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FINAL EXAM

ADULTS 7 – MISS NOELIA

USE OF ENGLISH SECTION

- Read the text below and choose the correct answer for each gap.

Living Without The Internet

Paul Miller is a journalist, so you would think that he would find it pretty difficult to give up using the internet for a year. **(26)**, that's exactly what he decided to do. It's not that Paul didn't **(27)** going online. In fact, he found he was spending a large part of his day glued to the screen. He felt that he had become too **(28)** on it for everything. Like many of us, Paul couldn't imagine **(29)** the internet for a full day, not checking his emails and his Twitter account. How on earth would he cope **(30)** being offline for a whole year?

Paul has just **(31)** the halfway point of his challenge – six months with no internet have passed. And so what has it been like for him? Well, Paul admits that, at first, he did find it very **(32)** not being able to contact people online. As you'd **(33)** , it was the social networking sites that he missed most of all.

Interestingly, Paul is now finding it easier **(34)** than harder as the weeks without the internet go by. He finds that he has much more time to read books and meet friends face to face these days. He advises other people to **(35)** a go at living without the internet, even if they can't manage it for a whole year!

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| 26. A Although | B However | C Instead | D Despite |
| 27. A want | B satisfy | C like | D wish |
| 28. A reliable | B self-confident | C influenced | D dependent |
| 29. A giving up | B trying out | C going ahead | D getting on |
| 30. A for | B along | C with | D over |
| 31. A got | B reached | C arrived | D come |
| 32. A strict | B rigorous | C strong | D tough |
| 33. A believe | B expect | C consider | D experience |
| 34. A except | B unless | C rather | D otherwise |
| 35. A give | B have | C get | D take |

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- Read the text. Think of the word which best fits each gap. Write ONE word for each gap.

The Quality of City Life

More and more people are moving to cities to live, but how is people's quality of life being affected by this? People have different opinions about (36) contributes to them having a 'good quality of city life'. Some would choose having plenty of parks, others a lack of crime. Most people, though, would agree that traffic congestion (37) already become a really serious problem in their lives. People spend far (38) much time stuck in their cars and getting angry. It's thought that, by the middle of the century, most cities will (39) introduced much better public transport. (40) this happens, a whole range of problems will be solved for people living in cities.

- Read the sentences. Choose the missing word or words A, B, C or D for each space.

41. My memory is awful. I often forget important things I need to do.

- A to do B doing C to doing D do

42. I used to be a very naughty kid! I remember all over the walls of the house.

- A to draw B drawing C to drawing D draw

43. Before we got there, I it would be an ordinary hotel. But I was wrong!

- A had no idea B came to the conclusion C realised D assumed

44. I Ryan might be the one who ate my chocolate.

- A come to the conclusion B suspect C have no idea D realise

45. It was really to see them perform so well, I wasn't expecting it!

- A astonishing B exotic C memorable D dramatic

46. We are really excited about the wedding, but we're still looking for the perfect

- A studio B terrace C terminal D venue

47. It rained every day on our holiday. We were very

- A unbelievable B unexpected C unfortunate D irrelevant

48. Tommy lost his favourite toy yesterday, but he it extremely well.

- A pursued B coped with C tackled D went ahead

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- Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words, including the word given.

49. "I won't be able to come to your party", Ian said to Dana.

TOLD

Ian be able to come to her party.

50. "There has been a delay to the incoming flight", said the receptionist at the airport.

SAID

The receptionist at the airport a delay to the incoming flight.

51. "Did you hear what happened last night?", my neighbour said to me.

ASKED

My neighbour what had happened the night before.

52. "I think they went that way", said Ellie.

THOUGHT

Ellie that way.

53. Maybe it wasn't his real name.

BEEN

It his real name.

54. Surely they left after having the argument.

MUST

They after having the argument.

55. I didn't run after the train. I wish I did.

ONLY

..... run after the train.

56. I regret not listening to what you said.

WISH

I to what you said.