E10- UNIT 3- PRACTICE 1

A. PHONETICS

I. Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the others.

1.	A. guest	B. manage	C. prodigy	D. teenager
2.	A. demanding	B. nuance	C. ballade	D. polonaise
3.	A. waltz	B. franchise	C. patriotism	D. composer
4.	A. sonata	B. phenomenon	C. nocturne	D. polonaise
5.	A. achievement	B. charity	C. chorus	D. franchise
6.	A. renowned	B. talented	C. gifted	D. learned

II. Choose the best options to fill in the blanks

7. David had to practice hard to compete with other contestants, for it was a highly ____ round.

A. competitive B. passionate C. eliminate D. competitor

8. The Idol program ____ consists of auditions, semi-finals and finals.

A. franchise B. step C. round D. process

9. Can you play any ____? - Yes. I can play the flute and the guitar.

A. musical tools B. pieces of music C. musical instruments D. musical devices

10. Two of the four contestants will be ____ after tonight's show.

A. composed B. removed C. eliminated D. terminated

11. Bach made significant ____ in classical music.

A. innovations B. creativity C. strangeness D. newness

12. That company ____ her into signing a five-year contract.

A. deceived B. pretended C. made D. defrauded

13. What are the major ____ of that famous composer?

A. smash hits B. biographies C. rating lists D. achievements

14. American Idol was ____ in 2002 and soon became a phenomenal entertainment series.

A. launched B. aired C. published D. Both A & B are correct.

III. Choose the options that best fit the blanks.

15. The boys are playing games, ____ the girls are watching TV.

A. so B. nor C. and

16. I tried my best in the final test, ____ the result was not as good as I expected.

A. but B. so C. for

17. He lost the key, ____ he couldn't get into the house.

A. yet B. or C. so

18. She loves comedies, ____ her husband is interested in action films.

A. for B. yet C. or

19. You must do well in the test, ____ you will not graduate.

A. so B. or C. for

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20. Pop music is so popular, ____ the melody is simple and memorable.

A. for B. so C. and

21. I should practice more for the competition, ____ my health hasn't been excellent recently.

A. and B. so C. but

22. You can go to the movies with me, ____ you can go to the concert alone.

A. and B. or C. so

IV. Fill in the blanks with coordinating conjunctions: FANBOYS

23. Daniel tried to read a book in Thai, ____ _____ it was too difficult.

24. Will you pick me up after work, _____ _____ will I take the bus?

25. My grandfather is quite old, ____ _____ he exercises more regularly than I do.

26. My holiday will be an all-inclusive one, _____ _____ I don't know much about the city.

27. Did he design the house himself, _____ _____ did he have it designed by an architect?

28. My mother gave me some money, _____ _____ she also gave me a new dress for Tet.

29. She never came to see him, _____ _____ did she leave him any money.

30. I had failed the driving test once, _____ _____ I was very nervous yesterday

V. Choose the best compound sentence for each sentence pair.

31. The boy didn't like to go to school. He went anyway.

A. The boy didn't like to go to school, so he went anyway.

B. The boy hated to go to school, yet he went anyway.

C. The boy hated to go to school, and he went anyway.

32. I am planning to visit Korea. I have started to save some money.

A. I am planning to visit Korea, but I have started to save some money.

B. I have a plan to visit Korea, nor have I started to save some money.

C. I have made a plan to visit Korea, so I have started to save some money.

33. The first season of Vietnam Idol aired on VTV in 2007. The fifth season aired in 2013.

A. The first season of Vietnam Idol aired on VTV in 2007, and the fifth one aired in 2013.

B. The first season of Vietnam Idol aired on VTV in 2007, but the fifth season aired in 2013.

C. The first season of Vietnam Idol aired on VTV in 2007, for the fifth season aired in 2013.

34. My uncle can play volleyball. He can't play basketball.

A. My uncle can play football, so he can play basketball.

B. My uncle can play volleyball, nor can he play basketball.

C. My uncle can play volleyball, but he can't play basketball.

35. Let's go to the swimming pool. It's so hot today.

A. Let's go to the swimming pool, for it's so hot today.

B. Let's go to the swimming pool, so it's very hot today.

C. Let's go to the swimming pool, and it's so hot today.

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36. You can call the manager directly. You can email him.

A. You can call the manager directly, or you can email him.

B. You can call the manager directly, for you can email him.

C. You can email the manager, so you can call him directly.

37. She sang beautifully. At the end of her performance, she got a big round of applause from the audience.

A. She sang beautifully, yet at the end of her performance, she got a big round of applause from the audience.

B. She sang beautifully, for at the end of her performance, she got a big round of applause from the audience.

C. She sang beautifully, so at the end of her performance, she got a big round of applause from the audience.

38. It is raining very hard. The children are still playing football.

A. It is raining very hard, for the children are still playing football.

B. It is raining very hard, yet the children are still playing football.

C. It's raining very hard, so the children are still playing football

VI. Choose the options that best fit the blanks.

39. They refuse ____ the donation from the government.

A. receiving B. to receive C. receive

40. The Bakers hire a young man ____ on their farm during the harvest.

A. work B. to work C. working

41. I heard someone ____ outside when I was watching TV.

A. to fall B. fall C. fell

42. The boy was able ____ the piano when he was small.

A. play B. playing C. to play

43. He advises Julia ____ to the dentist.

A. to go B. go C. going

44. He does not seem ____ passion for this job.

A. have B. having C. to have

45. Would you like ____ with music?

A. dance B. to dance C. dancing

46. Sam wanted me ____ there early in the morning.

A. come B. coming C. to come

47. Have you ever expected ____ an astronaut?

A. to become B. become C. becoming

48. The heavy rain forced us ____ the match last week.

A. delay B. to delay C. delaying

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