

123. The word “its” in paragraph 4 refers to \_\_\_\_.

- A. McDonald's      B. the experiment      C. the film *Super Size Me*      D. the menu

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

1. A. focus                      B. open                      C. chore                      D. impose  
2. A. manners                      B. conflicts                      C. objects                      D. viewpoints  
3. A. restricted                      B. obliged                      C. played                      D. beloved

II. Choose the word which has a different stress pattern from the others.

4. A. meditation                      B. longevity                      C. expectancy                      D. cholesterol  
5. A. essential                      B. survival                      C. nutrition                      D. vegetable

## III. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

Part I: Choose the best answer.

1. I live in a/an \_\_\_\_ with my parents and my elder sister in the coastal area.  
A. extended family                      B. nuclear family                      C. extended house                      D. nuclear house  
2. One advantage of living in a/an \_\_\_\_ is to strengthen relationship between young children and adults.  
A. nuclear family                      B. nuclear house                      C. extended family                      D. extended house  
3. In my opinion, family members are responsible for \_\_\_\_.  
A. the housework                      B. the chores                      C. homework                      D. A and B  
4. My grandpa is the most conservative person in my family. He never \_\_\_\_ about way of life.  
A. gives his opinion                      B. changes his mind                      C. gives his view                      D. keeps in mind  
5. After graduating from university, I want to \_\_\_\_ my father's footsteps.  
A. follow in                      B. succeed in                      C. go after                      D. keep up  
6. Four generations living in the same roof will have different \_\_\_\_ of lifestyle.  
A. gaps                      B. rules                      C. manners                      D. viewpoints  
7. Generation \_\_\_\_ is the difference in the thoughts and viewpoints amongst generations living together.  
A. distance                      B. gap                      C. space.                      D. All are correct  
8. All students \_\_\_\_ wear uniforms at school because it is a rule.  
A. should                      B. have to                      C. mustn't                      D. must  
9. The \_\_\_\_ arises when Jack and his parents have considerable disagreement on his choice of university.  
A. discrimination                      B. conflict                      C. agreement                      D. gap  
10. My father used to \_\_\_\_ a lot of challenges before establishing his own insurance company.  
A. provide                      B. enjoy                      C. give                      D. face  
11. I wish I could do something to reduce financial \_\_\_\_ on my parents.  
A. capital                      B. burden                      C. limit                      D. gap  
12. The children \_\_\_\_ spend too much time playing computer games.  
A. mustn't                      B. must                      C. shouldn't                      D. should

13. Here are some precautions for us to \_\_\_\_\_ when doing different types of physical activities.

- A. make                      B. do                      C. take                      D. have

14. If you do \_\_\_\_\_ outdoors in the hot and sunny weather, your body can overheat and lose a lot of fluid.

- A. breakout                      B. outbreak                      C. workout                      D. checkout

15. My own ..... for health is less paperwork and more running barefoot through the grass

- A. routine                      B. treatment                      C. measure                      D. prescription

**Exercise 2. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

16. We greatly respect my teacher for all of the best things that she brought to us.

- A. look up to                      B. look forwards                      C. look for                      D. look down on

17. I have the freedom to choose a job because my parents have many views on career and I don't have to follow their footstep.

- A. restraint                      B. multi-choice                      C. not out of compulsion                      D. independent

**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. We'd better speed up if we want to get there in time.

- A. slow down                      B. turn down                      C. put down                      D. lie down

19. He was studying the complex similarities and differences between humans and animals.

- A. distinction                      B. resemblances                      C. similarities                      D. B&C

**Circle A, B, C or D to indicate the words/ phrases that need correction**

20. I (A) stayed up (B) late last night because I (C) mustn't go to school (D) on Sunday.

21. We (A) ought to not play football (B) as (C) it's raining (D) outside.

22. (A) The school regulations (B) say that students (C) don't have to (D) fight each other

### PREDICTIONS ABOUT THE CITIES OF THE FUTURE

Cities are built to (1) \_\_\_\_ and prosper. Over the years, we have learned to transform our surroundings according to our needs. We have (2) \_\_\_\_ through mountains to make more land and created artificial islands to make skyscrapers. City planning, as an organized profession, has existed for less than a century. (3) \_\_\_\_, a considerable (4) \_\_\_\_ of evidence (both archaeological and historical) proves the existence of fully planned cities in ancient times. Over the years, humans have made some mistakes in terms of using an excessive amount of resources for cities. This gives rise to the question of (5) \_\_\_\_ sustainable the cities of the future would be.

We might be (6) \_\_\_\_ at smart cities in which street lights would only switch on when you are close (7) \_\_\_\_ traffic light would be eliminated by smart driving. The cities of the future would try to save our resources (8) \_\_\_\_ than deplete them.

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|------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| 1. A. find       | B. act       | C. survive  | D. celebrate |
| 2. A. experience | B. cut       | C. decrease | D. pollute   |
| 3. A. But        | B. Therefore | C. Although | D. However   |
| 4. A. number     | B. amount    | C. percent  | D. static    |
| 5. A. what       | B. how       | C. when     | D. which     |
| 6. A. looked     | B. look      | C. looking  | D. looks     |
| 7. A. at         | B. by        | C. of       | D. from      |
| 8. A. rather     | B. more      | C. would    | D. less      |

**IV. Read the passage, and choose the correct answer A, B, C or D for each question.**

Today's urban cities are practically bursting at the seams. According to research from the United Nations, 54 percent of the world's population lives in urban cities areas, a percentage that is expected to increase to over 66 percent by 2050. In fact, India alone is projected to add 404 million urban dwellers to its population by 2050.

This rapid growth of the urban population has caused daunting problems for city planners, such as overcrowded roads, excessive energy consumption and unemployment. Therefore, to build more sustainable cities and accommodate the growing number of residents, many city leaders are turning to the Internet of things (IoT).

The IoT has forever changed the way urban cities operate. Cities that were once detached and inaccessible are now intelligent and highly connected. From Amsterdam to Seoul, cities are launching smart city projects to help improve quality of life residents and better support the environment. According to research from IHS Technology, there will be at least 88 smart cities globally by 2025, up from 21 in 2013.

San Francisco, for example, provides more than 100 charging stations in various locations to promote the use of hybrid and electric cars to reduce harmful greenhouse gas emissions. Copenhagen is also taking advantage of the lot to improve environmental protection and reduce road traffic by developing smart bikes equipped with sensors that generate data on air contamination and traffic congestion.

The possibilities afforded by the IoT are endless; however, designing smart cities requires comprehensive technology infrastructure that is capable of capturing and processing large amounts of data quickly and securely - which is where 4G LTE comes into play.

The future looks bright for urban cities. Soon they will be able to do things that only sci-fi enthusiasts could dream of before, like monitoring bridge conditions using intelligent sensors and conserving energy by automatically dimming street lights when no one is around.

1. Some cities which follow this trend of the new technology \_\_\_\_.
  - A. introduce smart bikes to escape air contamination and traffic congestion
  - B. provide charging stations in various locations for cars and bikes
  - C. make transportation more eco-friendly and more convenient
  - D. only allow the use of hybrid and electric cars to reduce pollution
2. All of the following are the advantages of the IoT EXCEPT that \_\_\_\_
  - A. the Internet of Things will be applied in several cities around the world
  - B. the number of smart cities decreases but the quality is much better
  - C. cities around the world become more intelligent and connected
  - D. we may improve quality of life and better support the environment
3. Today's urban cities \_\_\_\_.
  - A. are in fact extremely crowded
  - B. are bursting around the world
  - C. account for 66 percent of the world's population
  - D. have more 404 million dwellers by 2050
4. The potential of the IoT includes all of the following EXCEPT that \_\_\_\_.
  - A. intelligent sensors can help watch and check bridge conditions carefully
  - B. energy conservation can be done by automatically controlling street lights
  - C. things that only sci-fi enthusiasts could dream of before come true
  - D. comprehensive technology infrastructure to support the IoT is endless
5. The Internet of Things allows the city planners and leaders \_\_\_\_.
  - A. to develop the broadband Internet connectivity in urban cities

- B. to forget daunting problems, such as overcrowded roads, and unemployment
- C. to stop the rapid growth of the urban population in most cities
- D. to make cities more sustainable and provide enough accommodation

**Rewrite the following sentences as long as the meaning is unchanged**

1. We last saw Tom when we moved to Bristol.

We haven't \_\_\_\_\_

2. She last wrote to me nearly 2 years ago.

She hasn't \_\_\_\_\_

3. This film was last shown on TV 10 years ago.

This film hasn't \_\_\_\_\_

4. It is better for you to talk to your parents about your problem.

You \_\_\_\_\_

5. If I were you, I would study hard to pass the exam

You \_\_\_\_\_

**Fill in each blank with the correct form of the word in the brackets.**

1. Being too.....on his mother makes me have a bad impression on him. (INDEPENDENT)
2. She is .....to become a director of that company. (DETERMINATION)
3. You should think it over before making that ..... (DECIDE)
4. My.....for this girl grows daily. (ADMIRE)
5. How can you know that he is a.....man? (RELIABILITY)