

**Choose the best answer A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to the following questions.**

1. Before I started the car, all of the passengers \_\_\_\_\_ their seat belts.  
A. will buckle                      B. have buckled    C. was buckling    **D. had buckled**
2. After his grandfather passed away, he rarely smile \_\_\_\_ laugh.  
A. but                      B. for                      C. or                      **D. and**
3. We have English class \_\_\_\_\_ Mondays and Tuesdays.  
A. in                      **B. on**                      C. at                      D. from
4. Tuan enjoys \_\_\_\_\_ football with his friends at weekends.  
A. to play                      **B. playing**                      C. to playing                      D. play
5. He is by far \_\_\_\_\_ intelligent man I have ever met.  
A. the more                      B. more                      **C. the most**                      D. most
6. TikTok is \_\_\_\_\_ with young people all over the world.  
A. suitable                      B. keen                      **C. popular**                      D. favourite
7. The book \_\_\_\_\_ I like is on the table.  
A. who                      B. whom                      **C. which**                      D. where
8. The government \_\_\_\_\_ the earthquake victims with food, clothes and medicine.  
A. carried                      B. offered                      C. gave                      **D. provided**
9. This is a big house with an \_\_\_\_\_ garden.  
A. attract                      B. attraction                      **C. attractive**                      D. attractively
10. Mike needed only one more stamp to complete his \_\_\_\_\_.  
**A. collection**                      B. collect                      C. collectively                      D. collective
11. You should \_\_\_\_\_ the light before going out to save electricity.  
A. go on                      **B. turn off**                      C. come in                      D. look up
12. I try to read every day \_\_\_\_\_.  
**A. whenever I have a free moment**                      B. even though I don't always have time  
C. because I enjoy reading books                      D. although it can be hard to concentrate

**Read the announcement and circle the correct answer A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to fill in each blank.**

### **Important Resident Meeting Announcement**

We are inviting (13) \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the upcoming resident meeting. It will be held (14) \_\_\_\_\_ the main hall on Friday evening. This is a(n) (15) \_\_\_\_\_ meeting where we will discuss key topics affecting our community. Please bring (16) \_\_\_\_\_ suggestions and be prepared to share. We look forward to seeing (17) \_\_\_\_\_ there!

13. A. participants      **B. residents**      C. tenants      D. managers

14. A. in      **B. at**      C. by      D. on

15. **A. important**      B. boring      C. small      D. good

16. A. a      B. x      **C. the**      D. an

17. **A. you**      B. him      C. them      D. us

**Read the advertisement and circle the correct answer A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to fill in each blank.**

### **Transform Your Workout with the Best Exercise Equipment!**

Looking for high-quality exercise equipment (18) \_\_\_ delivers real results? Our latest model is designed with (19) \_\_\_, ensuring maximum efficiency in every workout. It's time to (20) \_\_\_ a healthier lifestyle with equipment that supports your goals. Unlike other machines, ours operates (21) \_\_\_, giving you a smoother and more effective exercise experience. Try it today and see why it's (22) \_\_\_ any other equipment on the market!

18. A. who      **B. which**      C. where      D. whose

19. **A. the most advanced training technology**      B. exercising every day

C. to work out harder      D. a system helps you stay fit

20. A. give up      B. take on      **C. stick to**      D. set up

21. **A. easily**      B. suddenly      C. hard      D. rarely

22. A. as effective as      **B. more effective than**  
C. the most effective      D. the same as

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

Teaching your teen time management is more about teaching your child to be responsible with the time they have and (23) \_\_\_\_\_ meaningful use of it.

The key to encouraging responsible time management in your teen (24) \_\_\_\_\_

helping them understand "why" it is important. Research has shown that teenagers who use goal-oriented time management practices tend to have better overall (25) \_\_\_\_\_ 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. (26) \_\_\_\_\_ you teach them to create goals, guide them to break down the goals, (27) \_\_\_\_\_ helps create smaller actionable steps. Tracking progress along with your child can instil (28) \_\_\_\_\_ responsibility and time management in your teen. Encourage them to set short-term weekly goals along with long - term goals.

23. **A. make**                      B. have                      C. take                      D. get
24. A. lies to                      B. lies on                      C. lies at                      **D. lies in**
25. A. academy                      **B. academic**                      C. academically                      D. academia
26. **A. While**                      B. What                      C. During                      D. Where
27. A. whom                      B. who                      C. that                      **D. which**
28. A. sense                      **B. a sense of**                      C. sense of a                      D. sense of

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

Hanoi, the capital of Vietnam, has a rich and diverse culture that reflects the country's long history. Influenced by Chinese, French, and indigenous Vietnamese traditions, the city offers a unique blend of old and new. Ancient temples, colonial architecture, and modern skyscrapers exist side by side, creating a distinctive cultural landscape. Hanoi is also known for **its** vibrant street life, with bustling markets, traditional craft villages, and lively festivals.

One of the most famous cultural aspects of Hanoi is its cuisine. The city is considered the birthplace of many traditional Vietnamese dishes, including phở (noodle soup) and bún chả (grilled pork with noodles). Street food is an essential part of daily life, with vendors selling delicious and affordable meals on nearly every corner. Hanoi's coffee culture is also well known, with special drinks like egg coffee attracting both locals and tourists.

Hanoi is also a center of arts and literature in Vietnam. The city is home to numerous theaters, art galleries, and historical sites, such as the Temple of Literature. Traditional water puppet shows, which originated in the Red River Delta, are a popular attraction. Additionally, Hanoi has a strong literary heritage, with many famous poets and writers contributing to Vietnamese literature. The

city continues to support contemporary artists and performers, keeping its cultural scene dynamic and evolving.

In modern times, Hanoi has worked to preserve its cultural identity while embracing development. Restoration projects help maintain historic sites, while cultural festivals celebrate the city's traditions. At the same time, Hanoi continues to grow as a global city, welcoming international influences while maintaining its unique **heritage**. The balance between tradition and modernity makes Hanoi a fascinating destination for visitors and a proud symbol of Vietnamese culture.

**29.** What is the passage mainly about?

A. The history of Hanoi's architecture

**B. The cultural richness of Hanoi**

C. The economic development of Hanoi

D. The role of Hanoi in Vietnamese politics

**30.** Which of the following is NOT true about Hanoi?

A. The city's culture is influenced by Chinese and French traditions.

B. Hanoi's street food is popular and affordable.

**C. The city does not have a strong literary heritage.**

D. Hanoi has preserved its traditions while embracing modern development.

**31.** The word "**its**" in paragraph 1 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

A. Vietnam

**B. Hanoi**

C. the country's long history

D. a distinctive cultural landscape

**32.** What is special about Hanoi's cuisine?

A. It is entirely influenced by French and Chinese flavors.

B. It is expensive and mostly found in high-end restaurants.

**C. It includes famous dishes like phở and bún chả.**

D. It is limited to only a few traditional dishes.

**33.** Why are water puppet shows significant in Hanoi?

A. They are a modern entertainment trend.

**B. They originated in the Red River Delta and reflect traditional culture.**

C. They are performed only for tourists.

D. They replaced all other forms of theater in Hanoi.

**34.** What does Hanoi do to preserve its culture?

A. It stops all modern development to protect historic sites.

B. It focuses only on economic growth.

**C. It restores historic places and holds cultural festivals.**

D. It removes international influences from the city.

35. The word "**heritage**" in paragraph 4 is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

**A. tradition**                      B. economy                      C. tourism                      D. architecture

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

**36.**

- a. Steve: I usually get mine from food blogs or cooking websites.
- b. Mary: Thanks! I'll definitely look it up.
- c. Mary: Do you know where I can find some good recipes?
- d. Mary: Oh, I'll check those out. Any specific ones you recommend?
- e. Steve: Sure! You should try this blog called "Tasty Treats". They have a lot of great ideas.

A. c-a-e-d-b                      B. a-c-d-e-b                      **C. c-a-d-e-b**                      D. b-a-c-d-e

**37.**

Hi James,

- a. I'm excited to start my painting classes soon!
- b. Thanks so much for the art supplies you sent me last week.
- c. I've been practicing sketching daily, and I feel like I'm improving.
- d. The brushes and paints are amazing - they are much better than the ones I've been using.
- e. Hopefully, we can attend a class together in the future!

Write back soon,

Emma

**A. b-d-a-c-e**                      B. b-a-c-d-e                      C. a-c-b-d-e                      D. a-b-c-d-e

**38.**

- a. There are also many music festivals around the globe that bring artists and music fans together.
- b. People nowadays enjoy listening to music from different countries and cultures, and in different languages.
- c. Thanks to globalization, people can quickly discover new music from all over the world.
- d. To sum up, in today's connected world, it is very common for musicians across the world to work on music projects and share ideas together.

d. For example, American teens are captivated by K-pop music and dance.

A. c-a-b-e-d

B. d-a-b-e-c

C. d-b-c-e-a

**D. c-b-e-**

**a-d**

**39.**

a. Furthermore, tourism has significantly boosted the local economy, bringing in millions of visitors every year.

b. Recently, Lakewood has become a top travel destination, known for its breathtaking landscapes and outdoor activities.

c. However, the increase in tourists has also led to environmental concerns, such as littering and pollution in the parks and lakes.

d. The town has invested in eco-friendly projects to preserve the natural beauty while accommodating the growing number of tourists.

e. These projects include waste reduction programs, improved public transportation, and increased park maintenance.

A. b-a-d-e-c

B. b-c-d-e-a

**C. b-a-c-d-e**

D. b-d-a-

c-e

**40.**

a. Lan: Great! We can rent bikes and ride around the lake.

b. Duy: Sounds fun! I'll bring some snacks for US to enjoy.

c. Lan: Perfect! I can't wait for a relaxing day out.

d. Lan: Are we Still on for our trip to Western Lake this Saturday?

e. Duy: Absolutely! I'm really looking forward to it.

A. a-d-c-e-b

B. b-c-e-a-d

**C. d-e-a-b-c**

D. c-d-e-

b-a

**Choose the best answer A, B, C or D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in the following questions.**

**41.** "Let's help the homeless in the neighborhood." Maria said.

A. Maria suggested to help the homeless in the neighborhood.

B. Maria suggested help the homeless in the neighborhood.

**C. Maria suggested helping the homeless in the neighborhood.**

D. Maria suggested having helped the homeless in the neighborhood.

**42.** We stayed in that hotel despite the noise.

A. Despite the hotel was noisy, we stayed there.

**B. Although that hotel was noisy, we stayed there.**

C. We stayed in that noisy hotel, and we enjoyed it.

D. Because of the noise, we stayed in that hotel.

**43.** It isn't necessary to bring skis as they are included in the package.

A. You have to bring skis as they are included in the package.

B. You need to bring skis as they are not included in the package.

C. You must bring skis as they are not included in the package.

**D. You don't have to bring skis as they are included in the package.**

**44.** 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?

**45.** 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.

**Choose the best answer A, B, C or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.**

**46.** Calling Mary is pointless. Her phone runs out.

**A. It is useless calling Mary because her phone runs out.**

B. It's no use to call Mary because her phone runs out.

C. You need to call Mary because her phone runs out.

D. It's worth calling Mary because her phone runs out.

**47.** His living conditions were difficult. However, he studied very well.

A. Although he lived in difficult conditions, but he studied very well.

B. He studied very well thanks to the fact that he lived in difficult conditions.

C. Difficult as his living conditions, he studied very well.

**D. He studied very well despite his difficult living conditions.**

**48.** Antony has decided to study English. He wants to get a good job in the future.

A. Antony decides to study English in order to he can get a good job in the future.

B. Antony decides to study English although he can get a good job in the future.

**C. Antony has decided to study English so that he can get a good job in the future.**

D. Antony decides to study English so as that he can get a good job in the future.

**49.** She shouted and screamed for an hour. Then she walked out in tears.

A. Before she shouted and screamed for an hour, she walked out in tears.

**B. After shouting and screaming for an hour, she walked out in tears.**

C. She shouted and screamed for an hour; yet she walked out in tears.

D. In spite of shouting and screaming for an hour, she walked out in tears.

**50.** John's car broke down on his way to the airport. He missed the flight.

A. John's car broke down on his way to the airport, and he missed the flight at the same time.

B. Knowing that he would miss the flight, John stopped driving on his way to the airport.

**C. John missed the flight because his car broke down on his way to the airport.**

D. While John's car broke down on his way to the airport, he missed his flight.