

WRITTEN TEST 1

I. Choose the word in each line which has the underlined part pronounced differently.

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| 1. A. <u>learn</u> | B. <u>early</u> | C. <u>hear</u> | D. <u>earth</u> |
| 2. A. <u>bird</u> | B. <u>third</u> | C. <u>circle</u> | D. <u>fire</u> |
| 3. A. <u>apple</u> | B. <u>about</u> | C. <u>alone</u> | D. <u>above</u> |
| 4. A. <u>those</u> | B. <u>from</u> | C. <u>local</u> | D. <u>phone</u> |
| 5. A. <u>hurry</u> | B. <u>Thursday</u> | C. <u>furniture</u> | D. <u>urban</u> |

II. Choose the word which has different stress pattern in each line.

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| 1. | A. virus | B. sunburn | C. habit | D. amount |
| 2. | A. event | B. advice | C. laughter | D. disease |
| 3. | A. ideal | B. healthy | C. active | D. special |
| 4. | A. affect | B. enjoy | C. litter | D. avoid |
| 5. | A. energy | B. condition | C. calorie | D. vitamin |

III. Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to complete the sentences.

1. - She looks very red.
- Yes, she's been out all day in strong sun and she's got _____.
A. sleepy B. backache C. sunburnt D. sore throat

2. Eating a lot of _____ and lack of exercise are the main causes of weight gain.
A. fast food B. grains C. fruit D. fish

3. Outdoor physical activities bring you a lot of _____.
A. fat B. benefits C. health D. calories

4. - I've got _____ for days. It hurts.
- Why don't you use lip balm?
A. sunburn B. acne C. chapped skin D. chapped lips

5. Some hobbies like carving eggs or making models make you more _____.
A. active B. creative C. friendly D. open-minded

6. There are a lot of ways you can do to help the _____ people in your community.
A. young B. local C. elderly D. active

7. They have raised more than 100 million through online _____.
A. donations B. money C. programmes D. sale

8. She has lost five pounds _____ she has been on a low-carb diet.
A. because B. and C. so D. though

9. Add more fruit and vegetables to your diet and _____ fried and spicy food.
A. more B. a lot of C. less D. fewer

10. You'll put on weight quickly _____ you continue eating salty snacks near bedtime.
A. and B. so C. but D. if

11. The book gives you advice on what and _____ each food group you should take daily.
A. how much B. when C. which D. how many

12. My sister's diet is different from _____.
A. my B. mine C. mine diet D. the diet

13. When he _____ to the station the train already _____.
A. comes / left B. came / leaves C. came / had left D. had come / left

14. I _____ never _____ to Cambridge, but I once _____. Oxford.
A. did / go / visit B. have / been / visited

IV. Give the correct form of the verbs given to finish the sentences.

1. - You ever (do) volunteer work?
- Yes, I (join) my school volunteer team last summer.
 2. I know a lot about Beijing because I (go) there last summer.
 3. Sit down and watch the TV; I (finish) my work soon before I join you.
 4. You (ride) into town on your new bike yet?
 5. They (not arrive) yet, but they should be here soon.
 6. It's the first time I (get) all the answers right in a test!
 7. She (start) doing the gardening an hour ago, and she (not finish) it yet.
 8. Eating fruits and vegetables every day (be) very healthy.

V. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each question.

Pets are kept by many people for pleasure or for pastime. They keep and nurse them at home as a hobby. Some people have special breeds of dogs or cats as pets while others rear birds in cages.

In keeping pets we need to take special care. We have to feed them with the right food at proper times. Any failure on our part could endanger their life. We have to protect them from their enemies. Furthermore, the pets and their cages have to be kept clean. This is to prevent the attack of any diseases from unhygienic surroundings.

If we understand their habits it is easy for us to handle them. Keeping pets gives us an opportunity to be kind to these creatures. We might learn more about the life and needs of pets. Those who keep birds like parrots are likely to read books about rearing them. Such people do not hesitate to spend money, time and energy for the well-being of their pets.

1. What is the main idea of the passage?

 - A. Ways of feeding pets
 - B. Keeping pets as a hobby
 - C. Preventing attack of diseases
 - D. Reading books about rearing birds

2. Which of the following is not true, according to the passage?
- Keeping dogs and cats is a hobby.
 - Feeding pets properly is important.
 - We should know about our pets' life and needs.
 - If we fail to take care of pets, their life is dangerous.
3. Our pets may get sick if their surroundings are _____.
- attacked
 - prevented
 - not clean
 - not special
4. Keeping pets is easy if we _____.
- understand their habits
 - give them an opportunity
 - read books about them
 - spend more money for them
5. The word 'rearing' in the passage is closest in meaning to _____.
- giving food to
 - taking care of
 - looking for
 - learning about

VI. Use the correct form of the words given in brackets to complete the passage.

Eat more fruit and vegetables!

A recent report on the eating habits of children suggests that children from the age of three to sixteen show a strong (1. like) _____ for vegetables and only eat (2. suffice) _____ amounts of fruit and vegetables at Christmas. One researcher says not eating (3. proper) _____ may have serious consequences on a child's (4. speak) _____ and physical development, resulting in poorer performance at school.

One (5. solve) _____ is to give children extra iron and vitamins but in the long run it is more (6. effect) _____ if children get right ingredients in their (7. day) _____ diet.

(8. Fortunate) _____, parents choose food for their children that is quick and (9. convenience) _____ to prepare, rather than food which is fresh and (10. health) _____. Consequently, it is difficult later to get children to change their habits.

VII. Choose the correct word A, B, C, or D for each blank in the text.

Clean Up the World is a community-based, environmental campaign that inspires and empowers communities around the globe to clean up, fix up and conserve their environment. *Clean Up the World* (1) _____ in 1993, and now it is one of the largest community-based environmental campaigns in the world. The campaign's main (2) _____ is Clean Up the World Weekend, celebrated globally on the 3rd weekend in September each year; however *Clean Up the World* (3) _____ and supports groups to carry out activities throughout the year.

Organizations and groups can join *Clean Up the World*, with free membership (4) _____ non-business organisations. The *Clean Up the World* campaign brings together businesses, community groups, schools and governments in a range of (5) _____ and programs that positively improve local environments. By facilitating local action, *Clean Up the World* brings about global environmental change.

- A. establish
 - B. established
 - C. is established
 - D. was established
- A. event
 - B. occasion
 - C. service
 - D. time
- A. donates
 - B. encourages
 - C. benefits
 - D. volunteers
- A. in
 - B. for
 - C. with
 - D. by

5. A. works B. collections C. activities D. situations

VIII. Fill each gap with a suitable word to complete the passage.

Oxford University, located in Oxford, England, is the oldest university in the English-speaking world. It is known to begin in 1096.

Oxford University maintains a number of museums and galleries, open for free (1) _____ the public. The Ashmolean Museum, founded in 1683, is the oldest museum in the UK, and the oldest university museum in the world. It has significant (2) _____ of art, including works by Michelangelo, Leonardo da Vinci, Turner, and Picasso. The University Museum of Natural History holds the University's zoological, entomological and geological specimens. Among its collection (3) _____ the skeletons of a *Tyrannosaurus rex* and Triceratops, and the most complete remains of a dodo found anywhere in the world. The Museum of the History of Science contains 15,000 artifacts, from antiquity to the 20th (4) _____, representing almost all aspects of the history of science. In the Faculty of Music is the Bate Collection of Musical Instruments, a collection mostly of (5) _____ from Western classical music. Christ Church Picture Gallery holds a collection of over 200 *old master* paintings.

IX. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it is as similar as possible in meaning to the original sentence. Use the word given and other words as necessary. Do not change the form of the given word.

1. Whose luggage is this? BELONG

2. It took us three months to prepare for this festival. SPENT

3. How much is the entry fee? PRICE

4. People hold the festival to thank the Rice God for the crop. HELD

5. Why are you going to Da Lat in December? FOR

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