

C. GRAMMAR

Exercise 1: Multiple Choice

Choose the best answer to complete each sentence.

1. The park ranger told the tourists _____ a popular travel destination.
a) that the island paradise was
b) if the island paradise was
c) whether was the island paradise
d) that the island paradise is
2. The student asked the guide where _____ in the national park.
a) rare plant species grow
b) rare plant species grew
c) did rare plant species grow
d) do rare plant species grow
3. My teacher said _____ to the pollution of the bay that year.
a) whether the local factory contributes
b) that the local factory is contributing
c) that did the local factory contribute
d) that the local factory contributed
4. The explorer wanted to know what new plant life _____ in the valley.
a) the researchers are discovering
b) the researchers discovered
c) did the researchers discover
d) do the researchers discover
5. The biologist told us _____ marine life along the coastline.
a) if pollution can endanger
b) that can pollution endanger
c) whether pollution could endanger
d) that pollution could endanger
6. The student asked how the local community _____ in the scenic bay.
a) does support sustainable development
b) supported sustainable development
c) did support sustainable development
d) supports sustainable development
7. Liam said that his family _____ near the waterfall the following week.
a) would travel to the campsite
b) travels to the campsite
c) will travel to the campsite
d) would they travel to the campsite
8. The researcher asked what measures the community _____ to restore the valley then.
a) takes
b) is taking
c) was taking
d) did take
9. The travel agent told the tourist _____ a large suitcase for the long journey.
a) if travelers needed
b) whether travelers need
c) that did travelers need
d) that travelers needed
10. The tourist asked when the annual bicycle race through the mountain pass _____ place.
a) will take
b) takes
c) did take
d) would take
11. The adventurer asked the local guide _____ active volcanoes on the island.
a) that were there any
b) were there any
c) whether are there any
d) if there were any

12. Lan asked _____ attractive to young climbers.
 a) if is the mountain with sharp peaks b) that the mountain with sharp peaks was
 c) whether the mountain with sharp peaks was d) whether was the mountain with sharp peaks
13. The visitors asked the park officer _____ photographs of the coral reef there.
 a) whether can they take b) that they could take
 c) if they could take d) if could they take
14. Minh asked the tour guide _____ major changes to the island's scenery.
 a) whether did the volcanic eruption cause b) if does the volcanic eruption cause
 c) that the volcanic eruption causes d) whether the volcanic eruption caused
15. The researcher _____ local communities supported the wildlife protection project.
 a) told to the villagers if b) asked the villagers that
 c) said whether d) wondered whether
16. The agent asked Mr. Nam _____ that beautiful bay as his holiday location.
 a) if he was choosing b) is he choosing c) that he is choosing d) if was he choosing
17. She wanted to know _____ the park's rich diversity.
 a) if are the scientists interested in b) whether were the scientists interested in
 c) whether the scientists were interested in d) that the scientists are interested in
18. Lucas asked the camp manager _____ in the charming valley overnight.
 a) if tourists might camp b) if may tourists camp
 c) whether might tourists camp d) that tourists may camp
19. The hiker asked _____ the high-risk zones along the narrow path.
 a) if could the ranger locate b) that the ranger can locate
 c) whether the ranger could locate d) whether can the ranger locate
20. The explorer _____ the remote valley was home to any endangered animal species.
 a) said the ranger whether b) wondered whether
 c) told the ranger that if d) wondered me if
21. Phong asked the instructor _____ on the calm bay.
 a) could beginners sail b) if can beginners sail
 c) that beginners could sail d) if beginners could sail
22. The reporter wanted to know _____ the local marine ecosystem.
 a) whether pollution would destroy b) whether will pollution destroy
 c) if would pollution destroy d) that pollution will destroy
23. The tourists asked the driver _____ near the World Heritage Site.
 a) whether would the bus stop b) if will the bus stop
 c) if the bus would stop d) that the bus will stop

24. The student asked the scientist _____ to native species.
a) whether did all the plants belong b) whether all the plants belonged
c) that all the plants belong d) if do all the plants belong
25. Emma asked her friend _____ crazy about scuba diving at the coral reef.
a) was he b) if he was c) that he was d) if is he
26. The travelers wondered _____ permission to photograph the local scenery.
a) whether the village leader would give them b) whether would the village leader give them
c) that the village leader will give them d) if will the village leader give them
27. The student asked the teacher _____ the balance of the rainforest.
a) if deforestation affected b) if did deforestation affect
c) whether does deforestation affect d) that deforestation affects
28. Linh asked the race organiser _____ through the valley that day.
a) that the route passes b) whether did the route pass
c) whether the route passed d) if is the route passing
29. She wanted to know _____ possession of the sacred valley.
a) that the local tribe still holds b) if the local tribe still held
c) whether does the local tribe still hold d) did the local tribe still hold
30. The photographer asked the local diver _____ underwater cameras in the marine reserve.
a) that he can use b) whether he could use
c) whether could he use d) if can he use