

**E9-1-2 21-22 TK**

*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.*

**Question 1:** A. delighted      B. believed      C. disappointed      D. included

**Question 2:** A. comprise      B. empathize      C. limestone      D. religion

**Question 3:** A. factor      B. lacquerware      C. embarrassed      D. frame

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.*

**Question 4:** A. populous      B. determine      C. forbidden      D. delicious

**Question 5:** A. contestant      B. depressed      C. skyscraper      D. embroider

**Question 6:** A. spectacular      B. astounding      C. geological      D. illiterate

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.*

**Question 7:** A \_\_\_\_\_ is a solid figure or object, made by carving or shaping wood, stone, clay, etc.

A. sculpture      B. painting      C. medal      D. picture

**Question 8:** Nam didn't know \_\_\_\_\_ to find more information about the course.

A. what      B. where      C. why      D. while

**Question 9:** Minh is \_\_\_\_\_ the most successful student in my class.

A. by far      B. so long      C. by how      D. so now

**Question 10:** They had left home before I \_\_\_\_\_.

A. had arrived      B. arrived      C. have arrived      D. arrive

**Question 11:** Woman used \_\_\_\_\_ the housewife of the family.

- A. be                                      B. to be                                      C. to being                                      D. to

**Question 12:** We can learn how \_\_\_\_\_ a lantern on the Mid- autumn .

- A. make                                      B. made                                      C. making                                      D. to make

**Question 13:** This sports center is so small that it cannot \_\_\_\_\_ the demands of local residents.

- A. face up to                                      B. set off                                      C. keep up with                                      D. bring out

**Question 14:** Many children in our village are still \_\_\_\_\_. They can't read or write.

- A. creative                                      B. illiterate                                      C. unhealthy                                      D. Traditional

**Question 15:** After I found all the information I needed, I \_\_\_\_\_ the computer.

- A. put off                                      B. switched on                                      C. looked for                                      D. turned off

**Question 16:** There is always a big gap between \_\_\_\_\_, so my grandparents usually misunderstand me.

- A. generations                                      B. traditions                                      C. nations                                      D. occasions

**Question 17:** What a pity! She \_\_\_\_\_ my invitation.

- A. went down                                      B. passed down                                      C. closed down                                      D. turned down

**Question 18:** It's a great experience to be sitting comfortably in a \_\_\_\_\_ pulled by someone through the ancient streets.

- A. bicycle                                      B. rickshaw                                      C. car                                      D. train

**Question 19:** They often go to Tay Ho village \_\_\_\_\_ they can buy some bai tho conical hats.

- A. so that                                      B. because                                      C. although                                      D. When

**Question 20:** London is one of the \_\_\_\_\_ cities in the world.

- A. old                                      B. small                                      C. more polluted                                      D. largest

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each**

*of the following questions.*

**Question 21:** This is called a product of Bat trang pottery, so it was made in Bat trang village.

- A. is                                      B. so                                      C. made                                      D. of

**Question 22:** Nick asked Tom if he has gone to Ba's birthday party the previous night.

- A. asked                                      B. if                                      C. previous                                      D. has gone

**Question 23:** Phuc wondered where buying those traditional handicrafts.

- A. buying                                      B. Phuc                                      C. handicrafts                                      D. traditional

**Question 24:** The leader said that they would have to set up soon after midnight.

- A. have to                                      B. after                                      C. up                                      D. would

*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.*

**Question 25:** I invited her to my party, but she didn't arrive.

- A. turned up                                      B. looked after                                      C. turn up                                      D. looked up

**Question 26:** For my first morning's work at the post office, I put on smart clothes.

- A. looked up                                      B. set up                                      C. dressed up                                      D. gave up

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

**Question 27:** Many people think that playing sports has a lot of benefits.

- A. drawbacks                                      B. drawback                                      C. advantages                                      D. disadvantage

**Question 28:** Before the exam, I always feel stressed.

- A. tense                                      B. relaxed                                      C. frustrated                                      D. worried

*Read the following passage and write the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.*

Bill Gates is the co-founder of Microsoft, the world's largest PC software company. He is

among the richest people in the world. Bill Gates' interest in computer started when he was a teenager. After high school, he was accepted to several top colleges in the USA: Harvard, Yale, and Princeton. He chose to go to Harvard to study law. At Harvard, he focused more on his interest in computer than on coursework. He often relaxed by playing video games in Harvard's computer lab. He left Harvard before graduating because he wanted to open a software company with his friend Paul Allen. However, he later said, "I don't think dropping out is a good idea." In 2007, he received an honorary degree from Harvard. He began his speech by saying this to his father in the audience. I've been waiting more than 30 years to say this: Dad, I always told you I'd come back and get my degree." Bill Gates is no longer working full time for Microsoft. He is now, with his wife, running The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation which aims to improve healthcare, reduce poverty, and promote education around the world.

**Question 29:** When did Bill Gates first develop his interest in computers?

- A. during his teenage years
- B. when he went to university
- C. when he was at nursery school
- D. after high school

**Question 30:** What did he study at Harvard University?

- A. computer science
- B. business
- C. law
- D. pharmacy

**Question 31:** Why did he drop out of Harvard?

- A. because he was ill
- B. because he wanted to start a software company
- C. because he wanted to study at another university
- D. because he wanted to do business

**Question 32:** What is the purpose of The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation?

- A. law
- B. healthcare, poverty reduction, and education
- C. computer software
- D. promote education around the world.

***Read the following passage and write the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.***

Before the exam, gives yourself plenty of time to do everything. Arrive on time but not too early or you will find yourself getting more and more nervous while you wait to start. Try not to talk about the exam before you go in. In the exam, calm yourself .....(33)..... by breathing deeply and thinking positively. If possible, start with the questions you can do easily to give you .....(34)..... Finally, .....(35)..... the exam, don't join in a discussion about what everyone else did, unless you want to frighten yourself. Above all, remember that exams are not designed to catch you out but to find .....(36).....what you know, what you understand and what you can do.

**Question 33:** A. up                      B. on                      C. down                      D. in

**Question 34:** A. confidence                      B. pressure                      C. reasoning skill                      D. awareness

**Question 35:** A. during                      B. before                      C. after                      D. about

**Question 36:** A. in                      B. out                      C. on                      D. about

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.***

**Question 37:** "I'm working in a restaurant, and don't care much for it." she said

- A. She said that she is working in a restaurant and don't care much for it.
- B. She said that she was working in a restaurant and don't care much for it.
- C. She said that she is working in a restaurant and didn't care much for it.
- D. She said that she was working in a restaurant and didn't care much for it.

**Question 38:** This exercise is more difficult than that one.

- A. That exercise isn't so difficult that this one.
- B. That exercise isn't so difficult as this one.
- C. That exercise isn't as easy as this one.

D. That exercise is so difficult as this one

**Question 39:** My friend invited me to her birthday party. I didn't go.

A. Although my friend invited me to her birthday party, I didn't go.

B. Because my friend invited me to her birthday party, I didn't go.

C. My friend invited me to her birthday party, but I didn't go.

D. A&C are correct

**Question 40:** "Have you checked this machine?" he asked me.

A. He asked me if I have checked that machine.

B. He asked me if I had checked this machine.

C. He asked me if I had checked that machine.

D. He asked me if he had checked that machine.