

PRACTICE TEST

I. MULTIPLE CHOICE: (8 points)

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions:

Question 1. A. exhausted B. employed C. behaved D. considered
Question 2. A. thread B. treat C. pleasure D. deadline

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions:

Question 3. A. service B. disease C. traffic D. patient
Question 4. A. access B. satisfy C. future D. expect

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions:

Question 5. These exercises look easily, but they are quite difficult for us.
A B C D

Question 6. Recycling plastics reduce the amount of oil needed for making new plastics.
A B C D

Question 7. The charity organization provides the poor with a lot of household furnitures.
A B C D

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

Question 8. "Are you still employed at the bank?" - "Yes, I _____ there since 1982".
A. have working B. worked C. have been working D. had been working

Question 9. Lan and her family had a _____ to their home village.
A. two-days trip B. day-two trip C. two-day trip D. day trips

Question 10. Nobody went to the party, _____?
A. does he B. do they C. didn't they D. did they

Question 11. _____ Annie told the truth, no one believed her.
A. In spite of B. Unless C. Because D. Despite the fact that

Question 12. However fast he walked, we managed to _____ with him.
A. catch on B. keep up C. carry on D. hold up

Question 13. His pronunciation causes me a lot of _____.
A. difficulties B. difficult C. difficulty D. difficultly

Question 14. David uses English as his mother ____ because he comes from the UK.
A. tongue B. mouth C. nose D. cheek

Question 15. I like this house, but it's too bad that _____ yard is too small.
A. the B. a C. an D. any

Question 16. Most people enjoy _____ to different parts of the world.
A. travel B. travelling C. to travel D. being travelled

Mark the letter A B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.

Question 17. Jack: "Shall we eat out tonight?" - Jill: "_____"
A. That's a good idea B. That's a question
C. It's very kind of you to invite me D. You're welcome.

Question 18. Peter. "Do you want me to turn up the heater?" - Ann: "_____"
A. It's my pleasure B. No, go right ahead

C. No, it's quite warm here
D. Thanks. I'll be right back
Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions

Question 19. There is not a lot of world news in this newspaper.

A. crowded B. international C. urban D. local

Question 20. At weekends the city is always packed with people.

A. crowded B. busy C. noisy D. polluted

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.

Question 21. It is terrible. The machine has been out of order since last month.

A. under repair B. functioning well C. sold out D. refusing orders

Question 22. This country is more developed than that country.

A. wealthier B. more modern C. richer D. poorer

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

Living in a city has a number of drawbacks. Firstly, there is the problem of traffic (23) _____ and traffic accidents. The increase in population and the increasing number of vehicles have (24) _____ many accidents to happen every day. Secondly, air pollution (25) _____ affects people's health, and it also has a bad (26) _____ on the environment. More and more city dwellers suffer from coughing or breathing problems. Thirdly, the city is noisy, even at night. Noise pollution comes from the traffic and from construction sites. Buildings are always being knocked down and rebuilt. These factors contribute to making city life (27) _____ difficult for its residents.

Question 23. A. calm B. jams C. light D. legacy

Question 24. A. caused B. made C. done D. got

Question 25. A. actively B. negatively C. positively D. weakly

Question 26. A. pressure B. consequence C. influence D. result

Question 27. A. mostly B. very C. much D. more

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.

In order to stay healthy it is important to have a balanced diet. We should eat enough three main groups of food. These groups are protein, carbohydrate and fat.

Proteins are very important for building our body. They help us to build new cells as old ones die. Meat and milk products are major sources of protein. We can also get protein from fish, eggs and beans.

Carbohydrate and fat are important to enable us to store energy. Carbohydrates are found in sugar and in cereals. Fat can be found in vegetable oil, in butter and in nuts.

Our body also needs minerals, such as iron and calcium and vitamins. Fish, vegetables and milk contain most of the minerals we need. Vitamins are found in fresh vegetables and fruit

Question 28. According to the passage, a balanced diet.....

A. is needed for good health. B. contains lots of fruit and vegetables.
C. is rich in minerals and vitamins D. is high in protein

Question 29. Proteins.....

A. can only be found in meat. B. help our body build new cells.
C. produce meat and milk. D. can be gotten from rice.

Question 30. We can get fat from.....

A. cereals B. sugar C. butter D. vegetables

Question 31. Carbohydrates.....

A. allow the body to store energy B. are not found in rice and cornmeal
C. supply a lot of protein D. are the most important of three groups of food

Question 32. Which of the following is not true?

- A. It's important to eat a balanced diet.
- B. Fish contain both protein and mineral
- C. Iron and calcium are also essential for good health.
- D. Vitamins are not necessary for our body

II. WRITING: (2 points)

Finish the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, beginning with the given words.

Question 33. The postman was bitten by our dog.

Our dog _____

Question 34. It takes Minh 2 hours to do his homework every day.

Minh spends _____

Question 35. You must leave now, or you'll miss the bus.

-> If you _____

Question 36. Mr. Brown said, "Should I talk to my boss about this?"

-> Mr. Brown wondered _____

Combine two sentences into a new one using the given words in brackets. Do not change the given words in any ways:

Question 37. Going swimming in the river in the summer is interesting. (IT)

Question 38. It's two years since I last spoke to her. (HAVEN'T)

Question 39. I would like the school holidays to be longer. (WISH)

Question 40. I have never read such a romantic story before. (MOST)