

Unit 1: My Friends

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

1. a. dark b. father c. star d. principal
2. a. old b. sociable c. outgoing d. volunteer
3. a. my b. curly c. library d. lucky
4. a. fair b. laughs c. friends d. potatoes

Choose the word or phrase that best completes each unfinished sentence below or substitutes for the underlined word or phrase.

6. The water in the lake seldom _____ in winter.
a. freeze b. freezes c. froze d. freezing
7. In Britain school always _____ in September.
a. begin b. begins c. began d. beginning
8. I don't have enough money _____.
a. for a holiday b. to a holiday c. to go a holiday d. going on holiday
9. He wasn't experienced enough _____.
a. for doing the job b. to do the job c. to the job d. doing the job
10. The wall was _____.
a. ten meters height b. ten meter height c. ten meters high d. high ten meters
11. Here are some books. Take the _____ you want.
a. books b. things c. ones d. person
12. He's the boy _____ invited me to his party.
a. he b. who c. ones
13. Her new glasses change her _____.
a. appear b. appears c. appearance d. appearances
14. She is very generous She often buys me presents.
a. sociable b. outgoing c. kind d. reserved
15. _____ is something that you say or do to make people laugh.
a. Joke b. Novel c. Poem d. Fairy tale

III. Choose the words or phrases that are not correct in Standard English.

16. He always eats eggs for breakfast and drink some milk.
 17. When he is four, Michael came to London with his parents.
 18. You won't pass the examination if you don't work hardly enough.
 19. The instructions weren't clear enough for me understand.
 20. Last year, Tim comes to the school for the first time.

IV. Choose the word (a, b, c or d) that best fits each of the bank spaces.

Dear Juan,

Hello! I'm your new pen friend. My name is Helen. That's my first name. My (21)_____ is Jones.

I'm from Cardiff, in Wales. I'm fifteen years (22)_____

The name of my school is the Central Cardiff Comprehensive. I am in Year 8. There (23)____ twenty-seven students (24)____ my class.

My (25)_____ singer is Justin Timberlake. Who is your favorite?

Best wishes,

Helen

This is a (26)_____ of me!

21. a. second name	b. nick name	c. middle name	d. family name
22. a. age	b. ages	c. old	d. ago
23. a. is	b. are	c. was	d. were
24. a. in	b. at	c. on	d. of
25. a. favorite	b. interesting	c. pleased	d. best
26. a. photo	b. photograph	c. book	d. a&b are correct

V. Read the following passage and choose the item (a, b, c, or d) that best answers each of the questions about it.

My best friend's full name is Stuart Kenneth Young. His family call him Ken, for short, but his nickname at school is 'Sky'! He was born in Manchester, but now he lives in Newcastle. Sky is fifteen years old. He is 1.65m tall and he weighs 50 kilos. He's got short brown hair and dark brown eyes.

He is interested in all kinds of sport and music. His favorite group is U2, but his favorite singer is Bryan Adams. Sports View is his favorite TV program Sky's favorite food is pizza. He hates people who smoke all the time. I like Sky because he's got a good sense of humor. I also like him because he's a great dancer.

27. Who is Stuart Kenneth Young?

- a. my best friend
- b. the author's best friend
- c. Sky's classmate
- d. Sky's next-door neighbor

28. Where does he live?

- a. In Newcastle
- b. In manchester
- c. In the United State
- d. a & b

29. Stuart likes _____

- a. all kinds of sport and music
- b. U2
- c. Bryan Adams
- d. all are correct

30. Stuart is good at _____ .

- a. music
- b. sport c dancing
- d. all are correct

31. Which of the following is not true?

- a. Stuart is fifteen years old.
- b. Stuart's eyes are dark brown.
- c. Stuart likes pizza and people who smoke all the time.
- d. Stuart has a good sense of humor.

II. Choose the word or phrase that best completes each unfinished sentence below or substitutes for the underlined word or phrase.

6. It seems you often _____ up very early.

- a. get
- b. got
- c. getting
- d. getted

7. Water _____ at 100° C.

- a. boil
- b. boils
- c. boiled
- d. is boiling

8. In the kitchen, there was a _____ table.

- a. beautiful large wooden round
- b. beautiful large round wooden
- c. large wooden beautiful round
- d. round wooden beautiful large

9. He wasn't _____ the job.

- a. experienced enough to
- b. enough experienced to
- c. experienced enough for
- d. enough experienced for

10. Is there enough room _____ in the car?

- a. for me b. to me c. for I d. to I

11. That was one of the _____ days of my life.

- a. gladdest b. most glad c. happiest d. most happy

12. Jane wants to go to the cinema but I would prefer at home.

- a. stay b. to stay c. to staying d. for staying

13. I live _____ 20 Oxford Street.

- a. in b. at c. on d. from

14. It was generous _____ you to share your food with me.

- a. of b. to c. for d. about

15. I was late, but _____ they waited for me.

- a. lovely b. luckily c. extremely d. silly

III. Choose the words or phrases that are not correct in Standard English.

16. Harry went to (a) Disneyland and (b) has (c) a good time (d).

17. Her (a) grandmother has (b) a big beautiful (c) old brown (d) table.

18. Some of (a) us had to (b) sit on (c) the floor because there weren't enough chak (d).

19. I washed (a) my (b) hands, although (c) they (d) still looked dirty.

20. Each of (a) the rooms (b) have (c) a color television (d).

IV. Choose the word (a, b, c, or d) that best fits each of the blank spaces.

My sister and I like each other very much although we are very (21) _____. She's six years (22) _____ me and she works in a bank. I'm still (23) _____ school, so I don't have a job. My sister (24) _____ her job, and she earns a lot of money, so she can go out and enjoy herself. She's very (25) _____ and often invites me to go with her, but I'm studying very (26) _____ at the moment because I want to pass my exams. I usually say no when she asks me, (27) _____ last night I was tired (28) _____ work so I went with her to a dance. We had a great time!

21. a. similar b. the same c. alike d. different

22. a. old than b. older than c. oldest d. the oldest

23. a. in b. at c. on d. of

24. a. like b. likes c. is liking d. are liking

25. a. kind b. reserved c. hard-working d. helpful

26. a. hard b. hardly c. hard-working d. busy

27. a. so b. because c. but d. and

28. a. by b. with c. of d. to

