

MONTHLY TEST 8

Questions 1–12. Circle the letter A, B, C, or D to best complete the following sentences.

Question 1. These types of food made from milk are _____.

- A. Cleaning products B. Frozen products C. Farming products D. Dairy products

Question 2. Where _____ you travel for your last winter vacation?

- A. are B. were C. do D. did

Question 3. I did not agree with the decisions the _____ made yesterday. We lost the match because of them.

- A. competitor B. supporter C. champion D. coach

Question 4. Lions are _____. They are large carnivores that live in the savannah.

- A. fish B. amphibians C. mammals D. reptiles

Question 5. I'm learning how to cook Vietnamese spring rolls. These are _____: pork, shrimp, carrot, noodles, eggs, mushroom, pepper and salt.

- A. ingredients B. menus C. desserts D. nutrients

Question 6. Daisy: "What do you do for a living?" Tom: "_____"

- A. I live in the city B. I work as a graphic designer
C. I'm direct. D. I'm a cooker.

Question 7. She grew _____ in the village in the North of Viet Nam.

- A. up B. on C. to D. for

Question 8. We will visit the palace _____ we have time.

- A. if B. because C. so D. such

Question 9. His parents are all _____ by his result.

- A. disappointing B. disappointed C. disappoint D. disappointment

Question 10. He _____ be a famous singer.

- A. use to B. used to C. use D. used

Question 11. Would you like _____ more coffee?

- A. some B. a lot of C. little D. many

Question 12. They finished their work _____.

- A. before three hours B. since three hours C. for three hours D. three hours ago

Question 13-14. Look at the sign/notice and circle the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct explanation.

WE HAVE MANY
FLATS AVAILABLE
TO RENT IN THIS
AREA

Question 13.

- A. We offer a choice of flats to rent in this area.
B. This is the best area to find a flat.
C. Flats in this area do not cost a lot.
D. We are available to rent from you.

WARNING –
SECURITY CAMERAS
IN USE AROUND THIS
BUILDING

Question 14.

- A. Cameras cannot be used near this building.
B. You must look after your cameras here.
C. This building is guarded by cameras.
D. This building doesn't have any cameras.

Questions 15-19. Read the text and circle the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each question.

'The best age to start learning the violin is between three and six,' says Margaret Porter, a violinist and music teacher. 'It's the time when you are learning about the world.' Margaret, who lives in London, prefers to take pupils at three and four, although she has made lots of exceptions for keen five-year-olds. When she started teaching the violin in 1972, her first class consisted of her children's five-year-old school friends.

Margaret's pupils have group lessons. Each group has about a dozen pupils and each lesson lasts an hour, once a fortnight. In addition, each pupil has one individual lesson a week with her. Parents also have to **attend** classes. It is important that the parents take an active interest in the lessons.

From the earliest lessons, pupils learn to play by ear. They do not even try to read music until they have been playing for several years, and for a long time, there is a big difference between their playing and reading music. Margaret says that her method is not supposed to produce great violinists and always suggests that pupils who perform particularly well should leave and study the violin using more traditional methods.

Question 15. What is the writer trying to do in the text?

- A. explain why Margaret likes teaching the violin B. describe a different way of learning the violin
C. give advice on how to find a music teacher D. explain why Margaret has a lot of pupils

Question 16. People read the text to ____.

- A. discover how Margaret learnt the violin B. learn why it is important to read music
C. find out about Margaret's teaching method D. learn why children should play the violin

Question 17. Margaret's first pupils were ____.

- A. her children B. three-and four-years-old C. her own friends D. her children's friends

Question 18. The word "attend" is CLOSEST in meaning to ____.

- A. miss B. join C. teach D. skip

Question 19. Which of the following would Margaret include in an advertisement for her classes?

- A. Learn to play the violin with your children - 2 lessons a week.
B. Watch your children learn to play the violin.
C. Group violin lessons for children - no more than 5 per group.
D. We'll look after your children while you learn the violin.

Questions 20-22. Read the following story and fill each blank in the sentences with ONE or TWO words from the text.

SNOWBOARDING LESSON

Before their first snowboarding lesson, Sophia felt very worried. She didn't want to fall or be the worst in the class. Her brother Robert was better at everything.

Their teacher, David, was kind and young. The lesson began on a small hill, but then David took them to the top of the mountain. All the children followed him down, but Sophia was too frightened and stayed behind.

David returned to help her. They started slowly, then got faster. When she went down the mountain, everyone clapped. Sophia didn't fall once and felt very happy.

Questions 20. Before the class went to the top of the mountain, they practised on a _____.

Questions 21. Sophia was too _____ to follow David and the class down the mountain.

Questions 22. David helped Sophia to _____ the mountain.

Questions 23-24. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Do not change the words given.

Question 23. My parents only go swimming at the weekend. (ABLE)

→ On weekdays, my parentsswimming

Question 24. If I finish my homework, I can go out at the weekend. (UNLESS)

→ I can't go out my homework

Question 25. The following sentence has ONE word that is not correct. The correct word has the same pronunciation as the wrong one. Write the correct word in the box.

She put too much flower in the cake mixture.

Question 26. Write a paragraph of 60-80 words about your favourite means of transport.

You may use the following questions as a guide:

- Do you like bikes, buses, motorbikes, or cars?
- Why do you like this way of traveling?
- Is it good for the environment?