

PRACTICE TEST 1

I. PHONETICS

Question 1 - Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the others.

1. A. monthly	B. <u>homework</u>	C. closer	D. poem
2. A. notebook	B. borrow	C. <u>other</u>	D. follow
3. A. cupboards	B. chopsticks	C. tourists	D. laptops
4. A. windows	B. tables	C. apartments	D. pictures
5. A. climb	B. <u>busy</u>	C. because	D. <u>biscuit</u>

Question 2 - Choose the word that has the main stress placed differently from the others.

6. A. about	B. forgot	C. canteen	D. homework
7. A. afternoon	B. library	C. Saturday	D. bicycle
8. A. describe	B. window	C. picture	D. poster
9. A. family	B. interesting	C. exciting	D. calculator
10. A. museum	B. creative	C. society	D. curious

II. VOCABULARY & GRAMMAR

Question 3 - Choose the best option to complete each sentence.

11. Our art teacher is showing us how to do _____.
A. paints B. **painting** C. paintings D. painters
do painting = paint: vẽ

12. I visited Nga's school last summer. It's _____ by a big lotus lake and green bamboos.
A. surrounding B. surrounded C. surrounds D. to surround
be surrounded by sth: được bao quanh bởi

13. It's _____ to see Tam's villa. It's so beautiful and very large.
A. great B. greatly C. greater D. greatest
It is adj to V.

14. He came to watch a firework _____ in a big city last spring.
A. competitive B. competitors C. **competition** D. compete

15. Her brother is very _____. He can't solve his own problem and always asks his parents to do it for him.
A. rely B. relied C. relying D. **reliant**
reliant (adj): having the tendency to rely on others (phụ thuộc vào người khác)

16. I love _____ very much because I can learn a lot of **famous characters or events in the past**.
A. Literature B. Maths C. English D. **History**

17. She usually _____ to her school with her sister every morning.
A. **travels** B. studies C. returns D. has

18. We put some vases of flowers and hang some beautiful pictures on the wall in the _____.
A. ladder B. hall C. chair D. yard

hall (n): sảnh

19. My mother is **heating** our breakfast food in the _____.
A. fridge B. bath C. air-conditioner D. microwave

20. We hired a small _____ on the **second floor** of Star Tower.
A. villa B. country house C. apartment D. town house

21. His left _____ **was** hurt so he couldn't **bend his hand** easily.
A. necks B. head C. fingers D. elbow

22. My aunt is a _____ English teacher. She likes teaching **street children** at the **community centre**.
A. curious B. patient C. volunteer: tình nguyện D. confident

23. My sons are so _____. They **always take part in outdoor activities** and some clubs at their school.
A. active (adj): năng động B. creative C. freedom-loving D. independent

24. Be careful! Those children _____ their bike so fast.
A. ride B. rode C. are riding D. will ride

25. _____ dinner at home **at this time today**?
A. Do they have B. Are they having
C. Will they have D. Are they going to having

Question 4 - Find the word or phrase in each sentence that needs correcting (You do NOT need to correct them).

26. The **painting** competition **will start at** his school **on** the 17th of October.

27. She **usually** plays **the piano** **every** Monday evening, but today she **watches** cartoons with her younger sister.

28. There **are** a table, four **chairs**, two **pictures** and a vase in **the** living room.

29. There **aren't** a lot of **posters** **in** the wall in **his** bedroom.

30. I **have** new **pencil**, a pencil sharpener **and** a pencil case.

III. READING

Question 5 - Choose the correct options to complete the passage.

Dear Linh,

How was your first day at school? Mine was memorable, 31. ____ it's strange not to have you by my side.

I was excited meeting new people and making new friends because there

are a lot of students 32.____ my new school. The school is twice the size of our elementary school. There isn't a garden like our old school but there is a big football field where students can 33.____ sports. I made a new friend yesterday. His name is Minh and we share the same passion for football. Minh asked me to join the football club with him. I 34.____ to the try-out next week. Wish me luck.

I'm looking forward to 35.____ how your day went. Please write soon.

Your friend,

Nam

31. A. however	B. despite	C. in spite of	D. because
32. A. near	B. on	C. at	D. by
33. A. create	B. choose	C. watch	D. play
34. A. am going	B. go	C. went	D. have gone
35. A. hearing	B. heard	C. to hear	D. hear

Question 6 - Read the text and choose the correct answers.

Central City Middle School is one of the most prestigious school in the city. There are 20 classes which include 6th grade, 7th grade, 8th grade and 9th grade. Each class only has at most 20 students to make sure that each student receives the attention they need. Classrooms at Central City Middle School are equipped with air conditioners, microphones, speakers, maps and various learning equipment to enhance students' learning experience. On campus, there is a gym, a football field, a science lab... Hundreds of books covering different topics are available for students in the school's library. Even though the tuition fees are very high, thousands of students want to enroll at Central City Middle School every year.

36. Which of the following would be the best title of the passage?

- A. Students of Central City Middle School.
- B. Tuition Fees of Central City Middle School.
- C. Prestigious Central City Middle School.
- D. Middle Schools In Central City.

37. What is the meaning of the word "prestigious" underlined in the passage?

- A. Not dangerous.
- B. Can be bought.
- C. Worth a lot of money.
- D. Having high status.

38. How many students does Central City Middle School have at most?

- A. About 400 students.
- B. About 200 students.
- C. About 40 students.
- D. About 20 students.

39. Which of the following is FALSE about Central City Middle School?

- A. There are 4 grades in Central City Middle School.

- B. Each grade in Central City Middle School has 20 classes.
- C. Central City Middle School allows only 20 students in one class.
- D. Central City Middle School's facilities are described with its classrooms, campus and library.

40. Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the passage?

- A. The school cares about its students by limiting the number of students in one class.
- B. The library has hundreds of books with diverse topics.
- C. The school organizes sports competitions for students each year.
- D. The extremely high tuition fees cannot stop thousands of students from applying to this school.

IV. WRITING

Question 7 - Complete the second sentence (beginning with the given word) so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence.

41. Lana has curly blonde hair. (Lana's)

42. The school is near the post office. (far)

43. There are many classes in my school. (My school)

44. I am interested in learning History. (keen)

45. Why don't we give her a surprise birthday party? (How)

Question 8 - Rearrange the words to make complete sentences.

46. three/ He/ week/ basketball/ school/ times/ a/ plays/ after/.

47. is/ She/ having/ a/ party/ with/ present/ a/ big/ cake/ and/ a/ birthday/ lot/ candles/ of/ at/ home/ at/ birthday/.

48. My/ organizes/ school/ sports/ for/ every/ competitions/ year/ students/.

49. fields/ surrounded/ Her/ is/ by/ school/ beautiful/ green/.

50. business/ We/ going/ are/ on/ week/ a/ trip/ Europe/ to/ next/.

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