

UNIT 1: TEST 2 (CONT)

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) **OPPOSITE** in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions

21. The total number of national Red Cross societies from all over the world has mounted to 186.

- A. protected B. decreased C. devoted D. aimed

22. I personally think that parents shouldn't interfere with their children's personal choices.

- A. ignore B. prevent C. support D. regard

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to show the underlined part that needs correction. the following questions.

23. Teenagers is(A) greatly influenced by(B) not only their parents(C) but also their peers(D).

24. We were told(A) to plan everything(B) very careful(C) before the journey(D).

25. Bella had better to change(A) her study habits if she wants to be(B) admitted to(C) a good college(D).

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

Most people today take relatively little general exercise. Over the last 30 or 40 years lifestyles have changed considerably and many people now travel even (26)_____ shortest distances by car or bus. Lack of exercise combined with eating too many fatty and sugary foods has meant that many people are becoming too fat. Experts are particularly concerned that children (27)_____ a lot of their free time watching television or playing computer games instead of being physically active.

In recent years, however, there has been a growing (28)_____ in fitness among young adults and many belong to a sports club or gym. Membership of a sports club or gym can be (29)_____ and not everyone can afford the subscription. Local sports centres are generally cheaper. Evening classes are also cheap and offer a wide variety of fitness activities ranging (30)_____ yoga to jazz dancing.

Some companies now provide sports facilities for their employees or contribute to the cost of joining a gym.

(Extracted from The Oxford Guide to British and American Culture - Oxford Advanced Learner's Compass)

Question 26: A. the B. an C. one D. a

Question 27: A. make B. take C. get D. spend

Question 28: A. interestingly B. interest C. interesting D. interested

Question 29: A. popular B. easy C. cheap D. expensive

Question 30: A. on B. from C. at D. in

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.

The explosion in mobile phone use around the world has made some health professionals worried. Some doctors are concerned that in the future many people may suffer health problems from the use of mobile phones. In England, there has been a serious debate about this issue. Mobile phone companies are worried

about the **negative publicity** of such ideas. They say that there is no proof that mobile phones are bad for your health.

On the other hand, medical studies have shown changes in the brain cells of some people who use mobile phones. Signs of change in the tissues of the brain and head can be detected with modern scanning equipment. In one case, a traveling salesman had to retire at young age because of serious memory loss. He couldn't remember even simple tasks. He would often forget the name of his own son. This man used to talk on his mobile phone for about six hours a day, every day of his working week, for a couple of years. His family doctor blamed his mobile phone use, but his employer's doctor didn't agree.

As the discussion about their safety continues, it appears that it's best to use mobile phones less often. Use your regular phone if you want to talk for a long time. Use your mobile phone only when you really need it. Mobile phones can be very useful and convenient, especially in emergencies. In the future, mobile phones may have a warning label that says they are bad for your health. So for now, it's wise not to use your mobile phone too often.

31. The most appropriate title for the passage could be

- A. "One side of mobile phones' effect"
B. "The popularity of cellphones"
C. "How the mobile phones work"
D. "Mobile phones in modern life"

32. The word *negative publicity* in the paragraph 1 most likely means

- A. the negative public use of cellphones. B. bad ideas about the influences of cellphones.
C. people's opinions on the impacts of cellphones. D. widespread opinion about bad effects of cellphones

33. According to the second paragraph, the man who used his cellphone too often

- A. seriously lacked mental ability B. could remember difficult tasks
C. had to name his own son D. suffered a problem with memory

34. Which of the following is **NOT TRUE**, according to the passage?

- A. The companies producing cellphones denied the fact that they are bad for users' health.
- B. Modern devices can assist medical studies to show changes in the brain cells of mobile phone users.
- C. Doctors confirmed that many people certainly suffer health problems in the future from mobile phones' use.
- D. Mobile phone is really necessary in urgent situations.

35. What is the writer's advice?

- A. People never use mobile phones in all cases.
B. People oughtn't to use mobile phones regularly.
C. People should replace mobile phones with regular phones.
D. People had better turn off their cellphones more often.