
A. protected                      B. have protected                      C. will protect                      D. protects

6. I wish I \_\_\_\_\_ trilingual in Vietnamese, English and Japanese ten years from now.

- A. were                      B. am                      C. will be                      D. would be

7. In 1950, Alan Turing published his work, \_\_\_\_\_ eventually became The Turing Test, a tool to measure computer intelligence.

- A. what                      B. who                      C. when                      D. which

8. She was \_\_\_\_\_ at the number of extracurricular activities available at her high school.

- A. surprising                      B. surprise                      C. surprised                      D. surprisingly

9. "What's the matter? You're not listening to me." - " \_\_\_\_\_ "

- A. Excuse me. I'm thinking of something else.  
B. I'm sorry. I have been thinking about something else.  
C. Excuse me. I'm still listening to you.  
D. I'm sorry. I have still been listening to you.

10. The more you donate to orphaned children, \_\_\_\_\_ support they receive for their basic needs and education.

- A. more                      B. the most                      C. the more                      D. most

11. \_\_\_\_\_ her experiences and English skills, she was suitable for the job.

- A. Although                      B. Due to                      C. Despite                      D. Because

12. She regrets not \_\_\_\_\_ more when she had the chance.

- A. to travel                      B. travelling                      C. travel                      D. travelled

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### HOWTO COPE AND STAY SAFE IN EXTREME HEAT

✕ Keep cool: use air conditioning or a fan, wear light and loose fitting clothing, and keep skin wet, using a spray bottle or damp sponge and by (13) \_\_\_\_\_ cool showers.

✕ Stay hydrated: during days (14) \_\_\_\_\_ extreme heat, keep drinking water before you feel thirsty, especially if outdoors or performing physical activity.

✕ Check in with others. Let family, friends and neighbours know you are OK or check in with those at (15) \_\_\_\_\_ risk or who may need your support during days of extreme heat.

✕ Monitor the weather forecast and (16) \_\_\_\_\_ Bureau of Meteorology



13. A. making                      B. taking                      C. getting                      D. using  
14. A. of                      B. in                      C. on                      D. at  
15. A. lowered                      B. increased                      C. decreased                      D. enlarged  
16. A. ∅                      B. a                      C. an                      D. the

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

On a sunny afternoon, Jake decided to visit the local park. He brought his favorite book and found a quiet spot under a big oak tree. \_\_\_\_\_

- a. The squirrel quickly grabbed it and ran up the tree.  
b. Jake smiled and tossed a small piece of his sandwich to the squirrel.  
c. As he read, a curious squirrel came close, watching him from a distance.

- A. b-c-a                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. At the end, he went back home with a feeling of disappointment.  
B. After that, the squirrel came back down for another bite.  
C. Closing his book, Jake stood up and decided to go for a long walk.  
D. Laughing to himself, Jake continued reading, enjoying the peaceful day.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Are some languages harder than others? To answer the question, the first thing we have to do is to (19) \_\_\_\_\_ between babies learning their first language and adults learning a second language. For babies (20) \_\_\_\_\_ their first language, no language is harder than the other. Babies all learn their first language in about the same period of time because learning a language is natural for all babies, like learning to walk. (21) \_\_\_\_\_, that changes if you already speak a language and are learning a second one. A language (22) \_\_\_\_\_ is different to the one you already know is going to be harder than one that's quite similar (23) \_\_\_\_\_ your first language.

Another reason why babies are so good at learning languages is that they have more time to do it. A teenager's brain or a grown-up's brain may still be (24) \_\_\_\_\_ enough to learn another language, but as people get older, they're busy with school, work and friends. When babies are learning their first language or languages, they're spending hours everyday practising.

(Adapted from <https://theconversation.com/curious-kids-are-some-languages-more-difficult-than-others-196250>)

19. A. distinguish      B. decide      C. connect      D. neglect  
20. A. which learn      B. are learning      C. learn      D. who learn  
21. A. Although      B. Even though      C. However      D. In spite of  
22. A. who      B. that      C. where      D. why  
23. A. with      B. to      C. for      D. from  
24. A. stubborn      B. resistant      C. gentle      D. flexible

**Mark the 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.**

25. The government will install solar panels to generate additional electricity for the city.

- A. Solar panels will installed to generate additional electricity to the city.  
B. Additional electricity will be installed with solar panels for the city.  
C. Additional electricity will generated to the city by solar panels.  
D. Solar panels will be installed to generate additional electricity for the city.

26. "Has Jack ever gone hiking before?" Helen asked.

- A. Helen asked Jack if he has ever gone hiking before.  
B. Helen asked whether Jack ever went hiking before.  
C. Helen asked whether Jack had ever gone hiking before.  
D. Helen asked Jack if he had ever gone hiking before.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

27. Mars / rocky planet / Earth / have mountains and canyons / its surface.

- A. The Mars, a rocky planet as the Earth, has had mountains and canyons in its surface.  
B. Mars, a rocky planet like Earth, has mountains and canyons on its surface.  
C. Mars, a rocky planet as Earth, had mountains and canyons below its surface.  
D. The Mars, a rocky planet like Earth, will have mountains and canyons to its

surface.

**28.** English / become / universal means of communication / numerous varieties.

A. English became an universal means of communication with numerous varieties.

B. English becomes the universal means of communication with numerous varieties.

C. English has become a universal means of communication with numerous varieties.

D. English has became universal means of communication with numerous varieties.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?



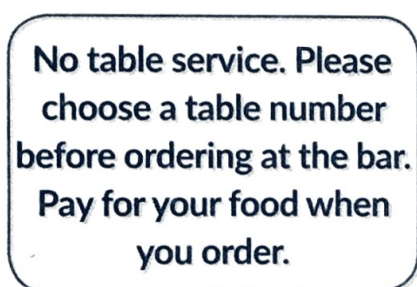
A. The water fitness classes are free to people who swim ten times in a month.

B. The swimming pool is free to people who go to the Water Fitness Classes.

C. This month, you can use the swimming pool ten times without paying.

D. You can freely go to Water Fitness Classes if you use the swimming pool for ten months.

**30.** What does the notice say?



A. Customers must go to the bar after paying.

B. Customers have to go to the bar first.

C. Customers must pay before choosing a table.

D. Customers have to find a table first.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

Cruises are becoming more and more popular, with around 20 million passengers per year now enjoying holidays on luxury ships. Many people see a cruise as the

perfect way to sit back, do nothing, and enjoy time off work. Everything you could possibly need is within easy reach. On board, there are shops, theatres, cinemas, swimming pools and leisure centres. There are more facilities, in fact, than most towns offer their residents. Therefore, it's easy to see why they are so popular. But what is the effect of this trend?

Cruise ships are often huge, with the biggest ones carrying up to 6,000 passengers. Moving such large vehicles requires enormous engines, which burn as much as 300,000 litres of fuel a day. One scientist has calculated that cruise ships create as much pollution as 5 million cars going over the same distance. Because they are out at sea, they also burn fuel that isn't allowed on land. Unfortunately, no government has control over the amount of air pollution out at sea. Cruises also produce huge amounts of rubbish, and cruise ships aren't usually good at recycling. Waste water from showers and toilets is usually poured directly into the sea - as much per day as from a small town. Waste food from restaurants isn't put into the sea, but still causes problems when they are **brought back** to land.

Cruise ships also cause difficulties in the cities where they stop. Popular destinations can get five or six ships per day, with thousands of tourists at a time. It appears to be a benefit for restaurants; however, restaurant owners complain that the visitors look around for a few hours and then return to their ship to eat. What's more, the crowds can put off other tourists, who complain that the streets are too busy. Some towns have **banned** cruise ships or put a limit on the number that can stop at the same time. People who care about the environment worry that as the cruise industry continues to grow, the issues for our planet will, too.

*(Adapted from Exam Booster for B1)*

**31.** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. Benefits of cruise ships on local people
- B. Negative impacts of cruise ships
- C. Services that cruise ships often offer
- D. Reasons why cruise ships is popular

**32.** According to the passage, which of the following can be an activity for passengers on cruise ships?

- A. Recycling a huge amount of rubbish
- B. Visiting some historical landmarks
- C. Putting waste food into the sea

D. Using the facilities on board

**33.** What happens with the waste products on cruise ships?

A. Leftover food is frequently thrown into the ocean.

B. Most cruise ships recycle their own waste products.

C. The waste products are transported back to shore.

D. A huge amount of the wastewater won't be recycled.

**34.** The phrase "**brought back**" in paragraph 2 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

A. removed

B. detached

C. returned

D. restored

**35.** The word "**banned**" in paragraph 3 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

A. convinced

B. allowed

C. proposed

D. forbidden

**36.** Which of the following activities is NOT true about large cruise ships?

A. They can supply facilities for both town's residents and its passengers.

B. Only a number of cruise ships can visit certain towns at the same time.

C. The amount of pollution from this vehicle is equal to that of five million cars.

D. Their engines can consume about 300,000 liters of fuel daily.

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Research shows that long-term exposure to air pollution significantly harms human health. Studies have found that pollutants like fine particulate matter (PM2.5) can enter the lungs and bloodstream, (37) \_\_\_\_\_. The World Health Organization (WHO) reports that millions of deaths each year are linked to air pollution, (38) \_\_\_\_\_. (39) \_\_\_\_\_. Governments can implement stricter air quality regulations and promote the use of cleaner energy alternatives. (40) \_\_\_\_\_. By taking collective action, we can lower pollution levels and improve public health globally.

A. with vulnerable groups like children and the elderly at higher risk.

B. leading to respiratory and cardiovascular diseases

C. Additionally, individuals can contribute by using public transport, reducing car use, and supporting green initiatives

D. This data highlights the need for urgent action to reduce emissions from vehicles, factories, and other sources

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_ **38.** \_\_\_\_\_ **39.** \_\_\_\_\_ **40.** \_\_\_\_\_



# MOCK TEST 9

**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. promote                      B. household                      C. ecosystem                      D. locate  
2. A. artisan                      B. army                      C. fattening                      D. lack

**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. village                      B. function                      C. hygiene                      D. downtown  
4. A. facility                      B. community                      C. delivery                      D. electrician

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

5. My sister wishes that her best friend \_\_\_\_\_ back for her wedding.  
A. was                      B. came                      C. come                      D. is
6. Our friends all recommended \_\_\_\_\_ that we should watch Inside Out 2.  
A. watching                      B. to watch                      C. watch                      D. watched
7. Dave and Trang are talking about their flight on the next day.  
- Dave: "Tomorrow our flight is at 10 a.m. Let's meet at the airport at 8.30. Don't be late."  
- Trang: " \_\_\_\_\_ "  
A. OK, I promise I will be there by 8.20.  
B. Why don't you come and pick me up?  
C. Great news! Let's celebrate.  
D. I'd love to sit by the window.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ helps manage garbage in an area to keep it clean.  
A. A delivery person                      B. An artisan  
C. A police officer                      D. A garbage collector
9. When I \_\_\_\_\_ school, my family \_\_\_\_\_ to a new city.  
A. finished – moved                      B. am finishing – moved  
C. finished – move                      D. will finish – moves

**10.** This old photo \_\_\_\_\_ me of our last summer in Dalat.

- A. reminds                  B. shares                  C. tells                  D. calls

**11.** Our family use reusable shopping bags to cut \_\_\_\_\_ plastic bags.

- A. out on                  B. off                  C. down on                  D. down to

**12.** The teacher was \_\_\_\_\_ at how fast that students memorize 5 pages in 2 hours.

- A. amazing                  B. surprising                  C. surprised                  D. amazed

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### PROTECTING YOURSELF ON SOCIAL MEDIA

- Internet is Permanent: Once you share something online, it may never go away, even (**13**) \_\_\_\_\_ you delete it.
- Be Selective with Friends: Only accept friend requests from people you know (**14**) \_\_\_\_\_ to avoid fake profiles.
- Caution with Links: Be careful when clicking on links, even from friends. Be skeptical of offers that seem (**15**) \_\_\_\_\_ good to be true.
- Manage Privacy Settings: Regularly check your privacy settings to ensure you're only sharing with friends and family.
- Linked Information Across Networks: Be aware that sharing on one platform (like Instagram) might also share on another (like Facebook), (**16**) \_\_\_\_\_ on your settings.

**13.** A. if                  B. unless                  C. while                  D. although

**14.** A. person                  B. personally                  C. personal                  D. personality

**15.** A. very                  B. enough                  C. too                  D. more

**16.** A. to depend                  B. depends                  C. depend                  D. depending

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

On the morning of her birthday, Emma woke up to the smell of fresh coffee and pancakes. As she made her way to the kitchen, her family gathered around the



table, singing "Happy Birthday". \_\_\_\_\_

- a. With a mix of excitement and curiosity, she tore off the wrapping paper to reveal a beautiful leather journal.
- b. Overwhelmed with joy, she hugged her family, knowing this gift would hold her dreams and adventures.
- c. After blowing out the candles on her pancake stack, she noticed a brightly wrapped gift sitting in the corner.

A. c-a-b                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. That evening, she began writing, feeling grateful for people's love.
- B. The special birthday cake was made by her mom.
- C. Finally, she opened all her gifts and kept looking at them for hours.
- D. She wished that her birthday could be an entire week long.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Childhood is one of the most impactful stages in one's life. Your experiences during childhood can **(19)** \_\_\_\_\_ the way you see and view the world. **(20)** \_\_\_\_\_ many people view childhood as a light-hearted and happy time, many children also experience adverse childhood experiences, **(21)** \_\_\_\_\_ are known as childhood trauma. These experiences are often unavoidable, such as the tragic death of a loved one, but can have significant impacts on your child's wellbeing and development. If your child has been the victim or witness of a traumatic event, it is important to support them through their **(22)** \_\_\_\_\_ process and provide them **(23)** \_\_\_\_\_ as much help as possible. If trauma is left **(24)** \_\_\_\_\_, it can lead to a variety of negative effects of behavior, wellbeing, and mental health.

*(Adapted from <https://bluefirewildemess.com/blos/impact-childhood-trauma-teen-behavior/>)*

- 19.** A. shape                      B. make                      C. show                      D. give
- 20.** A. When                      B. Because                      C. While                      D. Besides
- 21.** A. who                      B. which                      C. that                      D. when
- 22.** A. heal                      B. healer                      C. healing                      D. healed
- 23.** A. to                      B. with                      C. for                      D. by
- 24.** A. untreated children in                      B. children untreated  
C. untreated in children                      D. in untreated children

**Mark the 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.**

**25.** "What time does the next bus arrive?" June said to me.

- A. June asked me what time the next bus arrived.
- B. June asked me what time did the next bus arrive.
- C. June asks me what time the next bus arrived.
- D. June asked me what time the next bus would arrive.

**26.** When a natural disaster happens, listening to instructions from local authorities is a must.

- A. When a natural disaster happens, you must listening to instructions from local authorities.
- B. When a natural disaster happen, you must listen to instructions from local authorities.
- C. When a natural disaster happens, you must listening to instructions from local authorities.
- D. When a natural disaster happens, you must listen to instructions from local authorities.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** It / important/ take/ care/ both/ physical/ mental health.

- A. It is important of taking care of both physical mental health.
- B. It is important for taking care of both physical mental health.
- C. It is important to take care both physical mental health.
- D. It is important to take care of both physical mental health.

**28.** We / decide / stay / that / ancient / house / despite / old / facilities.

- A. We decided stay in that ancient house despite its old facilities.
- B. We decided staying in that ancient house despite its old facilities.
- C. We decided to stay in that ancient house despite it has old facilities.
- D. We decided to stay in that ancient house despite its old facilities.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?

**Reminder: Don't forget to drink water! Aim for at least 8 glasses of water today.**

- A. You need to drink at least 8 glasses of water today.
- B. 8 glasses of water in the punishment for forgetting your homework.
- C. Have you drunk water today?
- D. You cannot drink more than 8 glasses of water a day.

**30. What does the notice say?**

**Take a moment to breathe deeply and reflect. It's a great way to recharge!**

- A. Reflecting takes a moment so keep breathing deeply.
- B. Reflecting is a good way to recharge; however, breathing is not.
- C. Taking a deep breath is also a good way to recharge.
- D. Recharging is fine without deep breaths.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

*Phao Dat*, clay firecracker hurling, is popular in northern Vietnam. It involves throwing clay firecrackers on the ground to create noise. A clay firecracker festival is held in many northern localities every year between the Lunar New Year and April when the locals are not busy with the farm work. The event in Hai Duong province is the most famous. It's hard to say when clay firecracker hurling first appeared in Vietnam, but **legend has it that** the game began during the construction of the Red River dikes.

The game invites good harvests and to ward off natural disasters. It is believed that the louder the noise of firecrackers is the more bountiful the crops will be in the coming year. Pham Van Phuc of Quyet Thang commune in Ninh Giang district said, "Every year, a clay firecracker festival is held between January and the end of March involving all communes and districts. "There is a competition almost every day. The competition brings us joy, happiness, good luck, and the hope of a new favorable crop," Thang added.

During the summer or when they had free time after school, rural children

used to knead clay into firecrackers for **playful** fights. Before throwing the firecrackers, the children would sing a folk song that goes "The big bang of firecrackers stirs the entire village...". The children's folk game eventually became a game for adults and was popular at village festivals. According to people in Minh Due commune, clay firecrackers began in the time of the Trung sisters from 12 to 43 AD when female General Le Chan asked her soldiers to make clay firecrackers to create loud explosions to threaten foreign invaders. It became a game to play during festivals.

(Adapted from <https://vovworld.vn/en-US/sunday-show/>)

**31.** Where is a clay firecracker festival often held?

- A. In the southern localities
- B. In the northern communities
- C. On the farm
- D. Hal Duong Province

**32.** The phrase "**legend has it that**" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. It is legendary that
- B. According to legends
- C. A legend says that
- D. It is reported that

**33.** Which one is NOT true about the game?

- A. The game brings good lucks.
- B. The game teaches people to stop disaster.
- C. The game invites good harvests.
- D. The game makes everyone happy.

**34.** Which of the following statements is TRUE about clay firecracker game?

- A. The festival is held between December and March of the following year.
- B. The festival involves all communes and districts in many northern provinces.
- C. The game is no longer a children's game now.
- D. The bigger the clay firecrackers are, the more bountiful the crops will be next year.

**35.** According to people in Minh Due Commune, when did clay firecrackers begin?

- A. When the Trung sisters were born.
- B. After 43 AD.
- C. When Viet soldiers made them to threaten invaders.
- D. Before 12 AD.

**36.** The word "**playful**" in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. funny
- B. fun
- C. serious
- D. humorous

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

First and foremost, we must understand that (37) \_\_\_\_\_, parents react — they pay attention and reach out for help. But if a child seems sad or irritable, or less interested in activities they used to enjoy, they tend to think of it as a phase, or teen angst, or something else that can be ignored. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. Not only does mental health affect physical health, but untreated mental health problems interfere with learning, socialization, self-esteem, and other important aspects of child development that can have lifelong repercussions. And for some children, untreated mental health problems lead to suicide. (39) \_\_\_\_\_, and take what you see seriously. If your child is showing signs of anxiety or depression, call your doctor. Don't put it off. If your child talks about (40) \_\_\_\_\_, get help immediately, such as by going to your local emergency room. In this situation, it's better to overreact than underreact.

- A. if a child has a fever or a persistent cough
- B. So pay attention
- C. harming themselves or others
- D. The mental health of our children is crucial

37. \_\_\_\_\_ 38. \_\_\_\_\_ 39. \_\_\_\_\_ 40. \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 10

**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. communal    B. complex    C. consider    D. recognize
2. A. cooks    B. stops    C. laughs    D. rugs

**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. international    B. internal    C. traditional    D. approval

4. A. necessary    B. historic    C. privacy    D. memorise

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

5. Lara \_\_\_\_\_ out a lot more as of late, \_\_\_\_\_? She's already gone again!

- A. was going - was she not    B. has gone - hasn't she  
C. has been going - hasn't she    D. is going - isn't she

6. As Martha got \_\_\_\_\_ to leave, she suddenly felt a surge \_\_\_\_\_ bad pain in her chest.

- A. in - of    B. up - in    C. up - of    D. down - in

7. Lola \_\_\_\_\_ it \_\_\_\_\_ herself to finish the housework that her sisters didn't bother to do.

- A. took - upon    B. took - onto    C. set - up    D. set - off

8. Kendrick muttered as he strolled down the narrow street "Did I just see Larry, the one \_\_\_\_\_ was announced dead just last month?"

- A. who    B. whose    C. whom    D. Ø

9. Mark: "What's the best place to eat lunch?"

Bob: "\_\_\_\_\_"

- A. I'll have soup, please.  
B. There's a great restaurant at the corner of the street.  
C. I usually eat lunch at twelve.  
D. Twelve would be convenient.

10. Michael \_\_\_\_\_ took the assistant job after being unemployed for so long.

- A. unhappy    B. unhappily    C. happy    D. happily

11. Her illness was \_\_\_\_\_ we thought at first.

- A. much seriouser than    B. much more serious than  
C. much as serious than    D. much serious than

12. I think he was not at home. If he \_\_\_\_\_ in, he \_\_\_\_\_ the phone.

- A. was - answered    B. were - would answer  
C. were - would have answered    D. had been - would have answered

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### WHAT TO DO DURING A CYCLONE

1. Check your local news or radio station for weather updates and official advice. If you are advised to evacuate, (13) \_\_\_\_\_ your

- 13.** A. seize                      B. grip                      C. grab                      D. hold  
**14.** A. electrify    B. electrician                      C. electricity                      D. electric  
**15.** A. below                      B. over                      C. above                      D. beyond  
**16.** A. ∅                      B. the                      C. an                      D. a

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

Tommy lost his favorite toy car in the backyard one afternoon. He searched everywhere but couldn't find it. \_\_\_\_\_

- a. Just as he was about to give up, his dog Max ran over with something in his mouth.
- b. Tommy was so happy that he cleaned it off right away.
- c. It was the toy car, muddy but still intact.

- A. b-c-a                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. Tommy felt a bit sad, thinking he might never see his toy car again.
- B. The toy car was a little dirty, but Tommy didn't mind at all.
- C. Max, always full of energy, had been digging near the bushes when he found the car.

D. Tommy gave Max a big hug to thank him for finding the toy.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

I have several good friends but I (19) \_\_\_\_\_ that my best friend is Ellen. We (20) \_\_\_\_\_ friends with each other since we were very young because she (21) \_\_\_\_\_ next door to me. We have always been in the same class at school, although she has always been much cleverer than me. I don't mind (22) \_\_\_\_\_, because she often helps me with my homework! Anyway, I've always been better at sport than she is. I always (23) \_\_\_\_\_ her at tennis and she doesn't like that. In fact, she hates losing at anything and gets very annoyed if she does. That's the only thing that I don't like about her. Otherwise, she has (24) \_\_\_\_\_ humour and she's always making me laugh. We get on very well together, although occasionally we've had arguments - usually about silly little things. Despite our small disagreements, I know we'll always remain close friends.

19. A. expect                      B. consider                      C. suppose                      D. hope  
20. A. were                      B. have been                      C. had been                      D. are  
21. A. used to live                      B. were used to living  
    C. used to living                      D. got used to living  
22. A. though                      B. although                      C. however                      D. but  
23. A. win                      B. beat                      C. fail                      D. bit  
24. A. great sense of                      B. a great ability of  
    C. good gift of                      D. a great sense of

**Mark the 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.**

25. I advise you against rejecting such a sincere request.

- A. It was such sincere a request for me to reject  
B. Were I you, I wouldn't reject such a sincere request.  
C. It doesn't matter that the request was sincere.  
D. Such sincere a request was it that I couldn't reject.

26. "Have you ever heard of this story, Garfield?" asked Vanessa.

- A. Vanessa asked Garbled if he had ever heard of that story.  
B. Vanessa asks Garfield whether or not he has heard of that story.  
C. Vanessa asked Garfield if he has ever heard of this story.



D. Vanessa asked Garfield if he has ever heard of that story.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** I / look forward / see / you / soon.

A. I look forward to see you soon.

B. I look forward to seeing you soon.

C. I'm looking forward to see you soon.

D. I look forward seeing you soon.

**28.** Jeanette / not write / me / since / leave / my farm.

A. Jeanette has not written to me since she left my farm.

B. Jeanette has not wrote to me since she left my farm.

C. Jeanette is not writing to me since she left my farm.

D. Jeanette has not written to me since she leaves my farm.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?

**Allow at least two hours  
for your visit to the  
castle**



A. Each tour of the castle lasts less than two hours.

B. Two hours is the minimum time recommended for a visit to the castle.

C. Visitors are only allowed to spend two hours inside the castle.

D. You are not allowed to leave the castle before two hours.

**30.** What does the notice say?

**REGENCY CAMERAS  
Buy two films and  
get one FREE**

A. Buy three films for the price of two.

B. Buy films here and get them printed free.

C. Get a free camera for buying two films.

D. Get a film with every one you buy.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

Every time you're online, you are bombarded by pictures, articles, links and videos trying to tell their story. Unfortunately, not all of these stories are true. Sometimes they want you to click on another story or advertisement at their own site, other times they want to **upset** people for political reasons. These days it's so easy to share information. These stories circulate quickly, and the result is ... fake news.

There is a range of fake news: from crazy stories which people easily recognise to more subtle types of misinformation. Experts in media studies and online psychology have been examining the fake news phenomenon. Read these tips, and don't get fooled!

### **1. Check the source**

Look at the website where the story comes from. Does it look real? Is the text well written? Are there a variety of other stories or is it just one story? Fake news websites often use addresses that sound like real newspapers, but don't have many real stories about other topics. If you aren't sure, click on the 'About' page and look for a clear description of the organisation.

### **2. Watch out for fake photos**

Many fake news stories use images that are Photoshopped or taken from an unrelated site. Sometimes, if you just look closely at an image, you can see if it has been changed. Or use a tool like Google Reverse Image search. It will show you if the same image has been used in other **contexts**.

### **3. Check the story is in other places**

Look to see if the story you are reading is on other news sites that you know and trust. If you do find it on many other sites, then it probably isn't fake (although there are some exceptions), as many big news organisations try to check their sources before they publish a story.

### **4. Look for other signs**

There are other techniques that fake news uses. These include using ALL CAPS and lots of ads that pop up when you click on a link. Also, think about how the story makes you feel. If the news story makes you angry, it's probably designed to make you angry.

If you know these things about online news, and can apply them in your everyday life, then you have the control over what to read, what to believe and most importantly what to share. If you find a news story that you know is fake, the most important advice is: don't share it!

*(Adapted from Reading, British Council)*

**31.** What is the best title for the passage?

- A. How to get real information on the Internet
- B. Advice for new Internet users
- C. Social media bps
- D. How to spot fake news online

**32.** How do fake news websites trick users?

- A. They share and circulate real news.
- B. They use addresses that sound real.
- C. They use real images.
- D. They use addresses that look like fake newspapers.

**33.** The word "**it**" in paragraph 3 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. story
- B. users
- C. website
- D. texts

**34.** The word "**upset**" in paragraph 1 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. crazy
- B. happy
- C. relaxed
- D. soothe

**35.** The word "**contexts**" in paragraph 4 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. settings
- B. contrast
- C. front
- D. likeness

**36.** Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the passage?

- A. Users should watch out for fake photos when browsing online.
- B. Fake news is sometimes used to upset people for political reasons.
- C. There is only one type of fake news.
- D. People shouldn't share the fake news that they come across.

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

The US Coast Guard recently revealed the first picture of the Titan submersible wreckage, showing the broken tail cone and debris on the Atlantic Ocean floor. This disclosure came during a public hearing investigating the Titan's implosion, (37) \_\_\_\_\_. British explorer Hamish Harding, businessman Shahzada Dawood and his son Suleman, OceanGate CEO Stockton Rush, and French diver Paul-Henri Nargeolet. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. The crew's last messages indicated the submersible

had shed weight in an attempt to return to the surface. Testimonies revealed concerns about the Titan's construction; former OceanGate engineering director Tony Nissen felt rushed to complete the vessel, **(39)** \_\_\_\_\_. The Marine Board of Investigation aims to uncover the causes of the implosion and explore potential misconduct or negligence. **(40)** \_\_\_\_\_.

*(Adapted from Reuters)*

- A. which resulted in the deaths of five individuals
- B. while contractor Tym Catterson doubted the use of carbon fiber and titanium in its design
- C. The hearing provided new insights, including text messages from the Titan's crew to the nearby Polar Prince support ship
- D. The hearing will continue for two weeks to determine the facts surrounding the tragedy

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_    **38.** \_\_\_\_\_    **39.** \_\_\_\_\_    **40.** \_\_\_\_\_

# MOCK 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. sandwiches B. tomatoes C. oranges D. misses  
2. A. thanks B. pack B. chart D. cattle

**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. delay B. ancient C. deadline D. mental  
4. A. monument B. counselor C. communal D. recognize

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

5. People from different regions in Vietnam may not understand one another because \_\_\_\_\_ of Vietnamese can be very diverse.

- A. varieties B. grammar C. official language D. first language

6. The links of creatures and their environment make \_\_\_\_\_ the habitat's ecology.

- A. from B. of C. up D. into

7. When a city has more skyscrapers, the glass walls make \_\_\_\_\_ more serious.

- A. air pollution B. global warming C. habitat loss D. ecological balance

8. All the planets in the Milky Way orbit around \_\_\_\_\_ Sun.

- A. the B. an C. Ø D. a

9. I met my teacher in the supermarket \_\_\_\_\_ I was shopping.

- A. when B. while C. which D. where as

10. John is talking to Ms. Dawson before the class starts.

John: "\_\_\_\_\_ I will finish all the tasks before the next class, Ms. Dawson."

Ms. Dawson: "Sure. Remember to borrow your classmates' notes."

- A. Can I go home? B. May I go home early today, please?  
C. Let me go home. D. Can I go to school late?

**11.** The team building was a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ experience in my life.

A. unforgettable    B. forget    C. forgetful    D. forgotten

**12.** He felt \_\_\_\_\_ when he failed to protect his best friend from the accident.

A. embarrass    B. shamless    C. amazing    D. helpless

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### **SAFETY PRECAUTIONS FOR ONLINE SHOPPERS**

1. Use Secure Websites: Always ensure the website URL (**13**) \_\_\_\_\_ with "https://" and look for a padlock icon in the address bar.

2. Avoid Public Wi-Fi: Use a secure, private network when making purchases to prevent data loss.

3. Monitor Your Accounts: (**14**) \_\_\_\_\_ for check bank and credit card statements unauthorized transactions.

4. Beware of Too-Good-To-Be-True Deals: If an offer seems too good to be true, it probably is. Research the (**15**) \_\_\_\_\_ before making a purchase.

5. Enable Two-Factor Authentication: Use two-factor authentication (**16**) \_\_\_\_\_ added security on your accounts whenever possible.

**13.** A. ends    B. finishes    C. concludes    D. starts

**14.** A. Regular    B. Regularly    C. Irregular    D. Regularity

**15.** A. sell    B. selling    C. seller    D. sold

**16.** A. for    B. on    C. in    D. at

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

Lila had always dreamed of exploring Europe, and this summer, her dream finally came true. With a backpack slung over her shoulder, she stepped off the plane in Paris, her heart racing with excitement. \_\_\_\_\_

a. One afternoon, she found herself lost in Venice, where she stumbled upon a hidden gelato shop that became her secret treasure.

b. As she watched the sunset over the Grand Canal, she realized that travel was

not just about the destinations but the unexpected moments along the way.

c. Each day brought new adventures, from wandering the cobblestone streets of Montmartre to savoring fresh pastries at a quaint café.

A. c-a-b                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

A. However, she did not speak English.

B. In my opinion, it's an experience she never wanted to miss.

C. Finally, Lila has come to the place she has been dreaming of.

D. On her flight home, Lila knew her journey had created a passion forexploration that would last a lifetime.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

As a massive ancient structure containing **(19)** \_\_\_\_\_ art decoration values, Dinh Bang communal house **(20)** \_\_\_\_\_ Tu Son town, northern Bac Ninh province, has long been considered one of **(21)** \_\_\_\_\_ three most beautiful communal houses in the region formerly called Kinh Bac (Northern Region) - a land with a long history and ancient culture. The communal house is about 20km north of the capital city of Hanoi. The Hall of Ceremonies is 20 metres long, 14 metres large and comprises seven smaller compartments and two wings. Its elevated floor is covered with blue stones and stairs. The roof is supported by 60 ironwood columns and a framework of **(22)** \_\_\_\_\_ wood, which are elaborately sculptured with common images such as dragon figures.

The communal house's interior is decorated with many themes such as dragon, phoenix, pine, apricot, bamboo, wine gourd, and sword. In particular, the dragon image **(23)** \_\_\_\_\_ a large proportion with about 500 images totally. The main hall (the nave) has a low floor which is paved with "nem" leaf tiles. This space is the lowest part called "boat bed". The plank floors of the two sides are gradually higher with two levels, distinguishing the status of the officials, **(24)** \_\_\_\_\_ sit "upper" or "below" depending on their position in the village.

(Adapted from <https://en.vietnamplus.vn/ancient-features-of-dinh-bans-communal-house-post215502.vnp>)

**19.** A. wooden traditional unique                      B. unique traditional wooden  
C. tradition unique wooden                      D. tradition wooden unique

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

21. A. Ø                      B. the                      C. a                      D. an  
22. A. value                      B. valueless                      C. valuable                      D. valued  
23. A. accounts                      B. occupies                      C. spends                      D. takes  
24. A. that                      B. whom                      C. which                      D. who

**Mark the 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.**

25. Huy wants to choose his high school, but his parents don't let him.

- A. Huy wish his parents let him picking his high school.  
B. Huy wishes his parents let him chose his high school.  
C. Huy wishes his parents let him choose his high school.  
D. Huy wishes his parents let him picked his high school.

26. I asked Lan: "Will someone pick you up at the airport tomorrow?"

- A. I asked Lan whether someone would pick you up at the airport the next day.  
B. I asked Lan if someone would pick her up at the airport the next day.  
C. I asked Lan whether someone will pick her up at the airport the next day.  
D. I asked Lan if someone would pick her up at the airport tomorrow.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

27. Judy/ learn/ French/ since/ she/ 4 years old.

- A. Judy learn French since she was 4 years old.  
B. Judy has learned French since she was 4 years old.  
C. Judy has learned French since she used to be 4 years old.  
D. Judy has learned French for she was 4 years old.

28. what countries/ people/ speak/ English/ official language?

- A. In what countries do people speak English as the official language?  
B. What countries do people speak English as the official language?  
C. In what countries are people speak English as the official language?  
D. In what countries do people speak English to be the official language?

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

29. What does the note say?

**Join us for a team lunch  
tomorrow at noon!**

**Please RSVP by the end  
of the day**

- A. The team lunch was tomorrow at noon and



people don't have to sign up.

B. This team lunch do not welcome more people.

C. People have to answer the invitation right now.

D. People who join the team lunch should respond today.

**30.** What does the notice say?

**Please ensure that all exits are clear and accessible in case of an emergency**

A. Clear all the exits before there is an emergency.

B. When there is an emergency, no one wants to use those exits.

C. All these exits should always be clear and accessible.

D. You have to clear the exit every day till an emergency respond today.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

Memory is a critical part of any kind of studying, and effective memorization is strongly correlated with success in foreign language classes. Although people often think of memory as a fixed quality, it's actually a skill that you can improve through deliberate practice.

There's a **considerable** amount of research on how memory works, as well as a wide range of strategies for improving memory. For example, scientific experiments show that our short-term memory can only hold about 7 pieces of new information at once. Therefore, if you're working on a long list of new vocabulary words, start by breaking it up into smaller chunks, and study one shorter section at a time. Additionally, research also suggests that actively trying to recall information is more effective than simply reviewing information; essentially, self-testing will help you more than re-reading your notes will.

The best way to start working on your memory is to build on the techniques that

you already know work for you. For example, if associating a word with a picture is effective for you, then you should add images into your vocabulary practice. However, if you're not sure where to start, here's a "beginner" formula for memorizing a new word: use the word at least five times the first day that you learn it, then multiple times over the week, at least once every day. In addition to **figuring out** which memorization techniques work best for you, it's also important to actively protect your memory. For example, experiencing a strong emotion has been shown to sharply decrease the ability to memorize unrelated content, so if you've just watched a horror movie, it's probably not a great time for vocabulary review!

*(Adapted from <https://learninscenter.unC.edu/tips-and-tools/learnins-a-second-language/>)*

**31.** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. Ways to improve your memory for language learning
- B. The relationship between memory and vocabulary learning
- C. The ability to store new information of human memory
- D. Techniques to learn new vocabulary better.

**32.** The word "**considerable**" in paragraph 2 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

- A. important
- B. significant
- C. little
- D. enormous

**33.** According to the first paragraph, memory is.

- A. a fixed quality.
- B. a skill that people can train.
- C. success in language learning.
- D. not important in language classes

**34.** Which of the following statements are NOT true about memory?

- A. The short-term memory can hold 7 piece of information at once.
- B. A long list of new vocabulary is easier to remember if you break it into small chunks.
- C. Testing yourself is less effective than reviewing the information.
- D. Actively recalling the information is a good strategy to improve your memory.

**35.** The phrase "**figuring out**" in paragraph 3 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

- A. understanding
- B. searching for
- C. practicing
- D. using

**36.** Which is NOT a good technique to memorize new words better?

- A. adding photos in your vocabulary learning
- B. using new words daily
- C. actively protect your memory
- D. seeking strong feelings before learning

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For**

**each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

In 1879, Thomas Edison's incandescent light bulbs first illuminated a New York street, and the modern era of electric lighting began. Since then, the world has become awash in electric light **(37)** \_\_\_\_\_. Sports facilities blaze with light that is visible for tens of miles. Business and office building windows glow throughout the night. According to the Tucson, Arizona-based International Dark-Sky Association (IDA), the sky glow of Los Angeles is **(38)** \_\_\_\_\_. In most of the world's large urban centers, stargazing is something that happens at a planetarium. Indeed, **(39)** \_\_\_\_\_, many anxious residents called local emergency centers to report **(40)** \_\_\_\_\_. What they were really seeing—for the first time—was the Milky Way, long obliterated by the urban sky glow.

*(Adapted from <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC2627884/>)*

- A. visible from an airplane 200 miles away
- B. Powerful lamps light up streets, yards, parking lots, and billboards
- C. when a 1994 earthquake knocked out the power in Los Angeles
- D. seeing a strange "giant, silvery cloud" in the dark sky

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_    **38.** \_\_\_\_\_    **39.** \_\_\_\_\_    **40.** \_\_\_\_\_

# MOCK TEST 12

**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. electric                      B. process                      C. deliver                      D. explore  
2. A. monk                      B. annual                      C. destination                      D. mean

**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. locate                      B. fauna                      C. explore                      D. pursue  
4. A. immigrant                      B. agency                      C. essential                      D. bartender

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

5. If you don't eat a big breakfast, you \_\_\_\_\_ not be able to finish the race.  
A. must                      B. might                      C. should                      D. can  
6. Young people nowadays wish for freedom to \_\_\_\_\_ about their life path.  
A. find out                      B. make up their mind  
C. get on well                      D. make up  
7. You should not learn \_\_\_\_\_ if you want to answer the open questions in the test.  
A. with head                      B. in mind                      C. by rote                      D. by heart  
8. Jack and Lam are talking after receiving the awards for winning a sport competition.  
Jack: "Why don't we donate some money to the children hospital charity?"  
Lam: "\_\_\_\_\_"  
A. I don't know how.                      B. Alright, let's help those kids.  
C. Are you kidding me?                      D. It's the end of the month.  
9. The \_\_\_\_\_ you solve the problems, the \_\_\_\_\_ problems you have to deal with.  
A. faster - more                      B. fastest - more                      C. faster - most                      D. fastest - most  
10. We had a five-day trip to some \_\_\_\_\_ places in Ninh Binh which we learned about in History class.

A. aged                      B. historic                      C. old                      D. historical

**11.** Da Lat is a \_\_\_\_\_ city with quiet pine forests and foggy streets in the early morning.

A. crowded                      B. busy                      C. tranquil                      D. bustling

**12.** We only had two weeks before the school year; \_\_\_\_\_, we went on the last trip of summer.

A. therefore                      B. however                      C. though                      D. moreover

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### SOLO TRAVEL TIPS

- ♦ Understand the local risks, especially for women, LGBTI individuals, and specific ethnic groups.
- ♦ Research and book accommodations (**13**) \_\_\_\_\_ advance, checking reviews for safety concerns.
- ♦ Avoid (**14**) \_\_\_\_\_ rooms with strangers.
- ♦ Arrive during the day for safety; arrange airport transfers (**15**) \_\_\_\_\_.
- ♦ Investigate local public transport safety; refer to travel advice and forums.
- ♦ Share your travel plans and detailed itinerary with (**16**) \_\_\_\_\_ trusted person.

Plan regular check-ins and inform them about periods of potential

**13.** A. in                      B. about                      C. for                      D. of

**14.** A. share                      B. to share                      C. sharing                      D. shares

**15.** A. firsthand                      B. secondhand                      C. beforehand                      D. barehand

**16.** A. an                      B. the                      C. ∅                      D. a

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

“Amira was a dedicated student, but life had thrown her a series of challenges. Juggling schoolwork with part-time jobs to support her family left her exhausted.  
\_\_\_\_\_”

- a. Despite the long nights and moments of doubt, she refused to give up on her dreams of becoming a doctor.
- b. Each morning, she rose early to study before class; her determination was brighter than her tiredness.
- c. When exam day arrived, she walked into the hall with a mix of nerves and confidence, ready to prove herself.

A. c-a-b                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-b-c                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. However, life was never fair to poor girls.
- B. To her surprise, the professor was really impressed with her work.
- C. As she received her acceptance letter to medical school, she was in tears of joy.
- D. She was not one of the top students and she had to study a lot to catch up with others.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Most Vietnam rural areas are well-known for their images of friendly farmers in conical hats, (19) \_\_\_\_\_ paddies, and bamboo-hedged villages. Vietnamese people's lifestyle in these regions is (20) \_\_\_\_\_ rooted in tradition, where villagers earn a living by working together in various jobs such as farming, raising livestock, making handicrafts, etc. The people (21) \_\_\_\_\_ in rural areas are modest, patient, and hard-working, especially in Central Vietnam (22) \_\_\_\_\_ they have to suffer (23) \_\_\_\_\_ many seasonal natural disasters and harsh weather conditions. Rural Vietnam life is always cheaper (24) \_\_\_\_\_ city life, however, because of the hard working conditions in the fields, many young people decide to work in industrial zones or pursue higher education in bigger cities.

(Adapted from <https://vinpearl.com/en/vietnam-peoples-lifestyle-unveil-6-typical-featuresvnp>)

- 19.** A. green stunning rice                      B. stunning green rice  
           C. rice green stunning                      D. green rice stunning
- 20.** A. deeply                      B. strongly                      C. quickly                      D. slowly
- 21.** A. live                      B. living                      C. to live                      D. lived
- 22.** A. which                      B. why                      C. whose                      D. where
- 23.** A. for                      B. of                      C. from                      D. in

24. A. less                      B. to                      C. than                      D. then

**Mark the 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.**

25. A black bear slowly walked into our yard. At that time we were cooking.

- A. Before a black bear slowly walked into our yard, we were cooking.
- B. When a black bear slowly walked into our yard, we were cooking.
- C. A black bear slowly walked into our yard when we cooked.
- D. When a black bear slowly walked into our yard, we were cook.

26. The last time I talked to my best friend was one month ago.

- A. My best friend and I haven't talked for a month.
- B. I have talk to my best friend for a month at least.
- C. I talked to my best friend a month ago at last.
- D. I talked to my best friend after a month.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

27. doctor/ advise/ eat/ more /vegetables.

- A. My doctor advised me to eat more vegetables.
- B. My doctor advised me eating more vegetables.
- C. My doctor usually advises me eat more vegetables.
- D. My doctor advises me eating more vegetables.

28. I/ know/ Dalat/ well/ because/ I/ spend/ childhood.

- A. I know Dalat well because I spend my childhood there.
- B. I knew Dalat well as I have spent my childhood there.
- C. I have known Dalat for well because I spend my childhood.
- D. I know Dalat very well because I spent my childhood there.

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

29. What does the note say?

**Help! Did you write  
down what we have to  
do for the next class?  
I've lost my notes.**

- A. Can you lend me your notes?
- B. You must write down the information for me.
- C. What do we have to do for the next class?

D. I didn't take notes in class.

30. What does the notice say?

**TODAY ON 3<sup>RD</sup> FLOOR**

**A new clothes shop for  
children**

**Toys: 30% off**

A. Go to the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor if you want toys at full price.

B. The 3<sup>rd</sup> floor is closed for a private toy party.

C. Parents can go to the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor for children's clothes.

D. There hasn't been any clothes stores on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor until now.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

Tourists and locals in the capital city of Hanoi will have an opportunity to enjoy a feast of dazzling light and traditional music and a taste of Vietnamese educational history while engaging in the night tour to the Van Mieu - Quoc Tu Giam (Temple of Literature) in the heart of Hanoi. The service, which was officially launched on October 29, is the fourth tour of this kind in Hanoi, following those the Hoa Lo Prison Relic, the Thang Long Imperial Citadel, and the Vietnam Museum of Literature.

The Temple of Literature's night tour offers tourists an entirely **different** experience as compared to the daytime visit since it uses technology and lighting, rather than the theatrical format applied to other tours. Visitors are taken to different areas in the Temple of Literature, from the gate to various key places inside the complex. A **centerpiece** of the tour is in the Thai Hoc Hall, which is transformed on the theme of "Tinh hoa dao hoc" (Essence of Education) by the sparkling lighting system and 3D-mapping technology, telling the stories about the history of the first Vietnamese imperial university. Meanwhile, Khue Van Cac (Constellation of Literature Pavilion) serves as a venue for stellar traditional music performances; Vuon Bia Tien Si (Laureate Stelae Garden) gives visitors a better insight into the list of scholar figures with support of the mapping presentation; and Dai Thanh spotlights images of examination hall through the



virtual reality technology.

(Adapted from <https://en.vietnamplus.vn/night-tour-to-hanois-temple-of-literature-officially-launched-post270414.vnp>)

**31.** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. The Temple of Literature in Hanoi is under repair.
- B. The night tour at the Temple of Literature provides a unique experience for visitors.
- C. Hanoi is becoming a popular destination for international tourists because of the night tours.
- D. The Vietnamese government is investing in cultural tourism experiences.

**32.** What is the main purpose of the night tour to the Van Mieu – Quoc Tu Giam (Temple of Literature) in Hanoi?

- A. To showcase the architectural design of the temple
- B. To offer a dazzling light and traditional music experience
- C. To teach visitors about Vietnamese educational history
- D. To advertise the traditional music of Vietnam

**33.** The word "**different**" is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. various                      B. similar                      C. diverse                      D. noticeable

**34.** What is the key difference between the daytime and night tour experiences at the Temple of Literature?

- A. The night tour uses technology and lighting, while the day tour uses a theatrical format.
- B. The night tour focuses on traditional music performances, while the day tour focuses on historical facts.
- C. The night tour is more expensive than the daytime tour.
- D. The night tour is only available on weekends, while the daytime tour is available every day.

**35.** What type of technology is used to enhance the visitor experience in the Laureate Stelae Garden during the night tour?

- A. 3D-mapping technology                      B. Virtual reality technology
- C. Sparkling lighting system                      D. Mapping presentation

**36.** The word "**centerpiece**" is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. a decorative piece                      B. the focus of attention
- C. a part of something                      D. a middle point

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For**

**each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Dreams can sometimes feel like time travel — pulling on memories to help people revisit individuals and places from the past. (37) \_\_\_\_\_ in which the dreamer lived while growing up. But what exactly is the meaning of dreaming about your childhood home?

(38) \_\_\_\_\_. After all, everybody has different histories and feelings about where they grew up, and the dream may draw upon those personal experiences. As a result, dreaming of your childhood home may bring up many emotions, (39) \_\_\_\_\_ for a long period of time.

There are a few things to consider that may help you decipher the message that your dreams are trying to convey. How did you feel in that home? Were you alone in your dream? Were you grown, or were you small again? (40) \_\_\_\_\_, may provide insight into the dream's meaning.

*(Adapted from <https://www.californiapsychics.com/blos/dreams/dreams-a-childhood-home.html>)*

- A. The answer will change depending on the dreamer.
- B. especially if you haven't revisited or thought about this location
- C. In fact, one extremely common setting for dreams is inside a childhood home or another location
- D. All these details, as well as your feelings about them

37. \_\_\_\_\_ 38. \_\_\_\_\_ 39. \_\_\_\_\_ 40. \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 13

**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. urgent                      B. permit                      C. western                      D. affect
- 2. A. located                      B. repaired                      C. filled                      D. titled

**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. occur            B. feature            C. wander            D. grassland

4. A. camcorder    B. pesticide            C. paradise            D. engineer

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

5. In order to achieve your dream, you must know your \_\_\_\_\_ and abilities first.

A. career            B. passions            C. knowledge            D. skill

6. My daughter would like \_\_\_\_\_ a prom dress for her graduation party.

A. to buy            B. buying            C. bought            D. buy

7. Tourists enjoy travelling to the South \_\_\_\_\_ to watch penguins.

A. pole            B. reserve            C. national park    D. grassland

8. When you \_\_\_\_\_ a new set of clothes in the store, ask the shop assistant for the right size.

A. pick up            B. look up            C. try on            D. cut down on

9. Mary and Ben is searching for their missing luggage at the airport.

Mary: "I have already filled in the form. Hopefully, they'll find our luggage soon."

Ben: " \_\_\_\_\_ "

A. I hope so, too.

B. Thank you but I don't think it will work.

C. Where did you put it?

D. I am terribly sorry for the inconvenience.

10. \_\_\_\_\_ everyone was discussing students' mental health, the speaker raised a question about teachers' wellbeing.

A. When            B. While            C. So            D. Though

11. The assistant suggested that he \_\_\_\_\_ the touchscreen frequently to assure effective use.

A. cleans            B. cleaning            C. cleaned            D. clean

12. \_\_\_\_\_ you want to pass the English test with high score, you don't need to take many extra classes.

A. Unless            B. If            C. Provided            D. Should

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### HOW TO PLAN FOR A CAMPING TRIP

#### Packing Essentials:

\* Focus (13) \_\_\_\_\_ lightweight, essential items.

\* Use waterproof bags.

- 13.** A. in                      B. on                      C. at                      D. with  
**14.** A. and                      B. so                      C. because                      D. but  
**15.** A. port                      B. portion                      C. portable                      D. portability  
**16.** A. ∅                      B. an                      C. a                      D. the

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** *Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.*

"Emily had been looking forward to her weekend visit to Grandma's cozy cottage in the woods. As she arrived, the sweet smell of freshly baked cookies filled the air, making her feel at home. \_\_\_\_\_"

- a. As the sun set, they sat on the sofa, drinking lemonade and watching fireflies dance in the twilight.  
b. Grandma greeted her with a warm hug and a cheeky smile.  
c. They spent the afternoon in the garden, planting flowers and laughing at old

family tales.

- A. b-a-c                      B. c-b-a                      C. b-c-a                      D. a-b-c

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. Before she went to her grandmother's house, she bought some of her favorite mangoes.  
B. Relaxing time with her grandmother was something Emily loved the most.  
C. Emily felt a deep connection to her grandmother, knowing these moments would stay in her heart forever.  
D. In the end, Emily cooked for her grandmother and helped her clean the kitchen.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Throughout my 15-year relationship with my wife, I have generally seen myself as the provider, (19) \_\_\_\_\_ breadwinner of the family. I had a career, I brought in the money, I made the big family decisions, I (20) \_\_\_\_\_ of our lives. Perhaps this dynamic was not always healthy, but this is how (21) \_\_\_\_\_. This dynamic has now changed. The Covid-19 pandemic has (22) \_\_\_\_\_ me to quit my job and take care of our two children. My wife has got a new job, she is the one going out to work and I'm the one staying at home. I'm making dinners, cleaning the house, raising the children. She is going to work, making money, providing (23) \_\_\_\_\_. She is the provider and I am the provided-for. For the first time ever, she is the breadwinner. We've dealt (24) \_\_\_\_\_ the division of chores. I do the washing and the cleaning, I get the kids ready in the morning, I make sure dinners are cooked and prepared for everyone. My wife goes out to work, she brings in a salary, pays the bills, buys the food, and so on.

(Adapted from <https://goodmenproject.com/featured-content/the-changing-role-of-man-in-the-modern-family/>)

- 19.** A. the                      B. a                      C. an                      D. ∅  
**20.** A. took place   B. took off                      C. took charge   D. took part  
**21.** A. it has been                      B. it was                      C. has it been                      D. has been  
**22.** A. avoided                      B. forced                      C. allowed                      D. let  
**23.** A. mentally                      B. physically                      C. domestically                      D. financially  
**24.** A. with                      B. to                      C. in                      D. on

**Mark the 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.***

**25.** Mr. Due is my teacher. We cannot wait to join the talk by Mr. Due.

- A. We cannot wait to join the talk by Mr. Due, who is my teacher.
- B. We cannot wait to join the talk by Mr. Due who is my teacher.
- C. Mr. Due, who we cannot wait to join the talk by, is my teacher.
- D. Mr. Due, who cannot wait to join the talk by us, is my teacher.

**26.** The town gets more crowded. Therefore, it becomes less peaceful.

- A. The more crowded the town gets, the peacefuller it becomes.
- B. The more crowded the town gets, the less peaceful it becomes.
- C. The more crowded the town get, the less peaceful it become.
- D. The more crowded the town gets, the less peacefuller it becomes.

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.***

**27.** You/ have/ manage/ time/ by/ plan / schedule/ give/ priority/ your work.

- A. You have to manage your time by planning your schedule and giving priority to your work.
- B. You have manage your time by planning your schedule and giving priority to your work.
- C. You have to manage your time by plan your schedule and give priority to your work.
- D. You have to manage your time to planning your schedule and giving priority to your work.

**28.** I/ find/ travel/ space/ exciting/ because/ I/ want/ be/ astronaut.

- A. I find travelling into space exciting because I want to be an astronaut.
- B. I find travelling into space excited because I want to be an astronaut.
- C. I find travelling into space exciting because I want an astronaut.
- D. I find travel into space exciting because I want to be an astronaut.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?



- A. There is an intersection ahead.
- B. There is a hospital ahead.
- C. There is no road ahead.
- D. You cannot go straight or turn left here.

**30.** What does the notice say?

**COMPUTER ROOM**

**NO FOOD OR  
DRINKS**

- A. The computer room doesn't offer snacks and drinks.
- B. You mustn't eat or drink in the computer room.
- C. You can eat and drink in the computer room during break time.
- D. Food and drinks are not available in the computer room.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

In the world of social media, TikTok is relatively new. But since its creation in 2016, it's quickly climbed the charts when it comes to popularity. Data shows TikTok has about 1.2 billion active users every month, which is more than X and Instagram. The people who use it tend to spend more than an hour a day on it.

"The way TikTok is set up to have really brief, really intense, and easily available engagement in videos adds to that dopamine release and that inconsistent but always available input into your brain," said Mary Gabriel, a child and adolescent psychiatrist for University Hospitals. She said she had noticed the impact the app had had on her patients. "You get **constant** feedback in the form of likes, comments and notifications. I mean, those frequent, but inconsistent feedback are the combination that **reinforces** a behavior," Gabriel said.

In many cases, the app as a whole adds to the peer pressure children can face at school. Gabriel believes it's a big reason why she is seeing more kids these days either facing depression or anxiety-related issues. There is science behind the impact. Gabriel points to one area of the brain that usually doesn't become fully developed until people reach their mid-20s. Until then, she said their decision-

making process may not be as logical or as rational, leading them to be more vulnerable to be influenced by what they see on the app.

(Adapted from <https://spectrumnews1.com/oh/columbus/news/2024/01/30/tiktok-influence-on-youth->)

**31.** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. TikTok is a new and popular social media platform.
- B. TikTok has a significant impact on the mental health of its young users.
- C. TikTok has more active users than any other major social media platforms.
- D. TikTok's design features contribute to addictive user behavior.

**32.** According to the passage, how many active monthly users does TikTok have?

- A. 500 million      B. 800 million      C. 1 billion      D. 1.2 billion

**33.** According to the passage, what contributes to the "dopamine release" and "inconsistent but always available input" that users experience on TikTok?

- A. The length of the videos and the constant feedback
- B. The frequency of notifications
- C. The number of likes and comments
- D. The briefness and intensity of the videos

**34.** The word "**constant**" is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

- A. nonstop      B. continuous      C. rare      D. interrupted

**35.** What does the passage say about the development of the decision-making part of the brain in children and teenagers?

- A. It is fully developed by the time they reach their 20s.
- B. It is fully developed and makes them less vulnerable to the influence of TikTok.
- C. It may not be as developed, leading them to be more influenced by TikTok.
- D. It is more logical and rational than in adults.

**36.** The word "**reinforces**" is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

- A. strengthens      B. repeats      C. improves      D. changes

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Mark Zuckerberg just announced that we are rolling out a Trending Now feature on Threads, to (37) \_\_\_\_ you care about. At this time, the feature is only available in the US. (38) \_\_\_\_.

Our AI systems identify trending topics based on a number of signals including (39) \_\_\_\_, and how many people have engaged with those posts. After the topics



are selected, a team of content specialists review the topics to ensure nothing violates our Community Guidelines or Recommendation Guidelines, and that themes are not repetitive, nonsensical, or misleading. **(40)** \_\_\_\_\_. When you select a topic, you'll be taken to search results for that topic - and can explore and engage in the conversation more easily.

*(Adapted from <https://about.fb.com/news/2023/07/introducing-threads-new-app-text-sharing/>)*

- A. You can find Trending Now on the search page and in your For You feed on Threads
- B. how many posts are made about a given topic
- C. We will show up to five topics that are trending across the US
- D. help you find popular topics and join conversations

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_ **38.** \_\_\_\_\_ **39.** \_\_\_\_\_ **40.** \_\_\_\_\_

# MOCK TEST 14

**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. healthy                      B. hygiene                      C. honest                      D. household  
2. A. handicraft    B. specialty                      C. fraganance                      D. attraction

**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. community    B. additional                      C. religious                      D. generation  
4. A. plastic                      B. function                      C. fabric                      D. delay

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

5. I've made an appointment. I \_\_\_\_\_ the dentist on Friday.  
A. would see                      B. will see                      C. have seen                      D. see  
6. She wanted to know \_\_\_\_\_ I started working as a zookeeper.  
A. who                      B. which                      C. when                      D. whose  
7. I was surprised when an old friend of \_\_\_\_\_ turned up at the door.  
A. me                      B. mine                      C. my                      D. I  
8. \_\_\_\_\_ University of Cambridge was founded in 1209 and has served nearly 20,000 students of all cultures.  
A. The                      B. An                      C. ø                      D. A  
9. "Do you want me to help you with those suitcases?" - " \_\_\_\_\_ "  
A. Of course, not for me.                      B. No, I can't help you now.  
C. No, those aren't mine.                      D. No, I can manage them myself.  
10. A \_\_\_\_\_ is an underground electric railway system in some cities.  
A. carriage                      B. cab                      C. metro                      D. coach  
11. \_\_\_\_\_ you are on time for your interview, you will not be accepted for the job.  
A. If                      B. Because                      C. Though                      D. Unless

**12.** My mum is very worried about my sister because there's so \_\_\_\_\_ traffic on her way to and from school.

- A. many                      B. much                      C. little                      D. few

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### WHAT TO DO IN A ROAD CRASH

1. Immediately check yourself, passengers, and others involved (**13**) \_\_\_\_\_ injuries. If anyone is hurt, call emergency services and avoid moving anyone unless necessary for safety.
2. If the vehicles are still operational, move them to (**14**) \_\_\_\_\_ safe area, such as the side of the road, to prevent further accidents. Turn on hazard lights.
3. Report the accident to the police, regardless of its (**15**) \_\_\_\_\_. This ensures that an official report is filed, which may be necessary for insurance purposes.
4. Safely exchange names, contact details, and license plate numbers with the other driver(s). Take pictures of the accident scene, vehicle damage, and any (**16**) \_\_\_\_\_ road signs to document the situation for

**13.** A. a

**14.** A. Ø                      B. a                      C. an                      D. the

**15.** A. importance                      B. seriousness                      C. strength                      D. severity

**16.** A. relevance                      B. relevant                      C. irrelevant                      D. relevantly

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

The island didn't look far away, and I felt confident I could reach it. A man was fishing in a boat between the beach and the island, so I thought he could help if needed. \_\_\_\_\_

a. However, the sea began pulling me to the side, away from both the beach and the island.

b. I put on my swimming costume and started swimming toward the island,

feeling sure of myself.

c. I panicked and tried to swim back, but it was impossible.

A. b-c-a

B. b-a-c

C. a-c-b

D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

A. Luckily, the man in the boat came to the rescue and I was saved.

B. Luckily, the man in the boat warned me about the danger.

C. I learned the lesson that I shouldn't have ignored warning signs.

D. Finally, I got back home safely with an important lesson.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Rice is (19) by Vietnamese people every day. It often (20) \_\_\_\_\_ in tropical countries such as Vietnam, Thailand or Malaysia. The Chinese have also been growing rice for (21) \_\_\_\_\_ years. The seeds are planted in special beds to grow into young rice plants. Then they are taken to fields covered (22) \_\_\_\_\_ muddy water called paddies. The fields of rice look very (23) \_\_\_\_\_. After 3 or 5 months, the rice is ready to be picked. People often drain away water before collecting rice. Eating rice is a special action in the world. They don't use spoons or forks to enjoy bowls of rice. (24) \_\_\_\_\_, they use two short sticks known as chopsticks to put rice into their mouths. China and Vietnam are the two countries where people use chopsticks very well.

(Adapted from Author)

**19.** A. produced B. taken C. eaten D. boiled

**20.** A. grows B. keeps C. plants D. stays

**21.** A. thousands B. thousands of C. thousand of D. thousand

**22.** A. in B. by C. with D. of

**23.** A. beauty B. beautiful C. beautifully D. the beauty

**24.** A. However B. Moreover C. Besides D. Instead

**Mark the 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.**

**25.** "Will pollution endanger the wildlife here?" said Tom.

A. Tom wanted to know if pollution would endanger the wildlife there.

B. Tom questions me if pollution will endanger the wildlife here.

C. Tom told me that pollution would endanger the wildlife here.

D. Tom said to me that pollution will endanger the wildlife there.

**26.** A hop-on hop-off bus runs every hour. It is the fastest way to visit the city.

A. A hop-on hop-off bus runs every hour, is the fastest way to visit the city.

B. A hop-on hop-off bus which runs every hour is the fastest way to visit the city.

C. A hop-on hop-off bus is the fastest way to visit the city which runs every hour.

D. The fastest way to visit the city is a hop-on hop-off bus runs every hour.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** Internet / provide / us / various online sources / allow / us / pursue / own interests

A. Internet provides us on various online sources to allow us to pursue our own interests.

B. Internet provides us with various online sources allowing us to pursue our own interests.

C. Internet provides us with various online sources and allows us to pursue our own interests.

D. Internet provides us on various online sources and allows us pursuing our own interests.

**Question 28.** You / have /manage your time / plan / schedule / give / priority / your work.

A. You have to manage your time by planning your schedule and giving priority to your work.

B. You have to manage your time on planning your schedule and giving priority on your work.

C. You have to manage your time to plan your schedule and to give priority to your work.

D. You have to manage your time by planning on your schedule and giving priority on your work.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?

**If the entrance door is locked, please press button to contact hotel reception.**

A. Use the button to call hotel staff if you cannot get in.

B. If you cannot lock the door, please

contact hotel reception.

C. Press this button to unlock the entrance door.

D. Please contact hotel staff to press the door button.

**30.** What does the notice say?

**English Library**

**All books are arranged in A-Z order. Please put them back correctly.**

A. You should return your books to the assistant in the correct order.

B. The books are easy to find because they are all arranged by level.

C. The books are put in alphabetical orders by everyone.

D. You should return books in the order that you found them.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

Teenagers have different nutritional needs than adults. From puberty through early adulthood, the body is in a stage of rapid growth. To support proper growth and development, teens need a steady supply of calories and nutrients on a daily basis.

A diet high in nutritious foods can benefit their overall health, but a diet that lacks essential nutrients or provides inadequate calorie intake can directly affect school performance, mood and metabolic health. Plus, less healthy dietary patterns established during adolescence can increase the risk of health problems later in life.

However, following a nutritious diet can be challenging for teens for many reasons, including food preferences and availability as well as social and parental influences. Plus, teens can be heavily influenced by mass media, including social media, **which** may have negative effects on body image, dietary intake, and more.

Considering these factors, it's easy to understand why many teens — as well as their parents and caregivers - are unsure what **constitutes** a healthy diet and which foods they should regularly eat.

(Adapted from <https://www.healthline.com/nutrition/healthy-eating-for-teens>)

**31.** What is the best title for the passage?

- A. Different Nutritional Needs for Teenagers
- B. Healthy Eating Habits for Teenagers
- C. Teens' Problems following Healthy Diets
- D. Parents' Roles in Teens' Eating Habits

**32.** According to the passage, what is one possible effects of teenagers having poor diets?

- A. They can easily get angry or depressed.
- B. They cannot sleep well at night.
- C. They can lose weight and keep fit.
- D. They are more prone to feel insecure.

**33.** According to the passage, what is one of the reasons why it might be difficult for teenagers to follow a nutritious diet?

- A. They have too little time to plan their meals.
- B. They often have limited availability of nutritious foods.
- C. They are not interested in social media.
- D. They always have a steady supply of calories and nutrients.

**34.** The word "**which**" in paragraph 3 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. teens
- B. social media
- C. mass media
- D. influences

**35.** The word "**constitutes**" in paragraph 4 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. develops
- B. comprises
- C. prevents
- D. makes

**36.** Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the passage?

- A. Teenagers often prefer convenient food to nutritious one.
- B. Facebook can affect teenagers' choice of eating habits.
- C. Some parents feel confused about types of foods for a healthy diet.
- D. Teens' poor eating habits can pose a health risk during their adulthood.

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Recent studies show that getting enough sleep is crucial for overall health. Research from the National Sleep Foundation indicates that adults need 7 to 9 hours of sleep per night to function at their best. Lack of sleep can lead to various health problems, (37) \_\_\_\_\_, and increased risk of chronic conditions like heart disease and diabetes. To improve sleep quality, experts recommend establishing

a regular sleep schedule, **(38)** \_\_\_\_\_. Additionally, maintaining a comfortable sleep environment - like a cool, dark room - can help enhance restfulness. **(39)** \_\_\_\_\_. **(40)** \_\_\_\_\_.

A. creating a relaxing bedtime routine, and limiting screen time before bed

B. such as weakened immune function, higher stress levels

C. Taking these steps can have a significant positive impact on overall well-being

D. By prioritizing sleep, individuals can boost their health, improve mood, and increase productivity throughout the day

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_    **38.** \_\_\_\_\_    **39.** \_\_\_\_\_    **40.** \_\_\_\_\_



# MOCK TEST 15

**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. requested    B. performed    C. intended    D. uploaded

2. A. suburb    B. funuction    C. produuct    D. focus

**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. mature    B. common    C. social    D. famous

4. A. quality    B. explosion    C. departure    D. arrival

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

5. It's important for students to keep a \_\_\_\_\_ plan to revise their exams effectively.

A. sensibly    B. sensible    C. sensitive    D. sensitively

6. By the time Jane \_\_\_\_\_ at the cinema yesterday, the film.

A. arrived/ had started    B. arrived/ was started  
C. had arrived/ started    D. were arriving/ started

7. Nikola Tesla is renowned \_\_\_\_\_ his pioneering contributions to alternating current (AC) electricity and wireless communication.

A. in    B. for    C. to    D. of

8. The noise from construction sites, \_\_\_\_\_ occurs during late hours, disturbs the residents in the area.

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

9. What a terrible trip! My luggage \_\_\_\_\_, so I had to spend more money than I expected.

A. was being lost    B. had lost    C. was lost    D. lost

10. The Grand Suite Hotel is by far \_\_\_\_\_ hotel in Los Angeles.

A. the most expensive    B. the expensive

C. the more expensive                      D. most expensive

**11.** There aren't any airports near \_\_\_\_\_ hotel. \_\_\_\_\_ nearest one is 70 kilometers away.

A. the - A                      B. a - A                      C. a - The                      D. the - The

**12.** Mike wishes that he \_\_\_\_\_ a career as a surgeon when he was 18.

A. would pursue    B. had pursued    C. pursued                      D. could pursue

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### WHAT TO DO DURING A POWER OUTAGE

1. Stay calm and check if the outage (**13**) \_\_\_\_\_ only your home or (**14**) \_\_\_\_\_ entire area. Stay informed using a battery-powered radio for updates.

2. Turn (**15**) \_\_\_\_\_ all electrical appliances to prevent power surges when power returns. Keep refrigerators and freezers closed to preserve food.

3. Use flashlights instead of candles to avoid fire risks. Avoid downed power lines and report them to the power company.

**13.** A. effects                      B. affects                      C. effective                      D. effectively

**14.** A. Ø                      B. a                      C. an                      D. the

**15.** A. off                      B. up                      C. on                      D. down

**16.** A. safeguards B. defences                      C. precautions                      D. protections

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

The morning sky was painted in soft shades of pink and orange as the sun began to rise. Maria sipped her coffee on the balcony, enjoying the peaceful start to the day. \_\_\_\_\_

a. After finishing her breakfast, she headed out for a walk in the nearby park.

b. She had a long list of tasks ahead, but for now, everything felt calm and manageable.

c. The fresh air and the sound of birds chirping helped her focus on her to-do-list  
A. b-c-a                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

A. The trees swayed gently in the breeze, their leaves rustling softly like whispers in the quiet morning.

B. She smiled as she passed by a group of children playing, their laughter echoing through the park.

C. By the time she returned home, she was ready to tackle her to-do list with a positive attitude.

D. Maria made a mental note to appreciate the simple joys in life as she looked at the sky.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Nowadays, career choices and education for teenagers are major concerns for many parents; **(19)** \_\_\_\_\_, discussing the choices with their children should be done as soon as possible to keep communication open and honest. If your teens haven't figured things **(20)** \_\_\_\_\_ yet, one thing that you should never do is panicking and putting too much pressure on them. You should remind them that there are many available options for the future. Feeling unsure what to do in the future doesn't mean that they can laze around as they'll never get back the wasted time. Teenagers must do something to get inspired to do more, **(21)** \_\_\_\_\_ can help them find themselves on the way.

Teenagers can also find a career that suits their interest just by asking around. By interviewing or having **(22)** \_\_\_\_\_ with distinct individuals about their careers, teenagers may find out interesting things that surprise them. Therefore, parents can **(23)** \_\_\_\_\_ their children connect with their friends in professions that **(24)** \_\_\_\_\_ with their children's interests. Sometimes it is better to hear from someone else than always from parents.

*(Adapted from <https://www.superprof.co.uk/blog/career-choices-for-teens/>)*

**19.** A. however      B. in spite of                      C. though                      D. thus

**20.** A. in                      B. out                      C. to                      D. of

**21.** A. who                      B. when                      C. which                      D. where

**22.** A. ideas                      B. meals                      C. conversations      D. problems

**23.** A. help                      B. invite                      C. support                      D. encourage

24. A. associate    B. align                      C. compare                      D. liken

**Mark the 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.**

25. People say that the old town was much quieter before the Industrial Revolution.

A. The old town was said to be much quieter before the Industrial Revolution.

B. The old town is said to have been much quieter before the Industrial Revolution.

C. The old town was said to having been much quieter before the Industrial Revolution.

D. The old town is said to being much quieter before the Industrial Revolution.

26. "Would you like to go out for dinner with me tonight, Jenny?" Michael said.

A. Michael invited Jenny to go out for dinner with him that night.

B. Michael warned Jenny to go out for dinner with him tonight.

C. Michael reminded Jenny to go out for dinner with him that night.

D. Michael advised Jenny to go out for dinner with him tonight.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

27. If / it / not be / for their support, we / not be able / complete the project on time.

A. If it wasn't for their support, we wouldn't be able to complete the project on time.

B. If it wasn't for their support, we weren't able to complete the project on time.

C. If it hadn't been for their support, we haven't been able to complete the project on time.

D. If it hadn't been for their support, we wouldn't have been able to complete the project on time.

28. Hong Kong / often describe / concrete jungle / due to / dense population.

A. Hong Kong is often described as a concrete jungle due to its dense population.

B. Hong Kong often describes to a concrete jungle due to its dense population.

C. Hong Kong is often described to a concrete jungle due to it's dense population.

D. Hong Kong often describes as a concrete jungle due to it's dense population.

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

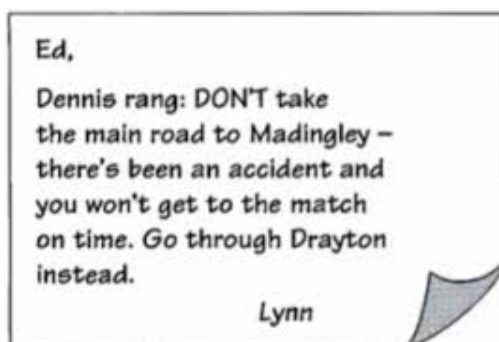
**following questions.**

**29.** What does the sign say?



- A. We leave some toys at the back of this room for children.
- B. Please don't leave any toys outside this room when you go.
- C. Remember to take your children's toys with you when you leave.
- D. You shouldn't leave this room without bringing any toys with you.

**30.** What does the notice say?



- A. To avoid being late, Ed should use a different route.
- B. Dennis suggests that it's quicker to go on the main road.
- C. If there's enough time, Lynn would like to see the match.
- D. Dennis says that there is no other route better than Drayton.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

People have lived in caves since the dawn of time. But if you're picturing a cold, damp and cramped space, you'll need to think again. In Spain, thousands of modern day cave-dwellers call a hole in the ground their home and it's a better home than you thought. There are a large number of luxurious houses carved into the Andalucian mountains which offer more comfort than you might imagine.

Why do they choose to live in a cave? To begin with, cave houses are affordable, easy to heat in the winter and stay cool in the summer. Being carved into stone, their temperature does not fluctuate much and it is about 20 degrees Celsius throughout the year. Each home is unique. If you purchase a property which is allowed to be modified, it's easy to carve an extra shelf in the wall or even a whole new room.

However, you don't need such a spacious cave to feel the charm of a cave home. You can't feel that you are underground or feel locked up, even in some of the small-sized houses. Cave houses bring warmth and coziness, which is a unique selling point for many buyers. Most cave homes face the south to allow natural light to enter through the windows cut into the rock face. But due to the **ingenious** layout of many homes and the white walls, light is easily transmitted throughout. In areas further back, modern builders often use a system of normal mirrors to reflect natural light inside the house.

Cave houses are also surprisingly safe. They are not prone to fires or earthquakes and they do not tend to collapse. However, while deciding to choose this accommodation, you have to take into consideration a few factors. Ventilation is important for a cave home to breathe and prevent excess moisture which can lead to asthma attacks. Electricity is generally preferred over gas, but when gas fittings are provided, these tend to be closer to the front of the cave for safety reasons. As cave communities tend to be in small villages, a car is essential for getting around and nightlife is hard to find. Such homes are for those who prefer a quiet rural lifestyle, quaint cobbled backstreets and **brehtaking** views.

*(Adapted from Focus 4)*

**31.** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. Some reasons why the Spanish people live in caves
- B. An overview of modern cave houses in Spain
- C. Ways to ensure the safety of cave houses in Spain
- D. The differences between ancient and modern cave houses

**32.** According to the passage, which of the following can be a benefit of living in a cave house in Spain?

- A. Limited repairs to the design
- B. Frequent temperature fluctuations
- C. The feeling of being locked up
- D. Reasonable cost of living

**33.** According to the passage, what is the role of ventilation in cave houses in Spain?

- A. To maintain a stable temperature throughout the year.
- B. To prevent excess moisture that can lead to health issues.
- C. To enhance natural light reflection inside cave houses.
- D. To ensure the amount of fresh air inside cave houses.

**34.** The word "**ingenious**" in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. clever                      B. creative                      C. dull                      D. resourceful

**35.** The word "**breathtaking**" in paragraph 4 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. extremely beautiful                      B. surprisingly ordinary
- C. fairly simple                      D. slightly impressive

**36.** Which of the following activities is NOT true about modern cave houses?

- A. They can offer a unique and cozy living environment.
- B. This accommodation is for those who want to live in city centers.
- C. Cave houses are generally safe from fires and earthquakes.
- D. Mirrors are often used to reflect natural light inside.

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Recent studies reveal that rising sea temperatures are severely damaging coral reefs worldwide. Research conducted by marine biologists at the Australian Institute of Marine Science indicates that coral bleaching events have increased in frequency and severity due to global warming. This phenomenon occurs when corals expel the symbiotic algae living in their tissues, **(37)** \_\_\_\_\_. **(38)** \_\_\_\_\_.

To mitigate this issue, scientists recommend reducing greenhouse gas emissions through policy changes and adopting sustainable practices, **(39)** \_\_\_\_\_. **(40)** \_\_\_\_\_. Addressing climate change proactively is crucial to preserving these vital ecosystems for future generations.

*(Adapted from Author)*

- A. such as reducing plastic use and supporting marine conservation efforts
- B. leading to a loss of color and vital nutrients
- C. The implications are dire: coral reefs, which support diverse marine ecosystems and protect coastlines, are at risk of collapse.
- D. Additionally, researchers advocate for the development of heat-resistant coral

species to bolster reef resilience

37. \_\_\_\_\_
38. \_\_\_\_\_
39. \_\_\_\_\_
40. \_\_\_\_\_



# MOCK TEST 16

**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. banter                      B. aware                      C. camera                      D. analyse  
2. A. rhetic                      B. perhaps                      C. honest                      D. vehicle

**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. referee                      B. employee                      C. attendee                      D. apogee  
4. A. authority                      B. complexity                      C. activity                      D. opportunity

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

5. The new building includes advanced \_\_\_\_\_ to enhance operational efficiency.  
A. decorations      B. staff                      C. facilities                      D. furniture
6. If she \_\_\_\_\_ the meeting yesterday, she would have known about the changes.  
A. attended                      B. attends                      C. will attend                      D.                      had attended
7. Before we set off on our trip, the travel agent provided us with a fixed \_\_\_\_\_ outlining each day's activities.  
A. timetable                      B. itinerary                      C. agenda                      D. diary
8. The success of the project will \_\_\_\_\_ the team's ability to meet the deadlines.  
A. give in                      B. depend on                      C. hand down                      D. set out
9. Two friends meet each other after a period of time.  
Bob: "I haven't seen you in a while Ken. Let's grab a cup of coffee and talk!"  
Ken: " \_\_\_\_\_"  
A. You're welcome.                      B. Alright! Let's go.  
C. My mom doesn't want to.                      D. How dare you?
10. The artist \_\_\_\_\_ paintings are displayed in the gallery is renowned for his innovative techniques.

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

**11.** Mark said that they \_\_\_\_\_ to visit the museum the following week.

- A. will plan    B. would have planned  
C. were planning    D. are planning

**12.** Have you \_\_\_\_\_ the manuscript? If you haven't, please do it soon.

- A. memorised      B. reminded                      C. reminisced      D. committed

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### WHAT TO DO BEFORE A TYPHOON

Here's a checklist of the things you need to prepare and plan when there's an upcoming typhoon:

1. **(13)** \_\_\_\_\_ you have enough food and water supply.
2. Keep the following items **(14)** \_\_\_\_\_ in case of a power outage: battery-operated radio, flashlights, spare batteries, rechargeable lamps, and candles.
3. Check your home for anything that needs to be fixed or secured, such as **(15)** \_\_\_\_\_ leaky roof and trees that need to be trimmed.
4. Make a plan for staying **(16)** \_\_\_\_\_ touch with your family during a typhoon. Have a designated place for the family to gather in case some

**13.** A. Sure                      B. Insure                      C. Ensure                      D. Assure

**14.** A. real                      B. alive                      C. distant                      D. handy

**15.** A. the                      B. a                      C. an                      D. ∅

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

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

Nowadays football becomes one of the world's most popular games. Millions of people play and watch it all around the world.

- a. Each part lasts forty-five minutes.
- b. A football match often has two parts.
- c. The first part is the first half and the second part is the second half.

- A. b-c-a                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. The second part is much longer than the first part.  
B. There is a fifteen-minute break between two parts.  
C. To begin with, football is popular with people of all ages.  
D. Finally, you should not play football for some reasons.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

If you want to learn English more quickly, lots of reading is important. When you read in English, you can improve your vocabulary, grammar, and writing (**19**) \_\_\_\_\_.

When you read, try to (**20**) \_\_\_\_\_ the meaning of a new word from the words around it. Even if you are not always correct, it is good to practise thinking about what a new word might mean. You may need to learn the meaning of a word or phrase. The more words you understand, (**21**) \_\_\_\_\_ you will be able to read. A dictionary - hard copy or online version - can help you find the meanings of words (**22**) \_\_\_\_\_ are new to you. (**23**) \_\_\_\_\_, you should keep a list of new words, their definitions, and a sentence for each word which shows how to properly use it. You can keep this vocabulary list in a notebook you always have with you. This helps you to (**24**) what you have learnt wherever you are.

- 19.** A. some times              B. at the same time              C. sometimes              D. at times  
**20.** A. come into              B. work on              C. look up              D. figure out  
**21.** A. the best              B. more and more              C. the better              D. the more  
**22.** A. what              B. which              C. who              D. whom  
**23.** A. Therefore              B. Nevertheless              C. Additionally              D. However  
**24.** A. revise              B. reenact              C. consider              D. address

**Mark the 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.**

- 25.** "I'll call you later in the evening to discuss the project," she said.  
A. She said that she will call me later that evening to discuss the project.  
B. She said that she can call me later that evening to discuss the project.  
C. She said that she would call me later that evening to discuss the project  
D. She said that she may call me later that evening to discuss the project.

**26.** The two-year case has been solved by a renowned detective.

- A. A renowned detective has been solving the two-year case.
- B. A renowned detective is solving the two-year case.
- C. A renowned detective has solved the two-year case.
- D. A renowned detective will have solved the two-year case.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** The/ busier/ city/ the/ intense/ traffic jams.

- A. The busier the city is, the more intense the traffic jams are.
- B. The busier the city was, the more intense the traffic jams are.
- C. The busier the city has been, the more intense the traffic jams.
- D. The busier the city is, the more intense the traffic jams may be.

**28.** If/ you/ exercise/ diet, you/ achieve/ your/ goal/ lose/ weight.

- A. If you exercise and diet, you will have achieved your goal of losing weight.
- B. If you exercised and dieted, you will achieve your goal of losing weight.
- C. If you exercised and dieted, you may achieve your goal of losing weight.
- D. If you exercise and diet, you will achieve your goal of losing weight.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?



- A. Dangerous dip
- B. Slippery road
- C. Quayside or riverbank ahead
- D. Compulsory ahead only

**30.** What does the notice say?

**SEATS AT THE FRONT  
RESERVED FOR CHILDREN**

- A. The front seats are only for children.
- B. Children are not allowed to sit here.
- C. Adults have to sit at the front.
- D. There is no more seat for adults.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

Are you looking for somewhere special to go this weekend? Do you want to try something new? Check out one of these hot new restaurants.

### **Last Days of the Raj**

A centrally located Indian restaurant, perfect for eating before or after the cinema or a show. In summer, enjoy your meal in the beautiful garden. The most popular dishes are lamb and chicken cooked with mild, medium or hot spices. For brave customers, they are extra hot!

### **A Taste of Tuscany**

Whether you'd like a great **value-for-money** lunch or a relaxed evening meal in stylish surroundings, this is the place for you. The chefs have all been trained in Italy and they make both traditional and contemporary dishes. We recommend their pasta and seafood.

### **Your Local Caff**

Remember when cafes served full English breakfasts - sausages, beans, fried bread, bacon and eggs - with a strong cup of tea? Well, this place still does and you can have your breakfast at any time you like during the day while you listen to your favourite tunes from the 1980s.

### **The Lemon Tree**

This pretty restaurant serves healthy food that's tasty too. Come in for a vegetarian snack at lunchtime or a great fruit smoothie or a cappuccino and a delicious piece of cake in the afternoon. Food is bought from local producers whenever possible.

### **Cheesy Bites**

A restaurant that only serves cheese, but hundreds of cheeses from many countries and in lots of different forms. They serve reasonably priced lunches but

dinner can be **expensive**. Lovely food and a very elegant dining room, looking onto an amazing flower garden.

*(Adapted from LearnEnglishTeens, British Council)*

**31.** What is the best title for the passage?

- A. Natural Attractions for Lovers of the Outdoors
- B. Must-read Books Selected by Avid Readers
- C. The Latest Technological Developments of This Year
- D. Places to Visit on an Empty Stomach

**32.** The word "**they**" in paragraph 2 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. Indian dishes    B. chefs    C. customers    D. hot spices

**33.** According to the passage, what is served to customers at **Last Days of the Raj**?

- A. fish and chips    B. pasta and seafood
- C. lamp and chicken    D. beef steak and sausages

**34.** The phrase "**value-for-money**" in paragraph 3 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. cost-effective    B. super-cheap    C. overpriced    D. valueless

**35.** Which of the following statements is TRUE according to the passage?

- A. Dinner at **Cheesy Bites** can be on the expensive side.
- B. Meat dishes at **The Lemon Tree** are not only healthy but also tasty.
- C. **Your Local Caff** offers breakfast items for a specific time period.
- D. Dishes with spice are not served at **Last Days of the Raj**.

**36.** The word "**expensive**" in the last paragraph is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. costly    B. exorbitant    C. affordable    D. pricey

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Computers are now very useful and important for people all over the world. Computers have been in use widely in Viet Nam nowadays. **(37)** \_\_\_\_\_.

Computers have contributed greatly to the modernization of Viet Nam. With the help of computers, we can communicate with the other people thousands of kilometers away **(38)** \_\_\_\_\_. We can know the information on science and technology, medicine or education not only in our school but also in other countries very quickly. Accounting tasks took a person **(39)** \_\_\_\_\_ to calculate

but now it can be accomplished in a very short time. Some universities without libraries is now stored in the universities' computers. Students can send and receive messages by using computers. Computers are wonderful. (40) \_\_\_\_\_.

A. in a second

B. the whole day

C. They can help us save time

D. They completely changed the face of

Viet Nam

37. \_\_\_\_\_ 38. \_\_\_\_\_ 39. \_\_\_\_\_ 40. \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 17

**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. snorkel                      B. before                      C. oppportunity                      D. corner

2. A. hoped                      B. closed                      C. washed                      D. looked

**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. observe                      B. orbit                      C. oral                      D. onsen

4. A. graveyard                      B. lanyard                      C. furnish                      D. report

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

5. "Christian has been a close friend and partner of \_\_\_\_\_ for years", said Sam appreciatively.

A. theirs                      B. his                      C. ours                      D. mine

6. Margaret walked \_\_\_\_\_ her date because he was acting \_\_\_\_\_ all of a sudden, talking about the maternal duties of a woman.

A. out on - up                      B. in on - up                      C. out - on                      D. off with - out

7. Jeff is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ author worldwide with a total of 20 published books and other miscellaneous works.

A. infamous                      B. unknown                      C. renowned                      D. booed

8. I \_\_\_\_\_ any exercise \_\_\_\_\_ lately. I can feel my muscles sagging already!

A. hadn't got - down                      B. haven't got - in  
C. haven't been getting - up                      D. haven't been getting - in

9. Natasya and Amelia are having dinner.

- Natasya: "Would you like to order any desserts, Amelia? It's my treat."

- Amelia: "\_\_\_\_\_"

A. I'm still hungry.                      B. You are welcome.  
C. Huh? What?                      D. Thank you, I think I'm full.

10. Close the doors so that other people won't hear us, \_\_\_\_\_?

A. may you                      B. won't you                      C. will you                      D. do you

11. Tom's \_\_\_\_\_ to swiftly deal with his financial problems caused a dramatic loss in revenue that may make his company go bankrupt.

A. aversion                      B. inability                      C. slowly                      D. ability

12. I came across a \_\_\_\_\_ tea set and had to buy it immediately.

A. gorgeous blue vintage                      B. vintage gorgeous blue  
C. gorgeous vintage blue                      D. blue gorgeous vintage

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

#### **WHAT TO DO DURING A TYPHOON: THINGS TO REMEMBER**

1. Stay at home or in a safe place. Cancel all travel and (13) \_\_\_\_\_ activities.
2. Keep yourself updated on (14) \_\_\_\_\_ latest weather news.
3. Keep all food and water (15) \_\_\_\_\_ covered and sealed.
4. Don't wade (16) \_\_\_\_\_ the flood to avoid leptospirosis and other water-borne diseases, as well as electrocution. Consult a doctor right



13. A. outdoor    B. indoor    C. outsource    D. inner  
14. A. ∅    B. a    C. an    D. the  
15. A. contents    B. containers    C. containing    D. contains  
16. A. over    B. though    C. under    D. in

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

17. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

Tea was accidentally discovered by the Emperor Shen Nung of China. \_\_\_\_\_

- a. British sailors, returning from the Far East, brought packets of tea back home as presents for their relatives.  
b. Tea has been the most popular drink in Britain for three hundred years. An average Briton drinks thirty cups of tea a week.  
c. Whilst on a trip, he was boiling a pot of water when a tea leaf fell into it.

- A. b-c-a    B. b-a-c    C. a-c-b    D. c-a-b

18. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. Tea could cure colds and other illnesses.  
B. To begin with, it doesn't always happen like this.  
C. In fact, the British import almost 25% of all tea exported in the world.  
D. The first advertisement for tea appeared in Mercurius Politicos in 1660.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Pollution is an environmental (19) \_\_\_\_\_ people throughout the world. One university study suggests that (20) \_\_\_\_\_ in the water, air, and soil cause up to 40% of the premature deaths in the world's population. Water in many developing countries is (21) \_\_\_\_\_ with toxic chemicals, also known as toxins. The World Health Organization (WHO) (22) \_\_\_\_\_ that 1.1 billion people have little or no access to clean water. In many of these regions the water that (23) \_\_\_\_\_ drinking, cooking, and washing is the same water that is used for dumping sewages and hazardous waste. Most developing countries cannot afford water treatment facilities. (24) \_\_\_\_\_ 80% of infectious diseases in the world are caused by contaminated water.

19. A. issue to    B. concern for    C. regard of    D. thought on  
20. A. pollutive    B. pollutants    C. polluters    D. polluting  
21. A. composed    B. included    C. stuffed    D. contaminated  
22. A. will estimate    B. is estimating    C. had estimated    D. estimated  
23. A. is used as    B. is used with    C. is used for    D. is used like  
24. A. Rapidly    B. Hereditarily    C. Approximately    D. Fortunately

**Mark the 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.**

25. Using the company's laptop for personal purposes is a violation of our code of conduct.

- A. You may use the company's laptop for personal purposes any time.  
B. You are not allowed to use the company's laptop for personal purposes.  
C. You shouldn't use the company's laptop for personal purposes.  
D. You don't have to use the company's laptop.

26. "You should have listened to what I told you!" said Olivia.

- A. Olivia said that her friend should have listened to what she had told her.  
B. Olivia told her friend to have listened to what she said.  
C. Olivia's friend told Olivia to listen to her.  
D. Olivia said her friend should listen to her.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

27. It/high/time/we/think/environment/seriously.

- A. It's high time we thought about the environment seriously.  
B. It's highly the time for US to think about the environment seriously.  
C. It's high time that we think for the environment seriously.  
D. It's high time we thought for the environment seriously.

28. How/long/ take her/get/ school/ every day?

- A. How long is it taking her to get to school every day?  
B. How long did it take her to get to school every day?  
C. How long is it taking her to get to school every day?  
D. How long does it take her to get to school every day?

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

29. What does the sign say?



- A. Beware of fire
- B. Beware of volcano
- C. Beware of storm
- D. Beware of hurricane

30. What does the notice say?



- A. The road ahead is under construction.
- B. The road is closed for its convenience.
- C. The road is very inconvenient.
- D. The ahead conduction is convenient.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

It is very important to have healthy teeth. Good teeth help US to chew our food. They also help us to look nice. How does a tooth go bad? The decay begins in a little crack in the **enamel** covering of the tooth. This happens after germs and bits of food have collected there. Then the decay slowly spreads inside the tooth. Eventually, poison goes into blood, and we may feel quite ill.

How can we keep our teeth healthy? Firstly, we ought to visit our dentist twice a year. He can fill the small holes in our teeth before they destroy the teeth. He can examine our teeth to check that they are growing in the right way. Unfortunately, many people wait until they have toothache before they see a dentist. Secondly, we should brush our teeth with a toothbrush and fluoride toothpaste at least twice a day - once after breakfast and once before we go to bed. We can also use wooden toothpicks to clean between our teeth after a meal. Thirdly, we should eat food **that** is good for our teeth and our body: milk, cheese, fish, brown bread, potatoes, red rice, **raw** vegetables and fresh fruit. Chocolate, sweets, biscuits and cakes are bad, especially when we eat them between meals. They are

harmful because they stick to our teeth and cause decay.

**31.** What is the best title for the passage?

- A. What Caused Decay                      B. How the Teeth Go Bad  
C. How to Have Healthy Teeth      D. What to Eat Between Meals

**32.** The word "**enamel**" is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. the hard, white substance covering the tooth  
B. the little crack in the covering of the tooth  
C. the small hole in the teeth that needs filling  
D. the sticky substance that causes decay

**33.** When food and germs collect in a small crack, what happens to our teeth?

- A. They become hard.                      B. They begin to decay.  
C. They send poison into blood.                      D. They make US feel quite ill.

**34.** The word "**that**" in paragraph 2 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. body                      B. meal                      C. food                      D. toothpick

**35.** Which of the following should not be eaten much?

- A. biscuits                      B. brown bread                      C. vegetables                      D. red rice

**36.** The word "**raw**" is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. crude                      B. natural                      C. rare                      D. cooked

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

The elephant is the largest animal to walk (37) \_\_\_\_\_. An elephant can carry a load of 1,200 pounds. They eat 300 pounds of food a day. An elephant baby can weigh 200 pounds (38) \_\_\_\_\_. Elephants can live up to 70 years. Elephants can be trained to carry logs with their trunks. (39) \_\_\_\_\_. There are two kinds of elephants: the African elephant and the Indian elephant. African elephant can be characterized as larger ears. The African elephant grows up to 10 feet and weighs as much as 12,000 pounds. The Indian elephant grows up to 9 feet tall and weighs up to 800 pounds. (40) \_\_\_\_\_. Another name for the Indian elephant is the Asian elephant.

(Adapted from Author)

- A. This elephant is characterized as smaller ears  
B. They also use their trunks for drinking water, bathing, eating and communicating  
C. on Earth

D. at birth

37. \_\_\_\_\_
38. \_\_\_\_\_
39. \_\_\_\_\_
40. \_\_\_\_\_

# MOCK TEST 18

**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. lifestyle                      B. tribal                      C. vital                      D. trivial
2. A. puffs                      B. sniffs                      C. triuphs                      D. cries

**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. orient                      B. memorise                      C. compromise                      D. bilingual
4. A. immigrant                      B. variant                      C. ascendant                      D. relevant

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

5. "You couldn't have done it, \_\_\_\_\_?" said Arnold accusingly.  
A. can't you                      B. did you                      C. couldn't you                      D. could you
6. The exhibit showcases a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ of different artworks during the Renaissance era.  
A. kind                      B. little                      C. range                      D. amount
7. All this emotional turmoil is taking a \_\_\_\_\_ on me! I don't think I can keep up with this any longer!  
A. jump                      B. roll                      C. hit                      D. toll
8. \_\_\_\_\_ arrival, the star was immediately crowded \_\_\_\_\_ a group of reporters wanting to get the dirt on the recent rumours.  
A. At - by                      B. Upon - with                      C. On - by                      D. At - with
9. Harrison is asking his professor for feedback on an assignment.  
- Professor: "Other than some minor flaws in the formatting of your thesis, I think you did an excellent job!"  
- Harrison: "\_\_\_\_\_"  
A. I reject your criticism.                      B. I don't care.  
C. That's hilarious.                      D. Thank you, professor.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ gambling is a bad habit that is difficult to get rid of.

A. Compulsion    B. Compulsivity    C. Compulsive    D. Compulsory

**11.** I wish we \_\_\_\_\_ more time to explore around the city. I \_\_\_\_\_ shown you so much more of Hanoi if only we weren't short on time.

A. had - could                      B. had - could have                      C. have - could                      D. have - could have

**12.** The 2024 Olympics opening incited a lot of \_\_\_\_\_ discussion in rather divisive ways.

A. in-person                      B. public                      C. communal                      D. community

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### WHAT TO DO IN A FIRE

If you are trapped by the fire and cannot leave the building:

1. Enter a safe room, preferably one with a window that **(13)** \_\_\_\_\_ a road.
  2. Shut the door behind you but don't lock it. Cover the bottom gap of the door with a blanket or rug to prevent smoke **(14)** \_\_\_\_\_ seeping through.
  3. If you have access to a phone, call 995 and inform **(15)** \_\_\_\_\_ operator of your location, what is on fire and if there are others trapped with you.
  4. If you do not have access to a phone, shout for help from the window.
- Never attempt to climb out or jump out of the building. Wait **(16)** \_\_\_\_\_ until help comes.

**13.** A. overlooks    B. oversees    C. overwatched    D. overviews

**14.** A. over    B. of    C. from    D. about

**15.** A. ∅    B. a    C. an    D. the

**16.** A. anxiously    B. patiently    C. excitedly    D. quietly

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

"Let's have a picnic lunch in the countryside." It is so nice to think about it. \_\_\_\_\_

a. All around is lovely scenery and in the distance you can see the cows quietly eating the grass.

- b. You imagine a beautiful green field with a big tree in the middle which gives some shade from the sun.
- c. After a meal of delicious sandwiches and raw fruit you can imagine lying in the warm sun then as darkness comes.

A. b-c-a                      B. b-a-c                      C. a-c-b                      D. c-b-a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. Living in the countryside can be very hard.
- B. To begin with, it doesn't always happen like this.
- C. You strap up your basket and drive happily home.
- D. Finally, you get back home with disappointment.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Vietnamese cuisine, known for its freshness and healthy values, is getting **(19)** \_\_\_\_\_ popular all over the world. It exhibits great diversity but can be **(20)** \_\_\_\_\_ into three primary categories by location: the north, south, and central regions of the country. Many types of noodles and noodle soups and **(21)** \_\_\_\_\_ types of spring rolls are popular here. Less use of oil and greater use of fresh vegetables is generally **(22)** \_\_\_\_\_. Soy sauce, fish sauce, mint, and basil are popular **(23)** \_\_\_\_\_ ingredients. Rice is the main crop in all parts of the country, and so also one of the staples. The flavours of Vietnamese food range from spicy and sour to sweet. The Noodle Soup originating in North Vietnam is a noted Vietnamese dish and features rice noodles with beef, chicken, fish, sea food, soup and scallions or bean sprouts as **(24)** \_\_\_\_\_. There is vegetarian noodle soup too.

- 19.** A. more and most                      B. more and more  
C. more and less                      D. most and least
- 20.** A. sort                      B. blocked                      C. taken                      D. classified
- 21.** A. other                      B. another                      C. the other                      D. the others
- 22.** A. prefer                      B. prefers                      C. preferred                      D. being preferred
- 23.** A. easy                      B. normal                      C. base                      D. basic
- 24.** A. tradition                      B. desserts                      C. mains                      D. accompaniments

**Mark the 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.**



- 25.** "I wonder what I shall make for dinner tonight," thought Daniel.
- A. Daniel thought about what he should have made for dinner that night.
  - B. Daniel wondered what he should make for dinner that night.
  - C. Daniel thought to wonder what he should make for dinner tonight.
  - D. Daniel wondered what to make for dinner tonight.

- 26.** She has a reputation for drunk driving.
- A. It is a well-known fact that she never drives drunk.
  - B. She's infamous for driving.
  - C. Nobody knows that she drives drunk.
  - D. Everyone knows that she drives drunk.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

- 27.** If/ we/not/ come/bus stop/ in time/ we/ miss /bus.
- A. If we come to the bus stop in time, we will miss the bus.
  - B. If we hadn't come to the bus stop in time, we will miss the bus.
  - C. If we don't come to the bus stop in time, we miss the bus.
  - D. If we don't come to the bus stop in time, we will miss the bus.

- 28.** She/study/ hard/ summer/ so/ not/ fall behind/ class.
- A. She had studied hard in summer so that she doesn't fall behind in class.
  - B. She studied hard during the summer so as to not fall behind in class.
  - C. She studied hardly in the summer so as not to fall behind in class.
  - D. She is studying hard in summer so she isn't falling behind in the class.

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

- 29.** What does the sign say?



- A. Don't use water here.
- B. Don't turn off the tap.
- C. Don't touch the faucet in use.
- D. Don't leave the water tap on after use.

- 30.** What does the notice say?

**RESTAURANT**  
**- CLOSED AFTERNOONS**

- A. The restaurant is closed all day.
- B. The restaurant is closed in the morning.
- C. The restaurant is open in the afternoon.
- D. The restaurant is open in the morning.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

Amy Wyke is one of many new entrepreneurs making the most of the trend in second-hand clothing. It's not all plain sailing, though. As Amy says, "With so many competitors, you've got to **find your edge**. Some sellers specialise in designer labels, for example, or clothing from a particular era. Of course, you have the problem of sourcing the right clothes for your brand. Trends change as well, which could turn around and bite you. Selling a bit of everything, as I do, means I'm not putting all my eggs in one basket, but it means I have to find other ways to attract customers."

"I've learned important lessons in my work, especially regarding money. I struggled working alone and earning a pittance for ages, thinking it was more cost-effective than taking on staff. I'm so glad I'm not doing that now, as I'm bringing in far more even while paying out for two people's wages. It's the same with the website. The one I designed was decent enough, but it has really paid off since I took the plunge and paid professionals to improve the design. It doesn't come easily to me, as I'm not naturally a spendthrift."

I asked Amy her thoughts about the future of second-hand clothing. After all, a growing industry in second-hand clothes could hurt the industries that produce new clothes, so potentially, once all our second-hand ones are worn out, we might run out of clothes. Amy is more optimistic, however. "The second-hand clothing market has brought in a new interest in adapting and redesigning old clothes or making them from scratch. That's something that really died out in the era of chain stores. So, in future, I think I'll be **stocking** more of those kinds of clothes, which is great."

*(Adapted from Reading, British Council)*

**31.** What is the best title for the passage?

- A. Fashion Trends among The Youth

- B. Fast Fashion
- C. Second-hand Fashion - a Sustainable Way
- D. The Story of Amy Wyke

**32.** The phrase "**find your edge**" is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. step out of your comfort zone
- B. stay stagnant
- C. stay inside your comfort zone
- D. find your strengths

**33.** What could be disadvantageous when you're working as a secondhand clothing store owner, according to Amy?

- A. Some other sellers
- B. Sourcing clothes is difficult.
- C. Trends change
- D. Clothes sourcing and the fluctuation of trends.

**34.** The word "**it**" in paragraph 2 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. important lessons
- B. struggling
- C. taking on staff
- D. working alone and earning a pittance

**35.** What are Amy's feelings about the future of second hand clothing?

- A. She is largely optimistic, but still somewhat doubtful.
- B. She is wholly optimistic.
- C. She doesn't consider it.
- D. She is skeptical.

**36.** The word "**stocking**" is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. storing
- B. supplying
- C. divesting
- D. preparing

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Scientific research indicated that experiencing bullying has short and longterm physical, psychological, emotional and academic impact on both victims and perpetrators. Victims of bullying reported poor mental and physical health, more symptoms of anxiety, depression; feeling sad, being lonely; vomiting; sleep disturbance; nightmares; body ache; a headache; abdominal pain, and frequent illnesses. More seriously, depression, violent behavior, and substance abuse are among the most mediated factors between bullying and suicide. **(37)** \_\_\_\_\_, peer victimization and low academic performance are often correlated because children who are chronically victimized experience negative emotional and psychological outcomes. **(38)** \_\_\_\_\_. A recent study among primary school

children revealed that verbal bullying among female students was (39) \_\_\_\_\_ poor academic performance on writing skills. Physical bullying is likely to degrade students' performance on numeracy, and writing for both males and females. (40) \_\_\_\_\_, temporary victimization can seriously impair students' academic performance and achievement.

A. associated with

B. Apart from this

C. It can inhibit their engagement in the classroom, thus affecting their academic achievement

D. Although small percentages of students are chronic victims of bullying

37. \_\_\_\_\_ 38. \_\_\_\_\_ 39. \_\_\_\_\_ 40. \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 19

**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. homework B. rhythm C. perhaps D. hunt

2. A. schemesu B. receivesu C. beginsu D. laughsu

**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. ecological B. opportunity C. itinerary D. anniversary

4. A. leftover B. artisan C. handicraft D. pottery

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

5. My mother told me to go shopping since we were \_\_\_\_\_ milk and Coke.

A. using out

B. running out of

C. looking for

D. taking care of

6. What \_\_\_\_\_ tourists often spend time \_\_\_\_\_ in Hanoi?

A. does - do

B. do - do

C. do - doing

D. do - does

7. This year, the city council has invested more in protecting and improving \_\_\_\_\_ public amenities such as parks and children playgrounds.

- A. the                      B. an                      C. Ø                      D. a

8. The \_\_\_\_\_ she tried to explain, the \_\_\_\_\_ they wanted to listen, as she was not an honest person.

- A. more - more                      B. less - more  
C. worse - better                      D. more - less

9. Mi is talking to John about the good news she has just received.

- Mi: "I have been awarded a full scholarship into Harvard."

- John: " \_\_\_\_\_ "

- A. Congratulations!  
B. How come?  
C. It was impossible.  
D. Thank you so much.

10. A police officer makes people \_\_\_\_\_ the law and solves crimes.

- A. obey                      B. protect                      C. keep                      D. prevent

11. Samsung called \_\_\_\_\_ the project to develop a new electronic product that can replaces smartphones and smartwatches.

- A. off                      B. on                      C. for                      D. with

12. The bus is often late, \_\_\_\_\_ it often updates the bus stops on an app, \_\_\_\_\_ I can plan my own trip in advance.

- A. so - but                      B. or - so                      C. but - so                      D. so - or

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

#### **SAFETY TIPS FOR MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS**

- Travel in Groups: Whenever possible, hike or explore (13) \_\_\_\_\_ a companion or group.
- Inform Someone: Always let someone (14) \_\_\_\_\_ your plans and expected return time.
- Be Aware of Weather Changes: Mountain weather can change rapidly. Be prepared to turn back if (15) \_\_\_\_\_ conditions worsen.
- Carry a First Aid Kit: Be equipped to handle minor injuries or emergencies.
- Know Emergency Contacts: Familiarize yourself with local emergency

13. A. in                      B. on                      C. at                      D. with
14. A. knows                      B. know                      C. to know                      D. knowing
15. A. the                      B. Ø                      C. a                      D. an
16. A. unless                      B. despite                      C. in case of                      D. if

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

“Once upon a time, a young lady named Mia decided to transform her life after feeling exhausted from carrying extra weight. She started by incorporating healthy meals into her diet, swapping sugary snacks for vibrant fruits and vegetables. \_\_\_\_\_”

- a. Gradually, friends and family began to compliment her radiant smile and energy, inspiring her even further.
- b. Each morning, she laced up her sneakers and took long walks in the nearby park, where she found peace in nature.
- c. As the weeks passed, Mia noticed not only the change in her body but also a newfound confidence blooming within her.

- A. b-a-c                      B. c-b-a                      C. a-c-b                      D. a-b-c

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. Finally, Mia decided to apply for a scholarship to study abroad for two years after she had lost enough weight.
- B. Although she was thinner than before, she loved to wear oversized clothes everywhere.
- C. In the end, Mia’s family was very proud of her journey.
- D. In the end, Mia realized that the journey was about more than just losing weight; it was about embracing a healthier, happier version of herself.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Artificial intelligence (AI) image generators are new and creative tools that use

artificial intelligence and machine learning to create or edit images in various ways. These tools empower users to manipulate images. With them, you can change an image's style, color, and content or improve the overall quality of an image. You can even create an entirely new image just by (19) \_\_\_\_\_ a prompt. (20) \_\_\_\_\_, you could give a prompt of a penguin as James Bond and (21) \_\_\_\_\_ an image showing a penguin wearing a James Bond outfit. Many generators come with prompt capabilities. Several also allow you to choose the style in (22) \_\_\_\_\_ you want your piece to copy. You could choose between anime or cartoon, realism, Sci-Fi, and more. These AI image-generation tools have opened (23) \_\_\_\_\_ to new creative endeavors for (24) \_\_\_\_\_ graphic designers and artists alike. These tools help creatives produce stunning visuals and digital assets easier than doing everything by hand.

(Adapted from <https://starryai.com/blog/benefits-of-using-ai-image-generators-for-creatives-designers>)

19. A. enter                      B. entering                      C. to enter                      D. entered
20. A. For example              B. However                      C. Although                      D. In addition
21. A. end up to              B. end with                      C. end up with                      D. end at
22. A. where                      B. who                      C. which                      D. that
23. A. windows              B. ways                      C. boxes                      D. doors
24. A. both                      B. such                      C. so                      D. all

**Mark the 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.**

25. You spend time more properly. You have more time to rest.
- A. The more properly you spend your time, the less time you have to rest.
- B. The more properly you spent your time, the more time you had to rest.
- C. The more properly you spend your time, the more time you have to rest.
- D. The properlier you spend your time, the less time you have to rest.
26. The girl next door asked: "Would you like to watch a movie tomorrow?"
- A. The girl next door asked if I liked to watch a movie tomorrow.
- B. The girl next door asked if I would like to watch a movie the following day.
- C. The girl next door told me to watch a movie the following day.
- D. The girl next door invited me to watch a movie the following day.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the**

**sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** I/ want/ spend/ that money/ educate/ my children.

- A. I want to spend that money to educate my children.
- B. I want to spend that money on educating my children.
- C. I want spending that money educating my children.
- D. I want to spend that money educate my children.

**28.** My father/ suggested/ I/ buy/ a smart watch/ if/ I/ call/ navigate/ same time.

- A. My father suggested I buy a smart watch so that I can call and navigate at the same time.
- B. My father suggested I bought a smart watch so that I call and navigate at the same time.
- C. My father suggested I buy a smart watch so that I could call and navigate at the same time.
- D. My father suggested I buy a smart watch so that I called and navigated at the same time.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?



- A. No parking
- B. Do not enter
- C. Danger ahead
- D. There's nothing ahead

**30.** What does the notice say?

**UNDER 9'S SWIMMING  
COURSE**

- A. The swimming course for children under 9 is at 10 a.m. Saturday.
- B. Children under 9 have a swimming class after 10 a.m. Saturday.
- C. A 10-year-old boy can join the swimming course at 10 a.m. Saturday
- D. Children older than 9 join the swimming course before 10 a.m.



Saturday.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

If you are planning a trip to Shangri-La, it probably means you have visited Lijiang already. You are now looking for something else to do in the area. Thanks to the recent infrastructures like a new highway and the high-speed railway, it's now quite convenient to visit this little Tibetan city. Technically, you can even do it on a day trip, but I recommend staying a few nights.

Until December 17, 2001, Shangri-La was called Zhongdian, but the name was changed to match the mystical place James Hilton talked about in his novel "Lost Horizon". It was a marketing move to get more tourists. In the novel, Shangri-La is an ancient and secret city of wise men, gathered from all over the world, of different sexes, cultures, religions, and temperaments, who live extremely long lives and are truly happy.

The city lies at an elevation of about 3100 meters, so it's pretty cold in winter. It can rain often in summer so it's better to visit in spring or autumn. Regardless of when you decide to go, try to avoid all the national holidays and the month of August when students and teachers are on holiday. August is **exceptionally** crowded because most Chinese are trying to escape from the heat of the rest of the country. Remember that Shangri-La is at an altitude of 3160 meters, so you might suffer from altitude sickness, especially if you fly from a much lower elevation.

Right next to the city is a small airport and a newly built high-speed train station. So you can either fly or get there by train. The other option is to get there by bus from Lijiang. There are buses every 20 minutes or so, and thanks to a new highway, it only takes 2.5 hours. If you **opt for** the bus, remember that foreigners cannot book the tickets in advance using an app, so you'll have to physically go to the bus station (bring your passport). I recommend doing so if you want to leave at a specific time because the tickets are quickly sold out. You cannot buy the return ticket from Shangri-La to Lijiang while you are in Lijiang. So I suggest booking the return ticket when you arrive in Shangri-La.

*(Adapted from <https://www.fabionodaripphoto.com/en/shangri-la-yunnan-travel-guide/>)*

**31.** What is the main purpose of the reading passage?

A. to promote Shangri-La as an attractive tourist destination

- B. to provide practical travel tips and advice for visiting Shangri-La
- C. to educate readers about the history and culture of Shangri-La
- D. to compare the real Shangri-La with the fictional city in the novel by James Hilton.

**32.** What was the previous name of Shangri-La?

- A. Zhongdian                      B. Lijiang                      C. Tibetan City                      D. Lost Horizon

**33.** The phrase "**exceptionally**" is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. shockingly                      B. especially                      C. completely                      D. hardly

**34.** What may be the disadvantage of visiting Shangri-La in the summer months?

- A. The city may be less crowded.
- B. Rainfall can be higher.
- C. Temperatures are more comfortable.
- D. The airport and train station may be less busy.

**35.** Which of the following statements is NOT the reason why foreign tourists book the return ticket from Shangri-La to Lijiang when arriving in Shangri-La?

- A. Tickets sell out quickly.
- B. Prices are lower when purchased locally.
- C. Foreigners cannot book tickets in advance using an app.
- D. The bus schedule is more reliable when purchased on-site.

**36.** The phrase "**opt for**" is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. pay for                      B. choose                      C. leave                      D. avoid

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Matcha, a finely ground powder made from green tea leaves, is increasingly recognized for its benefits in weight management. This vibrant green tea is packed with antioxidants, which are known to enhance metabolism and promote fat loss. **(37)** \_\_\_\_\_. Additionally, matcha contains a moderate amount of caffeine, which can provide a gentle energy boost and improve exercise performance, making workouts more effective. One of the key advantages of matcha is its ability to help people feel fuller for longer and reduce unhealthy snacking. By incorporating matcha into daily routines "**(38)** \_\_\_\_\_" people can enjoy its unique flavor while reaping its health benefits. Moreover, matcha's L-theanine content helps to reduce stress and anxiety, **(39)** \_\_\_\_\_. For those looking to lose weight, matcha can serve as a delicious and beneficial addition to

a balanced diet, supporting overall health and wellness while contributing to sustainable weight loss efforts. (40) \_\_\_\_\_ seeking to enhance their weight loss journey naturally.

A. whether in smoothies, lattes, or baked goods

B. Studies suggest that the EGCG in matcha can help increase the body's calorie-burning rate, even during rest

C. which are often linked to emotional eating

D. Ultimately, matcha is a versatile option for anyone

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_ **38.** \_\_\_\_\_ **39.** \_\_\_\_\_ **40.** \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 20

**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. complex B. theme C. amenity D. concrete

2. A. hour B. health C. habit D. ahead

**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. career B. observe C. translate D. orbit

4. A. memorable B. experience C. priority D. variety

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

5. Jodie asked me \_\_\_\_\_ I wanted to go mountain climbing with her that summer.

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

6. I felt stressed \_\_\_\_\_ as I was waiting for the bus to see my mother in hospital.

A. out B. up C. about D. of

7. I have always \_\_\_\_\_ of this job since I was a child.

A. dreamt B. dream C. dreams D. dreaming

8. Computer skills have become \_\_\_\_\_ must for many jobs.

A. the B. an C. ∅ D. a

9. He is by far \_\_\_\_\_ intelligent man I have ever met.

A. the more B. more C. the most D. most

10. June just came home when Lan was watching the news.

Lan: "The fire last night burned down all three houses in a row." - June: "\_\_\_\_\_"

A. Great news!

B. I wonder why.

C. Never mind.

D. That's horrible.

**11.** Many teenagers have the choice to take \_\_\_\_\_ courses instead of going to university.

A. educational

B. vocational

C. academic

D. practical

**12.** Advances in technology have created more jobs, \_\_\_\_\_ online teachers and KOLs.

A. example

B. such as

C. alike

D. especially

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### TRAVELING TO MOUNTAINOUS AREAS

As you prepare for your upcoming trip to mountainous regions, please keep the following guidelines (**13**) \_\_\_\_\_ mind to ensure a safe and enjoyable experience:

#### Before You Leave

- Research Your Destination: Familiarize yourself with the area, including weather conditions, surface of land, and any potential hazards.
- Check Your Gear: Ensure you have the right equipment, including strong footwear, weather-appropriate clothing, and (**14**) \_\_\_\_\_ reliable backpack.

#### During Your Trip

- Stay Hydrated: Drink plenty of water to avoid dehydration, especially at higher altitudes.
- Take time: Allow your body time (**15**) \_\_\_\_\_ to the altitude. Avoid stressful activities for the first 24 hours.

**13.** A.

**14.** A. an

B. a

C. the

D. ∅

**15.** A. adjust

B. adjusting

C. to adjust

D. adjusted

**16.** A. danger

B. reason

C. cause

D. impact

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

"As Lily went through her grandmother's attic, she found a dusty, old box filled with forgotten treasures. \_\_\_\_\_"

- a. Tears of joy filled her eyes as she recalled the stories her grandmother had shared about its significance.
- b. With trembling hands, she carefully lifted it out; the necklace caught the light and shimmered like a forgotten memory.
- c. Her heart raced when she recognized the delicate chain in a wooden box - it was her long-lost necklace, which she thought was gone forever.

A. b-c-a                      B. c-b-a                      C. a-c-b                      D. a-b-c

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. In that moment, Lily felt a deep connection to her past, knowing she had finally owned a piece of her family's history.
- B. She was looking for something to recycle in her family's basement.
- C. The necklace was a little old, which was understandable because of the dusty basement.
- D. Lily didn't find anything that belonged to her grandparents, but she recalled many of her childhood memories.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Teaching your teen time management is more about teaching your child to be responsible with the time they have and (19) \_\_\_\_\_ meaningful use of it.

The key to encouraging responsible time management in your teen (20) \_\_\_\_\_ helping them understand "why" it is important. Research has shown that teenagers who use goal-oriented time management practices tend to have better overall (21) \_\_\_\_\_ achievements. Setting goals builds intrinsic motivation and helps them take responsibility and control over their time.

To create effective goals, encourage your child to follow the SMART method specific, measurable, achievable, realistic, and time - sensitive goals. (22) \_\_\_\_\_ you teach them to create goals, guide them to break down the goals, (23) \_\_\_\_\_ helps create smaller actionable steps. Tracking progress along with your child can instil (24) \_\_\_\_\_ responsibility and time management in your teen. Encourage them to set short-term weekly goals along with long - term goals.

(Adapted from <https://rise.crimsoneducation.org/articles/time-management-for-teens-made-easy-in-5-steps-parents-guide>)

19. A. make                      B. have                      C. take                      D. get  
20. A. lies to                      B. lies on                      C. lies at                      D. lies in  
21. A. academy    B. academic                      C. academically    D. academia  
22. A. While                      B. What                      C. During                      D. Where  
23. A. whom                      B. who                      C. that                      D. which  
24. A. sense                      B. a sense of                      C. sense of a                      D. sense of

**Mark the 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.**

25. How can I go to the nearest bank?  
A. Could you please show me the way to nearest bank?  
B. Could you please showing me how to go to the nearest bank?  
C. Could you please show me the way to the nearest bank?  
D. Could you please show me way to nearest bank?
26. The new girl and I develop a friendly relationship with each other.  
A. The new girl and I get over with each other.  
B. The new girl and I get on with each other.  
C. The new girl and I get with each other.  
D. The new girl and I get up with each other.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

27. Would/ you/ mind/ show/ me/ how/ use/ this device?  
A. Would you mind to show me how to use this device?  
B. Would you mind showing me how use this device?  
C. Would you mind show me how to use this device?  
D. Would you mind showing me how to use this device?
28. I wish/ you/ can/ stay/ us/ one/ day/ more/ see/ festival.  
A. I wish you can stay with us one day more see the festival.  
B. I wish you can stay with us one day more to see the festival.  
C. I wish you could stay with us one day more to see the festival.  
D. I wish you could stay with us one day more to seeing the festival.

**Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on**

***your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.***

**29.** What does the sign say?



- A. Children crossing area
- B. Children ahead
- C. This area is for children only.
- D. Children mustn't come here.

**30.** What does the notice say?

**POLICE NOTICE**  
**ROAD CLOSED**

- A. The road is close to the police station.
- B. The police closed the road.
- C. The police find out that this road is closed
- D. The police inform that this road is closed.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

Powerhouse cities of Asia, becoming an important financial and trading centre, and offering its citizens a fantastic quality of life.

Just taking a walk around the streets of Singapore is enough to realise you are seeing a city that takes its waste disposal seriously, with not a spot of litter or discarded chewing gum in sight. It doesn't take a lot of effort to discover why this is either. Their laws for littering are probably the harshest on the planet, and the fines for doing so are notoriously high. If you are caught dropping litter, you can face a penalty of SGD \$1,000 (~£600) and possibly a community work order, which usually involves picking up rubbish.

Singapore also has rules too, with a **strictly** enforced ban on importing chewing gum into the country. Used gum is one of the most commonly littered items, and costs more to remove than general waste. In the UK alone, the estimated total bill for cleaning gum is £60 million, at a pricey average of £1.50 per removal. In Singapore, the ban has been in place since 1992, where **vandalism** to the city's



train network forced the government to act. People caught selling or importing gum were publically named and shamed, and gum has disappeared from the shelves of stores.

Although these laws may seem harsh to outsiders looking in, the citizens of Singapore might disagree. The UN-commissioned World Happiness Report 2016 found that the country was the 22<sup>nd</sup> most satisfied nation in the world, one place ahead of the United Kingdom, which was in the 23<sup>rd</sup>. The result made Singapore by far and away the "happiest" nation in the Asia-Pacific region.

*(Adapted from <https://brushteC.com/spotless-streets-the-cleanest-cities-in-the-world-and-how-they-do-it/>)*

**31.** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. The transformation of Singapore into a financial and trading center
- B. The cleanliness and sustainability of Singapore
- C. The strict laws against littering in Singapore
- D. The overall quality of life and happiness of Singaporeans

**32.** The word "**strictly**" is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. gently
- B. strongly
- C. hard
- D. difficultly

**33.** What is one of the reasons why Singapore has strict laws against littering?

- A. The high cost of cleaning up chewing gum
- B. The vandalism to the city's train network
- C. The desire to be one of the cleanest cities in the world
- D. The low level of citizen satisfaction with the city's cleanliness

**34.** How does the passage describe Singapore's ban on importing chewing gum?

- A. It has been ineffective in reducing gum litter.
- B. It has been in place since the 1980s.
- C. It has forced the government to act on vandalism.
- D. It has been strictly enforced since 1992.

**35.** According to the World Happiness Report 2016, how does Singapore's level of citizen satisfaction compare to the United Kingdom?

- A. Singapore is less satisfied than the United Kingdom.
- B. Singapore is equally satisfied as the United Kingdom.
- C. Singapore is more satisfied than the United Kingdom.
- D. The passage does not provide enough information to compare the two countries.

**36.** The word "**vandalism**" is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

A. destruction      B. loss                      C. injury                      D. misuse

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

As I finished my last year of high school there was one question I heard over and over: "Which university are you going to?" The truth is. (37) \_\_\_\_\_. I was always told that university was the best path for everyone, but I had my doubts. Don't get me wrong I'm a firm believer in education. However. I just felt that traditional university education wasn't for me.

One of the main reasons is that I've always been more practical. I've always been more interested in doing things rather than learning about them in theory. I enjoyed hands-on projects. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. The thought of spending four years in classrooms didn't appeal to me.

Instead of university, I opted for an apprenticeship in a local IT company. (39) \_\_\_\_\_. This gave me a chance to gain practical skills and experience in the real world. At the same time. I was earning a salary, which was a bonus.

Furthermore, I noticed that (40) \_\_\_\_\_. The most successful IT entrepreneurs, such as Bill Gates and Mark Zuckerberg are university dropouts. This showed me that a university degree wasn't the only pathway to success.

(Adapted from <https://www.esl-lounge.com/student/preliminary/pet-116-preliminary-reading-gapped-text.php>).

A. The work was challenging and exciting and I was learning more than I ever did in a classroom

B. whether it was fixing a bicycle or creating a website

C. I never planned on going to university

D. many successful people in my field didn't necessarily have a degree

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_      **38.** \_\_\_\_\_      **39.** \_\_\_\_\_      **40.** \_\_\_\_\_



**11.** We didn't know how \_\_\_\_\_ to Bat Trang Pottery Village.

- A. going                      B. to go                      C. went                      D. go

**12.** The doctor advised that he \_\_\_\_\_ smoking because it was bad for his health.

- A. stops                      B. stop                      C. stopping                      D. stopped

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

#### **4 METHODS TO FROST A CAKE**

##### **1. Beginning to Frost**

- Let the cake cool completely to avoid **(13)** \_\_\_\_\_ the frosting.
- Make the cake flat by cutting off any domed tops.
- Set up the cake on a cardboard base with wax paper strips for easy cleanup.

##### **2. Frosting with an Offset Spatula**

- Add frosting on top and spread it outward.
- Frost the sides and smooth everything **(14)** \_\_\_\_\_ using the spatula.

##### **3. Upside-Down Method**

- Prepare a cardboard base and wax paper.
- Spread frosting on the wax paper, flip **(15)** \_\_\_\_\_ cake onto it, and frost the sides.

##### **4. Decorative Techniques**

- Create patterns with contrasting icing or use piping bags for designs.

*Consider using fondant or fresh flowers for **(16)***

**13.** A. melt                      B. melting                      C. melted                      D. to melt

**14.** A. in                      B. at                      C. for                      D. out

**15.** A. Ø                      B. a                      C. the                      D. an

**16.** A. decorate                      B. decoration                      C. decorative                      D. decorator

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

“Once there was a boy named Jake who felt lost after his beloved dog, Max, passed away. \_\_\_\_\_”

- a. One sunny afternoon, while wandering in the local park, he noticed a playful puppy tumbling around with a group of children.
- b. The puppy, with its soft golden fur and bright blue collar, seemed to sense Jake's sadness and ran over, wagging its tail excitedly.
- c. With a smile breaking through his tears, Jake knelt down and the puppy licked his face, bringing warmth to his heart.

A. b - c - a              B. b - a - c              C. a - c - b              D. a - b - c

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. The dog happily jumped up and down around Jake's leg, asking him to feed it.
- B. That's why Jake loves dogs; they are human's best friends.
- C. That day, Jake found not just a new pet, but a loyal friend who would help heal his broken spirit.
- D. Max ran up to Jake and sniffed the new dog, wondering what this little guy was doing with his owner.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

*Banh Com* (green sticky rice cake) is one of Hanoi's specialties, which is a kind of sweet cake in northern Vietnam (**19**) \_\_\_\_\_ is made of *Com* (young green sticky rice flakes) and mung bean filling. People often have fond memories when they see *Com* cake, as this is a must have in happy occasions, (**20**) \_\_\_\_\_ weddings or Lunar New Year.

Fresh *Com* is only available in autumn, (**21**) \_\_\_\_\_, now people can enjoy the dried version in *Banh Com* (*Com* cake) (**22**) \_\_\_\_\_. Hanoians know where they can find the best *Com* cake that (**23**) \_\_\_\_\_ its traditional taste, which is Ngoc Ninh store, located (**24**) \_\_\_\_\_ 53 Hang Than street, Nguyen Trung Truc ward, Ba Dinh district. To this day, Ngoc Ninh *Com* cake are sold at 250 super markets nationwide and abroad.

(Adapted from <https://hanoitimes.vn/a-look-at-banh-com-hanois-favorite-treat-315414.html>)

- 19.** A. that              B. who              C. where              D. Ø
- 20.** A. like              B. fond              C. as              D. for example
- 21.** A. although      B. therefore              C. however              D. but
- 22.** A. all year              B. all year round      C. round year              D. year all round
- 23.** A. protect              B. contains              C. displays              D. preserves

24. A. with                      B. at                      C. in                      D. on

**Mark the 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.**

**25.** The burglar broke into the house at two o'clock. That was the time everyone was having a sleepover party.

A. The burglar broke into the house at two a.m. when everyone was having a sleepover party.

B. The burglar broke into the house at two a.m. while everyone was having a sleepover party.

C. The burglar broke up the house at two a.m. while everyone was having a sleepover party.

D. The burglar broke into the house at two a.m. while everyone were having a sleepover party.

**26.** The singer danced and sang well. The audience screamed very loud.

A. The more good the singer danced and sang, the louder the audience screamed.

B. The better the singer danced and sang, the louder the audience screamed.

C. The better the singer dance and sing, the louder the audience screamed.

D. The better the singer danced and sang, the louder the audience scream.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** The dentist / ask/ him/ cut down / sweet food/ protect/ teeth.

A. The dentist asked him to cut down on sweet food to protect his teeth.

B. The dentist asked him cut down on sweet food to protect his teeth.

C. The dentist asked him cutting down on sweet food to protect his teeth.

D. The dentist asked him to cut down on sweet food to protecting his teeth.

**28.** Study/ animal/ in/ area/ provide/ us/ information/ ecosystem.

A. Studying animals in an area provides us with information about the ecosystem.

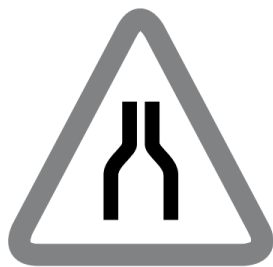
B. Studying animals in an area provide us with information about the ecosystem.

C. Studying animals in area provides us with information about ecosystem.

D. Studying animals in an area provides us to information about the ecosystem.

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

29. What does the sign say?



- A. Narrow road ahead
- B. Wider road ahead
- C. Pedestrians only
- D. No vehicles allowed

30. What does the notice say?



- A. No bicycles allowed
- B. You can only use bicycles here.
- C. People should travel by bicycle.
- D. All vehicles are allowed

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

Da Lat is a town located high in the mountains of Vietnam. Thanks to the temperate climate, this area is largely known for its plant cultivation and has been called the city of flowers. While it used to be a retreat for **the wealthy** who wish to escape the summer heat, nowadays it's popular with honeymooners and nature lovers.

Being nature enthusiasts ourselves, we decided this sounded like a perfect place to celebrate our Christmas holiday. I'm happy to say the reports are not wrong! The town was exploding with color from all the flowers. Considering we were visiting in the winter, I can only imagine what this place is like in warmer months. During our visit, temperatures were mildly normal, interrupted by infrequent bursts of rain. This seemed perfect for a nature hike, and so after searching on the internet, we decided to head to Lang Biang mountain. According to Tripadvisor, there was a well-worn footpath up the mountain, great views of the surrounding valley, and no cover charge to hike. The only thing we had to do was getting ourselves there and back.

As we expected, the radio tower is very **touristy**, with many paid photographers and some vendors selling refreshment. If you can get past that though, the views are amazing. We witnessed the sun breaking through the afternoon clouds, illuminating the rolling hills and river below us. Standing at the edge of a cliff, I couldn't help but be in awe at the beauty. If the town of Da Lat wasn't enough,

this alone made it obvious why more people are visiting the region each year.

(Adapted from <https://www.outquesting.com/a-diy-misadventure-to-lang-biang-mountain/>)

**31.** What is the main point of this passage?

- A. Da Lat is not worth visiting because it is too crowded with tourists
- B. The nice weather and nature in Da Lat make it a great place to visit
- C. The writer was disappointed by the commercial aspects of Da Lat
- D. More and more people are going to Da Lat because of its beauty

**32.** What is Da Lat primarily known for?

- A. Being a retreat for the wealthy
- B. Its temperate climate
- C. Plant cultivation and flowers
- D. Its popularity with honeymooners

**33.** The word “**the wealthy**” is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. well-off people
- B. rich people
- C. the privileged
- D. poor people

**34.** What was the weather like during the author's visit to Da Lat?

- A. Hot and sunny
- B. Cold and rainy
- C. Mild temperatures with occasional rain
- D. Consistently warm and dry

**35.** Why does the author visit Lang Biang mountain?

- A. To see the radio tower and paid photo opportunities
- B. To go on a nature hike and enjoy the views
- C. To purchase refreshment from street vendors
- D. To escape the crowds in the town of Da Lat

**36.** The word “**touristy**” is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. expensive
- B. popular
- C. remote
- D. beautiful

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Family harmony and unity are highly valued in Vietnamese culture. It emphasizes (37) \_\_\_\_\_ maintaining peace, understanding, and cooperation within the family. People avoid conflict and make efforts to resolve disagreements amicably to maintain familial harmony.

(38) \_\_\_\_\_. These gatherings provide an opportunity for relatives to come together, share a meal, and strengthen their bonds (39) \_\_\_\_\_. Family members often work together to prepare and enjoy traditional Vietnamese dishes, strengthening the sense of togetherness and mutual support.



As the heads of the household, parents are in charge of providing guidance, support, and protection to their children. Children, in turn, are expected to show obedience, hard work and gratitude towards their parents. (40) \_\_\_\_\_, fostering a sense interdependence within the Vietnamese family.

(Adapted from <https://vinpearl.com/en/vietnamese-family-life>)

- A. through laughter, storytelling, and shared experiences
- B. Vietnamese family dinners play a significant role in fostering unity and solidarity among family members.
- C. the importance of
- D. Siblings need to support and care for one another

37. \_\_\_\_\_ 38. \_\_\_\_\_ 39. \_\_\_\_\_ 40. \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 22

**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. folkl B. knowledge C. overlookl D. housekeeper  
2. A. preservese B. accomplishese C. minimizese D. memorisese

**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. promise B. replace C. copy D. standard  
4. A. mechanic B. demanding C. inquiring D. monument

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

5. Typical Vietnamese cuisine has \_\_\_\_\_ its unique features for so many year.  
A. served B. minimized C. maintained D. developed  
6. The game show has become \_\_\_\_\_ popular than people expected, as online discussion about the show has been increasing fast.  
A. much B. more and more C. far D. less and less  
7. When my brother was 30, he met his new manager, \_\_\_\_\_ became his wife two years later.

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

**8.** My best friend told me that he didn't mind \_\_\_\_\_ for me until I finished my class.

A. wait                      B. waited                      C. waiting                      D. to wait

**9.** John and Lily are in a café.

- John: "I am sorry I spilled your coffee. Let me buy you another one."

- Lily: "\_\_\_\_\_"

A. You are very careless                      B. You should go now.

C. Never mind. I need to go now.                      D. The coffee here is very expensive.

**10.** This forest is very rich \_\_\_\_\_ flora and fauna with thousands of different species.

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

**11.** Unless you don't care about your future, you \_\_\_\_\_ study harder.

A. may                      B. can't                      C. shouldn't                      D. should

**12.** At 8 p.m. last night, our team \_\_\_\_\_ the opening ceremony of an exhibition.

A. hosted                      B. are hosting                      C. have hosted                      D. was hosting

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

**The plot of a story has five components, including:**

\* Exposition: At the beginning of the story, the writer introduces the main characters and describes the setting. The conflict (**13**) \_\_\_\_\_ also appear.

\* Rising action: The conflict (**14**) \_\_\_\_\_, continuing to cause tension for the characters.

\* Climax: The climax is (**15**) \_\_\_\_\_ highest point of suspense for the story. The conflict reaches a critical level, where the good and the bad battle or the characters make a major decision.

\* Falling action: The characters resolve the conflict, and the writer provides answers to questions. This stage is the beginning of the end of the story.

\* Resolution: The story (**16**) \_\_\_\_\_ ends. The author writes a happy ending or builds momentum for a sequel to the story.

*write-storyline)*

13. A. may            B. must            C. has to            D. can  
14. A. escalate    B. escalating            C. has escalated    D. escalates  
15. A. a            B. the            C. an            D. ø  
16. A. surely            B. badly            C. officially            D. happily

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

17. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

“Once upon a time, a boy named Sam loved to play video games more than anything else. He kept telling himself he would start his homework “just after one more level.” \_\_\_\_\_”

- a. When his teacher asked why he was late, Sam learned that procrastination always comes with a price.  
b. As the sun set, he finally opened his books, but it was too late; the deadline was fast approaching.  
c. Racing against the clock, he scrambled to finish, only to realize he had missed the submission time.

- A. a - b - c            B. b - c - a            C. a - c - b            D. c - a - b

18. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. Sam finally realized that in order to succeed, he needed to have self-discipline.  
B. Sam talked to his teacher about his study plant to find a solution.  
C. The teacher gave Sam some suggestions for his homework and how to improve it  
D. Sam wished that he had focused more on his assignment in the first place.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Céline Dion performed for the first time at the Paris Olympics 2024 opening ceremony since revealing her (19) \_\_\_\_\_ in late 2022. The singer has been diagnosed with stiff person syndrome, a rare neurological disorder (20) \_\_\_\_\_ causes stiffness and muscle spasms and can make it difficult for her to sing. She took the stage and sang “L'Hymne à L'Amour” (21) \_\_\_\_\_ Edith Piaf. Dion

performed at the very end of the Olympics opening ceremony, perched on the Eiffel Tower in a silver gown, stunning fans with her strength despite her health battle.

She later released a statement on Instagram, sharing how much **(22)** \_\_\_\_\_ to her. "I'm honored to have performed tonight, for the Paris 2024 Opening Ceremony, and so full of joy to be back in one of my very favorite cities!" she wrote. "**(23)** \_\_\_\_\_, I'm so happy to be celebrating these amazing athletes, with all their stories of sacrifice and determination, pain and perseverance. All of you have been so focused on your dream, and whether or not you take home a medal, I hope that being here means that it has come true for you! You should all be so proud, we know how hard you **(24)** \_\_\_\_\_ to be the best of the best. Stay focused, keep going, my heart is with you!"

(Adapted from <https://www.today.com/health/celine-dion-health-rcna98154>)

- 19.** A. health diseases                      B. health issues  
         C. health things                      D. health effects
- 20.** A. who                      B. whose                      C. which                      D. where
- 21.** A. in                      B. at                      C. by                      D. on
- 22.** A. the night meant                      B. the night mean  
         C. was the night                      D. did the night mean
- 23.** A. Most of all                      B. In general                      C. Although                      D. However
- 24.** A. worked                      B. works                      C. working                      D. have worked

**Mark the 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.**

- 25.** My mom may be busy this evening. I tend to cook some noodles for dinner.  
A. If my mom is busy this evening, I will cook some noodles for dinner.  
B. If my mom maybe busy this evening, I will cook some noodles for dinner.  
C. If my mom is busy this evening, I would cook some noodles for dinner.  
D. If my mom is busy this evening, I will cook some noodles at dinner.
- 26.** My friends left the house for a long time. I was tired of waiting.  
A. The longer my friends leave the house, the more tired of waiting I was.  
B. The longer my friends left the house, the tireder of waiting I was.  
C. The longer my friends left the house, the more tired of waiting I was.  
D. The more long my friends left the house, the more tired of waiting I was.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the**

**sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** The teacher/ ask/ me/ if/ I/ could/ submit/ my paper before the deadlines.

- A. The teacher asked me I could submit my paper before the deadlines.
- B. The teacher asked me where I could submit my paper before the deadlines.
- C. The teacher told me if I could submit my paper before the deadlines.
- D. The teacher asked me if I could submit my paper before the deadlines.

**28.** My aunt/ wish/ she/ have/ more/ time/ see/ son/ get marry.

- A. My aunt wishes that she has more time to see her son get marry.
- B. My aunt wishes that she had more time seeing her son get marry.
- C. My aunt wishes that she had more time to seeing her son get marry.
- D. My aunt wishes that she had more time to see her son get marry.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?



- A. Don't turn around.
- B. Go in a circle.
- C. Roundabout ahead.
- D. Recycle your trash.

**30.** What does the notice say?



- A. This store sells wet paint.
- B. Someone has just painted this recently.
- C. The paint here is not for use.
- D. You have to put water in the paint to use it.

**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 following**

**questions from 31 to 36.**

The traditional Vietnamese diet is healthy. Meals emphasize rice, vegetables and fish, and cooking methods often involve steaming or stir-frying. Rice is the staple of the diet and **consumed** in some form in almost every meal. For Vietnamese adults, all three meals of the day may consist of steamed rice with side dishes of vegetables or fish or meat. Variations on steamed rice include congee and *pho* - rice noodle soup made with beef or chicken broth and slices of meat, garnished with bean sprouts and basil.

*Pho* is sometimes eaten for breakfast. Also **popular** are salty cakes made of rice flour with minced pork and dried shrimp. Lunch might consist of *banh mi*, a sandwich of carrots, onions with pork or chicken on a French roll. Dinner is almost always rice, plus a few steamed or stir-fried dishes, typically including vegetables and either fish or pork.

Fish is the most common protein in the Vietnamese diet. They prepare fish in a variety of ways: steamed or fried. In the U.S., where meat is cheaper than in Vietnam, pork and chicken are also popular. Common vegetables include cabbage, greens and cucumbers.

The most common condiment is *nuoc mam* - fish sauce (made from salted and fermented anchovies), used in Vietnamese cooking much as Americans would use salt or Chinese would use soy sauce. Most also use MSG in their cooking.

(Adapted from <https://ethnomed.org/resource/nutrition-and-fasting-in-vietnamese-culture/>)

**31.** What is the main point of this passage?

- A. The traditional Vietnamese diet is rich in carbohydrates and low in protein.
- B. Vietnamese cuisine originates from French cooking techniques.
- C. The traditional Vietnamese diet emphasizes fresh ingredients and healthy cooking methods.
- D. Vietnamese food is becoming increasingly popular in the United States.

**32.** What is the primary staple food in the traditional Vietnamese diet?

- A. Fish
- B. Noodles
- C. Rice
- D. Vegetables

**33.** The word "**consumed**" is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. used
- B. eaten
- C. brought
- D. applied

**34.** Which of the following is the most common protein source in Vietnamese cuisine?

- A. Pork
- B. Chicken
- C. Fish
- D. Beef

**35.** Which of the following sentences is TRUE about traditional Vietnamese diet

and American diet?

- A. The Vietnamese diet relies more heavily on fish, while the American diet favors meat.
- B. The Vietnamese diet emphasizes meat, while the American diet focuses on fish.
- C. Both diets prioritize fish as the main protein source.
- D. Both diets prioritize meat as the main protein source.

**36.** The word “**popular**” is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

- A. infamous
- B. famous
- C. unknown
- D. common

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

With the festival peaking on the full-moon day of the eighth lunar month, thousands of people flocked to traditional markets in Hang Luoc and Hang Ma streets in Hoan Kiem District **(37)** \_\_\_\_\_, creating a bustling scene. As in previous years, this area remains the most popular gathering spot in Hanoi during the festival, **(38)** \_\_\_\_\_. Streets surrounding the Old Quarter, including Luong Van Can, Hang Can, Hang Ma, Hang Luoc, Hang Dao, and Hang Chieu, were packed with visitors. Many parents had to carry their children on their shoulders to prevent them from getting lost or overwhelmed in the crush of people.

Shop staff selling toys and decorations for Mid-Autumn added to the festive atmosphere by shooting bubbles into the street, much to the delight of children who eagerly reached out to pop them. **(39)** \_\_\_\_\_ “This is the first year my whole family celebrates the Mid-Autumn Festival in the Old Quarter. Taking the kids out is fun, but also quite tiring because of the heat and overcrowding. **(40)** \_\_\_\_\_” he said.

*(Adapted from <https://e.vnexpress.net/photo/places/hanois-old-quarter-packed-with-revelers-celebrating-mid-autumn-festival-4794132.html>)*

- A. to stroll and shop for lanterns and toys
- B. I bought a butterfly costume for my daughter, which cost VND 170,000 (US\$7).
- C. Nguyen Anh Tu in Gia Lam District spent nearly an hour strolling around Hang Ma Street.
- D. which is celebrated in many Asian countries

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_ **38.** \_\_\_\_\_ **39.** \_\_\_\_\_ **40.** \_\_\_\_\_





## MOCK TEST 23

**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. locateded                      B. possesseded                      C. fixeded                      D. establisheded  
2. A. carry                      B. anxiety                      C. paradise                      D. wander

**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. garbage                      B. delay                      C. barefoot                      D. fragrance  
4. A. accomplish                      B. distraction                      C. snorkeling                      D. domestic

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

5. Jenny asked me \_\_\_\_\_ I would have time for a short team meeting.  
A. when                      B. who                      C. how                      D. what  
6. There will be a lot of schoolwork when the school year starts, so students need to learn to take breaks \_\_\_\_\_ to make sure they are not overloaded.  
A. definitely                      B. appropriately                      C. additionally                      D. anxiously  
7. My sister told me that she had always \_\_\_\_\_ Todoist to plan her work.  
A. used                      B. use                      C. uses                      D. using  
8. Mike and James are talking after dinner.  
- Mike: "James, come quickly. The film starts in 2 minutes."  
- James: "I am almost done with the dishes."  
A. I can't come.                      B. Of course.  
C. Hold on.                      D. The film can wait.  
9. My older cousin wants to go for \_\_\_\_\_ swim every time he visits our village.  
A. the                      B. an                      C.  $\emptyset$                       D. a  
10. The \_\_\_\_\_ people travel to the city, the more congested the streets become.  
A. more crowded                      B. most crowded                      C. crowded                      D. less crowded  
11. The most attractive thing about Hanoi to foreign tourists are the delicious

Vietnamese \_\_\_\_.

A. scenery                      B. speciality                      C. artisans                      D. handicrafts

**12.** In case you want to find out more about the history of the Imperial Citadel of Thang Long, I can take you there for a visit. I'll \_\_\_\_\_ tomorrow.

A. call you up                      B. take you up                      C. put you up                      D. pick you up

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

**SUMMER CLUBS REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!**

We're excited to announce that registration for Summer Clubs is now open! This is a great chance for students to explore interests, make friends, and participate **(13)** \_\_\_\_\_ fun activities.

From sports and arts to science and technology, there's something for everyone. Join our soccer club, unleash your **(14)** \_\_\_\_\_ in art workshops, or dive into coding challenges with our tech club.

Clubs will **(15)** \_\_\_\_\_ from June 15 to August 15, meeting twice a week. Don't miss out on a summer of fun and learning!

Visit our website or contact the club admins for more information. We can't wait **(16)** \_\_\_\_\_ you!

**13.** A. on                      B. in                      C. into                      D. out

**14.** A. creativity                      B. creation                      C. creative                      D. creator

**15.** A. meet                      B. start                      C. run                      D. organize

**16.** A. to have seen                      B. see                      C. seeing                      D. to see

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

Lila was excited as she arrived at the concert, her heart racing with excitement. She had dreamed of seeing her favorite singer, Bruno Mars, perform live for years. \_\_\_\_\_

a. Gathering her courage, Lila approached him, and to her surprise, Bruno Mars smiled and gave her a warm hug, making Lila's dream come true.

- b. After the show, she spotted Bruno Mars by the stage, surrounded by fans.  
c. As the music began, Lila sang along, feeling the energy of the crowd.

A. a - b - c                      B. b - a - c                      C. c - b - a                      D. c - a - b

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. After that, Lila returned home safely and felt energized because she could finally meet Bruno.  
B. In close contact, Bruno Mars was more good-looking and much more polite than she thought.  
C. Before she left for the bus, they talked for hours.  
D. At first, she didn't think she could be that close to Bruno.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

When families break up, it can be really hard on children. They might find it difficult to make friends and (19) \_\_\_\_\_ other kids and adults. They might not trust people easily and have trouble talking to others, understanding how others feel, or solving disagreements. They might feel alone and like they don't belong, (20) \_\_\_\_\_ can make it even harder to cope with their feelings.

It can also be confusing for kids from broken families to understand (21) \_\_\_\_\_ and where they fit in. They might feel lost and unsure about their future. These difficulties can continue into adulthood. Adults who grew up in broken families might have (22) \_\_\_\_\_ trouble with their own relationships, (23) it hard to trust or commit to someone. They might also have (24) \_\_\_\_\_ health issues and feel less happy and satisfied with their lives than people who grew up in families that stayed together.

(Adapted from <https://www.miindmymiind.com/effects-of-broken-families-on-children/>)

**19.** A. get up to    B. get of with                      C. get out of                      D. get along with

**20.** A. why                      B. which                      C. that                      D. who

**21.** A. who are they    B. who they be    C. they are                      D. who they are

**22.** A. Ø                      B. a                      C. the                      D. an

**23.** A. found                      B. finding                      C. find                      D. finds

**24.** A. dangerous                      B. financial                      C. mental                      D. physical

**Mark the 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.**

**25.** I didn't like living in a big city anymore. I moved to a small village in Hoa Binh.

A. I didn't like living in a big city anymore, so I moved to a small village in Hoa Binh.

B. Though I did like living in a big city, I moved to a small village in Hoa Binh.

C. As I didn't like living in a big city anymore, I came back to my home village in Hoa Binh.

D. In order not to like a big city, I moved to a small village in Hoa Binh.

**26.** My neighbor works as a fireman. His father was also a fireman.

A. My neighbor, who father was a fireman, also works as a fireman.

B. My neighbor, whom father was a fireman, also work a fireman.

C. My neighbor, whose father was a fireman, also work as a fireman.

D. My neighbor, whose father was a fireman, also works as a fireman.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

**27.** I /told/ my father/ I/ going/ spend/ night/ my friend/ following day.

A. I told my father that I am going to spend the night with my friend the following day.

B. I told my father that I was going to spend the night with my friend the following day.

C. I told my father that I was going spending the night with my friend the following day.

D. I told my father that I was going to spend the night at my friend the following day.

**28.** The/ place/ people/ like/ our house/ our private library.

A. The place which people like in our house is our private library.

B. The place that people likes in our house is our private library.

C. The place where people like in our house is our private library.

D. The place which people like our house is our private library.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?

**School Trip**

**Just a few tickets  
left**

A. The trip has run out of tickets.

B. The secretary can book tickets after

Friday.

C. This school trip starts on Friday.

D. The school trip has sold most of the tickets.

**30.** What does the notice say?



A. People should not bring their dogs waste here.

B. You don't need to clean up after your dog.

C. This area is where you put dog waste.

D. There is a dangerous dog in this area.

***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 following questions from 31 to 36.***

Teenagers today use language on social media in active and special ways, reflecting their unique cultural identities and social environments. They often blend formal and informal language, creating a style that their peers find interesting. Abbreviations and acronyms, such as “LOL” or “BRB,” are commonly used to convey messages quickly and efficiently, while emojis and GIFs add emotions to their communications.

Moreover, many teenagers combine slang and colloquialisms that develop

rapidly, which comes from popular culture, music, and internet trends. This openness in language allows them to express themselves creatively and connect with others who share similar interests.

Social media platforms also encourage the use of visual language, where images and videos often communicate messages more powerfully than words alone. Hashtags serve as a linguistic tool for categorizing content and joining broader conversations, while memes can show complex ideas in a humorous or relatable way.

Overall, the language teenagers use on social media is a blend of innovation, playfulness, and adaptability, reflecting their desire for authenticity and connection

*(Adapted from <https://poe.com/chat/3oa4kifszine3y525mo>) in a digital world.*

**31.** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. Teenagers prefer formal language over informal language on social media.
- B. Teenagers only use text to communicate on social media.
- C. Social media has no impact on how teenagers communicate.
- D. The language teenagers use on social media shows who they are and enhances their communication.

**32.** What is one way teenagers express their cultural identities on social media?

- A. By using only formal language
- B. By blending formal and informal language
- C. By avoiding slang
- D. By using only emojis

**33.** The word “**rapidly**” is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

- A. quickly                      B. slowly                      C. shortly                      D. highly

**34.** How do hashtags function in the context of social media language?

- A. They replace the need for words.
- B. They are used to confuse readers.
- C. They categorize content and join broader conversations.
- D. They are solely for entertainment purposes.

**35.** What is one effect of combining slang and colloquialisms among teenagers?

- A. It limits their ability to communicate.
- B. It helps them express themselves creatively.
- C. It makes their language less interesting.
- D. It discourages interaction with others.

**Question 36.** The word “blend” is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. combination    B. inclusion    C. group    D. division

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Expressing her interest in language and culture, Nguyen Khue An, 16, from the UK said she used to participate in a number of cultural exchanges in many countries and learn new languages. However, nothing is better than connecting with peers from around the world (37) \_\_\_\_\_ that her parents and grandparents often talk about, and exploring the homeland’s unique and diverse culture.

An added that (38) \_\_\_\_\_, practice the Vietnamese language, and improve her knowledge about the country's history and culture.

She is also able to make new friends and learn more about the diverse landscapes and cuisine of each destination they will (39) \_\_\_\_\_, An went on, noting that she will introduce the Vietnamese culture to the community where she lives in after the camp.

The expatriate expressed her hope that after the programme, young overseas Vietnamese (OV) will form a global Vietnam Summer Camp network, (40) \_\_\_\_\_, assist OV communities, especially young people, around the world, hold cultural exchanges, and help organize future summer camps. (Adapted from <https://en.vietnamplus.vn/young-ovs-eager-to-explore-homelands-history-culture-post290304.vnp>)

- A. who share the same Vietnamese origin  
B. to carry out community activities benefiting the homeland  
C. this is a chance for her to visit her ancestors’ hometown  
D. set foot in

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_    **38.** \_\_\_\_\_    **39.** \_\_\_\_\_    **40.** \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 24

**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. common      B. column      C. collect      D. comment  
2. A. loved      B. limited      C. lied      D. closed

**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. product      B. center      C. parade      D. flower  
4. A. dedicate      B. origin      C. pottery      D. assignment

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

5. My mom said that she started \_\_\_\_\_ new music club in her high school when she was my age.

- A. a      B. an      C. the      D. ∅

6. He was \_\_\_\_\_ a lovely child \_\_\_\_\_ everyone loves him.

- A. so - that      B. such - that      C. much - so      D. too - so

7. The teacher asked us \_\_\_\_\_ we bought her a cup of coffee that morning.

- A. unless      B. never      C. whether      D. when

8. The \_\_\_\_\_ you practice, the \_\_\_\_\_ you will become at playing the piano.

- A. more - better      B. most - best      C. more - best      D. most - better

9. Sam and Jason are shopping for books together.

- Sam: "I can lend you "The hunger games 1" if you want to try before buying the books."

- Jason: "\_\_\_\_\_"

- A. Well done.      B. I didn't know you like fantasy.  
C. I love buying books.      D. Thank you. You are the best.

10. Would you mind \_\_\_\_\_ your phone off during the ceremony?

- A. turn      B. turning      C. turned      D. to turn

11. My sister is an actress. \_\_\_\_\_; she doesn't look specially beautiful.



A. Because                      B. Although                      C. However                      D. So

**12.** The new boy in the school band was looking \_\_\_\_\_ to find the band practice room.

A. after                      B. down                      C. up                      D. around

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

### **WHAT TO DO AT HOME DURING A THUNDERSTORM WARNING**

- Close all blinds and shades of the windows. If windows break due to objects blown by the wind, shades will **(13)** \_\_\_\_\_ prevent glass from shattering into your home.
- Unplug appliances. Avoid using the telephone or any electrical appliances. **(14)** \_\_\_\_\_ lightning strikes, telephone lines and metal pipes can conduct electricity. Leaving electric lights **(15)** \_\_\_\_\_, however, does not increase the chances of your home being struck by lightning.
- Avoid taking a bath or shower, or running water for any other purpose.
- Turn off **(16)** \_\_\_\_\_ air conditioner. Power from lightning can overload the electricity system, resulting in a costly repair job.

*Thunderstorm*

- 13.** A. helps                      B. to help                      C. helping                      D. help  
**14.** A. What                      B. If                      C. Because                      D. Although  
**15.** A. on                      B. in                      C. about                      D. at  
**16.** A. a                      B. an                      C. the                      D. ∅

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

“As dark clouds rolled in, the Johnson family hurried to pack their picnic and head back to the car. Suddenly, the sky erupted with thunder, and heavy rain began to pour down. \_\_\_\_\_”

a. Their laughter quickly turned to shouts as they looked for cover under a nearby tree.

b. Just as the storm began to ease, a brilliant rainbow appeared in the sky, and they all cheered.

c. The wind was so strong that the tree shook violently; the kids held their parents in fear.

A. b - c - a              B. b - a - c              C. a - c - b              D. c - b - a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

A. The parents said that the children was very brave when the storm happened

B. At last, they safely returned to the car feeling grateful for the warmth of family.

C. After the trip, the family sometimes talked about the storm as a happy memory.

D. Finally, the kids said they wanted to be in a storm again if they could.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Tet festivities extend for three days and can span up to an entire week, with the festival subdivided into the days leading **(19)** \_\_\_\_\_ to New Year's Eve. The ritual of honoring Ong Tao, the guardian of the family kitchen fire, on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of the twelfth lunar month marks **(20)** \_\_\_\_\_ approach of Tet. It serves as a spiritual practice, **(21)** \_\_\_\_\_ hope for a year of abundance and good fortune. The most crucial moment of Tet unfolds at midnight on the eve of the first day of the lunar New Year. At this precise instant, families set up two ancestral altars, zone for the spirits of their ancestors and another for the heavens and the earth. This ceremonial tradition carries the significance of leaving behind the misfortunes of the past year to welcome the forthcoming year's blessings and goodness.

Following Vietnamese New Year's Eve is the official Tet period, **(22)** \_\_\_\_\_ spans three days, from the first to the third day of the first lunar month, symbolizing a fresh start for a prosperous new year. **(23)** \_\_\_\_\_ customs, this is the time for families to come together, visit relatives, celebrate the longevity of the elderly, offer lucky money to children, and exchange well wishes for a safe and **(24)** \_\_\_\_\_ year. In Vietnam, there's a saying: "Mong 1 tet cha" - the first day is reserved for visiting paternal relatives; "Mong 2 tet me" - the second day is dedicated to maternal relatives; and "Mong 3 tet thay" - the third day is for paying respects to teachers, showcasing the deep-rooted tradition of respecting educators in Vietnamese culture.

(Adapt from <https://vinpearl.com/en/tet-holiday-a-complete-guide-to-the-most-important->

19. A. up                      B. on                      C. out                      D. in
20. A. the                      B. a                      C. an                      D. Ø
21. A. foster                      B. fostering                      C. fosters                      D. to foster
22. A. what                      B. who                      C. when                      D. which
23. A. Because of                      B. According                      C. According to                      D. Because
24. A. prosper                      B. prosperous                      C. prosperity                      D. prospering

**Mark the 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.**

25. Sam had a lot of time before class. He was late yesterday.  
 A. Because Sam had a lot of time before class, he was late yesterday.  
 B. Though Sam had a lot of time before class, he was late yesterday.  
 C. However Sam had a lot of time before class, he was late yesterday.  
 D. Though Sam had a lot of time before class, he was late today.
26. It is essential for plants and animals to have their natural habitats.  
 A. Natural habitats of animals and plants are very essential for human.  
 B. Plants and animals must essentially survive in their natural habitats.  
 C. Plants and animal are essential for their natural habitats.  
 D. Natural habitats are essential for the survival of plants and animals.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

27. It/ wonderful/ travel/ Tam Dao/ and/ enjoy/ scenery.  
 A. It is wonderful to travel to Tam Dao and enjoying the scenery.  
 B. It is wonderful to travel to Tam Dao and enjoy the scenery.  
 C. It is wonderful travel to Tam Dao and enjoy the scenery.  
 D. It is wonderful traveling to Tam Dao and enjoy the scenery.
28. It/ take/ us/ 4 day/ deal/ all/ misunderstanding/ community.  
 A. It takes us 4 days to deal with all the misunderstanding in our community.  
 B. It take us 4 days to deal with all the misunderstanding in the community.  
 C. It takes us 4 day to deal all the misunderstanding in the community.  
 D. It takes us 4 days to deal to all the misunderstanding in our community.

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

29. What does the sign say?



- A. Don't smoke here.
- B. Don't light the cigarette.
- C. Don't use fire.
- D. Don't leave a burning cigarette here.

30. What does the notice say?



- A. Be careful when traveling on the icy road.
- B. The road is safe because of the ice.
- C. The ice on the road is dangerous.
- D. The road is frozen and full of danger.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

In Finland we do give homework, but it is only given when the teacher feels that it is necessary for the students. There is no policy that homework has to be given after every lesson, or even every week.

The aim of homework is to give the student a possibility to do revision on a new topic or the most important topics covered in class. Homework should not be about learning anything new at home, but more about challenging the student's memory on what concept was covered in class. In this task the student would have to think about what they learned in school and how to adapt that information into their homework. The teacher should not give the student tasks where they need to learn anything new.

Because the aim of homework is only to do revision on the most important concepts covered in class, homework shouldn't take over 15 minutes per subject. Teachers need to **keep in mind** that students have on average 4-5 different subjects per day. If every teacher gives **them** 30 minutes of homework, that would be over 2 hours of extra studying each night.

The Finnish education system wants to make sure that students have the ability to recharge from their school day by doing non-school related things that make them happy. For example, participating in football training, playing the piano, and enjoying time with their friends. This is why we limit the amount of homework. Students have time to relax after school, they feel **rested** and have full focus and motivation for their next work day at school.

(Adapted from <https://vfis.tdtu.edu.vn/news/2023-03/homework-should-or-should-not>)

**31.** What is the best title for the passage?

- A. The Importance of Homework in Education
- B. Homework in Finland Education System
- C. How to Manage Student Stress
- D. The Role of Teachers in Student Learning

**32.** What is the primary aim of homework in Finland?

- A. To introduce new topics      B. To encourage group work
- C. To revise main concepts      D. To keep students busy after school

**33.** The word “**keep in mind**” is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. remember                      B. forget                      C. think of an idea                      D. relax

**34.** The word “**them**” in paragraph 3 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. subjects                      B. homework                      C. students                      D. teachers

**35.** Why does the Finnish education system limit homework?

- A. to reduce stress and allow relaxation
- B. to ensure students have extra study time
- C. to increase competition among students
- D. to improve grades

**36.** The word “**rested**” is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. sleepy                      B. happy                      C. relaxed                      D. tired

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Trying new things can be undoubtedly daunting. The unfamiliar makes us nervous in a way that's hard to describe. **(37)** \_\_\_\_\_. We ask ourselves: “Should I be doing this? Can I do this? Do I look stupid? What am I doing!?” While it may not feel like it, this is normal-and it's good.

All too often we let the fear of the unknown stop us, but pushing ourselves out of our comfort zones is actually good for us. Trying new things not only helps us to

get rid of those fears, (38) \_\_\_\_\_ -both about said new thing, and about ourselves.

(39) \_\_\_\_\_. There's nothing quite like-or as memorable as-the thrill of a new experience. In fact, as reported by TIME in speaking with psychologist Rich Walker, who looked at countless event memories: "People who engage in a variety of experiences are more likely to retain positive emotions (40) \_\_\_\_\_ than people who have fewer experiences."

(Adapt from <https://wanderlust.com/journal/why-you-should-try-new-things/>)

A. and minimize negative ones

B. but it also allows us to expand our minds and learn

C. And then there's the rush

D. The act of leaving our comfort zone puts us in a vulnerable position, leaving us with uncertainty.

37. \_\_\_\_\_ 38. \_\_\_\_\_ 39. \_\_\_\_\_ 40. \_\_\_\_\_

## MOCK TEST 25

**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. fur                      B. excursion                      C. truth                      D. surgeon

2. A. concentrates                      B. balances                      C. attaches                      D. experiences

**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. flora                      B. seabed                      C. local                      D. pursue

4. A. profession                      B. dependent                      C. condition                      D. document

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

5. My brother is \_\_\_\_\_ firefighter who saves and protects people from burning houses.

A. the                      B. an                      C. ø                      D. a

**6.** The \_\_\_\_\_ students learn, the \_\_\_\_\_ they are at English.

A. harder - better   B. hard - better   C. harder - best   D. hardest - best

**7.** Lan realized that there are \_\_\_\_\_ people queueing in front of the box office that she wouldn't be able to get the tickets in 5 minutes.

A. too many                      B. so many                      C. too few                      D. so few

**8.** Penny and Hung are watching a beauty contest on TV.

- Penny: "I think Vietnamese girls are among the most beautiful Asian girls."

- Hung: "\_\_\_\_\_"

A. Is that true?

B. I can't agree more.

C. Never mind.

D. I am terribly sorry.

**9.** Would you like me \_\_\_\_\_ your ID card to your house?

A. ship

B. shipping

C. shipped

D. to ship

**10.** In the 40s, we didn't know \_\_\_\_\_ to contact relatives who live overseas quickly as there was no smartphones.

A. when

B. why

C. how

D. what

**11.** \_\_\_\_\_ people are fighting for equality in education, many young girls in remote areas cannot go to school.

A. When

B. While

C. So

D. Though

**12.** \_\_\_\_\_ you want to improve your writing skills, you should practice regularly.

A. Unless

B. If

C. Provided

D. Should

***Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.***

### HOW TO GET APPS

On your iPhone or iPad, open the App Store app.

Browse through **(13)** \_\_\_\_\_ Today, Games, Apps, or Arcade tabs to find apps you like. Or tap the Search tab to look **(14)** \_\_\_\_\_ something specific. If you find a game that says Arcade, subscribe to Apple Arcade to play the game.

Tap or click the price or Get button. If you see the Open button instead of a price or Get button, you already **(15)** \_\_\_\_\_ or downloaded that app.

Double-click the side button on the right side of your iPhone or the top button on your iPad to complete your purchase. **(16)** \_\_\_\_\_ you use Face ID or Touch ID to unlock your device, you'll glance at your device or

13. A. a                      B. an                      C. the                      D. ø  
14. A. in                      B. at                      C. for                      D. through  
15. A. buy                      B. bought                      C. buying                      D. to buy  
16. A. If                      B. But                      C. However                      D. Though

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 17 to 18.**

**17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

“Lana sat in her room, her phone lighted up as she prepared to film her latest TikTok dance. The music flowed through her earbuds, and with each beat, her excitement grew. \_\_\_\_\_”

- a. As she watched the likes and comments roll in, Lana felt a rush of connection, realizing she wasn't just sharing a moment but building a community.  
b. Within minutes, notifications flooded in, each one a reminder of how her creativity resonated with others.  
c. After several tries and a few giggles at her mistakes, she finally nailed the dance routine and hit “post.”

- A. b - c - a                      B. b - a - c                      C. a - c - b                      D. c - b - a

**18.** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. The people who liked and commented on her videos were all strangers.  
B. That's why she loved Tiktok, as it was a great place to express her artistic self.  
C. It took her 3 minutes to fully upload the video on the Internet.  
D. At last, she added the cover photo and name of the video on Tiktok and shared to her best friend.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

While Mid-autumn Festival originated in China and is celebrated in many Asian countries, the Vietnamese version has its (19) \_\_\_\_\_ traditions and legends. Our best-known (20) \_\_\_\_\_ is about a man named Cuội who hung (21) \_\_\_\_\_ a



magical banyan tree as it floated up to the Moon. We say that if you look closely at the full moon, you can see the (22) \_\_\_\_\_ of a man sitting under a tree. Children parade lanterns in the streets the night of Mid-autumn Festival to help (23) \_\_\_\_\_ to Earth for Cuội from the Moon.

The celebration of the harvest is an important part of Mid-autumn Festival, as many Vietnamese live in rural areas and work as farmers. Mid-autumn Festival marks (24) \_\_\_\_\_ when the work is finished and there's time to spend with loved ones.

(Adapted from <https://vietnam.travel/things-to-do/vietnams-magical-mid-autumn-festival>)

19. A. owe                      B. best                      C. own                      D. very  
20. A. story                      B. legend                      C. tale                      D. song  
21. A. up to                      B. on to                      C. over on                      D. into  
22. A. shadow      B. shape                      C. photo                      D. image  
23. A. light way      B. light the way      C. lighting the way      D. way of light  
24. A. place joyous                      B. a joyous place  
                    C. a joyous occasion                      D. a occasion

**Mark the 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.**

25. Sam caught a cold. He walked home in the heavy rain yesterday.  
A. Sam caught a cold when he walked home in the heavy rain yesterday.  
B. Sam caught a cold while he walked home in the heavy rain yesterday.  
C. Sam caught a cold after he walked home in the heavy rain yesterday.  
D. Sam caught a cold when he walked home in the heavy rain yesterday.
26. I have never watched the sunrise on the beach before.  
A. That was the first time I have watched the sunrise on the beach.  
B. That is the first time I have watched the sunrise on the beach.  
C. That was the first time I watched the sunrise on the beach.  
D. That is the first time I watched the sunrise on the beach.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.**

27. My sister/ wish/ she/ fit/ dress/ she/ wear/ university.  
A. My sister wish that she could fit into the dress she wore in university.  
B. My sister wishes that she could fit into the dress she wore in university.  
C. My sister wishes that she could fit on the dress she wore in university.

D. My sister wishes that she fit into the dress she wore in university.

**28.** It/ exciting/ wait/ ticket links/ buy/ pair/ Eras Tour tickets.

A. It exciting to wait for the ticket links to buy a pair of Eras Tour tickets.

B. It is exciting to wait the ticket links to buy a pair of Eras Tour tickets.

C. It is exciting to wait for the ticket links to buy a pair of Eras Tour tickets.

D. It is exciting waiting for the ticket links to buy a pair of Eras Tour tickets.

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

**29.** What does the sign say?



A. Don't buy or sell cameras here.

B. There is no camera in this place.

C. You must not take photos here.

D. You cannot take photo with a camera.

**30.** What does the notice say?

**FIRE DOOR KEEP  
CLOSED**

A. Keep the fire door close all the time.

B. Open the fire door.

C. Keep the door open for other people.

D. The closed door is on fire.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

In the aftermath of Super Typhoon Yagi, many people in the provinces of Thai Nguyen and Yen Bai have become homeless. **Given the situation**, on the evening of September 9, many kind-hearted people headed to the flood-hit areas, transporting food, life jackets, and raincoats to support the flood victims. In Facebook groups, many users have posted statuses on providing free

transportation of donated necessities, life jackets, and other items to uplift communities affected by Typhoon Yagi. **These acts** of kindness once again demonstrate the spirit of solidarity, mutual support and compassion, which is attributed to create the strength of the entire Vietnamese nation over its more-than-thousand-year history. In the most difficult periods of times, the solidarity and companionship of Vietnamese people have further promoted and spread strongly.

Natural disasters, storms, and floods are **inevitable** natural phenomena. Every year, dozens of storms make landfall, causing serious damage to people and property. The tragic number of deaths, the roofs, crops, livestock submerged in flood water and images of devastation make many people upset.

*(Adapted from <https://en.nhandan.vn/vietnamese-people-show-compassion-and-solidarity-following-typhoon-yagi-post139169.html>)*

**31.** What is the best title for the passage?

- A. The Impact of Natural Disasters on Agriculture: Vietnam's Story
- B. The Mutual Support among the Vietnamese People during Crisis
- C. The Role of Social Media in Disaster Relief Efforts
- D. The Vietnamese Government's Response to Natural Disasters in Yen Bai

**32.** What items were transported to support the flood victims?

- A. clothes and furniture
- B. food, life jackets and rain coats
- C. medicine and blankets
- D. toys and books

**33.** The phrase "**Given the situation**" is CLOSET in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

- A. Considering the situation
- B. However
- C. With the situation
- D. Thanks to the situation

**34.** The word "**these acts**" in paragraph 2 DOES NOT refer to \_\_\_\_.

- A. Transporting donated items for free
- B. Donating life necessities
- C. Creating the history of Vietnam
- D. Uplifting the community

**35.** How did people use social media in response to the disaster?

- A. to complain about the government
- B. to post about free donations transportation
- C. to share personal stories and reporting about the storm
- D. to organize charity projects and raise fund for the poor

**36.** The word "**inevitable**" is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

- A. unimportant
- B. necessary
- C. vital
- D. crucial

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For**

**each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

In Finland, teachers never have exercises or homework for students to review in the holidays. Students should spend their holidays (37) \_\_\_\_\_ that they enjoy. No adult uses their holidays to do work, and if they would, they wouldn't have the opportunity to recharge. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. Holidays are the time for the students to let their brain rest.

Using diverse teaching methods is the best way for students to learn and gain knowledge. Teachers should offer students experiences where they can use their knowledge. (39) \_\_\_\_\_ when they need to remember something.

Finnish teachers also make sure that when they plan their lessons for the semester, there is (40) \_\_\_\_\_ during their classes. No Finnish teacher teaches new topics every single lesson. Instead, they make sure that students are offered possibilities to do revision in class.

*(Adapted from <https://vfis.tdtu.edu.vn/news/2023-03/homework-should-or-should-not>)*

A. This would make them tired, less motivated and less efficient when coming back to work

B. resting and doing activities

C. enough time for students to revise

D. Memories like this help students to understand what they have learned and come back to these situations

**37.** \_\_\_\_\_ **38.** \_\_\_\_\_ **39.** \_\_\_\_\_ **40.** \_\_\_\_\_