

Read the passage carefully and mark A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions

As teenagers approach university level, a decision has to be made on what course to pursue. In this world of diversity, (1) _____ such a choice is not easy for both children and parents. In the old days, it was not much of a problem to do the task because there were not so many diverse learning areas to choose from. (2) _____, there were only a few distinctive professional careers like doctor, engineer, accountant, nurse, teacher, etc. to think about. Most higher learning usually led to a (3) _____ successful life. In addition, the cost of education was not so high.

Today's world is entirely different from the things that have just been described. The job market is constantly changing due to innovative technology and new competition. Meanwhile, most teenagers have difficulty in identifying their own interests. There are (4) _____ well-organized career talks and student counseling workshops to guide and help teenagers (5) _____. Furthermore, psychological tests are also used. Certain instruments such as surveys, interviews and computer software can help to find out preferences, interests, or (6) _____.

- Question 1. A. having B. making C. giving D. taking
Question 2. A. However B. Otherwise C. Besides D. Therefore
Question 3. A. financially B. financing C. finance D. financial
Question 4. A. a few B. a great deal of C. an amount of D. a variety of
Question 5. A. what taking courses B. what to take course
C. what course taking D. what course to take
Question 6. A. learning styles of the students B. the learning styles of the students
C. a style learning of the students D. styles learning of the students

Read the following announcement and 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 7 to 10.

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- Enjoy (8) _____ great content across different platforms.
- Share your thoughts and memories with other fans.
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- Question 7. A. attended B. attending C. to attend D. attend
Question 8. A. the B. Ø C. an D. a
Question 9. A. Help B. Support C. Take D. Connect
Question 10. A. with B. in C. at D. on

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 11 to 12.

Question 11. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text. _____, so the neighborhood group planned a Green Sunday to clean up the park. a. He made a neighborhood group so that everyone could get updates about Green Sunday and future activities. b. Finally, they chose a time and gave out tools for everyone to start cleaning the park at 8:00 a.m. c. He posted a message on social media, asking students, volunteers, and others to join.

- A. a-c-b B. c-b-a C. b-c-a D. c-a-b

Question 12. Choose the sentence that best fits as the opening sentence for the text (in Question 11).

- A. Many people were excited to help clean up the park and make it look nice.
B. Cleaning the park is important to keep the city clean and green.
C. The park cleanup faced some issues but ended successfully.

D. Many public places need cleaning because people leave trash, especially in parks.

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 13 to 16.

The Impact of Technological Development

Technological development has changed how we live, work, and communicate. The rise of the internet and smartphones (13) _____. With just a few clicks, people can find information, shop online, and talk to others around the world. Technology has also changed the way we work, (14) _____. Automation and artificial intelligence help companies become faster and more productive. However, with these changes come challenges, as (15) _____. Society needs to adjust to these changes and make sure technology helps everyone. In conclusion, technology has made life better, and (16) _____.

- A. made communication easier and faster B. some traditional jobs have been lost
C. allowing people to work from anywhere D. it will keep shaping our future in many ways

Question 13. _____ **Question 14.** _____ **Question 15.** _____ **Question 16.** _____

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.

- Question 17.** A. season B. cuisine C. campus D. tourism
Question 18. A. musician B. disaster C. tradition D. reference

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

Question 19. This is the first time Paul has read such an interesting book.

- A. Paul didn't read any interesting books before.
B. Paul has read a more interesting book than this before.
C. Paul has never read a more interesting book before.
D. Paul hasn't read an interesting book than this.

Question 20. It isn't necessary to bring skis as they are included in the package.

- A. You don't have to bring skis as they are included in the package.
B. You need to bring skis as they are not included in the package.
C. You haven't to bring skis as they are included in the package.
D. You mustn't bring skis as they are not included in the package.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct sentence made from suggested words

Question 21. old man / I / borrow / car / yesterday / work / this factory.

- A. The old man is working in this factory which I borrowed his car yesterday.
B. The old man whom is working in this factory I borrowed his car yesterday.
C. The old man whose car I borrowed yesterday is working in this factory.
D. The old man whom I borrowed his car yesterday is working in this factory.

Question 22. He / ask / children / they / excited / upcoming trip / Mui Ne.

- A. He asks the children if they were excited about their upcoming trip to Mui Ne.
B. He asked the children if they are excited about their upcoming trip on Mui Ne.
C. He asked the children if they were excited about their upcoming trip to Mui Ne.
D. He wanted to know the children if they were excited about their upcoming trip to Mui Ne.

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 23 to 28.

Lifelong learning is now becoming a must for everyone in the modern world. Many people, however, find it overwhelming as being lifelong learners they will have to keep studying for their entire life. The following are several strategies to promote lifelong learning. First, start with a clear purpose. Study something that you will likely have many uses for in the future. Design learning goals that should serve you in your career path, as well as in your personal interests. You will need to think of the learning experience as continuous investment rather than a one-off endeavor. Second, choose to study something that is really enjoyable for you. You will need to have fun all through the pursuit of knowledge and skills, which will be an endless journey. The 'fun' part will always keep you motivated, even during the hard times. Third, lifelong learning is not just about keeping on studying; you will need to think through learning, and find out how to apply it to your work and personal life. Don't read too much and use your brain too little. Think more often; meditate on the ideas that you feel might make your work and life better. Those are the key strategies to make sure your lifelong learning is studying smart rather than studying hard. Remember, the lifelong learning movement is unstoppable.

Question 23. Which of the following is NOT mentioned about strategies for lifelong learning?

- A. We should choose something that we have an interest in
- B. We should use our brain in a lot of reading
- C. We should motivate ourselves to learn effectively
- D. We should apply our knowledge in work and life

Question 24. What is the passage mainly about?

- A. How to keep on studying all the time
- B. How to choose something to study
- C. Education - the preparation for life
- D. Strategies to promote lifelong learning

Question 25. According to paragraph 2, to become a smart lifelong learner, you should _____

- A. define a specific objective
- B. study anything you like
- C. avoid designing a learning goal
- D. neglect the learning experience

Question 26. What does the author say about lifelong learning as an investment?

- A. It is only useful if it is fun.
- B. It should only be for work.
- C. It should be a one-time project.
- D. It is a long-term and ongoing investment.

Question 27. The word "strategies" is CLOSEST in meaning to _____

- A. choices
- B. recipes
- C. methods
- D. challenges

Question 28. The word "overwhelming" in paragraph 1 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____

- A. confusing
- B. manageable
- C. difficult
- D. challenging

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

Question 29. A. language B. passion C. patient D. package

Question 30. A. produced B. received C. advised D. weighed

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 31. The stadium _____ my school's Olympic games took place last year is being reconstructed.

- A. which
- B. whose
- C. where
- D. when

Question 32. The test was _____ easy _____ all the students got high scores.

- A. too / to
- B. so / that
- C. enough / to
- D. such / that

Question 33. Andrea has just bought a _____ rug for her bedroom.

- A. lovely wool white
- B. white lovely wool
- C. wool lovely white
- D. lovely white wool

Question 34. I've done these things regularly and now I'm quite confident _____ my English vocabulary.

- A. for
- B. about
- C. on
- D. with

Question 35. Sophia has started a new hobby in painting.

