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Mark		**Examiner 1** (full name, signature)	**Examiner 2** (full name, signature)	**Code number** (written by the chairman)
In numbers	In letters			

(The students do the test right in these sheets of paper following the instructions)

Note: The test consists of 3 pages from 1 to 3. Please check the number of the paper sheets before doing.

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Choose the word that has the underlined parts pronounced differently from the others in each group.

1.	A. <u>ou</u>t	B. ab<u>ou</u>t	C. r<u>ou</u>nd	D. w<u>ou</u>ld
2.	A. helped	B. washed	C. played	D. laughed
3.	A. child	B. school	C. headache	D. chemistry
4.	A. heat	B. reason	C. teacher	D. appear
5.	A. champagne	B. check	C. cheese	D. choose

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.

Choose the best answer from the four choices (A, B, C, D) to complete each of the following sentences.

6. Do you know who's _____ his pottery workshop?
A. bringing out B. taking over C. passing down D. turning down

7. Today's cities are _____than cities in the previous time.
A. lots larger B. much larger C. as large D. the largest

8. This sports centre is so small that it cannot _____the demands of local residents.
A. keep up with B. face up to C. deal about D. set up

9. Adolescence is the period of development _____childhood and adulthood
A. for B. between C. and D. from

10. They can't decide where _____ first.
A. go B. to go C. went D. going

11.They keep changing the decoration of the shop____they can attract more young people.
A. so that B. because C. although D. when

12. Nam didn't know_____to find more information about the course.
A. What B. why C. where D. while

13.You're not a safe driver! You should drive_____.
A. careful B. careless C. more carefully D. most carefully

14.The last exhibition was not_____this one.
A.as interesting B. so interesting than
C. so interesting as D. more interesting

15.I asked Martha_____to enter law school.
A. was she planning B. is she planning
C. if she was planning D. are you planning

16.They said that they had been driving through the desert_____.
A.the previous day B. yesterday
C. the last day D. Sunday previously

17.Traditional games_____as an effective but simple educational method of centuries.
A. were used B. used to used
C. had used D. have been used

18.I wish I_____near my school.
A. lived B. live C. will live D. am living

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6.	**7.**	**8.**	**9.**	**10.**	**11.**	**12.**
13.	**14.**	**15.**	**16.**	**17.**	**18.**	

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.

19. Mr. Brown's new garage was <u>not wide enough</u> for the camper van to fit in.
A. old enough B. so big C. very long D. too narrow

20. We <u>got to</u> the beach after 2 hours traveling by bus.
A. left B. reached C. welcomed D. swam

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.

21. Jane says she is going to get married with a <u>wealthy</u> businessman.
A. famous B. poor C. mean D. positive

22. Human beings have launched many <u>man-made</u> satellites into outer space.
A. special B. enormous C. natural D. expensive

19.	**20.**	**21.**	**22.**

Mark the letter A, B, Cor D to indicate the option that best completes each of the following exchanges.

23. - "Thank you very much."
- " _____ "
A. I'm fine. Thank you. B. Happy to see you here.
C. You're welcome. D. How do you do?

24. - "What's on the television tonight?"
- " _____ "
A. A football match after the news B. At half past nine
C. The film is good D. I will go to the cinema

23.	**24.**

There is a mistake in the four underlined parts of each sentence. Find the mistakes and correct them.

25. <u>He</u> said he <u>would go</u> <u>to</u> England <u>next week.</u>
A B C D

26. My brother <u>enjoys</u> <u>to go</u> <u>to</u> the park <u>on Summer</u> evenings.
A B C D

27. <u>They</u> <u>asked</u> me <u>don't talk</u> during <u>the discussion</u>.
A B C D

25.	**26.**	**27.**

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Read the text and choose the best answer to each question.

Every year several thousand people died in the car accidents in Great Britain. And between one and two hundred thousand people are hurt.

There are rules to make the roads safe, but people do not always obey the rules. They are careless. If everybody obeys the rules, the road will be much safer. How can we make the roads safer?

Remember this rule. In Great Britain, traffic keeps to the left. Cars, buses and bikes must all keep to the left side of the road. In most other countries, traffic keeps to the right.

Before crossing the road, stop and look both ways. Look right and left. Then, if you are sure that the road is clear, it is safe to cross the road. If you see small children or very old people, help them to cross the road. We must teach our children to cross the road safely. We must always give them a good example. Small children must not play in the street.

28. If we want to make the roads safer, _____.
    A. everybody must be careful and obey the traffic rules
    B. traffic should keep to the right
    C. we should not cross the road too often
    D. all the roads must be clear
29. If you ride a bike in Great Britain, you must ride _____.
    A. on the right side of the road
    B. on the left side of the road
    C. in the middle of the road
    D. behind the buses
30. Which of the following is NOT true, according to the passage?
    A. Few people die in the traffic accidents in Great Britain.
    B. In our country traffic keeps to the right.
    C. Cars kill many people every year.
    D. Streets are not safe places for playing.
31. What does it mean by "The road is clear."?
    A. The road is not noisy.
    B. The road is very clean.
    C. There is no car or bus running.
    D. You can see clearly on the road.
32. The safe way to cross the road is to _____.
    A. look right only
    B. look left, and look ahead
    C. run cross the road without looking
    D. look both ways, right and left

28.	29.	30.	31.	32.

Fill each blank with a suitable word/phrase to complete a passage.

Coronavirus germs live in people's throats and mouths. When someone who has the coronavirus coughs or sneezes or breathes out, the germs come (26) _____ their mouth in tiny drops of water.

Though you can't see the germs, you can sometimes see these tiny drops. In cold weather, they make a cloud of steam! So if someone else (27) _____ breathes in the air with the coronavirus germs in it, they would probably get the illness.

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It's easy to get the coronavirus germs from inside your body on your hands (28) _____ you touch your nose or your mouth. If the person with the coronavirus germs on their hands uses a door, the invisible germs can live on the handle for hours. When someone else opens the door, they (29) _____ the germs on their hands too. And if they touch their nose or mouth, the germs can get into their body.

So you (30) _____ also catch the coronavirus by touching things that someone with the virus has already touched.

33. A. into	B. out of	C. to	D. because of
34. A. accidentally	B. generally	C. decisively	D. usually
35. A. what	B. when	C. which	D. unless
36. A. make	B. bring	C. get	D. search
37. A. should	B. need	C. must	D. can

33.	34.	35.	36.	37.

Finish the second sentence in such a way that it has the same meaning to the first one.

38. People believe that the best time to visit the complex of Hue monuments is in April.

A. It is believed that the best time to visit the complex of Hue monuments is in April.

B. It was believed that the best time to visit the complex of Hue monuments is in April.

C. They believed that the best time to visit the complex of Hue monuments is in April.

D. The best time to visit the complex of Hue monuments is believed in April.

39. "Why don't you put your luggage under the seat?" he asked.

A. He decided to put his luggage under the seat.

B. He asked me why I put my luggage under the seat.

C. He suggested I should put my luggage under the seat.

D. He suggested you put your luggage under the seat.

40. My cousin often visited me when he lived in Hanoi.

A. My cousin rarely visited me when he lived in Hanoi.

B. My cousin used to visit me when he lived in Hanoi.

C. My cousin is used to visiting me when he lived in Hanoi.

D. My cousin never visited me when he lived in Hanoi.

38.	39.	40.

Total 40x0.25=10 points

The end.

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