

**Section A (8,0 points)**

*Write 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.*

1. A. dominance      B. accent      C. establishment      D. factor  
 2. A. sauce      B. stew      C. steam      D. sugar

*Write 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.*

3. A. erode      B. official      C. immersion      D. touchdown  
 4. A. operate      B. develop      C. imitate      D. marinate

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

5. Minh told me about his new job, \_\_\_\_\_ he's enjoying very much.  
 A. whom      B. who      C. which      D. whose

6. All \_\_\_\_\_ must complete a visa form upon arrival at Singapore airport.  
 A. tourists      B. departures      C. customers      D. passengers

7. He spoke a ..... of French that we found hard to understand.  
 A. slang      B. language      C. dialect      D. Jargon

8. I need ..... cheese to go with the pasta.  
 A. some      B. any      C. a      D. an

9. Please give me a \_\_\_\_\_ of grapes.

A. clove

B. slice

C. bunch

D. head

10. He suggests that mothers \_\_\_\_\_ are employed full-time will not be able to give their children enough care and attention.

A. which

B. who

C. whom

D. X

11. Teachers provide a model for children to \_\_\_\_\_ .

A. allow

B. behave

C. imagine

D. iminate

12. If we don't talk to them about healthy food,\_\_\_\_\_.

A. They may only eat junk food.

B. They can't only eat junk food.

C. They should only eat junk food.

D. They must only eat junk food.

13. \_\_\_\_\_ is visiting important and historic places in a city or an area as a tourist.

A. Travelling

B. Sightseeing

C. Wandering

D. Sunbathing

14. There you can sample the authentic local cuisine, with its famous seafood.....

A. specialities

B. specialist

C. specially

D. speciation

15. You should \_\_\_\_\_ butter on a slice of bread and put it in the oven for two minutes.

A. chop

B. marinate

C. spread

D. sprinkle

16. When you \_\_\_\_\_ your destination, your tour guide will meet you at the airport.

A. get

B. arrive

C. achieve

D. reach

***Write 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.***

17. They shone their flashlights in my face and could tell I was Jewish.

A. subways

B. highways

C. torches

D. sidewalks

18. One of the drawbacks of tourism is the damage to the environment of a country or area.

A. repair      B. help      C. harm      D. assistance

*Write 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.*

19. The diabetes is becoming more and more common disease in children

A. rare      B. well - known      C. general      D. popular

20. The simplicity of form makes English easy to learn.

A. complication      B. openness      C. difficulty      D. fluency

*Write 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.*

21. Don't put too much garlic in the salad ; two bunches are enough.

A. put      B. bunches      C. much      D. in

22. If you want to widen your vocabulary, you would read short stories in English

A. would      B. to      C. in      D. vocabulary

23. "Who wants to be a millionaire?" is a show of TV who is very popular.

A. who      B. to be      C. is      D. show

24. In a Caribbean region, The Dominican Republic is a country on the island

Hispaniola

A. a country      B. the      C. a      D. the island

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

What is tasty is not always healthy. Doctors say that chips and pizzas are (25)\_\_\_\_\_, fizzy soft drinks damage our teeth, and coffee shortens our lives. If we eat

(26)\_\_\_\_ much, we'll become obese, and obesity leads to heart disease, diabetes, and other serious illnesses. Unfortunately, the world today is (27)\_\_\_\_ fatter and fatter. Lack of exercise is another serious problem. We spend hours in front of our computers and TV sets. (28)\_\_\_\_ of us do morning exercises. We walk less because we prefer to use cars or public transport. Research shows, however, that young people who don't do enough exercise often suffer from heart attacks later in life.

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

More than 80% of American high school students work at part-time jobs in the evenings, on weekends or in summer. These part-time jobs bring teenagers great advantages.

One of the benefits of the work is the students can learn the skills that will be useful for the rest of their lives. When they work, they have to manage both the job and schoolwork. To be able to do so, they must be very organized and able to keep a sensible schedule. They also learn to **cope with** the job stress apart from the stress of the schoolwork. Some of the most stressful jobs include teaching, nursing, and police work. These skills help prepare teenagers for their later careers. High school students

who work are more likely to succeed as adults than people who enter the job market at a later age with no work experience.

Teenagers want a lot of expensive things: clothes, mp3 players, trips with their friends, etc. Not all parents can afford them. And even if they can, the teens might not really appreciate that money because they did not earn it. When teenagers make money for themselves, they know its true and are less likely to spend it foolishly

**29.** Which of the following is a good title for the passage?

- A. Why teenagers should work
- B. Advantages and disadvantages of part-time jobs
- C. Part-time jobs cause stress
- D. How to choose a good job

**30.** In the passage, what is NOT an effect of part-time jobs?

- A. Teenagers become organized.
- B. Teenagers become stressed.
- C. Teenagers are more likely to have successful careers.
- D. Teenagers can learn the skills that prepare them for their later career

**31.** The phrase “cope with” in the passage is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. fight against
- B. deal with
- C. suffer from
- D. turn down

32. According to the passage, which of the following is TRUE?

- A. Only some US students do part-time jobs.
- B. US students suffer part-time job stress
- C. Part-time jobs are somehow good for teenagers
- D. Student shouldn't work when they are at school

**Section B (2,0 points)**

*I. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the sentence printed before it. Write your answers on your answer sheet. (0,5 point)*

1. Be careful or you will make a lot of mistakes.

-> If ..... .

2. The girls are her friends. They come from Japan.

-> The girls..... .