

I. MULTIPLE CHOICES

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.

5. A. limestone B. design C. impress D. kind
6. A. participated B. joined C. attended D. decided

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

7. A. collection B. pollution C. attraction D. generation
8. A. social B. nuclear C. cavern D. picturesque

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning.

9. Could you give me a hand with my math homework?
A. lend me B. pay me C. help me D. come with me
10. Our neighbors agreed to take care of our house and garden when we were on summer holiday to our hometown.
A. to look out of B. to look up
C. to look after D. to look into

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning.

11. You'd better give up smoking as soon as possible.
A. stop B. take up C. refuse D. continue
12. People in the country talk more optimistically about the future than city people.
A. friendly B. pessimistically C. loudly D. noisy

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

13. _____ the heavy rain, I stayed at home yesterday.
A. Because of B. Because C. so D. Although
14. He is said _____ a good teacher.
A. to be B. be C. being D. was
15. City life not only offers young people with lots of benefits, but it has lots of _____.
A. positive sites B. advantages C. progs D. drawbacks
16. Sydney is a _____ city. People from all around the world come and live here.
A. multicultural B. affordable C. challenging D. expensive
17. She suggests we should _____ hard for the exam.
A. worked B. work C. working D. to work
18. I used _____ of becoming a singer.
A. dream B. to dream C. dreaming D. dreamed
19. Our schools have put various kinds of _____ on us.
A. homework B. housework C. pressure D. difficulties
20. Many teens try to work hard to meet parents' _____.
A. hope B. expectation C. belief D. advice

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response.

21. "Why don't we go to Huong pagoda?" "_____."
A. That's a good idea. B. About two hundred meters
C. Twenty minutes walk D. Go straight ahead

22. "That's a beautiful picture!" "_____."

A. Yes, thanks

B. No, thanks

C. All right.

D. Thank you.

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.

23. I wish I have enough money to buy a new house.

A

B

C

D

24. I haven't met my old teacher for February.

A

B

C

D

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.

Ove the last five years, more and more students from the school have taken part in environmental projects, such as tree planting and improving the school grounds. But, no matter how much we do, there's always more that can be (25) _____ to improve the place where we live. This year, students from the Conversation Club plan to work with local people to make a community garden near the school. As Tim, a student says: "No one (26) _____ to live in an unattractive area. If we work together, we can turn these areas into spaces that we can enjoy (27) _____ time in." This kind of local action is not just about (28) _____ environment. It also helps people get to know their neighbors and it can help build stronger communities.

If you care about the state of your town, and you are interested in taking part in the project, please contact the school for further information.

25. A. does

B. do

C. did

D. done

26. A. stay

B. stays

C. want

D. wants

27. A. spending

B. giving

C. paying

D. doing

28. A. the

B. a

C. 0

D. an

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

I was born in Ha Noi, the capital of Viet Nam. Ha Noi is famous for its natural beauty, with lots of rivers and lakes. There are many historical places to visit in Ha Noi. The Temple of Literature (Van Mieu – Quoc Tu Giam) is the country's first ever historical university. Teenagers often come here to **pray for** high results in their upcoming examinations. As Viet Nam is a Buddhism-oriented nation, its capital has also been the centre of Buddhism for centuries. In Hanoi alone, there are about 600 temples and pagodas. It also has a big church in the city centre, a popular place for the few Christians living here. With a population of over eight million, the city is quite crowded. However, the public transportation is not **adequate**, so visitors find it hard to cross the roads safely. The city is packed with universities and enterprises, making it the top desination for higher education students and labor workers. Many people from rural areas reside in Ha Noi so that they can get well paid jobs. This makes the city become more crowded than ever before.

29. What is the passage about?

A. a city

B. changes in a city

C. a city in the past

D. a country

30. What does "**pray for**" mean?

A. pass

B. like

C. wish

D. teach

31. What does "**adequate**" mean?

A. satisfactory

B. abundant

C. much

D. a lot

32. Which among this is NOT mentioned about Ha Noi?

A. natural features

B. nightlife

C. infrastructure

D. traffic