

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each numbered blank from 19 to 24.

✿ Preparing for Tet Festival ✿

Lan and her brother are getting ready for the Lunar New Year. They help their parents (19) _____ the living room and hang red decorations on the walls. Outside, they (20) _____ the garden with colorful lights and paper lanterns. Their grandma teaches them how to (21) _____ Chung cakes with green leaves and sticky rice. Lan enjoys this tradition because it brings the whole family together. Her dad will (22) _____ the fruit tray and place it on the altar. On New Year's Eve, the family gathers to (23) _____ the firework show. Everyone is happy and excited to (24) _____ the new year with joy.

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| 19. A. tidy up | B. pass out | C. make up | D. cut off |
| 20. A. decorate | B. remove | C. throw | D. dislike |
| 21. A. grow | B. cook | C. wrap | D. fix |
| 22. A. break in | B. take off | C. eat out | D. set up |
| 23. A. watch | B. wash | C. strike | D. throw |
| 24. A. turn around | B. welcome | C. remove | D. wear out |

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.

25. "Why don't you join a sports club at your school?"

- A. You must join a sports club at your school.
- B. I suggest that you should join a sports club at your school.
- C. You can't join any sports club at your school.
- D. Do you know any sports club at your school?

26. "They have no five-fruit tray on the ancestral altar."

- A. There is a five-fruit tray on the ancestral altar.
- B. They put five types of fruit on the ancestral altar.
- C. There isn't any five-fruit tray on the ancestral altar.
- D. The five-fruit tray is very beautiful on the ancestral altar.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.

27. Vietnamese people / often / clean / decorate / houses / Tet.

- A. Vietnamese people often clean decorate houses on Tet.
- B. Vietnamese people often clean and decorate houses at Tet.

- C. Vietnamese people often cleans and decorates houses at Tet.
D. Vietnamese people often cleans and decorates houses on Tet.

28. It / very / interesting / take / boat trip / the Perfume River

- A. It be very interesting to take boat trip on Perfume River.
B. It be very interesting is to take boat trip the Perfume River.
C. It is very interesting take a boat trip on the Perfume River.
D. It is very interesting to take a boat trip on the Perfume River.

Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

29: What is the meaning of the sign below?

	A. You mustn't walk on the flowers.
	B. You should pick up the trash here.
	C. You mustn't enter the park without permission.
	D. You cannot pick any flowers growing here.

30: What does the sender need?

	A. There are special offers every day at this shop.
	B. You don't have to pay for the third item.
	C. This offer is available on Saturday.
	D. You always get third item when you buy two

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.

Thanksgiving Day is a holiday in which Americans celebrate the honor of everything the country offered to their ancestors, who were among the first immigrants to the United States. When they first came to America, they saw that there was enough food and opportunity for everyone. They were even helped by the Indians, who taught them how to grow all kinds of new vegetables, such as corn and yams or sweet potatoes.

On Thanksgiving Day, it is **traditional** to eat a big meal together. Americans eat food that was found here by their ancestors. They usually eat turkey with sweet potatoes, Indian corn bread, and have pumpkin pie for dessert.

Every Thanksgiving Day, a giant parade is held by one of the most famous department stores in New York. It is an annual event. And at the end of the parade, children can even see Santa Claus, who is visiting from the North Pole. Santa Claus is invited to remind children and parents that Christmas is not far away.

31. What do Americans celebrate on Thanksgiving Day?

- A. The arrival of Santa Claus
- B. The honor of everything the country offered to their ancestors
- C. The beginning of winter
- D. The invention of corn and yams

32. Who helped the first immigrants learn to grow new vegetables?

- A. The government
- B. The Indians
- C. Santa Claus
- D. Other immigrants

33. What is usually eaten on Thanksgiving Day?

- A. Pizza and burgers
- B. Fish and rice
- C. Pasta and salad
- D. Turkey, sweet potatoes, Indian corn bread, and pumpkin pie

34. Which of the following statements is NOT TRUE according to the passage?

- A. The Indians helped the first immigrants learn to grow vegetables.
- B. Pumpkin pie is a traditional dessert on Thanksgiving Day.
- C. The parade happens in Boston every year.
- D. Santa Claus appears at the end of the parade.

35. The word "**traditional**" in the passage is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

- A. usual
- B. modern
- C. new
- D. rare

36. The word "**annual**" in the passage is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. rare
- B. regular
- C. frequent
- D. yearly

Four phrases/ sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.

During Tet, many families prepare to (37) _____. The temple is often crowded with people (38) _____. Near the temple, there is a small square where traditional performances take place, including dragon dancers who (39) _____. After visiting the temple, families usually return to their homes to enjoy a peaceful meal together. Children love to (40) _____ and show off their lucky red envelopes from relatives.

- A. dress up in traditional clothes

B. visit the pagoda to pray for good luck in the new year

C. bringing offerings and flowers

D. entertain the crowd with their exciting performances.

37. _____

38. _____

39. _____

40. _____