



TEST 23

1–3. Pick out the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the other words. (0.75 pt)

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| 1. A. <u>tour</u> ism | B. <u>crow</u> d | C. <u>pron</u> ounce | D. <u>sound</u> |
| 2. A. <u>last</u> | B. <u>take</u> n | C. <u>a</u> te | D. <u>late</u> |
| 3. A. <u>li</u> ke | B. <u>li</u> vely | C. <u>sit</u> | D. <u>li</u> fe |

4–13. Choose the best answer among A, B, C or D that best completes each sentence. (2.5 pts)

4. In some countries, school children _____ learn two languages at school nowadays.
A. have to B. had to C. should D. should have
5. _____ television is also a means of learning English.
A. Watch B. Watching C. Being watch D. Watched
6. He devoted most of his free time _____ the poor.
A. to help B. helping C. to helping D. for helping
7. They told their parents that they _____ their best to do the test.
A. try B. will try C. would try D. had tried
8. He told the story as if he _____ everything.
A. knew B. was knowing
C. has been known D. had known
9. If her mother _____ home early, she can cook the meal for the family.
A. comes B. come C. came D. had come
10. If the teacher _____ us some homework, we have to stay at home and do it.
A. give B. gives C. will give D. gave
11. He prefers drinking coffee _____ games.
A. to play B. than playing C. to playing D. playing
12. All the homework _____ at home.
A. should do B. should be done
C. should make D. should be made
13. Lan enjoys watching television after dinner, _____?
A. does she B. doesn't she C. did she D. didn't she

14–21. Choose the word or phrase among A, B, C or D that best fits the blank space in the following passage. (2 pts)

Can dolphin talk? Maybe they can't talk with words, but they talk with sounds. They (14) _____ their feelings with sounds.

Dolphins (15) _____ in a group. We call a group of fish a 'school'. They don't study, but they travel together. Dolphins are mammals, not fish, but they swim together in a school.

Dolphins talk to other dolphins in the school, they give (16) _____. They tell when they are happy or sad or afraid. They say 'Welcome' when a dolphin comes back to the school. They talk when they play.

They make a few sounds above water. They make many more sounds under water. People cannot hear these sounds because they are very, very (17) _____. Scientists make (18) _____ of the sounds and study them.

Sometimes people (19) _____ a dolphin for a large aquarium – a zoo for fish. People can watch the dolphins in a show. Dolphins don't like to be away from their school in an aquarium. They are sad and lonely.

There are many stories about dolphins. They help people. Sometimes they (20) _____ somebody's life. Dolphin meat is good, but people don't like to kill them. They say that dolphins (21) _____ good luck. Many people believe this.

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| 14. A. show | B. act | C. outline | D. play |
| 15. A. tour | B. travel | C. exit | D. dive |
| 16. A. advertisement | B. information | C. data | D. facts |
| 17. A. high | B. distinct | C. sharp | D. thin |
| 18. A. tapes | B. hearings | C. sightings | D. copies |
| 19. A. arrest | B. catch | C. imprison | D. isolate |
| 20. A. help | B. save | C. take | D. succeed |
| 21. A. take | B. bring | C. enjoy | D. contain |

22–24. Choose the underlined part among A, B, C or D that needs correcting. (0.75 pt)

22. My brother didn't come back to the home village, and so did I.

A B C D

23. Children under the age of five are not allowed taking part in the game.

A B C D

24. Although he failed the examination many times, but he didn't stop trying.

A B C D

25–28. Use the correct form of the word given to complete each sentence. (1 pt)

25. The hospital is recognized as a centre of _____ in research and teaching. (excellent)

26. Contrary to _____, interest rates did not rise. (expect)

27. What is the correct _____ of this word? (pronounce)

28. There are some _____ who never die in our mind. (music)

29–32. Read the following passage carefully, then write True (T) or False (F) for each statement. (1 pt)

Poor farmers use the same land over and over. The land needs a rest so it will be better next year. However, the farmer must have food this year. Poor people cut down trees for firewood. In some areas when the trees are gone, the land becomes desert. However, people need wood to cook their food now. Poor people cannot save the environment for the future.

We now have the information and ability to solve these big problems. However, this is not a problem for one country or one area of the world. It is a problem for all humans. The people and nations of the world must work together to save the world's resources. No one controls the future, but we all help make it.

29. The land is not in good use if it doesn't have a rest for many _____ years.

30. The land without trees will become poor. _____

31. Only governments can save the environment for the future. _____

32. We can work together to save the world's resources for the _____ future.