

SECTION I: LISTENING (3.0 points) (You will hear twice for each part)

Part 1: Questions from 1 to 5. (1 point -0.2/ each)

You will hear someone interviewing a woman called Josie on a food program. Choose the correct answer from A, B or C for each of the following questions.

1. Josie's parents preferred cooking recipes
 - A. from different countries.
 - B. with lots of ingredients.
 - C. that were simple to prepare.
2. What happened to Josie at college?
 - A. She left before the end of the course.
 - B. She only enjoyed some parts of the course.
 - C. She completed the course successfully.
3. What did Josie dislike about working at the restaurant?
 - A. the people she worked with
 - B. the speed of the job
 - C. the type of food she had to cook
4. When did Josie start writing articles about food?
 - A. after a bad experience at a restaurant
 - B. during her journalism course
 - C. when she applied for a job with a magazine
5. What are Josie's plans for the future?
 - A. to set up her own magazine
 - B. to buy a restaurant
 - C. to stop work for a year

Part 2: Questions from 6 to 15. (2 points - 0.2/ each)

Listen to the recording. Complete the notes below. Write one word or a number for each answer.

Hotel Reservation	
Location: <u>north</u> from the coast	
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* Four-bed room available in (6)	
* Room price:	
- During peak time: (7) €	
- Cheaper if you make reservation 1 (8) ahead.	
* Meal included in price: (9)	
* Must bring your own: (10)because they are not provided.	
Hotel facilities:	
* a lounge with a variety of (11)	
* (12)room	

* (13) is available

Activities available:

* collecting (14) on the beach.

* hire (15) to explore the wonders of nature.

SECTION II: LEXICO – GRAMMAR (7.0 points)

Part 1: Questions from 16 to 35. (3.0 points - 0.15/ each)

Choose the best answer from A, B, C or D to best complete the following sentences.

16. She _____ modern art. She visits all the local exhibitions.
A. looks down on B. goes in for C. fixes up with D. comes up against
17. I would appreciate _____ it a secret.
A. you to keep B. that you keep C. that you will keep D. your keeping
18. The judge _____ the murderer to a lifetime imprisonment.
A. accused B. convicted C. sentenced D. prosecuted
19. To solve this problem, it is advisable _____.
A. that a drastic measure be adopted B. that a drastic measure is adopted
C. a drastic measure to be adopted D. that to adopt a drastic measure
20. When reaching the top of the hill, _____.
A. below us extended the sea B. the sea came into view
C. it was the sea that extended below us D. we suddenly caught sight of the sea
21. Mary is a friendly girl who _____ everyone she meets.
A. gets up B. gets on with C. gets over D. gets out of
22. _____, "Alice in the Wonderland" appeals to many adult readers, too.
A. Though for children written B. Though written for children
C. Though it written for children D. It was written for children
23. When you do something, you should _____.
A. get through to B. turn over a new leaf
C. weigh up the pros and cons D. go down well with
24. After the battle, the _____ soldiers were helped by those who could walk.
A. injured B. wounded C. broken D. killed
25. This is _____ the most difficult job I have ever tackled.
A. by rights B. by all means C. by far D. by the way
26. But for television, people in rural areas _____.
A. wouldn't have had anything for entertainment at night.
B. wouldn't have anything for entertainment at night.
C. would have had anything for entertainment at night.
D. won't have anything for entertainment at night.
27. John: "Do you think that we should use public transportation to protect our environment?"
Mary: "_____"
A. Of course not. You bet! B. Well, that's very surprising.

- C. There's no doubt about it. D. Yes, it's an absurd idea.
28. The reviewer _____ Mathew's new novel as a new style of modern science fiction.
A. chewed B. digested C. described D. drew
29. Some vegetables are grown without soil and under _____ light.
A. artificial B. false C. fake D. unreal
30. The unemployment rate of the area _____ every year until 2003 and then started to fall.
A. raised B. rose C. dropped D. decreased
31. Before you begin the exam paper, always read the _____ carefully.
A. instructions B. answers C. orders D. rules
32. Top fashion models often spend hundreds of pounds _____.
A. getting straightened their teeth B. having got their teeth straightened
C. getting their teeth straightened D. straightening their teeth
33. This year's sales figures go _____ our expectations. What marvelous thing!
A. for B. along with C. beyond D. away from
34. _____ how angry he was, he would never resort to violence.
A. No matter B. No problem C. Although D. Because
35. I'd rather you _____ anything about the garden until the weather improves.
A. don't make B. didn't do C. don't do D. didn't make

SECTION III: READING (6.0 POINTS)

Part 1. Questions 56 to 65 (2 points - 0.2/ each)

Read the passage below and choose the best answer to each question.

Why is it that many teenagers have the energy to play computer games until late at night but can't find the energy to get out of bed (56) _____ for school? According to a new report, today's generation of children are in danger of getting so (57) _____ sleep that they are putting their mental and physical health at (58) _____. Adults can easily survive on seven to eight hours' sleep a night, (59) _____ teenagers require nine or ten hours. According to medical experts, one in five youngsters (60) _____ anything between two and five hours' sleep a night less than their parents did at their age.

This (61) _____ serious questions about whether lack of sleep is affecting children's ability to concentrate at school. The connection between sleep deprivation and lapses in memory, impaired reaction time and poor concentration is well (62) _____. Research has shown that losing as little as half an hour's sleep a night can have profound effects (63) _____ how children perform the next day. A good night's sleep is also crucial for teenagers because it is while they are asleep (64) _____ they release a hormone that is essential for their 'growth spurt' (the period during teenage years when the body grows at a rapid rate). It's true that they can, to some (65) _____, catch up on sleep at weekends, but that won't help them when they are dropping off to sleep in class on a Friday afternoon.

56. A. behind time B. about time C. in time D. at time
57. A. few B. less C. much D. little
58. A. jeopardy B. threat C. risk D. danger

59. A. or B. because C. whereas D. so
 60. A. puts B. gets C. brings D. makes
 61. A. raises B. rises C. results D. comes
 62. A. organized B. arranged C. established D. acquired
 63. A. in B. on C. to D. at
 64. A. at which B. which C. where D. that
 65. A. rate B. extent C. level D. point

Part 2. Questions 66 – 75 (2.0 points - 0.2/ each)

Read the passage below and choose the best answer to each question.

Most people go to a doctor in their own town or suburbs. But people in the Australian **outback** can't get to a doctor quickly. The nearest doctor is sometimes hundreds of kilometers away so they have to call him on a two-way radio. This special doctor is called the "flying doctor". He visits sick people by plane for a special examination.

When someone is sick, the doctor has to fly to the person's home. His plane lands on a flat piece of ground near the person's house. Sometimes the doctor has to take the patient to hospital. Flying doctors take about 8,600 people to hospital each year.

However, most of the time the person isn't very sick, and the doctor doesn't have to visit. He can give advice on the radio from the office at the flying doctor center. He can tell the patient to use some medicine from a special medicine **chest**. There is one of these chests in every home in the outback. Each bottle, tube and packet in the chest has a number. The doctor often says something like this, "Take two tablets from bottle number 5 every four hours."

A man called John Flynn started the Royal Flying Doctor service in 1927. He had only one plane. Today there are 14 flying-doctor centers, 29 planes, 14 fulltime doctors and several part-time doctors, nurses and dentists.

66. The flying doctors mentioned in this article treat their patients _____.
 A. in clinics B. by old methods C. by telepathy D. over great distances
67. Which happens first?
 A. The doctor flies to the sick person's home.
 B. The sick person or his family calls the doctor on a two-way radio.
 C. The plane lands near the patient's house.
 D. The doctor treats the sick person on a two-way radio.
68. From the article, we can assume that Australia has quite a number of _____.
 A. remote areas B. good highways C. strange animals D. mountainous regions
69. The doctor can treat the sick person by radio from his office when the patient _____.
 A. has a special medicine chest B. has got a two-way radio
 C. is not very sick D. feels very tired
70. _____ of the doctors at the center work full-time.
 A. All B. Some C. None D. Most
71. The word "outback" mostly means _____.
 A. a large field of the Aborigines B. an isolated island

C. a vast and remote area

D. a far-off forest

72. The fleet initially was _____.

A. very small

B. full-scaled

C. very large

D. relatively big

73. The word "chest" in this context probably means _____.

A. a body part

B. a machine

C. a remote control

D. a small box

74. When a patient needs a special examination, the doctor has to _____.

A. take him/ her to a special holy place

B. fly him/ her to a military clinic

C. give him/ her all kinds of medicine

D. fly to the patient's place

75. The writer of this passage shows a/an _____ attitude to the flying-doctor service.

A. critical

B. supportive

C. curious

D. indifferent

Part 3: Questions 76 – 85. (2.0 points- 0.2/ each).

Read the text and think of the word which best fits each gap.

Many tourists (76)visit Central America find (77) surprising to learn that the Mayas still live there. Though it is true that their ancient civilization came to an (78) when their country was taken (79) by the Spanish conquistadors, the Mayan people carried (80) living in the area. Today there are an estimated 1.2 million Mayas (81) live in southern Mexico, and many other areas of Central America states have large Mayan populations as (82) Many of their stories and art forms have remained (83) over time, and today, women weave clothing and carpets that have signs and symbols that are the same as those found in ancient temples. The different patterns and symbols on these brightly coloured (84) not only look attractive, but can (85) communicate important information such as marital status.