

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.

9. A. official      B. cattle      C. icon      D. Scottish

10. A. survivor      B. debris      C. disaster      D. predict

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.

11. A. disaster      B. tsunami      C. injury      D. provision

12. A. Taiwanese      B. biology      C. botanical      D. photography

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

13. Usually, people from different parts of a country speak their language with different \_\_\_\_\_.

A. voices      B. accents      C. speaks      D. sounds

14. The polluted water results \_\_\_\_\_ the death of fish in the lake behind my house.

A. in      B. to      C. of      D. with

15. If I were offered the job, I think I \_\_\_\_\_ it.

A. take      B. will take      C. would take      D. taken

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.

16. They come from English speaking countries in the world.

A. schools      B. camps      C. nations      D. flags

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.

17. The polluted water makes the fish in the lake die.

A. soak      B. unpolluted      C. complicated      D. guess

**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.**

18. The Inuit, or the Eskimos, have live in the lands of the USA and Canada for thousands of years.

A. for                    B. and                    C. of                    D. have live

19. Would people be able to fly, if they have feathers instead of hair?

A. be able            B. to fly                    C. have                    D. instead of

20. This year, our school celebration our thirtieth anniversary in September.

A. our school            B. celebration            C. anniversary            D. in

**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 numbers blanks.**

Have a walk on a beach, listen to the sound of the sea waves, and suddenly you see a lot of rubbish on the beach. Pollution takes away all the (1) \_\_\_\_\_ of our beaches. I feel really very annoyed when I see plastic bags lying on the sand, cigarette ends buried in the sand, and soda cans floating in the sea.

There are a lot of things that we can do. (2) \_\_\_\_\_ we see rubbish, we should do our part in the protecting the land by picking it up and throwing it in dust bins. Moreover, we can form some kinds of organization that helps (3) \_\_\_\_\_ the beaches. If everyone does their part, the beaches will be a wonderful and beautiful place. We need to start now (4) \_\_\_\_\_ the beaches are damaged beyond repair.

1. A. beauty            B. beautiful            C. beautifully            D. being beautiful
2. A. While            B. If                    C. Unless                    D. Soon
3. A. cleaning up            B. clean up            C. cleaning off            D. clean off
4. A. before            B. after                    C. until                    D. when

**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.**

Australia is an island continent in the South Pacific. The capital is Canberra, but the city with the biggest population is Sydney, which has nearly four million. English is the first language of most people, but there are also many immigrants who speak other languages.

Canada is the second largest country in land side. It stretches 3,223 square miles from east to west, and from the North Pole to the US border. Both English and French are official languages. Many French-speaking people live in the province of Quebec, where Montreal is the biggest city. Canada has a cold winter, and many Canadian enjoy winter sports, such as skiing and ice skating.

Switzerland is a small country in central Europe. Its neighbors are France in the west, Italy in the south, Australia in the east, and Germany in the north. Sixty percent of the land in Switzerland is mountains. Switzerland is famous for its banks, tourism, and skiing.

1. What is the capital of Australia?

**A.** Sydney      **B.** Quebec      **C.** Canberra      **D.** Montreal

2. Is English the unique language spoken in Australia?

**A.** Yes, it is.      **B.** Yes, there is.      **C.** No, it isn't.      **D.** No, there isn't.

3. Which country is the neighbor of Canada?

**A.** Australia      **B.** America      **C.** Switzerland      **D.** France

4. Which of the following sentences is NOT TRUE, according to the passages?

**A.** Canadian speak both English and French.  
**B.** Skiing is a popular sport in Switzerland.  
**C.** Canberra has the biggest population in Australia.  
**D.** Ice skating is enjoyed by many Canadian in winter.

**Section B (3,0 points)**

**I.I. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the sentence printed before it.**

**Question 1:** Volunteers have given out food and blankets to homeless people.

- Food and blankets .....

**Question 2:** Several tropical storms have struck our country recently.

- Our country .....

**Question 3:** Plant more and more trees, and we will get fresh air.

- If we.....