

Mid-term test Grade 10

PHONETICS

I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others

1. A. private B. brilliant C. music D. prepare
2. A. luunch B. umbrella C. fun D. tutor

II. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the rest

3. A. breadwinner B. acupuncture C. disease D. allergy
4. A. contribute B. disease C. digestive D. laundry

USE OF LANGUAGE

III. Choose the best answer for each of the following sentences

5. Be quiet! Someone _____ at the front door. I _____ it.
A. has knocked / am going to answer B. is knocking / will answer
C. knocks / am answering D. is knocking / answer
6. After eating dinner, I have to do the _____ and then do my homework every day.
A. washing – up B. wash - up
C. washing – ups D. washings - up
7. These flowers are fresh. They _____ from the garden.
A. have just been picked B. have been just picked
C. have been picked just D. just have been picked
8. My mother and I often go to the supermarket to shop for _____ at weekends.
A. cook B. groceries C. heavy lifting D. the chores
9. My boyfriend intends to have a part - time job. He _____ in a restaurant in the summer.
A. will work B. is going to work C. works D. shall work
10. In my family, my father always takes charge of doing the _____ lifting.
A. strong B. hard C. heavy D. huge
11. Everyone in my family has to do the share of _____ because my parents go out to work.
A. household chores B. happiness
C. responsibility D. employment
12. As soon as he _____, I _____ you a phone call.
A. is going to come / give B. will come / am going to give
C. comes / will give D. will come / will give
13. The human _____ system is a series of organs responsible for taking in oxygen and expelling carbon dioxide.
A. circulatory B. digestive C. nervous D. respiratory
14. If people breathe in deeply, their _____ can expand to twice their normal size.
A. hearts B. kidneys C. lungs D. stomachs
15. Acupuncture can treat from simple to complicated ailments.
A. diseases B. acupoints C. points D. treatments
16. Food is broken down and converted into energy in the _____ system.
A. circulatory B. skeletal C. digestive D. respiratory
17. When acupuncture _____ correctly, it is very safe for patients.
A. will be performed B. is performed
C. will have performed D. performs
18. - Mother: "Haven't you tidied up your room yet?" - Son: " _____ "
A. I will, after I do all the exercises in my textbook.
C. The more I tidy, the worse it gets.

- B. I have my hands full with my tidying.
D. Why don't you give me a hand with cleaning?
19. Jenny _____ a beautiful dress on her birthday.
A. gave B. will give C. is giving D. was given
20. The concert was exciting at the beginning, _____ it became boring at the end.
A. so B. for C. and D. but
21. Jane has an appointment with her doctor this week. She _____ the doctor tomorrow as planned.
A. will be seeing B. is going to see
C. will see D. is seeing
22. I'm too tired to walk home. I think I _____ a taxi.
A. will get B. am getting C. am going to get D. get

IV. Find the mistake in each sentence

23. The workshop is so interesting that we aren't wanting to leave now.
A B C D
24. Doing crossword puzzles surely has beneficial effects to our brain's memory.
A B C D

V. Give the correct word form of the words in brackets

25. Be _____ (care) not to wake the baby.
26. I have _____ (responsible) for clearing up the room after the class.

READING

VI. Read the text about Adele and answer the questions that follow.

Adele has been one of the world's most well-known singers and songwriters in recent years. Born in North London in 1988, Adele started singing at a young age and she was mostly influenced by the Spice Girls. At the age of 16, Adele composed her first hit song, "Hometown Glory".

When she was a student at the British School for Performing Arts and Technology, she recorded three songs for a class project. All these songs later were posted on MySpace.com and became very popular. As a result, she was offered a record deal from XL Recordings after her graduation. Her first album "19" debuted at number one on the British charts in 2008.

In March 2008, she did a short tour in America and soon her international career began. In 2011, her second album, "21", came out. The music on this album was different from the soul music of "19". It was influenced by American country music, which Adele was listening to during her tour.

In 2012, she wrote and recorded "Skyfall" for the James Bond film of the same name. The song sold more than two million copies worldwide and for it Adele won the Academy Award for Best Original Song.

Since 2012, Adele has won many more awards. She has many fans including other famous singers because they admire her unique voice and her passion for music.

(Adapted from "Adele" by Learning Resource Network, 2016)

27. Adele's first song _____.

- A. was recorded at her art school
 - B. was influenced by the Spice Girls' music
 - C. was written when she was a teenager
 - D. was written for her class project
28. The second paragraph is mainly about _____.
- A. the songs Adele wrote for XL Recordings
 - B. what Adele did when she was a student
 - C. how Adele made her songs popular
 - D. how Adele began her professional music career
29. After Adele graduated from her art school, _____.
- A. she posted her songs on My Space
 - B. she started singing and writing songs
 - C. she got a contract with a recording label
 - D. she started her career in America
30. The word "**came out**" in paragraph 3 can be replaced by _____.
- A. be composed
 - B. be released
 - C. be offered
 - D. be recorded
31. The word "**it**" in paragraph 4 refers to _____.
- A. the song "Skyfall"
 - B. the Academy Award
 - C. Adele's best song
 - D. the 2012 James Bond film

VII. Read the passage below and choose the best answer (A, B, C or D) to each gap.

One of the best things you can do for your body is exercise. But how (32) ____ is enough? Some people think that doing simple things like cleaning the house is helpful. Other people do heavy exercises every day, (33) ____ instance, running or swimming. One thing experts do agree on is that (34) ____ kind of exercise is good for you.

Along with exercise, having a healthy diet can help promote good health. Foods like vegetables and fruit should (35) ____ several times each day. It is also important to eat foods high in fiber such as beans, grains, fruit and vegetables. Fibers helps your body to (36) ____ the food you eat. It also helps your body in other ways such as decreasing the chance of getting some cancers, hearts disease and diabetes.

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| 32. A. far | B. many | C. more | D. much |
| 33. A. by | B. for | C. in | D. with |
| 34. A. all | B. any | C. both | D. some |
| 35. A. eat | B. eating | C. been eaten | D. be eaten |
| 36. A. consume | B. digest | C. pump | D. spoil |

WRITING

VIII. Make meaningful sentences with the words given.

37. In case / emergency, electricity and water / provide / from other sources.

=> _____

38. It / go / rain soon / as the forecast / say / last night?

=> _____

IX. Rewrite the sentences without changing their meaning.

39. A temporary manager is running the shop at the moment.
The shop _____.

40. He never asks when he borrows my things. (always)
He _____.