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. afford B. assistant C. date D. comfortable

Question 2: A. kissed B. laughed C. looked D. loved

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. campaign B. female C. humour D. partner

Question 4: A. community B. energetic C. enthusiast D. participate

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

Question 5: Her mother prevented her ____ going out tonight.

A. about B. against C. at D. from

Question 6: As an ASEAN member, Viet Nam has actively participated in the group's programs and has also created new ____ and cooperation mechanisms.

A. initiatives B. initiates C. initiations D. initiators

Question 7: All students ____ wear uniforms at school because it is a rule.

A. should B. have to C. ought to D. must

Question 8: After graduating from university, I want to ____ my father's footsteps.

A. follow in B. succeed in C. go after D. keep up

Question 9: It would be unreasonable ____ him ____ you money if you didn't pay it back.

A. to expect/lend B. to expect/to lend C. expect/to lend D. expecting/lend

Question 10: Last Sunday, the Youth Union ____ a campaign to help students with disabilities.

A. has launched B. launched C. was launched D. was launching

Question 11: Recently, a gang of enterprising New Zealanders ____ an incredible scheme to raise awareness of depression and mental health issues.

A. has introduced B. had introduced C. introduced D. was introduced

Question 12: It is Phong's sense of responsibility ……make him successful in his life.

A. that B. what C. which D. who

Question 13: She did a funny little curtsy which Josh and Silver couldn't help ____ at.

A. laugh B. laughing C. to laugh D. to laughing

Question 14: Children with cognitive impairments may have ____ in learning basic skills like reading, writing, or problem solving.

A. ability B. determination C. difficulty D. refusal

Question 15: I moved into Apartment 2C on December 1st. Since I _____ in, my upstairs neighbours _____ their stereo loudly every night.

A. moved - played B. move - play

C. have moved - played D. moved – have played

Question 16: I have a ____ on a classmate who is very near and dear to me.

A. crush B. desire C. flame D. passion

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct response to each of the following exchanges.

Question 17: "I think students must go to single sex schools." – "No, ____"

A. I totally approve. B. I disagree.

C. How amazing D. What a pity.

Question 18: "Do you feel like going to the prom with me?" – " ____"

A. I feel very bored. B. That would be great.

C. Yes, congratulations. D. You're welcome.

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 19: I'm totally exhausted after having finished successive **assignments** in only a week.

A. Jobs **B.** works **C.** exercises **D.** problems

Question 20: The government found it very difficult to **cope with** the rising unemployment.

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A. try **B.** manage **C.** reduce **D.** increase

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 21: Little Mary had a **disadvantaged** childhood with little education and money.

A. difficult **B.** poor **C.** prosperous **D.** starving

Question 22: Then the strangest thing happens - Will and Marcus **strike up** an unusual friendship.

A. cover up **B.** give up **C.** make up **D.** remain

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

Question 23: The chef felt the meat cautious before carefully serving it to his special guest.
A. cautiously B. felt C. carefully D. special

Question 24: Overpopulation is one of the main factors that leads to poor, illiteracy, and social evils.
A. illiteracy B. Overpopulation
C. one of the main factors D. poor

Question 25: According to Kate's parents' viewpoint, she is never mature enough to be in love.
A. According to B. viewpoint C. is never D. enough to

Question 26: If you want some useful advice, you have better talk to your parents about your problem.
A. have better B. about C. advice D. want

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

Fathers in today families are spending more time with their children than at any point in the past 100 years. (27) ____ the number of hours the average woman spends at home with her children has declined since the early 1900s, as more and more women enter the workforce, there has been a decrease(28) ____ the number of children per family and an increase in individual attention to each child. As a result, mothers today in the United States, (29) ____ those who work part- or full-time, spend almost twice as much time with each child as mothers did in the 1920s. People (30) ____ raised children in the 1940s and 1950s typically report that their own adult children and grandchildren communicate far better with their kids and spend more time (31) ____ with homework than they did.

Question 27:	A. Although	B. However	C. Unless	D. Besides
Question 28:	A. in	B. for	C. to	D. with
Question 29:	A. adding	B. counting	C. taking	D. including
Question 30:	A. whom	B. which	C. that	D. when
Question 31:	A. helping	B. to help	C. help	D. on help

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

It has long been seen as a less romantic way of meeting Mr Right. But finding love over the Internet is a good way of meeting a marriage partner, research has showed. It found that one in five of those who have used dating sites to find their perfect partner have gone on to marry someone they met over the web. The study, by consumer group Which?, also revealed that more than half of the 1,504 people questioned had been on a date with someone they met in **cyberspace**. Sixty-two per cent agreed that it was easier to meet someone on a dating site than in other ways, such as in a pub or club, or through friends. At the same time, the under-35s were more likely to know someone who had been on a date or had a long-term

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relationship with someone they met through online dating. The survey also found that Match.com and Dating Direct were the most popular dating websites.

Jess Ross, editor of which.co.uk, said: "Online dating is revolutionising the way people meet each other. Switching the computer on could be the first step to success." According to industry surveys, more than 22 million people visited dating websites in 2007, and more than two million Britons are signed up to singles sites. Previous research has shown that couples who get to know each other via emails are more likely to see each other again after their first date. Two years ago, a study by Bath University revealed that those who met on dating websites were 94 per cent more likely to see each other after their first meeting than other couples. The researchers studied relationships formed on online dating website Match.com over a six-month period. **They** found that consummate love - described as a balance of passion, intimacy and commitment - was evident at around 12 months into a relationship. Of the 147 couples who took part in the study, 61 per cent said their relationships had high levels of these components. The researchers also found that men were more likely to find true love on the Internet than women. Some 67 per cent of men but just 57 per cent of women said they had experienced consummate love with an online partner.

Companionate love - a relationship with high levels of intimacy and commitment, but lower levels of passion - was the next most frequently experienced form of love, exhibited by 16 per cent of the study group. Dr Jeff Gavin, who led the team, said: "To date, there has been no **systematic** study of love in the context-of relationships formed via online dating sites. But with the popularity of online dating, it is **imperative** we understand the factors that influence satisfaction in relationships formed in this way." Charlotte Harper, of Match.com, said: "We were thrilled to find so many of our former members have found love. It supports our belief that the Internet does in fact encourage old-fashioned courtship."

Question 32: Which of the following would serve as the best title for the passage?

A. Internet does in fact encourage old-fashioned courtship.

B. Online dating - a good way of meeting people.

C. Online dating is showed to help you find your perfect partner.

D. The revolution of online dating is alarming.

Question 33: According to the passage, online dating is seen as ____.

A. a modern romantic way of dating

B. an economical way of dating

C. the fastest way to find a soul mate

D. a great change in the way people meet

Question 34: According to the passage, the number of people taking part in a study by Bath University was ____.

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A. more than 1500 **B.** more than 750 **C.** about 150 **D.** about 300

Question 35: Which of the following statements is NOT true according to the passage?

A. Consummate love has higher levels of passion than companionate love.

B. Less than 20 million people visited dating websites in 2007.

C. Many members of match.com have found love.

D. Men are more likely to find their ideal partner online than women.

Question 36: The word "**they**" in the paragraph 2 refers to ____.

A. relationships **B.** researchers

C. online dating websites **D.** people

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.

Question 37: The teacher makes us study hard in next term

A. We are made studied hard in next term **B.** We is made to study hard in next term

C. We were made to study hard in next term **D.** We are made to study hard in next term

Question 38: I haven't enjoyed myself so much for years.

A. It's years since I last enjoyed myself so much.

B. It's years since I have enjoyed myself so much.

C. It was years since I had enjoyed myself so much.

D. It has been years since I have enjoyed myself so much.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

Question 39: Tom reviewed the lessons carefully. He couldn't finish the test very well.

A. Tom reviewed the lessons carefully whereas he could finish the test very well.

B. Tom reviewed the lessons carefully; therefore he could finish the test very well.

C. If Tom reviewed the lessons carefully, he could finish the test very well.

D. Although Tom reviewed the lessons carefully, he couldn't finish the test very well.

Question 40: Indonesia was influenced by Chinese, European, Indian, and Malay cultures. It is a widely diverse nation with over 300 ethnic groups.

A. To influence by Chinese, European, Indian, and Malay cultures, Indonesia is a widely diverse nation with over 300 ethnic groups.

B. To be influenced by Chinese, European, Indian, and Malay cultures, Indonesia is a widely diverse nation with over 300 ethnic groups.

C. Influencing by Chinese, European, Indian, and Malay cultures, Indonesia is a widely diverse nation with over 300 ethnic groups.

D. Being influenced by Chinese, European, Indian, and Malay cultures, Indonesia is a widely diverse nation with over 300 ethnic groups.

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