PRACTICE TEST 1

Choose correct answers.

1. Since he _____, I have heard nothing from him.
A. left B. was left C. had left D. has left

2. Online Vietnamese bookstores _____ in Europe by Quynh Hanh, an overseas Vietnamese woman
living in Finland.
A. initiated B. was initiated C. initiate D. were initiated

3. Solar energy is not widely used _____ it is friendly to the environment.
A. since B. although C. in spite of D. because of

4. I don't understand this point of grammar. I wish I _____ it better.
A. understood B. would understand C. had understood D. understand

5: My brother felt tired after volunteering, so he went to bed_____ usual to stay healthy.
A. more early than B. as early as C. more earlier as D. earlier than

6: With Wi-Fi at school, students can _____ learning videos and practice English listening anytime.
A. deal with B. look forward to C. get access to D. break down

7: As my town becomes more _____, there are fewer trees, so the air feels hotter in summer.
A. modern B. modernize C. modernly D. modernity

8: Joana and David, two lecturers, are talking about library skills.
Joana: "I think we should teach our students how to use the library."

9: Mount Everest is _____ highest mountain in _____ world.
A. Ø/a B. the/the C. a/0 D. the/0

10: Yesterday, a strong storm _____ many trees in my town.
A. knock down B. knocked down C. will knock down D. knocks down

11: If we use translation apps, we _____ with visitors more easily.
A. can communicate B. communicated C. would communicate D. will communicated

12: I am used to _____ early, but my friend still finds mornings very difficult.
A. get up B. to get up C. got up D. getting up

13. Your car is very dirty; it needs _____ immediately.
A. clean B. to clean C. cleaning D. Cleaned

14. Indiana University, one of the largest ones in the nation, is located in a _____ town.
A. small beautiful Midwestern B. beautiful Midwestern small
C. Midwestern beautiful small D. beautiful small Midwestern

15. We walked for ten kilometers and then we stopped _____ a rest.
A. to have B. have C. having D. Has

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

16. Before you begin the exam paper, always read the **instructions** carefully.
A. orders B. answers C. directions D. rules

17. Whenever problems **come up**, we discuss them frankly and find solutions quickly.
A. arrive **B.** encounter **C.** happen **D.** clean

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

18. The recent report of how real the danger of a terrorist attack may be has **put the wind up** the country citizens.
A. worried B. calmed C. scared D. interested

19. The breadfruit does well in hot and **humid** climates.
A. watery B. arid C. moist D. soaked

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful dialogue in each of the following questions.

20. a. An: Good idea. Let's go find a shop assistant to help us with the sizes.
b. An: It looks great, but the sleeves seem a bit too long for you.
c. Minh: You're right. Maybe I should try a smaller size or a different style.
d. Minh: What do you think of this blue jacket? I think it suits me.
A. a-d-c-b B. c-a-d-b C. d-b-c-a D. d-a-c-b

21.Dear Michael,
a. I'm really grateful for your feedback; it gave me a fresh perspective.
b. Thanks for reviewing the draft of my article on environmental issues.
c. I'm making the necessary edits now and hope to submit it by the end of the week.
d. If you have time, maybe we can discuss the revisions over coffee.
e. I look forward to your thoughts on the updated version once it's ready. Best wishes,
Lily
A. b – a – c – e – d B. b – a – d – c – e C. d – a – c – b – e D. b – c – d – a – e

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22. a. As a result, we are losing important skills because there are fewer shoemakers than before.
b. My main problem is that I cannot find skilled shoemakers.
c. These days, many young people prefer to work with computers.
d. Therefore, I want to teach young people everything I know about making shoes.
e. It is a good job, and many people still want to buy beautiful shoes especially made for them.
A. a – b – c – d – e B. b – c – a – d – e C. c – b – a – d – e D. b – d – a – c – e

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following sentences.

23. Well, this tea is too hot for me to drink now.
A. I wish this tea was hot. B. I wish I couldn't drink this tea.
C. I wish this tea were hot. D. I wish this tea wouldn't be too hot.
24. They wanted to apologize for their behavior; that's why they paid for dinner.
A. They behaved badly by paying for dinner.
B. They felt sorry for paying for dinner.
C. They paid for dinner in order to apologize for their behavior.
D. They apologize for paying for dinner.
25. "Would you like to come out to dinner with me tonight, Jenny?" Paul said.
A. Paul suggested that Jenny go out to dinner with him that night.
B. Paul insisted on Jenny going out to dinner with him that night.
C. Paul invited Jenny to go out to dinner with him that night.
D. Pau offered Jenny to go out to dinner with him that night.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

26. Lee gave up her job. She planned to continue her education.
A. Lee's education was interrupted since she wanted to find a job.
B. Lee gave up her job with the aim at continuing her education.
C. Lee gave up her job in case she continued her education.
D. Lee gave up her job with a view to continuing her education.
27. She was the first woman in the Philippines. She was elected as the president of the country.
A. She was the first woman elected as the president of the Philippines.
B. She was the first woman to be elected as the president of the Philippines.
C. She was the first woman who is elected as the president of the Philippines.
D. She was the first woman being elected as the president of the Philippines.

Choose one word to fill in the blank.

In today's fast-paced world, many schools are introducing mindfulness to help students manage academic pressure. This practice involves focusing on the present moment to attain a (28) _____. By practicing mindfulness, students (29) _____ cultivate emotional resilience and improve their concentration. However, some educators argue that the school day is too busy to include these sessions without cutting into core subjects.
To see real benefits, schools must take advantage of the quiet moments between classes. (30) _____, mindfulness has been shown to reduce bullying by encouraging empathy among peers.

28: A. inner peace of sense B. sense inner of peace
C. peace of inner sense D. sense of inner peace
29: A. must B. would C. could D. can
30: A. Because B. Therefore C. Moreover D. Although

Read the following passage and circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks .

Travel and tourism provide services of all types for both inbound and outbound travellers, and have become one of the world's fastest (31) _____ industries. International travel and tourism are the world's largest export earner and animportant factor in the balance of payments of most nations. The market is increasingly diverse, covering not only traditional tourism and business trips but also many new (32) _____of travel that have developed in recent years. Tourism has become one of the world's most important sources of (33) _____. It covers a wide range of jobs, including all branches of the travel industry, hospitality in hotels and restaurants, entertainment and recreation, as well as the tourist attractions in a particular region. Areas of work includeTour Operators, Travel Agencies, Tourist Boards and Tourist Information Centres, Transport Companies, Tour Guides, Tourist Attractions.

*31.*A. grow B. growing C. grown D. growth
*32.*A. types B. methods C. brands D. styles
*33.*A. service B. increase C. development D. employment

Read and answer the questions.

Multicultural Cities in Vietnam

Vietnam is home to several multicultural cities where people from different backgrounds live and work together. Cities like Ho Chi Minh City, Hanoi, and Da Nang attract people from various regions of

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Vietnam and other countries. These cities are known for their mix of cultures, which can be seen in their food, festivals, and architecture. Walking through these cities, visitors can experience local traditions alongside international influences, creating a unique cultural atmosphere.

One of the biggest factors contributing to multiculturalism in Vietnamese cities is globalization. As Vietnam's economy grows, more foreign businesses and workers come to live in urban areas. International restaurants, schools, and companies bring new customs and lifestyles. At the same time, local traditions remain strong, blending old and new cultural elements. This cultural diversity makes Vietnam's cities more vibrant and dynamic.

Besides economic influence, history has also shaped the multicultural nature of these cities. In the past, Vietnam had connections with China, France, and other countries through trade and colonization. This influence is still visible in historical buildings, cuisine, and even language. Today, multicultural cities in Vietnam continue to grow, offering residents and visitors a chance to experience a rich blend of cultures in daily life.

34. What is the main topic of the passage?
A. The cultural diversity in Vietnamese cities
B. The most famous historical sites in Vietnam
C. The economic development of Vietnam
D. The impact of tourism on Vietnam

35. Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the passage?
A. The historical connections of Vietnam with other countries
B. The presence of international businesses in Vietnam
C. The influence of globalization on cities
D. The role of education in multiculturalism

36. The word "vibrant" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.
A. traditional B. weak C. boring D. exciting

37. The word "This influence" in paragraph 3 refers to _____.
A. The role of modern businesses in urban development
B. The impact of trade and colonization on Vietnamese culture
C. The local traditions of Vietnamese people
D. The connection between food and architecture

38. Why do Vietnamese cities attract people from different backgrounds?
A. Because they have a mix of cultures, traditions, and international influences
B. Because only Vietnamese people live there
C. Because they do not have modern infrastructure
D. Because they are small and quiet

39. How has globalization affected Vietnamese cities?
A. It has introduced new customs, restaurants, and companies
B. It has reduced the number of international businesses
C. It has made cities less diverse
D. It has stopped people from practicing local traditions

40. What historical factors have influenced multiculturalism in Vietnam?
A. The increase in modern technology
B. Wars between Vietnam and other countries
C. The decline of traditional customs
D. Past connections with China, France, and other nations through trade and colonization

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