

PRACTICE TEST 3

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions.

1. A. admire B. assign C. decisive D. independent
2. A. admiration B. assignment C. decision D. decisiveness

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.

3. A. stopped B. expected C. finished D. faced
4. A. thoughtful B. threaten C. therefore D. thin

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

5. I was encouraged to ____ for the grandest prize in the dancing competition.
A. try B. strive C. reach D. achieve
6. Before making a _____ he often considers different options.
A. decisiveness B. decision C. independence D. confidence
7. You need to have a number of life skills to become _____.
A. confident B. determined C. independent D. dependent
8. We're ____ to announce that you were selected to be our new faculty manager.
A. happily B. unhappy C. happiness D. happy
9. It is unnecessary for ____ to do this task. It's not ours.
A. we B. us C. they D. our
10. It's time for you to stop relying _____ your parents.
A. on B. in C. at D. to
11. She was excited _____ a letter from her mother last week.
A. to receive B. receive C. receiving D. for receiving
12. We are very surprised to _____ Peter at the party.
A. seeing B. see C. seen D. not seeing
13. Your handwriting is _____.
A. hard to read B. hard for reading C. hardly to read D. hardly for reading
14. She has the _____ well with work pressure.
A. able to cope B. ability for coping C. ability to cope D. able for coping
15. Bill's wife doesn't let him _____ go to the party.
A. go B. to go C. to have gone D. went

16. My sister is able to solve every problem quickly.
- A. My sister have the ability to solve every problem quickly.
 - B. My sister has the ability to solve every problem quickly.
 - C. It is hard for my sister to solve every problem quickly.
 - D. It is not hard for my sister to solve every problem quickly.
17. Don't touch that button. It is dangerous.
- A. It is dangerous not to touch that button.
 - B. It is dangerous to touch that button.
 - C. It is dangerous of me to touch that button.
 - D. It is dangerous of me touching that button.
18. We can't find a suitable candidate for this position. That is difficult.
- A. It was difficult for us to find a suitable candidate for this position.
 - B. It was not difficult for us to find a suitable candidate for this position.
 - C. It is difficult for us to find a suitable candidate for this position.
 - D. It is difficult for us not to find a suitable candidate for this position.
19. I was not allowed to stay outside overnight.
- A. I didn't have to stay outside overnight.
 - B. I had no permission to stay outside overnight.
 - C. I was let stay outside overnight.
 - D. I made attempt to stay outside overnight.
20. It is particularly interested to explore the mystery of the universe.
- A B C D