

SEMESTER 2 TEST

LISTENING (2.0 POINTS)

Listen to a conversation between Tom and Kate. Write **T** (true) or **F** (false).

- 1 The children were playing soccer when they saw the strange object. _____
- 2 The flying saucer was disk-shaped. _____
- 3 The man saw two big green aliens in the park. _____
- 4 Tom was reading books when he heard the noise. _____
- 5 Tom was sure that he saw an alien with a huge head and three hands. _____



PRONUNCIATION (1.0 POINT)

Circle the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the others.

- 6 A health B thread C great D dead
 7 A show B how C snow D flow

Circle the word that has a stress pattern different from the others.

- 8 A tablet B starge C apron D disease
 9 A journalist B battery C musician D vehicle

USE OF ENGLISH (3.0 POINTS)

Circle the best options (A, B, C or D).

- 10 These two laptop models are different in _____. The one on the left is much lighter.
 A screen B weight C battery D screen
- 11 John: "_____ does this phone have?"
 Sales assistant: "It has 128GB of storage."
 A How many songs B How much storage
 C How big is the screen D How much RAM
- 12 My uncle is an engineer. His job is to design and _____.
 A build bridges B make videos C write songs D make games
- 13 My brother is on a diet, and he eats _____ vegetables. He does not eat much meat.
 A steamed B corn C sticky D uncooked
- 14 When astronauts go into space, they live in a _____.
 A space house B space station C spaceship D space car
- 15 Jane is good at writing, and she wants to become a _____ in the future.
 A veterinarian B rescuer C journalist D designer
- 16 _____ is the screen size of your tablet? - It's 10.1 inches.
 A What B Which C Why D How about
- 17 John's laptop is broken, so Jenny let him borrow _____. She just bought it yesterday.
 A its B hers C his D theirs
- 18 Sam: "What did your mom say?"
 May: "_____"
 A My mother said that she was going out tonight.
 B My mother said that she was going out that night.
 C My mother said she was going out tonight.
 D My mother said she's going out that night.
- 19 In the future, people _____ live on the Moon with the help of technology.
 A will B won't C can't D won't be

Give the correct forms of the words in brackets.

- 20 My new computer runs much _____ than my old one. (FAST)
 21 She has a _____ talent for songwriting. (MUSIC)
 22 I'm looking for the _____. He said that he would meet me here. (DIRECT)

Give the correct forms of the verbs in brackets.

- 23 I _____ (break) my leg when I _____ (run) at the park.
 24 Jane said she _____ (work) as a doctor in the local hospital.
 25 When I _____ (walk) on the street, I _____ (see) a strange light.

Circle the underlined part (A, B, C or D) that needs correcting.

- 26 Scott told me that his father owns a horse.
 A B C D
 27 I phoned my best friend yesterday, and he said it is raining there.
 A B C D
 28 The policeman asked Bob if he sees a UFO in the sky.
 A B C D
 29 Mai advised her son don't stay up late, or he might feel tired at school.
 A B C D
 30 Bruce told his friend that he is very happy to see him.
 A B C D



READING (2.0 POINTS)

Read the text about an interview. Choose the best options (A, B, C or D).

Yesterday I had an interview with Dr Louis, 31) _____ expert on teenage problems. He said teenagers today had many problems. "Many teenagers often stick to their smartphones and do not spend enough time studying," Dr Louis said. He also stated that some teens always 32) _____ with their parents about many things. They might find it hard to study school subjects and keep up with friends. Many of them did not have enough time to relax, 33) _____ they felt tired and could not focus on studying. I asked 34) _____ there were any ways to help solve these problems and Dr Louis suggested some ideas. He said the first thing was to reduce teens' time on their phones because this would help them focus more on schoolwork. Secondly, they should talk to their parents about their feelings so that they could understand each other. Thirdly, schools should 35) _____ less homework and create more outdoor trips. These solutions would help teenagers have a better life.



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| 31 A a | B an | C the | D - |
| 32 A argues | B to argue | C argued | D arguing |
| 33 A so | B for | C but | D as |
| 34 A when | B if | C what | D which |
| 35 A have | B take | C bring | D assign |

Read the text about smartphones. Choose the best answers (A, B, C or D).

Smartphones have changed the way we communicate and get information. They provide us with a lot of benefits that make our lives easier and more **convenient**. Firstly, smartphones allow us to stay connected with friends and family through calls, texts, and social media. This is especially useful for people who live far away from their loved ones. Secondly, smartphones are equipped with many applications, such as maps and shopping apps to make daily tasks simpler and more effective. Thirdly, smartphones can provide us with instant access to the Internet and allow us to read about news and current events, find information for work or school, and entertain ourselves with games, music and videos. Furthermore, many smartphones are equipped with cameras, allowing us to capture and share memories with others. In conclusion, smartphones have many benefits that greatly improve our lives.



- 36 What is the main idea of the passage?
- A The history of smartphone development
 - B The benefits of smartphones
 - C The negative effects of smartphones on society
 - D The comparison of different types of smartphones
- 37 Which word has the CLOSEST meaning to the word **convenient** in the passage?
- A uncomfortable B handy C simple D effortless
- 38 What can be inferred from the passage about the use of smartphones?
- A Smartphones are not useful for people who live far away from their loved ones.
 - B Smartphones only have negative effects on our lives.
 - C Smartphones can help people capture and share memories with others.
 - D Smartphones are not equipped with cameras.
- 39 According to the passage, how useful are smartphones?
- A Smartphones have a negative effect on our communication with friends and family.
 - B Smartphones have no effect on our communication with friends and family.
 - C Smartphones make our communication with friends and family more difficult.
 - D Smartphones make our communication with friends and family more convenient.
- 40 What is the role of applications in the benefits of smartphones mentioned in the passage?
- A Applications play no role in the benefits of smartphones.
 - B Applications have a negative effect on the benefits of smartphones.
 - C Applications have a limited effect on the benefits of smartphones.
 - D Applications play a significant role in the benefits of smartphones.

WRITING (2.0 POINTS)

Rearrange the given words to make complete sentences.

41 not / told / me / stay / up / He / late. / to

42 When / I / doing / my / I / heard / loud / noise. / was / homework, / a

Make complete sentences using the prompts.

43 He / say / want / become / English teacher.

44 Mary / own / laptop / with / 512GB / storage.

45 There / be / different / ethnic groups / Vietnam.

Rewrite the sentences without changing their meanings.

46 "I can't play the guitar because it's too hard," he said to me.

He told me _____

47 "Where are you now?" the mother asked her daughter on the phone.

The mother asked _____

Rewrite the sentences using the words in brackets.

48 His robot can't lift objects as high as mine. (HIGHER)

49 "You need to do your homework and go to bed early," said my mother. (TOLD)

50 I was walking home. I saw an object like a UFO in the sky. (WHEN)

