

Họ, tên thí sinh:

Số báo danh:

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following

Question 1: The children slept soundly because it was so _____ and quiet in the garden.

- A. peaceable B. peacefulness C. peaceably D. peaceful

Question 2: Donald John Trump is the 45th President of the United States, _____?

- A. is he B. Is not he C. isn't it D. isn't he

Question 3: Mr Nam knows Hanoi City like the back of his _____. He used to be a taxi driver there for 10 years.

- A. head B. mind C. hand D. life

Question 4: Bill Gates gave away \$4.6 billion in Microsoft shares _____ June to his personal charity, the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation.

- A. on B. for C. in D. at

Question 5: Whenever a camera was pointed at her, Marilyn would instantly _____ herself into a radiant star.

- A. transmit B. transform C. convert D. transfer

Question 6: _____ she was the most prominent candidate, she was not chosen.

- A. Though B. Because of C. As D. Since

Question 7: She has just bought a _____ bag.

- A. small plastic blue B. blue small plastic
C. plastic small blue D. small blue plastic.

Question 8: Although she is my sister, I find it hard to _____ her selfishness.

- A. put up with B. catch up with C. keep up with D. come down with

Question 9: When he came, I _____ in the sitting room.

- A. read B. am reading C. has read D. was reading

Question 10: She will call you to confirm _____.

- A. until she received the parcel B. when she was receiving the parcel
C. the moment she receives the parcel D. after she had received the parcel

Question 11: I get quite depressed when I think about the damage we are _____ to the environment.

- A. having B. taking C. making D. causing

Question 12: I'm not going to go ice skating! I'd only fall over and _____ a fool of myself.

- A. create B. show C. do D. make

Question 13: A new supermarket _____ in the city centre now.

- A. is being built B. being built C. are being built D. be built

Question 14: _____ a scholarship, she entered one of the most privileged universities of the United Kingdom.

- A. To award B. Being awarded
C. Having awarded D. Having been awarded

Question 15: The larger the flat is, the _____ its price is.

- A. expensive B. more expensive C. expensively D. most expensive

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best completes each of the following exchanges.

Question 16: Marry is talking to Linda over the phone. Marry: "Thank you for helping me prepare for the party." Linda: "_____".

- A. My pleasure B. The meal was out of this world

C. Never mention me.

D. Of course not

Question 17: Tom is in Ho Chi Minh City and asks a passer-by the way to the railway station.

Tom: "Can you show me the way to the railway station, please?"

- Passer-by: "_____"

A. No way.

B. Just round the corner over there.

C. Look it up in a dictionary!

D. There's no traffic near here.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.

Question 18. A. legal

B. diverse

C. polite

D. complete

Question 19. A. suspicious

B. marvelous

C. physical

D. argument

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions

Question 20. A. Lived

B. cooked

C. laughed

D. watched

Question 21. A. educate

B. engineer

C. acceptable

D. department

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 each of the following questions.

Question 22: That restaurant tempts many customers because of its affordable price and good food.

A. attracts

B. frees

C. refuses

D. offers

Question 23: I'll back up your ideas if they don't believe you.

A. support

B. rebel

C. admire

D. protect

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 each of the following questions.

Question 24: She had never seen such discourtesy towards the director as it happened in the meeting last week.

A. politeness

B. rudeness

C. measurement

D. encouragement

Question 25: They conducted a campaign to promote people's awareness of environmental problems.

A. encourage

B. publicize

C. hinder

D. strengthen

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.

Question 26: He got down to writing the letter as soon as he returned from his walk.

A. No sooner had he returned from his walk when he got down to writing the letter.

B. Not until he returned from his walk did he get down to writing the letter.

C. Only after he had returned from his walk did he get down to writing the letter.

D. Hardly had he returned from his walk when he got down to writing the letter.

Question 27: I invited Rachel to my party, but she couldn't come. She had arranged to do something else.

A. Without having arranged to do something else, Rachel would have come to my party as invited.

B. If it hadn't been for her arrangement for something else, Rachel would come to my party as invited.

C. Rachel would have come to my party, unless she hadn't arranged to do something else.

D. If Rachel hadn't arranged to do something else, she would come to my party as invited.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

Question 28: I don't think that he has responded to my email as I have received nothing.

A. don't think

B. received

C. as

D. responded

Question 29: In order to make progress in her speaking skill, you need to practice everyday.

A. in order to

B. practice

C. make progress

D. her speaking skill

Question 30: Fifty minutes are the maximum length of time allotted for the exam.

A. allotted

B. are

C. length

D. for

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions

Question 31: It's time for me to start to think about the job I will do in the future.

A. I should start to think about the job I will do in the future.

B. I may start to think about the job I will do in the future.

- C. I needn't start to think about the job I will do in the future.
D. I must have started to think about the job I will do in the future.

Question 32: "Buy some meat in the shop", said my mother to me.

- A. My mother said to me to buy some meat in the shop.
B. My mother told to me to buy some meat in the shop.
C. My mother told me to buy some meat in the shop.
D. My mother said me to buy some meat in the shop.

Question 33: I haven't met my grandparents for five years.

- A. I often met my grandparents five years ago.
B. I last met my grandparents five years ago.
C. I have met my grandparents for five years.
D. I didn't meet my grandparents five years ago.

Reading the following passage and mark the letter on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blank from 34 to 38

Father's Day was created to complement Mother's Day. Like Mother's Day (34) _____ honors mothers and motherhood, Father's Day celebrates fatherhood and paternal bonds; it highlights the (35) _____ of fathers in society. Many countries celebrate it on the third Sunday of June, but it is also celebrated widely on other days. Historically, Sonora Smart Dodd was the woman behind the celebration of male parenting. Her father, the Civil War veteran William Jackson Smart, was a single parent who (36) _____ his six children there. After hearing a sermon about Jarvis' Mother's Day in 1909, she told her pastor that fathers should have a similar holiday honoring them. Although she initially suggested June 5, her father's birthday, the pastors did not have enough time to prepare their sermons, and the celebration was deferred to the third Sunday of June. The first celebration was in Spokane, Washington at the YMCA (Young Men's Christian Association) on June 19, 1910. Since then it has become a traditional day (37) _____ year.

In recognition of what fathers do for their families, on this day people may have a party celebrating male parenting or simply make a phone call or send a greeting card. (38) _____, schools help children prepare handmade gifts for their fathers many days before the celebration.

- Question 34:** A. which B. who C. where D. when
Question 35: A. conquest B. effect C. influence D. impact
Question 36: A. raised B. realized C. took D. made
Question 37: A. any B. another C. other D. every
Question 38: A. Besides B. However C. In contrast D. Then

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.

Some animal behaviorists argue that certain animals can remember past events, anticipate future ones, make plans and choices, and coordinate activities within a group. These scientists, however, are cautious about the extent to which animals can be credited with conscious processing.

Explanations of animal behavior that leave out any sort of consciousness at all and ascribe actions entirely to instinct leave many questions unanswered. One example of such unexplained behavior: Honeybees communicate the sources of nectar to one another by doing a dance in a figure-eight pattern. The orientation of the dance conveys the position of the food relative to the sun's position in the sky, and the speed of the dance tells how far the food source is from the hive. Most researchers assume that the ability to perform and encode the dance is innate and shows no special intelligence. But in one study, when experimenters kept changing the site of the food source, each time moving the food 25 percent farther from the previous site, foraging honeybees began to anticipate where the food source would appear next. When the researchers arrived at the new location, they would find the bees circling the spot, waiting for their food. No one has yet explained how bees, whose brains weigh four ten-thousandths of an ounce, could have inferred the location of the new site.

Other behaviors that may indicate some cognition include tool use. Many animals, like the otter who uses a stone to crack mussel shells, are capable of using objects in the natural environment as rudimentary tools. One researcher has found that mother chimpanzees occasionally show their young how to use tools to

open hard nuts. In one study, chimpanzees compared two pairs of food wells containing chocolate chips. Allowed to choose which pair they wanted, the chimpanzees almost always chose the one with the higher total, showing some sort of summing ability. Other chimpanzees have learned to use numerals to label quantities of items and do simple sums.

Question 39: What does the passage mainly discuss?

- A. The role of instinct in animal behavior
- B. Observations that suggest consciousness in animal behavior
- C. The use of food in studies of animal behavior
- D. Differences between the behavior of animals in their natural environments and in laboratory experiments.

Question 40: Which of the following is NOT discussed as an ability animals are thought to have?

- A. Selecting among choices
- B. Anticipating events to come
- C. Remembering past experiences
- D. Communicating emotions

Question 41: What is the purpose of the honeybee dance?

- A. To determine the quantity of food at a site
- B. To communicate the location of food
- C. To identify the type of nectar that is available
- D. To identify the type of nectar that is available

Question 42: The word “yet” in line 15 is closest in meaning to

- A. however
- B. since
- C. generally
- D. so far

Question 43: It can be inferred from the passage that brain size is assumed to_____.

- A. be an indicator of cognitive ability
- B. vary among individuals within a species
- C. be related to food consumption
- D. correspond to levels of activity

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.

Industrialization came to the United State after 1790 as North American entrepreneurs increased productivity by reorganizing work and building factories. These innovations in manufacturing boosted output and living standards to an unprecedented extent; the average per capita wealth increased by nearly 1 percent per year - 30 percent over the course of a generation. Goods that had once been luxury items became part of everyday life.

The impressive gain in output stemmed primarily from the way in which workers made goods, since the 1790's, North American entrepreneurs - even without technological improvements - had broadened the scope of the outwork system that made manufacturing more efficient by distributing materials to a succession of workers who each performed a single step of the production process. For example, during the 1820's and 1830's the shoe industry greatly expanded the scale of the outwork system. Tens of thousands of rural women, paid according to the amount they produced, fabricated the “uppers” of shoes, which were bound to the soles by wage-earning journeymen shoemakers in dozens of Massachusetts towns, whereas previously journeymen would have made the enduring shoe. This system of production made the employer a powerful “shoe boss” and eroded workers' control over the pace and conditions of labor. However, it also dramatically increased the output of shoes while cutting their price.

For tasks that were not suited to the outwork system, entrepreneurs created an even more important new organization, the modem factory, which used power-driven machines and assemblyline techniques to turn out large quantities of well-made goods. As early as 1782 the prolific Delaware inventor Oliver Evans had built a highly automated, laborsaving flour mill driven by water power. His machinery lifted the grain to the top of the mill, cleaned it as it fell into containers known as hoppers, ground the grain into flour, and then conveyed the flour back to the top of the mill to allow it to cool as it descended into barrels. Subsequently, manufacturers made use of new improved stationary steam engines to power their mills. This new technology enabled them to build factories in the nation's largest cities, taking advantage of urban concentrations of inexpensive labor, good transportation networks, and eager customers.

Question 44. What is the passage mainly about?

- A. The difficulties of industrialization in North America
- B. The influence of changes in manufacturing on the growth of urban centers
- C. The rapid speed of industrialization in North America

D. Improved ways of organizing the manufacturing of goods

Question 45. The word “scope” in the second paragraph is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. value B. popularity C. extent D. diversity

Question 46. The author mentions the shoe industry in the second paragraph to provide an example of how

- A. entrepreneurs increased output by using an extended outwork system
B. entrepreneurs used technological improvements to increase output
C. rural workers responded to “shoe bosses”
D. changes in the outwork system improved the quality of shoes

Question 47. All of the following are true of the outwork system EXCEPT _____.

- A. It involved stages of production.
B. It was more efficient than the systems used before 1790.
C. It made many employers less powerful than they had been before.
D. It did not necessarily involve any technological improvements.

Question 48. The word “prolific” in the last paragraph is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. famous B. productive C. self-employed D. progressive

Question 49. According to the passage, how did later mills differ from the mills built by Oliver Evans?

- A. They were located away from large cities.
B. They used new technology to produce power.
C. They did not allow flour to cool before it was placed in Barrels.
D. They combined technology with the outwork system.

Question 50 The passage mentions which of the following as a result of improvements in factory machinery?

- A. It became easier for factory owners to find workers and customers.
B. Manufacturers had to employ more highly skilled workers.
C. The amount of power required for factories to operate was reduced.
D. Factories could operate more than one engine at a time.
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