ENGLISH PRACTICE (30/8/2021)

Part A : PHONETICS (5pts)

I. ***Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the rest in the same line. (2pts)***

1. A. commemorate B. command C. construct D. controversial
2. A. diamond B. diameter C. diaper D. diary

II. Identify the word whose stressed pattern is different from that of the others. (3pts)

3. A. destination B. presidential C. economic D. analysis
4. A. discriminate B. domestic C. dormitory D. deliberate
5. A. descendant B. environment C. ornamental D. delivery

Part B : LEXICAL AND GRAMMAR (45 pts)

I. Choose the option A, B, C or D to indicate the word or phrase which best completes each sentence.(15pts)

6. He lives in London but often goes_____ to Paris on business.
   A. over B. along C. down D. up
7. "Come on, John, drink_____ or we'll miss the train."
   A. down B. up C. in D. over
8. The new World_____ by five European countries: Spain, Portugal, France, Holland and England.
   A. has explored and colonized B. explored and colonized
   C. had explored and colonized D. was explored and colonized
9. "Why did the secretary type all those letters?"
   "_____ new to the job, she didn't know it wasn't necessary."
   A. While being B. Being a C. When being D. As being
10. The bad weather_____ the plane being delayed.
    A. caused B. made C. set off D. resulted in
11. Tom: "I don't have my glasses. I can't read the menu." Jane: "_____."
    A. I am going to read it to you B. I will read it to you
    C. I have read it to you D. I will be reading it to you
12. I warned them _____ late-night horror movies.
    A. didn't watch B. not to watch C. not watching D. don't watch
13. My neighbour _____ me a cup of coffee.
    A. begged B. suggested C. offered D. invited
14. Many Americans agreed that wives and husbands should _____ all thoughts.
    A. talk B. argue C. discuss D. share
15. A water polo game is _____ into quarters ranging from 5 to 8 minutes in length.
    A. lowered B. subtracted C. divided D. separated
16. I haven't _____ chance of getting this job anyhow.

A. the B. a C. some D. one

17. We had _____ reached the pagoda when we saw everyone leaving.

A. quite B. enough C. rather D. almost

18. Several people came, _____ I hadn't met before.

A. most of who B. most of them C. most of whom D. most of the people

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19. Stress stems _____ many things.

A. from B. of C. for D. in

20. Lan: "I am sorry for my being late." Hoa: "_____"

A. Sorry B. Yes, please C. No, thanks D. No harm done

II. The following passage contains 10 errors. Find and correct them (10pts)

It is difficult to write rules that tell about exactly when we should apologize, but it is not difficult to learn what. If we have done something to hurt someone feelings, or if we have been impolite or rude, we should apologize. An apology indicates that we have done a mistake and we are sorry for them. It is a way of expressing our regret for something. When we apologize, we admit our wrongdoing, usually offer a reason why for it, and express regret. The simplest way to apologize is to say, " I'm sorry", but often which is not enough. Let's take a common sitiation. Mario is late and enters the classroom, interrupting the teacher in the middle of the lesson. What does he do? The most polite action is usually to take a seat as quietly as possibly and apologize later. Natural, more than this is needed, but this is not the time for it because of he has already caused one interruption and doesn't need to make it any longer.	21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30.

III. Put each verb in brackets into an appropriate form. (10pts)

31-32. He became addicted to _____ (smoke). He really regretted _____ (not, take) his father's advice.

33. The kids are interested _____ (go) on an excursion.

34. **Mike**: I have just watered the roses.
Lucy: You ____ (not, water) them. Look, it's raining now!

35. She had a headache; otherwise she ____ (come) with us.

36. They suggested the tests ___ (make) easier.

37. I recommend that Bob (study) much more if he wants to pass all his classes.

38. We are going to have our house (repaint) next month.

39-40. After (stop) by the police, the man admitted (steal) the car but denied driving at 100 miles an hour.

III. ***Put each word in brackets into an appropriate form. (10pts)***

41. Forcing children to use their right hand can cause_____ of school, which can impact their academic development. HATE

42. I admire her_____ beauty. She's old but she's still beautiful. TIME

43. The statue is a lifelike_____ of Chris Jesus. REPRESENT

44. The_____ horse ran away from the fire. FRIGHT

45. _____ are unpleasant, but it will be nice when we get into the new house. MOVE

46 The meeting has been_____ arranged for 3 p.m. next Friday. PROVIDE

47. Her_____ has made her a lot of enemies SPEAK

48. I _____ how wide the stream was and fell in. JUDGE

49. Heavy rain and excessive use have the soil _____. POVERTY

50. The troops were thoroughly _____ by this set back. MORAL

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