Trial test 04 – grade 12

I. Which word has the different stress pattern from the rest?

1.A. company B. official C. Australia D. encounter

2.A. knowledge B. bracket C. although D. neighbor

II. Which word has the underlined part pronounced differently from the rest?

1.A. prepared B. called C. expressed D. employed

2.A. should B. young C.couple D. rough

3.A. applicant B. identity C. indicate D. chemistry

III. Choose the best answer.

1.If I feel too excited to sleep, I _____ reading one of our reports.

A. will try B. try C. would try D. would have tried

2.If he _____ well on the training course last year, he _____ offered the promotion now.

A. had done / would be B. had done / would have done C. did / would be D. did / will be

3.What time would we get there _____ the subway?

A. we took B. if we took C. unless we take D. provided that we take

4.In Vietnam, application forms for the National Entrance Examinations must be ___before the deadline, often in April.

A. issued B. signed C. filed D. submitted

5.Points will be added to the Entrance Examination scores for those who hold an excellent high school___.

A. certificate B. diploma C. qualification D. degree

6.It wasn't an awful experience. It was the worst thing _____has ever happened to me.

A. which B. that C. what D. why

7.The party _____we went to last night was not very enjoyable.

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

8.He read The Old Man and The Sea, a novel _____by Ernest Hemingway.

A. written B. writing C. which wrote D. that written

9.Lien passed the oral test , _____pleased her parents.

A. that B. which C. what D. it

10._____it is in the spring now, the flowers outside aren't blooming.

A. While B. Although C. Whereas D. However

11._____he wasn't feeling very well, Alex was determined to take part in the racing.

A. Despite the fact that B. Despite the fact it C. Despite D. In spite of

12.When we got home, dinner _____, so we had a drink first.

A. was preparing B. had been prepared C. was being prepared D. was prepared

13.Much progress on computers_____ since 1950.

A. has made B. has been made C. have made D. have been made

14.This is the first time I_____ here.

A. am B. have been C. was D. will be

15.The children _____ to the zoo.

A. were enjoyed taken B. enjoyed being taken C. were enjoyed taking D. enjoyed taking

16.After she_____ the letter, she put it down and started to cry.

A. read B. reads C. has read D. had read

17.I need time to think about _____offer you gave me.

A. a B. an C. the D. Ø

18._____ school is very important for _____ country to develop.

A. The / a B. Ø / a C. The/ Ø D. Ø / Ø

19.Have you seen the Titanic yet? - No, I haven't. I_____it next Saturday.

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A. would see B. will see C. am going to see D. see

20.After_____dinner, I often watch TV.

A. ate B. eat C. eaten D. eating

21.Tom said that he _____his motorbike the day before.

A. had lost B. lost C. has lost D. lose

22."I have bought you a toy. Happy birthday to you!" –"_____"

A. What a lovely toy! Thanks. B. Have a nice day! C. The same to you! D. What a pity!

23." I'm going away tomorrow, mother." => Leo told his mother that _____away the _____.

A. he was going/following day B. I was going/day after C. I'm going/day after D. he's going/following day

24." It was nice of you to give me the present. Thank you" Ben said to Mary. => Ben thanked Mary ____ the present.

A. of giving him B. for giving him C. it had been nice of her to give him D. that she had been nice to give him

25.I am tired _____ having to wash the dishes every night.

A. at B. with C. of D. by

IV. Read the text and choose the correct answers.

Instructors at American colleges and universities use many different teaching methods. Some instructors give assignments every day. They grade homework. Students in their classes have to take many quizzes, a midterm exam, and a final test. Other instructors give only writing assignments. Some teachers always follow a course outline and usually use the text book. Others send students to the library for assignment.

The atmosphere in some classrooms is very formal. Students call their instructors " Professor Smith," "Mrs. Jones", and so on. Some teachers wear business clothes and give lectures. Others classrooms have an informal atmosphere. Students and teachers discuss their ideas. Instructors dress informally, and students call them by their first names. American teachers are not alike in their teaching styles.

At most American colleges and universities, facilities for learning and recreation are available to students. Students can often use type-writers, tape recorders, video machines, and computers at libraries and learning centres. They can buy books, notebooks, and other things at campus stores. They can get advice on their problems from councelors and individual help with their classes from tutors. Students can relax and have fun on campus, too. Some schools have swimming pools and tennis courts. Most have snack bars or cafeterias.

1.What is the first paragraph about?

A. Ways of using the textbook B. Ways of giving assignment C. Ways of teaching D. Ways of taking an exam

2.Which of the following statements is true?

A. American students can call their teachers by their first names.

B. The atmosphere in the American classrooms is always relaxed and friendly.

C. American teachers do not dress informally.

D. The atmosphere in America classrooms is always formal.

3.What does the word "business clothes" in the paragraph 2 mean?

A. clothes that only business people wear B. trendy clothes C. casual clothes D. formal clothes

4.What can't students do at most American colleges and universities?

A. bring the computers at the libraries home. B. ask their councellors and tutors for advice.

C. use the computers that are linked to libraries. D. have tutors and councelors solved their problems.

5.Which of the following statements is false about schools in America?

A. They are well equipped. B. They have stores on campus.

C. They have no recreation facilities. D. They offer sports and leisure facilities for students.

V. Choose the underlined part that needs correcting.

1.Although they always (A) argue with (B) each other, but (C) they are good friends (D).

2. We (A) spent a week (B) to preparing (C) for our concert (D).

3.Higher general education and training generally (A) took place (B) in a (C) university (D) or college.

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4.If you have already decided (A) on a course that (B) you would like to study at university, or we (C) recommend that you take a look at the course requirements first (D).

5.Anyone (A) where (B) works is regarded (C) as a useful member of our society (D).

VI. Choose the sentence that is closest in meaning as the given one.

1.The last time when I saw her was three years ago.

A. I have often seen her for the last three years. B. About three years ago, I used to meet her.

C. I have not seen her for three years. D. I saw her three years ago and will never meet her again.

2.He spoke confidently and that impressed me.

A. The thing which impressed me was the confident way he spoke. B. He spoke confidently, which impressed me.

C. The confident way in which he spoke impressed me. D. All are correct.

3.I did not answer the door even though I knew it was my friend.

A. Unless I knew it was my friend, I would not answer the door. B. I knew it was my friend, but I did not answer the door.

C. Only when I answered the door did I knew it was my friend. D. I answered the door since I knew it was my friend.

4."Why don't you ask the teacher for help?" Peter asked me.

A. Peter advised me to ask the teacher for help.

B. Peter recommended me not to ask the teacher for help.

C. Peter told me the reason why I did not ask the teacher for help.

D. Peter suggested that he should ask the teacher for help.

5.Because he came to class late, the teacher punished him.

A. The teacher punished him if he came to class late.

B. The teacher would punish him if he came to class late.

C. The teacher would not punish him if he did not come to class late.

D. The teacher would not have punished him if he had not come to class late.

VI. Read the text and choose the correct answer to fill in each blank.

Many people love boats. Going out on the water (1) _____ a warm summer day is a lot of fun. (2) _____ , different people like different kinds of boats. Two of the most popular kinds of boat are sailboats and speedboats. Sailboats use the (3) _____to give them power. They only have small engines. In contrast, speedboats have large engines and go very fast. Furthermore, speedboats are usually not as (4) _____ as sailboats. Speedboats are small so that they can go fast. Sailboats, on the other hand, are big so that they are more comfortable. (5) _____, sailboats can travel into the ocean, but this would be very dangerous in a speedboat. You can only use speedboats on rivers or lakes.

1.A. at	B. on	C. in	D. while
2.A. However	B. Although	C. Because	D. Unless
3.A. water	B. speed	C. weather	D. wind
4.A. small	B. fast	C. warm	D. big
5.A. Unfortunately	B. At first	C. In addition	D. Except for

VII. Rewrite the following sentences

1. Martin may not be very well but he still manages to enjoy life.

Martin's poor .....

2. "Would you mind not smoking in here?"

I'd rather .....

3. He said he was not guilty of stealing the car.

He denied .....

4. He was very sorry that he didn't see Andrey on her trip to London.

He greatly regretted .....

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