

PRACTICE TEST 5

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the followings.

1. A. than B. thumb C. thank D. think
2. A. hide B. pick C. shine D. like

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

3. A. attempt B. effort C. action D. product
4. A. economics B. philosophy C. experiment D. biology

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following s.

5. The book _____ by Stephen King is very popular.
A. to write B. written C. wrote D. writing
6. My students do the mini-tests _____ with fewer mistakes than the previous term.
A. carefully B. most carefully C. more carefully D. the most carefully
7. _____, we will be able to leave for the airport.
A. Before the taxi arrived B. After the taxi had arrived
C. While the taxi was arriving D. As soon as the taxi arrives
8. Chat GPT is famous _____ its quick finding of any solution..
A. of B. for C. about D. with
9. Your mother is an English teacher, _____?
A. isn't she B. was she C. is she D. does she
10. At first she was trained to be _____ scriptwriter, but later she worked as _____ secretary.
A. the / a B. a/a C. the / the D. a / the
11. They'd been _____ themselves with snacks all afternoon, so they didn't want any dinner.
A. stuffing B. eating C. consuming D. devouring
12. I could not _____ the lecture at all. It was too difficult for me.
A. hold on B. make off C. get along D. take in
13. My parents were really disappointed _____ out the truth.
A. finding B. to find C. for finding D. find
14. You're falling short on class attendance and you failed to submit the last assignment. You're _____ in this semester.
A. walking on thin ice B. walking on thin eggshells
C. walking on thin air D. walking on thin sky
15. Ngoc _____ in the kitchen when she saw a mouse.
A. is cooking B. has cooked C. was cooking D. cooks
16. Unfortunately, the company closed down because it couldn't _____ pace with rapidly changing technology
A. look B. come C. catch D. keep
17. The results of the inquiry may lend _____ to the claims made by the scientist.
A. weight B. depth C. gravity D. pressure
18. The city zoo is looking for some _____ that work at the weekend.
A. voluntary B. voluntarily C. volunteers D. voluntarism
19. The next scheduled meeting _____ in May.
A. will hold B. will be held C. has held D. is holding

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

20. Jisoo: "I think that the youth are high-flying but inexperienced" - Rose: "_____."
A. There's no doubt about it. B. Certainly.
C. Are you kidding me? D. It's a nice of you to say so.
21. Tony is in a café.
- Tony: "Can I have a cup of coffee with ice?" - Waiter: "_____."
A. Sure. Wait a minute, please B. Don't mention it, please
C. It's too hard D. Sorry for saying that

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following s.

22. When you're new in a school, it's easiest to just go with the flow for a while, and see what people are like.
A. follow the common rules B. do what other people are doing

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| 34. A. less | B. little | C. few | D. much |
| 35. A. because | B. so | C. or | D. whereas |
| 36. A. rises | B. raises | C. comes | D. results |
| 37. A. flexible | B. challenging | C. crucial | D. profound |
| 38. A. where | B. that | C. which | D. at which |

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the answer to each of the .

Symptoms of monkeypox (mpox) can include a rash, fever, chills, muscle aches, backache, swollen lymph nodes, sore throat and exhaustion. Some people with mpox experience proctitis, **which** may present with anal or rectal pain, bloody stools, diarrhoea, or urethritis.

The rash mainly affects the genital or perianal areas, face including inside the mouth, and extremities such as hands and arms or feet and leg, however other parts of the body can be affected. The rash may change and go through different stages and involve skin lesions such as vesicles, pustules, pimples, or ulcers which become scabs that fall off.

Non-rash symptoms may precede or accompany the rash. People with mpox are considered infectious from the first onset of symptoms until all skin **lesions** crust, scab and fall off with a layer of new skin forming underneath.

Symptoms may resemble sexually transmitted infections (STIs) such as herpes or syphilis and co-infections may occur. Therefore, investigating for other potential causes of symptoms is important.

Mpox typically results in mild illness and most symptoms resolve within a few weeks. However, some people may develop severe illness and require hospitalisation. Children, pregnant women, and immunocompromised individuals are considered at higher risk of developing severe disease.

(Adapted from <https://www.health.vic.gov.au/>)

39. Which of the following can be the best title for the passage?

A. When is the Outbreak of Monkeypox	B. Appearance of Monkeypox Patients
C. Clinical Features of Monkeypox	D. Children Not Afraid of Monkeypox
40. According to the passage, symptoms of monkeypox _____.

A. don't include sore throat and exhaustion
B. may be the same as sexually transmitted infections
C. have shown clear potential causes
D. resolve within a few months
41. The word **which** in paragraph 1 refers to _____.

A. exhaustion	B. anal or rectal pain
C. diarrhoea	D. mpox experience proctitis
42. The word **lesions** in paragraph 3 mostly means _____.

A. damage to the skin	B. injury by the sun	C. allergy to seafood	D. anxiety before bedtime
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43. Which of the following is NOT true according to the passage?

A. For some people, mpox comes along with proctitis.
B. The rash also affects hands and arms or feet and leg.
C. Non-rash symptoms may precede the rash.
D. No patient develops severe illness and require hospitalisation.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the answer to each of the following sentences

The next time you're out in a public place, like a park or a restaurant, look around you. What is happening? Some people are surfing the internet on their phones. Others are wearing headphones, listening to music on their MP3 players. That's just the way life is today. We all spend a **fair** amount of our time connected to technology.

Now imagine living in a world without smartphones, tablets or any of the electronic gadgets we take for granted these days. There's no internet and you go to the library and look at a book when you want to find anything out. You play outside with friends in the real world instead of playing online video games in virtual worlds. There are no texts, no DVDs and no email. Welcome to 1986!

That's the world the McMillan family from Ontario, Canada, decided to live in for a year. Blair, 27, Morgan, 28, and their two sons Trey and Denton, aged five and three, got rid of their cable TV, smartphones, internet, new games console, digital camera, DVD player and sat nav, and instead used an old TV, a radio, old telephones, a VHS video player, an old games console and maps. They decided to try it after seeing how their young children were becoming **dependent** on technology. **They** aren't alone. More and more parents today worry about the effect technology is having on their children, particularly very young children.

The McMillans decided to get back to basics to see how things have changed. So how did they find their year without modern technology? 'I thought Blair was mad when he suggested doing this whole thing,' says Morgan, but it's made me realise how much time we wasted. We seem much more relaxed now, not checking in on email or Facebook all the time.' The McMillans are now back in the present with a different attitude to today's technology. Blair said, 'I'm not anti-

technology. I wanted to taste, and I wanted my kids to taste what it would be like without it, and to see if we could actually do it.”

(Adapted from *Optimise* by Malcolm Mann and Steve Taylore-Knowles)

44. Which best serves as the title for the passage?
- A. A Year without Technology B. The Fresh Era of New Technology
C. A Day of Living without Your Phone D. Technology in Times of Change
45. According to paragraph 1, people nowadays _____.
- A. tend to stroll around public parks frequently B. are only keen on reading news on the Internet
C. lead an easier life D. are addicted to using technology
46. The word ‘**fair**’ in paragraph 1 mostly means _____.
- A. limited B. equal C. pretty small D. quite large
47. The word ‘**dependent**’ in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to _____.
- A. reliant B. stuck C. pessimistic D. confused
48. The word ‘**They**’ in paragraph 3 refers to _____.
- A. Electronic gadgets B. The McMillans C. Modern parents D. Young children
49. Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the passage?
- A. Life today is better and healthier than life in the past.
B. The McMillan family changed their forms of entertainment in their experiment.
C. Trey and Denton were very hooked on modern technology.
D. Many parents nowadays share the same concern as the McMillans.
50. Which of the following can be inferred from the passage?
- A. Blair was crazy about a life dominated by modern technology.
B. Life with lots of electronic gadgets might make the McMillans quite stressful.
C. Morgan attributed the success of her family’s experiment to Blair’s willingness.
D. The McMillans returned to the present because they’re fed up the life in 1986.