Name: ……. **PRACTICE TEST 7**

I. LISTENING (1.0 point)

Listen carefully and write ONE word in each blank. You will hear the talk two times.

SECTION 1 *Questions 1–10*

Complete the notes below.

*Write **ONE WORD AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.*

TOTAL HEALTH CLINIC

PATIENT DETAILS

Personal information

Example

Name Julie Anne *Garcia*

Contact phone **1** .....

Date of birth **2** ....., 1992

Occupation works as a **3** .....

Insurance company **4** ..... Life Insurance

Details of the problem

Type of problem pain in her left **5** .....

When it began **6** ..... ago

Action already taken has taken painkillers and applied ice

Other information

Sports played belongs to a **7** ..... club

goes **8** ..... regularly

Medical history injured her **9** ..... last year

no allergies

no regular medication apart from **10** .....

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II. PRONUNCIATION and COMMUNICATION (1 points)

Complete the conversation between two friends. Michael is talking to Sally. What does Sally say? Choose the correct letter (A-H). There are TWO extra letters you don't need. (0,5 points)

Michael: Hello, Sally. Why weren't you at school yesterday?

Sally: (*0*).... **B**…

Michael: What was the matter? Did you have a headache?

Sally: (**1**)....

Michael: I hate being ill.

Sally: (**2**)....

Michael: In our English lesson, we had to answer some questions about a story.

Sally: (**3**)....

Michael: I can come to your house after school if you like.

Sally: (**4**)....

Michael: Have you got any games that we can play?

Sally: (**5**)....

A. So do I! It's horrible!

B. Hello, Michael. I was feeling sick, so I stayed in bed. **(example)**

C. Did you? I just watched TV all day.

D. Yes, they have. Thank you very much.

E. No. I had a terrible cold, but it's better now.

F. A few. I hope you'll enjoy them.

G. Would you like to play it soon?

H. After school? OK! I could show you my new computer then too!

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.

6. A. attr<u>a</u>ction	**B**. <u>a</u>pplicant	**C**. educ<u>a</u>tion	**D**. l<u>a</u>nguage
7. A. telesc<u>o</u>pe	**B**. c<u>u</u>stomer	**C**. conc<u>e</u>ntrate	**D**. c<u>o</u>gnitive
8. A. r<u>u</u>sty	**B**. n<u>u</u>clear	**C**. cond<u>u</u>ct	**D**. dr<u>u</u>mhead

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.

9. A. affordable	**B.** attendance	**C.** compartment	**D.** concentrate
10. A. palace	**B.** promote	**C.** workshop	**D.** patient

III. READING (2.0 points)

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

Pets can improve your life.

The role of animals in helping people recover from a range of health and emotional problem has long been widely recognized. Now a survey **(1)** _____is reported in the Journal of Personality and Social Psychology appears to show that owning a pet can benefit healthy individuals, too. A number of

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experiments, **(2)** _____ by two universities in the United States, indicate that pet owners are generally happier, healthier, fitter, more confident and better able to cope with everyday issues than non – owners. The researchers discovered that individuals have just as close a relationship with the key people in their lives in other words family and friends, **(3)** _____ they have with their pets. Although they found no **(4)** _____that people choose emotional relationship with pets over relationships with **(5)** _____ people, a study of universities showed that owning a pet helped them get over the break-up of a relationship with a partner.

(Source: **Error! Hyperlink reference not valid.**)

11. A. which	**B**. who	**C**. where	**D**. when
12. A. carried	**B**. conducted	**C**. governed	**D**. operated
13. A. because	**B**. because of	**C**. as	**D**. although
14. A. testimony	**B**. support	**C**. doubt	**D**. indication
15. A. other	**B**. a lot of	**C**. another	**D**. every

Read the text and answer the following questions by circling A, B, C or D.

Technological Change

The increasing use of the Internet search function, primarily through the largest search engine of Google, has changed the habits of readers.Critics of newspapers as a medium also argue that while today's newspapers may appear visually different from their copies a century ago, in many respects they have changed little, but have failed to keep pace with changes in society. The technology revolution has meant that readers who were accustomed to waiting for a daily newspaper can now receive up-to-the-minute updates from websites, bloggers and social media such as Facebook or Twitter. Social media sites have been overtaking television as a source for news for young people.

Where once the ability to circulate information was restricted to those with printing news or broadcast television and radios, the Internet has enabled thousands of individual commentators to communicate directly with others through blogs or instant message services. Instead of searching for the publication of their interest in newspapers, readers are more likely to seek particular writers or personal blogs online. When they go online, each of them is their own journalist as well as their own editor.

The gloomy outlook of newspapers is not universal. In some countries, such as India, the newspaper remains more popular than Internet and broadcast media. Even where the problems are felt most keenly, in North America and Europe, there have been recent success stories, such as the dramatic rise of free daily newspapers, such as Sweden's Metro International, local weekly shoppers, and so-called local news. Overall, average operating profits for newspapers remain very low and is falling rapidly. Some newspaper companies are likely in debt because they have been unable to find buyers and concerned with increasing competition.

(Text adapted from https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Decline_of_newspapers)

1**. According to the text, what leads to some changes in the readers' habits?**

A. the introduction of the Internet B. a variety of engines

C. increased use of search engines D. the largest function of Google

2. According to the text, in what way are today's newspapers different from the past copies?

A. their information B. their presentation

C. their readers D. their price

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3. What does the word "they" in paragraph 2 refer to?

A. critics B. centuries C. respects D. newspapers

4. What is the possible failure of today's newspapers?

A. updating social changes B. increasing copies

C. changing appearances D. making no changes

5. Which of the following is the most common source of information for the youth?

A. online newspapers B. blogs C. websites D. social media

6. Which of the following words best replaces the word "circulate" in paragraph 3?

A. circle B. publish C. limit D. search

7. How popular are newspapers in India?

A. less popular than TV broadcasts

B. more common than online newspapers

C. very gloomy

D. rising dramatically

VOCABULARY and GRAMMAR (4,5 points):
Choose the word/phrase A, B, C, or D that best fits the space in each sentence.

21. The government is trying to _____ people to use public buses instead of motorbike.
A. complain **B.** provide **C.** reduce **D.** persuade

22. Watching TV all day is a bad habit _____ we get no physical exercise.
A. but **B.** even though **C.** because **D.** so

23. Valentine's Day is celebrated _____ February 14th.
A. for **B.** to **C.** on **D.** at

24. Huong really regrets _____ out of high school, She has really had to struggle to make her living because of that decision.
A. dropping **B.** drop **C.** to drop **D.** to have dropped

25. At 5 o'clock yesterday evening, my elder sister _____ her clothes .
A. ironed **B.** is ironing **C.** has ironed **D.** was ironing

26. I suggested that Mai _____ the shop on Nguyen Tat Thanh street.
A. tries **B.** would try **C.** try **D.** tried

27. _____ Internet is very popular, many older people do not know how to use it.
A. Despite **B.** Nevertheless **C.** Even though **D.** However

28. If people paid more attention to sharing household chores, the family life _____ happier.
A. had been **B.** would have been **C.** will be **D.** would be

29. It took him years to _____ the shock of his wife dying.
A. go off **B.** get over **C.** put off **D.** take on

30. All of my friends have got smart phones I wish I _____ one too?
A. have **B.** had had **C.** have had **D.** had

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31. Schools will be more responsive _____ changes in society by constantly tailoring their curriculum and activities.

A. with **B.** for **C.** of **D.** to

32. The man _____ design had been chosen stepped to the platform to receive the award.

A. which **B.** whom **C.** that **D.** whose

33. Our class _____ into four groups when we have English lessons.

A. is usually divided **B.** be divided usually **C.** usually divided **D.** is dividing usually

34. We have to educate the public about wildlife, _____?

A. don't we **B.** have we **C.** haven't we **D.** do we

35. Overpopulation tends to create conditions which may result in _____ of food in developing countries.

A. surpluses **B.** supplies **C.** shortages **D.** failures

36. - Student A: 'Give my best regards to your parents.'

- Student B: '_____'

A. It's nice of you to say so. **B.** You're welcome!

C. I'm glad to hear that. **D.** Thanks. I will.

37. - Student A: 'Would you please wait a while?'

- Student B: '_____'

A. Never mind. **B.** Certainly! I'll be right here.

C. Of course. I wouldn't. **D.** Not at all.

38. Find a mistake in one of the four underlined parts in the following sentence.

If you don't feel <u>well</u>, we <u>would discuss this</u> problem after <u>having</u> dinner.

A. this **B.** would discuss **C.** well **D.** having

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 questions.

39. With price increases on most necessities, many people have to **<u>tighten their belt</u>** for fear of getting into financial difficulties.

A. put on tighter belts **B.** save on daily expenses

C. dress in loose clothes **D.** spend money freely

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 questions.

40. If you live in an **<u>extended family</u>**, you'll have great joy and get support of other members.

A. nuclear family **B.** traditional family **C.** close family **D.** large family

Mark letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the given one.

41. ***I love*** **books, but I don't have time to read town**

A. I wish I was basing time to read books. **B.** I wish I had time to read books.

C. I wish I have time to read books. **D.** I wish I am having time to read books.

42. This gym is more convenient than the one near my house.

A. This gym is less convenient than the one near my house.

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B. The gym near my house is not as convenient as this one.

C. The gym is the most convenient near my house.

D. The gym near my house is as convenient as this one.

43. People say that Covid-19 poses terrible threats to humans nowadays.

A. It was said that Covid-19 pose terrible threats to humans nowadays.

B. It is said that Covid-19 posing terrible threats to humans nowadays.

C. It is said that Covid-19 poses terrible threats to humans nowadays.

D. It was said that Covid-19 to pose terrible threats to humans nowadays.

44. "I will try my best to finish the work this afternoon," said Sarah.

A. Sarah said she will try her best to finish the work that afternoon.

B. Sarah said she will try my best to finish the work this afternoon.

C. Sarah said she would try my best to finish the work this afternoon.

D. Sarah said she would try her best to finish the work that afternoon.

45: He lost his job three months ago.

A. They are three months since he lost his job.

B. It is three months since he lost his job.

C. It is three months ago for him to lose his job.

D. It has been three months since he has lost his job.

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