

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 sentences.

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| 1. | A. p <u>ir</u> acy | B. an <u>i</u> mation | C. ep <u>i</u> sode | D. leg <u>i</u> ble |
| 2. | A. m <u>un</u> ch <u>i</u> ng | B. app <u>ro</u> ach | C. <u>ch</u> aos | D. tou <u>ch</u> |

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 the position of primary stress in each of the following sentences.

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| 3. | A. reality | B. fantasy | C. dimension | D. enjoyment |
| 4. | A. thunder | B. snowflake | C. frostbite | D. marine |

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

5. Having made his first film earlier this year, he is _____ starring in a new musical.
A. actually B. currently C. lately D. recently
6. Many a person _____ it unacceptable for factories to emit hazardous gases.
A. finds B. find C. founded D. have found
7. Today marks _____ day of the week, with the temperature at 42°C in midday.
A. the hottest B. the hotter C. hottest D. hotter
8. The forest fire _____ thick black smoke, polluting the whole city.
A. gave out B. gave away C. gave in D. gave off
9. Lynn: "The forecast says it will rain heavily this afternoon."
Katie: " _____ "
A. Open the door for me, will you? B. We are having a picnic today.
C. I'd better bring an umbrella. D. It's an honour talking to you.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/ letter in each of the following questions.

10. a. The festival took place on Nguyen Hue and Le Loi streets from Dec 22 up to Christmas Eve.
b. Last night, I and my brother went to HOZO Super Fest to enjoy performances by famous bands and singers.
c. We all felt excited that we made new friends and saw our idols perform live.
d. The last show by The Moffats ended late at night, but no one seemed to stop dancing on the streets.
e. It was the biggest musical event in Viet Nam in 2023.
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| A. b-e-a-c-d | B. a-b-c-d-e | C. c-d-e-a-b | D. d-e-a-c-b |
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11. a. I am interested in helping parentless children and ready to have their hair cut.
b. My name is Van and I have been a barber for 15 years.
c. To whom it may concern,

d. I am looking forward to hearing from you and joining you on the trip.

e. I have been informed about your voluntary trip to an orphanage in Vinh Long on Dec 26, 2023.

A. c-b-d-e-a

B. d-b-c-a-e

C. a-c-b-e-d

D. c-b-e-a-d

Read the following advertisement/ school 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.

TELA (The English Language Academy)

IS ONLY No.2 IN TEACHING ENGLISH

SO WHY YOU GO WITH US?

We are trying (12) _____.

- We just can't afford to employ foreign students, or to make you study in hot rooms.
- We just can't give you easy tests (13) _____ get good marks.
- Obviously, the only thing we try the hardest is just to master your English command.

Why? Because we can't afford to (14) _____. Go with us next time.

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A. the hardest and hardest B. harder and harder C. the harder and harder D. hardest and hardest

13. A. so you can B. that you can C. so that you can D. you can do so

14. A. take you to that B. take you there C. take you for fun D. take you for granted

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ULTIMATE SCHOOL

WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

Are you ready? You will need:

School email address: Please (15) _____ for an account using your school email address.

Collaboration platforms: (16) _____ to your PicktoChart Classroom using your school email address.

Computer (17) _____ Web Camera: Insert a brief description of the

15. A. sign in B. sign up C. sign out D. sign below

16. A. sign below B. sign out C. sign up D. sign in

17. A. of B. on C. at D. with

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Education is an important aspect of child development. It is not only limited to learning at school, (18) _____ the role of parents in supporting learning at school. One effective way (19) _____ through assignments to the child.

(20) _____ children are invited to learn independently. They need to manage time, plans approach, and work independently to complete tasks. This teaches them responsibility for their own learning, a skill which will be very useful when they grow up.

Secondly, group assignments give children (21) _____. It teaches them how to collaborate, listen to other people's views, and value diversity of ideas.

(22) _____, through chores, children learn about the responsibilities and consequences of work which is not resolved. It teaches them values such as discipline, perseverance, and commitment to assigned tasks.

In conclusion, (23) _____ children hone academic skills, but they also teach values and important life skills.

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| 18. A. but it also involves | B. but it is also involved |
| C. but it also consists | D. but it is also comprised |
| 19. A. to strengthening education | B. to strengthen education |
| C. to make education strengthen | D. to make education the strongest |
| 20. A. For the first time, through assignments, | |
| B. On the first helping, through assignments, | |
| C. Firstly, through assignments, | |
| D. Firstly of all, through assignments, | |
| 21. A. the opportunity to work together with their classmates or siblings. | |
| B. the opportunity when they work together with their classmates or siblings. | |
| C. the opportunity for them that they work together with their classmates or siblings. | |
| D. the opportunity so that they can work together with their classmates or sibling. | |
| 22. A. On the final attempt | B. At least and last |
| C. Last but not least | D. The last but not the least |
| 23. A. not only these assignments help | B. not only do these assignments help |
| C. do these assignments not only help | D. these assignments not only do the help |

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

The History of Film

The world's first film was shown in 1895 by two French brothers, Louis and Auguste Lumière. Although it only (24) _____ of short, simple scenes, people loved it and films have been popular ever since. The first films were silent, with titles on the screen to (25) _____ the story.

Soon the public had their favourite actors and actresses and, in this way the first film stars appeared. In 1927, the first 'talkie', a film with sound, was shown and from then on, the public (26) _____ only accept this kind of film.

Further improvements continued, particularly in America, which produced 95% of all films. With the arrival of television in the 1950s, (27) _____ people went to see films, but in recent years cinema audiences have grown again. More countries have started to produce films that influence film-making and there are currently (28) _____ national film industries.

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| 24. A. consisted | B. contained | C. belonged | D. held |
| 25. A. join | B. read | C. explain | D. perform |

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| 26. A. should | B. would | C. might | D. will |
| 27. A. other | B. each | C. any | D. fewer |
| 28. A. lots | B. plenty | C. many | D. much |

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

One to watch! Essay by Jessica Bourne, aged 14

I'm a big fan of films featuring the spy James Bond. I've got most of them on DVD. We've recently bought Quantum of Solace, in which Daniel Craig plays the part of Bond. I don't know why the film's got that name - but it's a great movie, anyway.

All the actors who've played James Bond have been great, but Daniel Craig, who's made lots of other films, plays the part better than any of them. Even though he doesn't talk very much, I think he's the most perfect actor for the role. He even does a few of the more dangerous things in the film himself, instead of getting someone else to do them. I did wonder sometimes whether he'd be clever enough to defeat the bad people - but I'm not going to tell you the ending! The actress who stars with Craig gives a fantastic performance too - I loved all the glamorous clothes she wore!

The director probably had a hard job making this Bond film as full of action as earlier ones. But the excitement starts right at the beginning here, with a car chase along a mountain road, and plenty of other thrilling scenes, too - Bond leaping off tall buildings and so on. Unfortunately, I found the story difficult to follow in places, and it also seemed to be over very quickly - it lasted under two hours. I also felt there weren't as many jokes as in the old Bond films. And where was all the ridiculous Bond equipment - the underwater car or exploding watch that everyone laughed at? This is a more serious, darker Bond film, but I still really enjoyed it.

29. What is Jessica trying to do in her essay?
- A. explain what first attracted her to Bond films
 - B. tell readers about the Bond DVDs she owns
 - C. give a balanced view of a Bond film she has seen
 - D. describe how Daniel Craig got the part of James Bond
30. What can a reader find out from Jessica's essay?
- A. whether Quantum of Solace is her favourite Bond film
 - B. what other films Daniel Craig has made
 - C. which other actors have played James Bond
 - D. whether she thinks Daniel Craig is the best James Bond
31. What does Jessica tell us about Craig in the new Bond film?
- A. He performs some of the action scenes.
 - B. He wears some stylish clothes.
 - C. He is given a lot of lines to say.
 - D. He looks strong and fit enough to fight the criminals.
32. What is one problem with the film, according to Jessica?
- A. It seems a bit too long.
 - B. It's sometimes hard to understand what's happening.

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- C. It has too much silly technology in it.
D. It has jokes that aren't very funny.
33. Which of these might appear in a magazine review of the new Bond film?
- A. It's full of excitement, with Bond jumping across rooftops, so don't be disappointed by the slow start.
B. The director wanted to move away from the last Bond film and include a bit less action.
C. I'm not sure the title tells you much...but be prepared to watch a rather different kind of Bond movie.
D. Daniel Craig performed well as James Bond, but the main female star was disappointing.

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Virtually any night of the year, a person can look up at the sky and see the moon. The moon is Earth's only natural satellite. It takes slightly more than twenty-seven days for it to orbit Earth. And it does so from a little more than 380,000 kilometres away. Despite being Earth's closest celestial neighbour, there is much about the moon that scientists do not know.

For instance, no one is exactly sure when the moon was formed. Earth is estimated to have been created around 4.5 billion years ago. No later than 100,000 years after that, the moon was in orbit around Earth. Yet the question remains: How did the moon form? There are several theories, but astronomers have thus far failed to prove any of them correct.

The most widely accepted idea is the collision theory. It states that the moon formed when an object **crashed into** Earth. According to this hypothesis, when Earth was first created, it had no satellite. But, at some point in time, an object approximately the size of Mars collided with Earth. This caused part of the planet to break off. The largest part eventually transformed into the moon.

Another theory is that Earth and the moon formed at the exact same time billions of years ago. However, many astronomers discount this theory. They point out that Earth and the moon are comprised of different substances. They claim that if the two bodies were formed at the same time, then they should be composed of the same materials. Yet, as an example of their differences, the moon has much less iron than Earth does.

A third theory proposes that the moon formed somewhere else in the solar system. As it wandered past Earth, it was captured by Earth's gravity and began to orbit the planet. A fourth theory declares that, when **it** first formed, Earth spun much more rapidly than it does at the present time. Due to its swift rotation, part of the crust was stripped away from the planet and cast into space. This material then formed the moon.

Each of the four theories has its supporters and detractors. Thus far, however, no astronomer has been able to prove one theory while disproving all of the others.

34. Which of the following statements does paragraph 1 support?
- A. The moon's distance from Earth changes at times.
B. There are many satellites that are orbiting Earth.
C. The moon is always visible in the night sky.
D. No natural objects are closer to Earth than the moon.
35. In line 10, the phrase "**crashed into**" is closest in meaning to _____.
A. hit B. passed C. interfered with D. affected

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36. According to the text, what is true regarding the collision theory?
- A. It points out that Earth's orbit changed a great deal.
 - B. It is believed by the greatest number of astronomers.
 - C. It states that Earth once had multiple satellites.
 - D. It declares that Mars collided with Earth at one point.
37. Why do many astronomers doubt that Earth and the moon formed at the same time?
- A. The moon more likely came from elsewhere in the solar system.
 - B. Earth and the moon are formed of different materials.
 - C. There is not enough iron in the Earth's crust.
 - D. The chances of two objects forming close together are small.
38. In line 18, the word "it" refers to _____.
- A. the solar system
 - B. the planet's gravity
 - C. a fourth theory
 - D. Earth
39. The last theory suggests that the Moon was _____.
- A. a result of a collision between Mars and the Earth
 - B. roughly the same size and mass of the Earth
 - C. made of the Earth's peeled outer layer
 - D. formed somewhere in the solar system
40. What would be the best title for the passage?
- A. The Moon: Everything You Need to Know about It
 - B. The Changing Phases of the Moon
 - C. Theories on the Creation of the Moon
 - D. How Long Ago Did the Moon Form?

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Keys:

1- A	5- B	9- C	13- C	17- D	21- A	25- C	29- C	33- C	37- B
2- C	6- A	10- A	14- D	18- A	22- C	26- B	30- D	34- D	38- D
3- B	7- A	11- D	15- B	19- B	23- B	27- D	31- A	35- A	39- C
4- D	8- D	12- B	16- D	20- C	24- A	28- C	32- B	36- B	40- C

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