SECTION B: LANGUAGE FOCUS – READING – WRITING (10 pts)

PART I: Multiple choice questions (5.0 pts)

Circle the word (A, B, C, or D) whose underlined part is pronounced differently

1. A. kid<u>s</u> B. roof<u>s</u> C. bank<u>s</u> D. hat<u>s</u>

2. A. don<u>ate</u> B. passion<u>ate</u> C. l<u>ate</u> D. educ<u>ate</u>

3. A. environment B. achievement C. overspent D. movement

Circle the word (A, B, C or D) whose main stress is different from the others:

4. A. animal **B.** agree **C.** ecology **D.** prepare

5. A. freedom **B.** gender **C.** student **D.** admire

Circle the best word/ phrase (A, B, C or D) to complete the sentences below:

6. Even the best invention may have both _____ and disadvantages.

A. benefits B. drawback C. advantaged D. benefited

7. In my family, I often do the …….and take out the rubbish.

A. washing-ups B. wash-up C. washing-up D. washings-up

8. We're best friends as we have a_____ interest in music.

A. passion B. passionately C. passionless D. passionate

9. A: "Thank you very much for helping the disadvantaged children here!" - B: "_____"

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A. What a pity! B. It is our pleasure.

C. Sorry, we do not know. D. That is nice of you!

10. The actress did not finish secondary school, _____she could not go to the university.

A. but B. and C. so D. or

11. A national workshop _____ in this university next month.

A. will held B. will be held C. is going to hold D. will be helding

12. The film _____ by the time we _____ to the cinema yesterday.

A. already began/had got B. already began/got

C. had already begun/got D. have already begun/got

13. Mark is _____ with the volunteer work in this charity organization. He is very _____ about getting a paid job next time.

A. disappointed/ hopeless B. disappointed/ hopeful

C. disappointing/ hopefulness D. disappointing/ hopes

14. The teen singer is old enough_____up his own mind.

A. make B. to make C. making D. made

15. Internet helps us interact _____ people all around the world.

A. on B. in C. with D. of

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16. It was _____ a difficult question that we couldn't answer it.

A. too B. so C. very D. such

17. The family is _____ basic unit of society and is important to both individuals and communities.

A. a B. an C. the D. no article

18. He will be late for the train if he _____ at once.

A. doesn't start B. didn't start C. won't start D. don't start

19. That's Adam Levine, _____wife has just come back from the USA.

A. whom B. who C. whose D. that

20. _____electronic devices are wonderful, they sometimes affect your learning badly.

A. Although B. However C. Because D. Since

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in the following questions.

21. Efforts should be make to offer all children equal access to education.

A B C D

22. That is the more wonderful painting I've ever seen.

A B C D

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23. If you had a chance to meet famous writers, what do you ask them?

A B C D

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following question.

24. We can **purchase** the tickets for the music show online.

A. sell B. gain C. buy D. do

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 the following question.

25. One of the more **obvious** reasons is that they find something they are passionate about and want to do something good for others.

A. clear B. unclear C. lucky D. important

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