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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.

1. A. <u>th</u>ank B. wi<u>th</u> C. brea<u>th</u> D. <u>th</u>ing

2. A. match<u>ed</u> B. seem<u>ed</u> C. prov<u>ed</u> D. lov<u>ed</u>

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.

3. A. explain B. supply C. protect D. borrow

4. A. delicious B. decorate C. natural D. luxury

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 stress in each of the following questions.

5. Now that she has done well in the exam she is feeling much more _____.

A. confide B. confidence C. confidently D. confident

6. _____ his busy schedule, he always finds time to help others in need.

A. Although B. Because C. Despite D. Because of

7. They had to _____ the music because it was disturbing the neighbors.

A. go on B. turn down C. give up D. deal with

8. The local government is introducing together _____ to preserve historical sites.

A. steps B. actions C. plans D. measures

9. The lack of rainfall this year has _____ affected crops in the south.

A. helpfully B. necessarily C. negatively D. newly

10. You're interested in fashion so much, _____?

A. are you B. do you C. aren't you D. don't you

11. It's important to _____ the wonders of the world so that future generations can see them with their own eyes.

A. destroy B. remain C. damage D. preserve

12. We _____ each other since we _____ middle school in 2024.

A. haven't met - left B. meet – left C. met - have left D. haven't meet – left

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that is CLOSEST In meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following sentence.

13. Vietnam used to be **<u>male-dominated,</u>** with men being the voice of the family and society.

A. men doing housework B. men playing the leading role

C. men earning money D. men taking care of the children

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

14. American English is significantly **<u>different from</u>** British English.

A. famous for B. similar to C. impressed by D. interested in

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

15.

a. Tom: That's great! Congratulations!

b. Jerry: Yes, I did! I'm really happy with my results.

c. Tom: Did you receive your grades for the first semester?

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

16.

a. Alex: Same here. That last question was brutal.

b. Alex: Hey, how was your exam?

c. Jamie: I just hope I passed!

d. Jamie: It was tough! I barely finished on time.

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

17.

a. Sarah: That's a relief! I was worried about him.

b. Mary: The doctors said he needs a few more weeks of rest.

c. Sarah: Let me know if you need any help during this time.

d. Sarah: How's your dad doing after the surgery, Mary?

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e. Mary: He's recovering well, thanks for asking.

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

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best option that fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 20.

FLORIDA SWIMMING POOL POSTER

OPENING HOURS:

Monday-Saturday: 8:00-22:00

Sunday: 9:00-17:00

1. No diving.
2. No running.
3. No eating or drinking (**18**) _____ the pool.
4. Use steps (**19**) _____ into the pool.
5. Children should be with an adult at all times.
6. (**20**) _____ the lifeguard.

18. A. in B. on C. into D. at

19. A. going B. to go C. go D. to going

20. A. Follow B. Adapt C. Respect D. Ignore

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best option that fits each of the numbered blanks from 21 to 25.

The Great Pyramid of Giza, one of the world's wonders, has captivated humanity for (**21**) _____. Rising proudly from Egypt's sands, it showcases the (**22**) _____ of ancient architecture. Created as Pharaoh Khufu's tomb, its construction puzzles experts. Precisely aligned and built from (**23**) _____ massive limestone blocks, its secrets remain debated, from ramps to math techniques.

The grandeur of the pyramid (**24**) _____ everyone's breath away. Once nearly 480 feet tall, it comprises 2.3 million limestone blocks. Beyond size, the pyramid holds cultural value. It's not just a tomb; it symbolizes the pharaoh's might and divine link. Its precision highlights ancient Egypt's grasp of astronomy and geometry. (**25**) _____, The Great Pyramid of Giza stands as a mesmerizing puzzle and a testament to human skill, echoing the achievements of our past

21. A. days B. months C. years D. ages

22. A. brilliant B. brilliance C. brilliantine D. brilliantly

23. A. many B. much C. few D. little

24. A. makes B. gains C. takes D. gets

25. A. But B. Still C. Thus D. And

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 questions.

The Benefits of Food Waste

Food waste is often seen as a problem, but it can actually have several benefits when managed properly. Instead of being discarded, food waste can be repurposed for composting, which enriches the soil and promotes healthier plant growth. Additionally, food waste can be used to generate biofuel, providing a renewable energy source that reduces reliance on fossil fuels.

One major advantage of food waste is its role in composting. Organic waste, such as fruit peels and vegetable scraps, can decompose into nutrient-rich soil, which **enhances** crop production. This process reduces the need for chemical fertilizers, making farming more sustainable. Many households and farms now use composting as an eco-friendly way to handle leftover food.

Another benefit of food waste is its potential to produce biofuel. When food waste decomposes in controlled environments, it releases gases like methane, which can be captured and converted into energy. This biofuel can power homes, businesses, and even vehicles, helping to reduce carbon emissions and reliance on non-renewable resources. Many countries are now investing in food waste recycling programs to support green energy initiatives.

While food waste should ideally be minimized, its proper management offers environmental and economic benefits. By composting organic waste and converting food scraps into biofuel, we can make better use of discarded food while promoting sustainability. These efforts help reduce landfill waste, lower pollution levels, and support a cleaner, greener planet.

Multiple-Choice Questions

26. What is the main benefit of food waste according to the passage?

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A. It reduces the cost of farming.
B. It can be repurposed for useful purposes like composting and biofuel.
C. It prevents people from throwing food away.
D. It increases landfill waste.

27. Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a benefit of food waste?
A. Reducing the need for chemical fertilizers.
B. Producing biofuel for energy.
C. Increasing food production for consumption.
D. Lowering carbon emissions.

28. The word "**enhances**" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to ____.
A. Improves B. Destroys C. Reduces D. Ignores

29. How does composting benefit the environment?
A. It creates more food waste.
B. It turns organic waste into nutrient-rich soil.
C. It releases harmful gases into the air.
D. It prevents food from being eaten.

30. Why is biofuel an important alternative energy source?
A. It increases food waste in landfills. B. It helps reduce the use of fossil fuels.
C. It makes food last longer. D. It eliminates all pollution.

31. What do some countries do to promote green energy?
A. Ban food waste completely. B. Invest in food waste recycling programs.
C. Increase landfill space. D. Stop using biofuel.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph in the following question.

32.
a. However, experts believe that AI will not just eliminate jobs but also create new opportunities in areas that require human creativity, emotional intelligence, and complex problem-solving skills.
b. The rapid development of artificial intelligence (AI) is significantly altering the global job market, with many industries being affected.
c. A report showed that in 2023 alone, over 1.5 million jobs were automated globally due to advancements in AI technologies, and this number is expected to rise.
d. Numerous workers are growing increasingly concerned about job security as AI continues to replace positions traditionally held by humans, particularly in fields like manufacturing and customer service.
e. In conclusion, the key challenge for the workforce will be to adapt to these changes by reskilling and embracing new roles that AI cannot easily replace.
A. b-a-c-d-e B. b-d-c-a-e C. d-a-c-b-e D. a-d-c-b-e

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

33. Dave <u>was crossing</u> (A) the road <u>when</u> (B) Jane <u>was calling</u> (C) out <u>to him</u> (D).
34. He is <u>enough strong</u> (A) <u>to carry</u> (B) the <u>heavy</u> (C) <u>luggage</u> (D).
35. Jack London <u>is known</u> (A) <u>as</u> (B) one of <u>the</u> (C) great <u>novelist</u> (D) of the world.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the given one.

36. "Where are you going to stay when you are in Hue?" Lan asked me.
A. Lan asked me where I am going to stay when I am in Hue.
B. Lan asked me where was I going to stay when I was in Hue.
C. Lan asked me where am I going to stay when I am in Hue.
D. Lan asked me where I was going to stay when I was in Hue.

37. No one in the group is as young as Mai.
A. Mai is the youngest person in the group.
B. Mai is the most young person in the group.
C. Mai is youngest person in the group.
D. Mai isn't as young as other people in the group.

38. We came to class on time though the traffic was heavy.
A. Despite the traffic was heavy, we came to class on time.

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B. Even though the heavy traffic, we came to class on time.
C. In spite of the heavy traffic, we came to class on time.
D. Although the traffic was heavy, but we came to class on time.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines the two given ones.

39. This plant dies. You do not water it every day.
A. If you water the plant every day, it will not die.
B. If you watered the plant every day, it would not die.
C. If you had watered the plant every day, it would not have died.
D. This plant would not die if you did not water it every day.

40. Mai loves reading books. Lan loves reading books, too.
A. Both Mai and Lan love reading books.
B. Neither Mai nor Lan loves reading books.
C. Either Mai or Lan loves reading books.
D. Not only Mai but Lan love reading books.

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