

7. Upon _____, our driver will pick you up at the airport then driving to Son Tra Peninsula and enjoy the whole beach city. (ARRIVE)
8. A survey showed people were _____ about what they should eat to stay healthy. (CONFUSE)
9. It's a _____ job but I'm sure you'll prove equal to it. (CHALLENGE)
10. More and more foreigners like travelling to Vietnam for holiday because things are _____ here. (AFFORD)

C. PRACTICE TEST

PART 1. PHONETICS

I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others in each group.

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| 1. A. special <u>ity</u> | B. sashimi | C. locat <u>ion</u> | D. local <u>ity</u> |
| 2. A. narrow <u>ed</u> | B. reduc <u>ed</u> | C. travel <u>led</u> | D. arrang <u>ed</u> |
| 3. A. <u>peak</u> | B. <u>feature</u> | C. <u>Eastern</u> | D. <u>already</u> |
| 4. A. <u>desert</u> | B. <u>destination</u> | C. <u>delicious</u> | D. <u>entire</u> |
| 5. A. <u>tourists</u> | B. <u>caverns</u> | C. <u>groups</u> | D. <u>basis</u> |

II. Choose the word whose main stressed syllable is placed differently from that of the others in each group.

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| 6. A. discover | B. addition | C. fantastic | D. habitat |
| 7. A. afford | B. travel | C. wildlife | D. passport |
| 8. A. affect | B. machine | C. challenge | D. promote |
| 9. A. magnificence | B. stalagmite | C. satisfaction | D. accommodate |
| 10. A. original | B. geography | C. imperial | D. stimulating |

PART 2. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

I. Choose the best answer to complete each of the following sentences.

11. The manager is away on a business _____ so I am in charge of the office now.

A. trip B. tour C. voyage D. visit

12. If you want to see historical places, it is a good idea to go on a guided _____

- A. voyage B. visit C. tour D. cruise
13. They spent two weeks at a fashionable ski _____ in Switzerland.
A. resort B. boarding C. region D. area
14. They met on board of a luxurious yacht during a _____ in the Caribbean.
A. tour B. voyage C. cruise D. trip
15. After changing trains three times we arrived at our _____ in the end.
A. destination B. departure C. package D. countries
16. If you have any excess _____, you must pay extra money.
A. furniture B. tool C. luggage D. facility
17. David _____ a seat on the evening flight to Ho Chi Minh City.
A. travelled B. paid C. booked D. made
18. They are going to spend their holiday _____ rural France.
A. relaxing B. exploring C. reserving D. searching
19. Cua Lo Beach is also famous for its beautiful islands such as Lan Chau and Song Ngu, which protect it from heavy storms and strong winds _____ from the East Sea.
A. to come B. to come in C. coming D. coming in
20. _____ is popular with tourist of young people age because they travel with minimum luggage and on a limited budget.
A. Backpack B. Backpacking
C. Backpacker D. Go backpacking
21. We went out for _____ dinner last night. _____ restaurant we went to was excellent.
A. x/a B. the/the C. x/the D. the/a
22. Did _____ police find _____ person who stole your bicycle?
A. a/a B. the/the C. a/the D. the/a
23. I'm looking for _____ job. Did Mary get _____ job she applied for?
A. a/the B. the/a C. a/a D. the/the
24. We live in _____ big house in _____ middle of the village.
A. a/a B. a/the C. the/the D. the/a
25. This morning I bought a newspaper and a magazine. _____

newspaper is in my bag but I don't know where _____ magazine is.

- A. a/a B. a/the C. the/the D. the/a

II. Fill in each blank with ONE suitable preposition or particle.

26. Coffee shops will always be popular _____ retired people.

27. The computer suddenly broke _____, and no one knew what went wrong.

28. You can operate the machine by carrying _____ the instructions in the manual.

29. According to the schedule, the plane to Ho Chi Minh should take _____ at 2 p.m.

30. We can't get access _____ the Internet where we live.

III. Give the correct forms of the verbs in brackets.

31. I'm sure the letter won't arrive on time unless it (send) _____ by air.

32. The news about the storm (already broadcast) _____ on radio several times so far.

33. By the time we arrived, the football match (already start) _____

34. I'd rather you (not tell) _____ her the truth.

35. She (sleep) _____ for 10 hours! You must wake her up.

36-37. Bill (have) _____ breakfast when I (stop) _____ at his house this morning.

38. I am going to have my house (paint) _____ next week.

39-40. I think I (lose) _____ my sunglasses. I (look) _____ for them since noon, but I can't find them.

IV. Identify the mistake in each of the following sentences.

41. Our plane arrives in the Hanoi at two o'clock in the afternoon.

- A. arrives B. the C. at D. the

42. I don't know where could he have gone so early in the morning.

- A. where B. could he C. so D. the

43. The rainy weather here makes it possibly for living things to develop.

- A. rainy B. possibly C. for D. to develop

44. He has learned a lot in the last couple of years, didn't he?

- A. learned B. a lot C. couple of years D. didn't he
45. My teacher got used to drive a car on the left when he lived in London.
- A. My teacher B. drive C. when D. lived

PART 3. READING

I. Choose ONE suitable word to fill in each blank.

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Japan is (46) _____ as the Land of the Rising Sun, and the red spot on the nation's flag (47) _____ the sun. It is an island nation made up of a large archipelago, and each of the numerous islands has its own flavour. Depending on the season, there is always something to be offered for (48) _____. If you want to experience the big city life, definitely head to Tokyo. If you want (49) _____ beauty and four full seasons, head northward to Hokkaido. (50) _____, if you want the place where you can find summer year-round, then Okinawa is going to be your destination of choice.

II. Read the following passage and decide which answer best fits each numbered blank.

(51) _____ the widespread use of modern means of transport, people have more choice of holiday (52) _____ and can now visit even the remotest parts of the world. (53) _____ has certainly become an important factor in the development of many countries.

An obvious (54) _____ of tourism is that it plays a key role in economic growth. It (55) _____ greatly to income of a region or country. It also (56) _____ job opportunities to all kinds of people, and therefore it promotes prosperity in diverse fields. Another positive (57) _____ of tourism is that it helps promote international understanding and cooperation among nations. In addition, tourism can improve the standard of living of local or rural communities, so young people (58) _____ to stay in their hometown to build a good life rather than move to big cities. (59) _____, tourism brings cultural benefits, as travellers learn about the history and (60) _____ of a place, and spread them around the world.

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| 51. A. Thanks to | B. According to | C. Due to | D. Addition to |
| 52. A. place | B. region | C. area | D. destination |
| 53. A. Tourist | B. Tourism | C. Tour | D. Touring |
| 54. A. reward | B. service | C. benefit | D. enjoyment |
| 55. A. contributes | B. communicates | C. adds | D. regrets |
| 56. A. makes | B. creates | C. brings | D. does |
| 57. A. aspect | B. side | C. problem | D. matter |
| 58. A. encourages | B. encouraging | C. are encouraged | D. courage |
| 59. A. Because | B. Therefore | C. Meanwhile | D. Finally |
| 60. A. diversity | B. custom | C. history | D. fashion |

III. Read the following passage and choose the option A, B, C or D to complete the following statements.

Situated on the central coast of Vietnam, which is famous for many beautiful beaches, Lang Co Beach, since June 2009, has become an official member of the "World's most beautiful bays" club. Today, it is a popular destination for tourists in Vietnam, especially for those who love beach.

With the length of approximately 10 kilometres, Lang Co Beach located in Lang Co town, Phu Loc district, Thua Thien – Hue province is next to the National Highway 1A and near Hai Van Pass.

Lying on the most beautiful curve of the country, Lang Co has almost everything that the nature can offer: green mountains and tropical forests, smooth white sand, full of sunshine and cool, blue and clear sea as crystal, and the average temperature of 25oC in summer. It is an attractive destination for both domestic and international tourists in Vietnam. It is the third bay of Vietnam, after Ha Long and Nha Trang named in the list 30 most beautiful bays in the globe.

It can be said that nobody can resist a nature beauty like Lang Co town. This small and peaceful town will give you the most relaxing time and many games at the beach. In addition, you will have good time to enjoy the seafood with various kinds of shrimps, lobster, crab, butter-fish, mackerel fish, oysters, etc. and not far from the beach are some attractions such as Lang Co fishing village, Chan May scenery.

Lying on the "Central Heritage Road", Lang Co is very close to other

famous attractions such as the Imperial City of Hue, Hoi An Ancient Town, Son Tra Peninsula where the famous Son Tra Natural Reserve and beautiful beaches located, and so many more.

61. Lang Co beach is located _____.

- A. 10 kilometres away from Hue
- B. under Hai Van Pass
- C. between Hoi An Ancient Town and Son Tra Peninsula
- D. on the most beautiful curve of Vietnam

62. The most important reason why so many tourists come to Lang Co beach is that _____.

- A. it is considered an ideal place for beach lovers
- B. it is the third most beautiful beach in Vietnam
- C. they can enjoy various kinds of seafood
- D. they can come to the famous Son Tra Natural Reserve

63. All of the following are attractions of Lang Co Beach EXCEPT _____.

- A. cool, blue and clear sea as crystal
- B. its location on the "Central Heritage Road"
- C. the National Highway 1A next to it
- D. smooth white sand, and full of sunshine

64. We can infer from the passage that Lang Co Beach _____.

- A. enjoys the harmony of nature and humans
- B. is very hot during summer
- C. is the most beautiful bay in the world
- D. is the first member of the "World's most beautiful bays" club in Vietnam

65. Coming to Lang Co Beach, you can do all of the following activities EXCEPT _____.

- A. visiting the nearby fishing village
- B. enjoying seafood
- C. relaxing and joining in beach games
- D. sunbathing on many beautiful beaches