E8 – U8 - TEST 1

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

1.	a. away	b. facility	c. migrant	d. nature
2.	a. urban	b. pollution	c. ruler	d. supermarket
3.	a. supply	b. typhoon	c. facility	d. try
4.	a. strain	b. air	c. rain	d. entertainment
5.	a. drought	b. although	c. cough	d. neighbor

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

6. The game _____ at two o'clock tomorrow.
a. has started b. is going to start c. start d. is starting
7. Is your English _____ better?
a. get b. got c. getting d. geting
8. I feel much _____ now that the exams are over.
a. more relaxed b. more relaxing c. relaxer d. relax
9. I think this milk is turning_____.
a. sour b. sourly c. sourness d. more sourly
10. Our new car is a little __than our old one, but still fits easily into the garage.
a. wide b. wider c. widder d. widely
11. _____ the piano, but also the violins.
a. Not only she plays b. She not only plays
c. Neither she plays d. She plays either
12. Italy _____ France in tomorrow's final.
a. has played b. played c.is playing d. play
13.People used to believe that the world was flat.
a. think b. say c. claim d. hear
14._____is a longtime when there is not enough rain.
a. Storm b. Drought c. Typhoon d. Flood
15.Strawberries are_____at the moment.
a. a lot of b. plentiful c. much d. many

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

16. I have to get up early tomorrow because I will teach a physics class at 3.00
A B C
in the morning.
D
17. The situation is already very badly and it is getting worse.
A B C D
18. I enjoy not only reading novels but also magazines.
A B C D
19. She actually prefers do things by herself.
A B C D
20. Is the boat from Hai Phong arriving on 10.30?
A B C D

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

I live (21) _____ Romania, in the (22) _____. My school is about one kilometer (23) _____ from my home. My sister goes to school (24) _____bike every morning, but I haven't got a bike, so I go (25) _____ foot. It only (26) _____ about fifteen minutes, and it's good exercise.

21. a. in b. at c. on d. from
22. a. country b. countryside c. city life d. a & b

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23. a. apart b. away c. 0 d. b & c
24. a. by b. with c. on d. of
25. a. by b. with c. on d. of
26. a. has b. takes c. last d. all 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.

The place where I live is a village. It is called North Thoresby. North Thoresby used to be a big village, but now it is quite small. These days, only about four hundred people live here. A lot of families have left the village. ***They*** have gone to work in larger towns and cities where there are more jobs.

I like our village because it is small and ***quiet***. But my older sister doesn't like it. It isn't exciting enough for her. She prefers to live in a large city, where there are more cinemas and discos and teenagers.

27. North Thoresby_____ .
a. is a city b. is a village
c. is the place where the author of the passage lives d. b & c are correct
28.Nowadays,_____ .
a. only about four hundred people live in North Thoresby
b. North Thoresby is a big village
c. North Thoresby is a small village
d. a & c are correct
29.What does the word ***'they'*** in line 4 refer to?
a. villages b. days c. people d. families
30.We can replace the word '***quiet***' in line 6 with_____ .
a. 'peaceful' b. 'crowded' c. 'noisy' d. 'nice'
31.Which of the following is not true?
a. The author's sister doesn't like to live in North Thoresby.
b. The author likes to live in larger cities because there are more jobs in the cities.
c. The author's sister prefers to live in a large city.
d. Many families have left the village.

E8 – U8 - TEST 2

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

1.a. traffic b. relative c. tragedy d. jam
2.a. apartment b. offer c. prefer d. another
3.a. nature b. pressure c. urban d. supply
4.a. create b. peaceful c. increase d. easily
5.a. accessible b. pressure c. illness d. success

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

6.I'm sorry, but I can't come for dinner because I_____ to York tonight.
a. has driven b. drives c. drove d. am driving
7.That child is getting_____ every day.
a. big b. bigger c. biggest d. biger
8.It's becoming_____ to go out alone at night.
a. danger b. dangerous c. dangerously d. dangerousness
9.The number of cars on the road_____ .
a. increase b. is increasing
c. are going to increase d. are increasing
10. It has been the____ day in London for 35 years.
a. hoter b. hotter c. hotest d .hottest
11. The giraffe is _____ the man.
a. taller than b. tall than c. tallest than d. the tallest than
12. I've lost my keys. Can you help me to look _____ them?
a. for b. at c. after d. Forward

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13. The heavy rain has caused_____ in many parts of the country.
a. storms b. droughts c. typhoons d. floods
14. Living in the country is not expensive. And it isn't complex,_____ .
a. either b. too c. neither d. so
15. There's usually a lot of traffic at this time of day.
a. all the cars, etc that are on a road b. movement
c. means of transport d. transportation

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

16. He is always getting angrily about something.
A B C D
17. We are arriving on Ha Noi in the late afternoon.
A B C D
18. She is a famous musician so well as being a photographer.
A B C D
19. He worked hard in order to getting good grades.
A B C D
20. Richer countries could do more to help poorest countries.
A B C D

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

We live in Yorkshire, (21) ____ a farm in the country. The farmhouse is quite an old (22) ____. It's about 250 years old, I think. There aren't many houses near us. There's a pub in the village about three miles (23)_____, but we're over twenty miles from the (24) ____ town. That, can (25)_____ difficult for shopping, but we love it here. It's very (26)____, there's no traffic, and the view is wonderful.

21. a. on	b. in	c.at	d. a&c
22. a. flat	b. apartment	c. room	d. building
23. a. apart	b. away	c. far	d. from
24. a. near	b. nearer	c. nearest	d. most near
25. a. be	b.is	c. are	d. was
26. a. quite	b. quiet	c. peaceful	d. b&c

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

My name is Julia. I'm fifteen years old and I live in Winchester. It isn't a large town, and the streets are very narrow. Lots of people come into the town every day for work and for shopping. Most of ***them*** come by car. The traffic is very noisy and there's a lot of air pollution. Sometimes it is ***hard*** to breathe. Often, there are traffic jams.

Some of my friends think we should build more roads. Others think we should ban cars from the center of Winchester. Others think more people should travel by bus. I think people should use bicycles or walk.

27. How old is Julia?
a. 13 b. 14 c. 15 d. 16
28. Winchester _____ .
a. is a large town b. has very narrow streets
c. is an old town d. a & b are correct
29. The word '***them***' in line 3 refers to_____ .
a. towns b. streets c. people d. cars
30. The word '***hard***' in line 5 has the same meaning as the word_____ .
a. 'easy' b. 'difficult' c. 'dangerous' d. 'convenient'
31. Which of the following is not true?
a. Some of the author's friends think they should build more roads.
b. The author thinks people should use bicycles or walk.
c. There's no air pollution in Winchester.
d. Many people come into the town every day.

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E8 – U8 - TEST 3

I. Choose the word whose main stress is placed differently from the others.

1. a. delay	b. believe	c. create	d. nature
2. a. offer	b. urban	c. away	d. rural
3. a. migrant	b. typhoon	c. supply	d. remote
4. a. tragedy	b. plentiful	c. relative	d. unpleasant
5. a. information	b. entertainment	c.overcrowding	d. permanently

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

6. She _____ a speech at the conference next week.
a. has made b. is making c. make d. would make
7. The climate is getting_____ .
a. warmer b. warmly c. warmness d. warming
8. 'Jenny has had her baby.' _'Really? That's wonderful! I ____ her some flowers.'
a. will send b. has sent c. send d. am sending
9. The universe _____, and has been since its beginning.
a. expand b. is expanding c. will expand d. is going to expand
10. The CD is _____ than the cassette.
a more expensive b. much expensive c. expensive d. expensiver
11. This machine is ____ .
a. most reliable b. the most reliable c. more reliable d. reliabler
12. TV is bringing _____ information, _____ entertainment.
a. not only ... but also b. so ... that
c. either ... or d. more ... than
13. The film is definitely not suitable for young children.
a. specially b. certainly c. hardly d. really
14. She is offering a reward _____ the return of her lost watch.
a. for b. of c. to d. with
15. _____ is a violent tropical storm in the western Pacific.
a. Flood b. Tidal wave c. Typhoon d. Drought

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

16. They have just phoned to say that they don't come back till midnight.
A B C D
17. I like everybody who works here, but you're the nicer of all.
A B C D
18. Not only the bathroom was flooded, also the rest of the house.
A B C D
19. Take this empty box away and bring to me a full one.
A B C D
20. They often look after other work when they need more money for their
A B C D
family.

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

My name is Pallapah and I live in Bangkok (21) __Thailand. We (22) ___live in the country. My dad and his brothers (23) ____ farmers. But due to money problems, my dad decided (24) _____ to Bangkok, our capital city. None of us really like (25) _____ here because of all the traffic and (26) _____. And because of the high cost of living, we can't buy a house yet.

(27) _____ we would all prefer to live on the 28) _____ , we can earn more money here in the city. So despite all the problems, we will probably stay here.

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21. a. in	b. on	c. at	d. of
22. a. use to	b. used to	c. got used to	d. were used to
23. a. was	b. were	c. is	d. are
24. a. move	b. to move	c. moving	d. to moving
25. a. live	b. to live	c. living	d. b&c
26. a. pollution	b. crowded	c. noisy	d. quietly
27. a. Because	b. However	c. Although	d. So
28. a. country	b. countryside	c. city	d. farm

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

I live in Cairo, which is the capital of Egypt. There are more than ten million people here. A lot of them have come from the countryside because there are more jobs here.

I live in an apartment near the city center. It is a busy, exciting place. It has cinemas and shops, but unfortunately there is a lot of traffic too. Many ***tourists*** come from all over the world to see the Pyramids, which are near the city.

I like Cairo because it is big and exciting. I have a lot of friends and it is easy to meet new people. I am glad that I live here, but my mother doesn't like it. She used to live in the countryside, and she would like to go back one day.

29. Cairo _____ .

a. is a village b. is the capital of Egypt

c. has more than ten million people

d. b & c are correct

30. Why do people go to Cairo?

a. Because there are more jobs in Cairo than in the countryside.

b. Because they want to see the Pyramids.

c. Because there is a lot of traffic in Cairo.

d. a & b are correct

31. We can replace the word '***tourists***' in line 6 with the word _____ .

a. 'newcomers' b. 'visitors' c. 'guests' d. 'friends'

32. The author likes Cairo because _____ .

a. it is big

b. it is exciting

c. he thinks it is easy to meet new people there

d. all are correct

33. Which of the following is not true?

a. The author has a lot of friends.

b. The author likes to meet new people.

c. The author lives in a villa.

d. The author's mother doesn't like to live there.

E8 – U8 - TEST 4

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

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1. a. government	b. over	c. problem	d. permanently
2. a. not	b. problem	c. hospital	d. government
3. a. unpleasant	b. supply	c. struggle	d. lucky
4. a. drought	b. ought	c. brought	d. thought
5. a. result	b. destroy	c. simple	d. this

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

6. 'We don't have any biscuits.'_'Yeah, I know. I _____ some tomorrow morning. I've got them on my list.'
a. got b. gets c. am getting d. get

7. The film was _____ than the book.
a. more exciting b. more excited
c. the most exciting d. the most excited

8. He grows flowers as well as vegetables.
a. and vegetables too b. as long as vegetables
c. as good as vegetables d. not only vegetables

9. It _____ dark. Shall I turn on the light?
a. gets b. will get c. is getting d. is going to get

10. I found it a strain making conversation with him.
a. great pressure b. great pleasure c. great trouble d. great event

11. The earth _____ warmer.
a. is getting slowly b. is slowly getting
c. slowly gets d. gets slowly

12. You are _____ person I know.
a. the lucky b. the luckier c. the luckiest d. the most lucky

13. He has tried very hard to find a job, until now without _____ .
a. result b. end c. conclusion d. affect

14. It _____ late ._ I have to go.
a. get b. will get c. is getting d. is going to get

15. He went to school late because he was stuck in the_____ this morning.
a. rush hour b. traffic light c. traffic jam d. crossroads

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

16. She thinks Dan is enjoying (A) living away (B) from home (C) when he goes to University. (D)

17. People are becoming (A) increasingly (B) anger (C) about (D) the delay.

18. All the car parks were full (A), so (B) we had to look at (C) somewhere to (D) park.

19. Even today (A), most (B) Americans prefer coffee (C) than (D) tea.

20. The governments tried providing (A) facilities (B) for (C) these migrants (D).

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

Mexico's cities are modern (21)_____ have traditional Indian and Spanish influences. The (22) _____ buildings are around a central square, which also serves as a place to meet with friends. There are (23) _____market places, where people can find almost anything they need. (24) _____ Sundays, parks are a (25) place for family outings. Many people move to Mexico City from (26)____ areas. It has (27) _____ excitement, but also lots of traffic and the (28) _____ .

influence (n) : sự ảnh hưởng outing (n) : cuộc đi chơi

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21. a. although	b. because	c. and	d. but
22. a. important	b. more important	c. importanter	d. most important
23. a. outdoor	b. outside	c. away	d. beside
24. a. In	b. At	c. On	d. When
25. a. famous	b. popular	c. plentiful	d. well-paying
26. a. rural	b. urban	c. suburb	d. all are correct
27. a. a lot of	b. many	c. very	d. much
28. a. Supplies	b. population	c. problem	d. pollution

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

Living in a big city today is very different from living in a small town long ago. Today if you want to go to the city center, it takes you a long time by bus or by car. If you ride a motorbike, you breathe all the exhaust fumes and feel sick. Howevex, if you become ill, there are hospitals close by. Also if you like music and dancing, the discos and pubs offer a wide variety.

Long ago life was different. If people traveled, ***they*** used horses and carts. If they went a long distance, the journey took days, not hours. If they were ***ill***, they didn't go to the hospital, there were none. If there is a wedding or holiday, they sang and danced.

exhaust fumes (n) : khói thải horse and cart (n) : xe ngựa

29. The life in a big city today is_____ different from the life in a small town long ago.
a. slightly b. hardly c. very d. b & c are correct

30. How did people travel?
a. By bus or by car. b. By motorbike.
c. By horse and cart. d. By airplane

31. The word '***they***' in line 7 refers to _____ .
a. cities b. horses and carts
c. modern people d. people in the past

32. We can replace the word 'ill' in line 9 by the word_____.
a. 'sick' b. 'bad' c. "wrong" d. "painful"

33. Which of the following is not true?
a. There weren't any hospitals in the past.
b. There weren't any discos and pubs in the past.
c. In the past, the long journey could take days, not hours.
d. It's very convenient to travel in the past.

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