Mid- term exam Grade 8

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A. PHONETICS

I. Find the word which has a different sound in the underlined part.

1. A. br<u>a</u>celet B. c<u>a</u>ke C. m<u>a</u>ke D. h<u>a</u>t

2. A. pasture<u>s</u> B. costume<u>s</u> C. beache<u>s</u> D. adore<u>s</u>

II. Choose the word whose main stress pattern is different from the others by circling A, B, C or D.

3. A. curious B. custom C. leisure D. minority

4. A. admire B. disturb C. local D. relax

B.VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR AND SPEAKING

I. Choose the correct answer

5. My grandmother enjoy.....flowers in the garden behind her house.

A. plant B. planting C. to plant D. plants

6. James likes.....hard because he wants to get the best result.

A. studying B. to study C. study D. A & B are correct.

7. Ann is hooked .....going shopping.

A. in B. at C. on D. to

8. Harvesting the rice is much .....than drying the rice.

A. more harder B. more hardly C. hardlier D. harder

9. His accident was.....we thought at first.

A. more seriously as B. as seriously as

C. as serious than D. more serious than

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10. The Kinh has ……population in Vietnam.

A. the largest B. larger C. much larger D. the most large

11. ……is the festival celebrated? – Every year.

A. Which B. When C. How D. Why

12. ……Muong in Hoa Binh are well-known for the richness of their folk literature and traditional songs.

A. Ø B. A C. An D. The

13. We have only……hour to finish ……exercise.

A. Ø/ the B. a/ the C. an/ the D. the/ Ø

14. The peoples of Viet Nam are diverse but very ……..

A. peace B. peaceful C. peacefully D. peacefullness

15. Gathering and hunting still play an important ……in the economy of the Laha.

A. role B. way C. impact D. thing

16. It is necessary for every one to take part in the ……activities of their village.

A. communes B. communally C. commune D. communal

17. On the side of the road, a boy was herding ……

A. plough B. grass C. cattle D. hay

18. She often hangs……with her friends in the shopping mall.

A. of B. in C. about D. out

19. Five-coloured sticky rice is a traditional……of Tay people.

A. dishes B. part C. speciality D. rice

20. On Saturday night we may ……up later than usual.

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A. go B. get C. wake D. stay

21. City life is much more ……than countryside. We have access to better facilities.

A. conventional B. fast-pace C. convenient D. polluted

D. READING

I. Choose the correct answers to fill in the blanks.

Hobbies give people joy and there are lots of (23) …….. They provide mental stimulation and can help people foster new aims. Greater fitness can be developed through (24) …….. hobbies. When someone moves to a new town, it is often suggested that they join a club (25) …….. on a particular hobby is to become part of the community. A hobby offers the time and space (26) ……..relax . Sporting hobbies (27) ……..golf, hiking or running allow people to get out into the fresh air. This has been shown to have real benefits for someone's mental health.

23. A. beneficially	B. benefiting	C. benefits	D. beneficial
24. A. active	B. action	C. health	D. moving
25. A. addict	B. spend	C. pay	D. concentrate
26. A. to	B. for	C. in	D. on
27. A. used to	B. examples	C. such as	D. instance

II. Read the text and choose the correct answer

Most of the ethnic minority peoples in the Central Highlands live in stilt houses. These houses are built on columns and beams. They have two or four roofs, and some have decorations on the peaks and the sides. The entrance is on the side. The communal house is usually the largest, tallest and most elaborate building in the village. It is used for village meetings, receiving guests, or as a place of worship, and village festivities.

Single men can sleep in this house.

28. Where do most of the ethnic minority people live in?

A. stilt houses B. mountains C. remote area D. village

29. How many roofs do the house have?

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A. There are some peaks on the roofs.
B. They have the side roofs.
C. They have some decorations.
D. They have two or 4 roofs.

30. What is NOT mentioned about the communal house?

A. It is the first one to be built in the village.
B. It is usually the tallest in the village.
C. It is usually the most elaborate building in the village.
D. It is usually the largest in the village.

31.What is the communal house used for?

A. It is used for village meetings, receiving guests.
B. It is a place of worship.
C. It is used for village festivities.
D. All are correct.

32.Who can sleep in the communal house?

A. People in the village can sleep there.
B. Everyone can sleep there.
C. Single men can sleep there.
D. Only men can sleep there.

E. WRITING

I. Choose the correct sentence among a, b c or d which has the same meaning as the given one.

33. I spent half an hour doing my housework.

A. I did my housework half an hour ago.
B. Half an hour ago was a shot time for me to do the housework.
C. It took me half an hour to do my housework.
D. I should do my housework in half an hour.

34. Five years ago we started writing to each other.

A. We have rarely written to each other for five years.

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B. Five years is a long time for us to write to each other.

C. We wrote to each other five years and we stopped.

D. We have been writing to each other for five years.

35. My father is fond of seeing documentary films.

A. My father hasn't seen documentary films.

B. My father fancies seeing documentary films.

C. My father is worried about missing the next documentary film.

D. My father never wants to see documentary films.

36. John is the most intelligent student in our class.

A. Nobody in our class isn't as intelligent as John.

B. John is much more intelligent than anyone else in our class.

C. Nobody in our class is more intelligent than John.

D. John isn't as bad as other students in our class.

III. Rewrite the following sentences.

37. Munnar is the prettiest hill station in India.

Munnar is……

38. He often went flying kites when he was a child.

He used……...

39. The film was so boring that I fell asleep.

Because……...

40. As she works harder, she feels more tired.

The ……..……

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