

UNIT 1: GENERATION GAP - PRACTICE TEST 3

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

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| 1. A. ch <u>o</u> re | B. w <u>o</u> rk | C. m <u>o</u> re | D. div <u>o</u> rce |
| 2. A. clean <u>e</u> d | B. shar <u>e</u> d | C. call <u>e</u> d | D. visit <u>e</u> d |
| 3. A. br <u>ea</u> dwinner | B. cl <u>ea</u> n | C. <u>ea</u> ch | D. l <u>ea</u> d |

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word which has a different stress pattern from the others.

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| 4. A. elegant | B. argument | C. compassion | D. comfortable |
| 5. A. beneficial | B. conservative | C. experienced | D. responsible |

Choose the best answer A, B, C or D to complete the sentences.

6. A child comes to his parents to see that they _____ his needs, desires, and ambition.
A. agree B. respect C. admire D. worry
7. Children learn from how they see their parents _____: when parents are getting along well, their relationship supports their child's development.
A. involve B. influence C. affect D. interact
8. Knocking on closed doors before entering can be a great way for children to practice _____ behaviors.
A. respecting B. respectful C. respective D. respected
9. Parents should teach children about _____ by establishing a rule about knocking on closed doors before entering.
A. loneliness B. care C. privacy D. peace
10. Going into any argument, both sides know that either one is going to change the other's _____.
A. head B. mind C. brain D. feeling
11. During the examination, students _____ keep silent and focus on their own papers.
A. need B. can C. might D. have to
12. We _____ make decisions together about what to do for special events such as birthdays.
A. should B. shouldn't C. have to D. don't have to
13. Parents _____ ask too many questions about where children go and what they do.
A. should B. shouldn't C. must D. mustn't

14. You _____ discuss family issues with all family members, including children.
A. must B. mustn't C. have to D. don't have to
15. You _____ put the knife in your mouth - it's very dangerous.
A. have to B. don't have to C. must D. mustn't
16. Her husband is very kind. He always cares _____ her and never puts all of the housework _____ her.
A. about - in B. for - in C. about - on D. with - on
17. First thing in the morning, I _____ a cup of milk tea.
A. has B. am having C. have D. will have

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

18. Bats usually sleep during the day and they play and eating at night.

A B C D

19. Quiet, my baby sleeps. Don't wake her up.

A B C D

20. We will hold a party tomorrow. Let's decorate the room.

A B C D

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

21. We always split the housework equally - my mom cooks, my dad cleans the house and I do the washing-up.

A. join B. break C. share D. pick up

22. Newborn infants are more vulnerable to illness than others.

A. easily hurt B. strong C. safe D. hard to affect

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

23. It is important to create a daily routine so as to improve your work-life balance today.

A. a situation in which two or more things are not treated the same

B. a state that things are of equal weight or force

C. a state that things are of importance

D. a situation that things change frequently in amount

24. We try to create an atmosphere of comfort and security for our children.

A. safety B. harmony C. danger D. Shelter

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct response to each of the following exchanges.

25. "How was the game show last night?" - "_____"

- A. It showed at 8 o'clock.
- B. Just talking about it.
- C. I think it wasn't a good game.
- D. Great. I gained more knowledge about biology.

26. "What did the meeting discuss? I didn't attend it because of traffic jam." - "_____"

- A. I didn't, either.
- B. That was great.
- C. You missed the meeting.
- D. I'm sorry, I can't.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.

27. The food price will change at the end of this month.

- A. The food price will be the same until the end of this month.
- B. The food price of this month will be equal to the one of next month.
- C. There will be no same food price from now till next month.
- D. There will be two different food prices next month.

28. All the other schools in the city are more expensive than my school.

- A. My school is one of the most expensive schools in the city.
- B. There are some more expensive schools than mine in the city.
- C. My school is the least expensive school in the city.
- D. There are some cheaper schools than my school in the city

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

29. I am the youngest son in the family. I didn't have to do much housework.

- A. Being the youngest son in the family, I didn't have to do much housework.
- B. If I was the youngest son in the family, I wouldn't have done much housework.
- C. Although I am the youngest son in the family, I wouldn't have done much housework.
- D. Despite the fact that I am the youngest son in the family, I did not have to do much housework.

30. We need to share the tasks. The burden on each member will be more tolerable.

- A. Although the burden on each member will be more tolerable, we still need to share the tasks.
- B. We need to share the tasks so the burden on each member will be more tolerable.
- C. Unless we share the tasks, the burden on each member will be more tolerable.

D. It is essential to share the tasks, otherwise, the burden on each member will be more tolerable.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

Generation gap occurs not only between parents and children but also between teachers and students. Students are likely to enjoy the classes of an open-minded teacher, who shows mutual (31) _____ to the students. The teachers, who tend to keep their students under unnecessary strict disciplines and practise hard ways to make them obey the orders, are usually disliked by the students. This narrows minded thinking, especially (32) _____ in the teachers of the older generation, eventually creates a gap between the students and teachers.

Another difference is the use of technology. Young teachers tend to use more digital devices in class for their lessons that has a good (33) _____ on the students. Students take more interest and participate actively in the class discussion. An old teacher has (34) _____ frequent use of electronic devices that makes lessons boring, which is not enjoyed by the students and it creates a gap between them.

To (35) _____ the generation gap, parents or teachers must be close to their children. They should show interest and give time to the children, have open communication, and allow the child to feel free in all the situations.

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| 31. A. respect | B. politeness | C. benefit | D. friend |
| 32. A. watched | B. met | C. seen | D. considered |
| 33. A. impact | B. force | C. power | D. act |
| 34. A. fewer | B. more | C. less | D. much |
| 35. A. give up | B. reduce | C. make | D. Leave |

Read the passage, and choose the correct answer A, B, C or D for each question.

Generation Gap: Causes and Solutions

Parents have a common complaint that their children after a certain age tend to disrespect them. They look for more freedom and enjoy the company of their friends rather than staying at home. These all are the changes when the kids grow from teenagers to adulthood. This is the time when they want to be treated as big but the parents still consider them small. They want to take their own decisions but they can't because parents are there to take any important

decisions about their children. So these issues sometimes create a problem and this is when the generation gap comes in.

There are lots of activities which interest the kids more but parents are not willing with it. Instead of arguing with children and avoiding the discussion, it will be good that parents take a step forward and talk to their children.

Parents are the best friend of their children as they act as both good parents and friends. As parents have spent a large amount of their time with their kids, so it is necessary that parents understand what their children are saying and how it can affect their life. Any suggestions coming from parents can never be wrong, so teenagers should trust in them as they always want their children to progress in life.

Communication is the best way to bridge the gap and find a perfect solution. Parents should sit with their children and talk about their needs so that parents know their children's expectations. Parents can also listen to their problems and look for a solution which is-best for them. Parents mustn't force them to do anything without interest but make them aware of their duties so that they do it willingly. As you are dealing with teenagers, you need to keep yourself in their situation and then think about it.

If parents feel that their children are disrespecting, they then tell that if their children want respect, they need to give it to other people too. This is a lifetime lesson which they need to learn as it is not limited to their home but also when they go out and work in any organization.

Children must understand their limitations. If they go beyond that, it will be difficult for them. It is the duty of the parents that they make their kids understand their limitation and define a boundary for them. This is done for the benefit of the children so that they know what is right and what is wrong for them.

36. One of the main reasons of the generation gap is that _____.

- A. children can make their own decisions
- B. children were not able to make their own decisions
- C. the problems of the generation gap to be small
- D. children are being treated as a child

37. Teenagers should trust their parents because_____.

- A. parents are their best friends and they always want their children to make progress
- B. children understand what they are saying and what can affect their life

- C. parents always treat their children as they are still young, and listen to them
- D. parents have spent a large amount of their time at work and at home with their kids
38. In order to bridge the generation gap, one can do all of the following **EXCEPT** _____.
- A. parents should have chats with their children to know their children's expectations
- B. parents should listen to their children's problems and look for a solution
- C. parents don't have to force their children to do anything without interest
- D. parents should make their children aware of their duties so that they do it willingly
39. In order to solve the problem of disrespect from children, parents should show that _____.
- A. children should go out more often and work in any organization
- B. if children want respect, they need to show it to their parents too
- C. parents are not willing with their children's inappropriate activities
- D. parents are there to take any important decisions about their children
40. One of the solutions to the problem of the generation gap is that _____.
- A. parents make their children know their limitations and their own boundary
- B. parents must understand their limitations and define a boundary for them
- C. children should know what is right and what is wrong for both parents and children
- D. children realized that if parents go beyond their limitations they'll have problems

Complete the correct word formation of the given word in each sentence

41. We often participate in charitable _____ to help poor people in my city. I think this is a good way to make our community better. (**organize**)
42. My _____ is Buddhism and what about yours? (**believe**)
43. Young people nowadays really pay attention to their physical _____. Therefore, they usually go to the gym to work out in order to stay in shape and widen their social relations. (**appear**)
44. It is _____ important to know English because it provides us with more job opportunities in the future. (**necessary**)
45. I don't like living in a _____ family because I will not have more privacy and are controlled by a lot of other relatives. (**multigeneration**)

Complete the sentences without changing the meaning.

46. It isn't necessary for you to bring food and drink for lunch. (have to)

→ You

47. Every receptionist in our hotel is obliged to wear a uniform. (have to)

→ Every receptionist in our hotel

48. It's forbidden to sell cigarettes to children. (must not)

→ Shops

49. It's optional for waiters to wear a tie. (have to)

→ Waiters

50. It's obligatory for every employee to keep the company's information secret. (have to)

→ Every employee