

## ✚ Practices

I. Choose the words whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others in each group.

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| 1. A. watch <u>e</u> d        | B. dropp <u>e</u> d      | C. wash <u>e</u> d          | D. travel <u>e</u> d  |
| 2. A. s <u>e</u> a            | B. s <u>cr</u> een       | C. s <u>ma</u> rt           | D. s <u>u</u> gar     |
| 3. A. eco-friendl <u>y</u>    | B. sk <u>y</u>           | C. gravit <u>y</u>          | D. megacit <u>y</u>   |
| 4. A. Earth <u>th</u>         | B. earthscr <u>ap</u> er | C. the <u>th</u> emselves   | D. th <u>ing</u> s    |
| 5. A. hel <u>p</u> er         | B. devic <u>e</u>        | C. desc <u>ri</u> be        | D. deliv <u>e</u> r   |
| 6. A. rob <u>o</u> t          | B. g <u>o</u>            | C. n <u>o</u>               | D. n <u>o</u> t       |
| 7. A. spac <u>e</u>           | B. locat <u>e</u> d      | C. lak <u>e</u>             | D. cottag <u>e</u>    |
| 8. A. machin <u>e</u>         | B. ch <u>ea</u> p        | C. watc <u>h</u>            | D. ch <u>il</u> dren  |
| 9. A. s <u>ur</u> round       | B. o <u>ce</u> an        | C. spac <u>e</u>            | D. hous <u>e</u>      |
| 10. A. wirel <u>e</u> ss      | B. fridg <u>e</u>        | C. hi- <u>te</u> ch         | D. applianc <u>e</u>  |
| 11. A. <u>U</u> FO            | B. fut <u>u</u> re       | C. pollut <u>e</u>          | D. stud <u>e</u> nt   |
| 12. A. spac <u>e</u>          | B. draw                  | C. <u>au</u> tomatic        | D. mor <u>e</u>       |
| 13. A. machin <u>e</u>        | B. hi- <u>te</u> ch      | C. locat <u>e</u>           | D. cabl <u>e</u>      |
| 14. A. print <u>e</u> r       | B. machin <u>e</u>       | C. automat <u>i</u> c       | D. furnitur <u>e</u>  |
| 15. A. read <u>y</u>          | B. heal <u>th</u> y      | C. alread <u>y</u>          | D. mean <u>s</u>      |
| 16. A. <u>f</u> arm           | B. warn                  | C. park                     | D. gard <u>e</u> n    |
| 17. A. or <u>a</u> nge        | B. cabbag <u>e</u>       | C. lemonad <u>e</u>         | D. sausag <u>e</u>    |
| 18. A. ch <u>e</u> st         | B. lunch                 | C. bench                    | D. school             |
| 19. A. sleep <u>i</u> ng bags | B. astronau <u>t</u> s   | C. hom <u>e</u> s           | D. school <u>s</u>    |
| 20. A. break <u>s</u>         | B. show <u>e</u> rs      | C. ide <u>a</u> s           | D. job <u>s</u>       |
| 21. A. stor <u>e</u> s        | B. groceri <u>e</u> s    | C. fridg <u>e</u> s         | D. dron <u>e</u> s    |
| 22. A. discuss <u>e</u> d     | B. help <u>e</u> d       | C. look <u>e</u> d          | D. print <u>e</u> d   |
| 23. A. lett <u>u</u> ce       | B. tub <u>e</u>          | C. mus <u>i</u> c           | D. beautif <u>u</u> l |
| 24. A. noodl <u>e</u> s       | B. shouldr <u>e</u> s    | C. pack <u>e</u> t <u>s</u> | D. tomato <u>e</u> s  |
| 25. A. liv <u>i</u> ng        | B. wirel <u>e</u> ss     | C. hi- <u>te</u> ch         | D. nic <u>e</u>       |



II. Choose the word whose main stressed syllable is placed differently from that of the other in each group.

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| 1. A. furniture   | B. cameras    | C. advantage   | D. different  |
| 2. A. houseboat   | B. motorhome  | C. apartment   | D. cottage    |
| 3. A. special     | B. modern     | C. wireless    | D. machine    |
| 4. A. appliance   | B. dishwasher | C. countryside | D. factory    |
| 5. A. robot       | B. locate     | C. iron        | D. cable      |
| 6. A. underground | B. astronaut  | C. gravity     | D. company    |
| 7. A. control     | B. giant      | C. solar       | D. software   |
| 8. A. computer    | B. helicopter | C. future      | D. century    |
| 9. A. replace     | B. supply     | C. provide     | D. sorrow     |
| 10. A. megacity   | B. indefinite | C. delivery    | D. technology |
| 11. A. city       | B. police     | C. village     | D. castle     |

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| 12. A. surround    | B. mountain    | C. ocean       | D. countryside |
| 13. A. apartment   | B. balcony     | C. appliance   | D. invention   |
| 14. A. printer     | B. device      | C. robot       | D. spacesuit   |
| 15. A. future      | B. helper      | C. housework   | D. machine     |
| 16. A. future      | B. locate      | C. solar       | D. wireless    |
| 17. A. surround    | B. cottage     | C. robot       | D. planet      |
| 18. A. motorhome   | B. skyscraper  | C. appliance   | D. probably    |
| 19. A. temperature | B. supermarket | C. comfortable | D. automatic   |
| 20. A. holiday     | B. camera      | C. internet    | D. location    |

### III. Signs/ Notices:

What do the signs mean?

1.		<p>A. School ahead</p> <p>B. Pedestrian crossing</p> <p>C. Slow down ahead</p> <p>D. School bus stop</p>
2.		<p>A. No standing here.</p> <p>B. No parking .</p> <p>C. No parking, Tow-away zone</p> <p>D. Garage ahead.</p>

### IV.Fill in the blanks using the words in the box

screen	mega-city	appliances
advantage	control	underground

- They have all the latest household \_\_\_\_\_ .
- The film was about an evil genius who wanted to \_\_\_\_\_ the world.
- If you press this key, the computer \_\_\_\_\_ will clear.
- Electrical power is supplied by \_\_\_\_\_ cables.
- Lagos is a \_\_\_\_\_ that now stretches over roughly 300 square kilometres.
- I think she takes \_\_\_\_\_ of his good nature.

**V. Choose the best answer to complete the sentences.**

1. I think students \_\_\_\_\_ to school on a special bus in the future.  
A. will travel                  B. are travelling                  C. travel                  D. travelled
2. Jack \_\_\_\_\_ go swimming than do athletics on hot and sunny days.  
A. would prefer                  B. would to                  C. would like                  D. would rather
3. Be careful There may be a snake \_\_\_\_\_ the grass.  
A. on                  B. under                  C. in                  D. of
4. Students can use \_\_\_\_\_ libraries from home.  
A. traditional                  B. digital                  C. actual                  D. attractive
5. There is a huge \_\_\_\_\_ for kids in the central park.  
A. playground                  B. megacity                  C. jetpack                  D. underground
6. Mary: I think robots will rule the world.  
Tom: \_\_\_\_\_  
A. Robots are stupid.                  B. That's what I think  
C. Really? I'd love to
7. Helen: Let's try this computer game.  
Tom: \_\_\_\_\_  
A. I hope not.                  B. Good idea.                  C. How often?
8. Peter: \_\_\_\_\_  
Helen: I agree  
A. Why don't we buy a new smart phone?  
B. Would you like a new smart phone?  
C. A smart phone is useful for our school work.
9. Leave early so that you \_\_\_\_\_ miss the bus.  
A. didn't                  B. shouldn't                  C. won't                  D. mustn't
10. I hope I \_\_\_\_\_ find it.  
A. will                  B. could                  C. shall                  D. must
11. Unless he runs he \_\_\_\_\_ catch the train.  
A. will                  B. wouldn't                  C. mustn't                  D. won't
12. \_\_\_\_\_ will life be like in 100 years?  
A. What                  B. How                  C. Where                  D. Why
13. Mary likes \_\_\_\_\_. She can make very beautiful things from paper and cloth  
A. sports                  B. crafts                  C. building                  D. make
14. A flycam records images from above, and a person \_\_\_\_\_ the ground controls it!  
A. at                  B. in                  C. about                  D. on
15. Helen enrolls in a sports club \_\_\_\_\_ she loves volleyball a lot.  
A. when                  B. because                  C. or                  D. as
16. Don't buy any milk. We have \_\_\_\_\_ in the fridge.  
A. many                  B. a little                  C. a lot                  D. some
17. Teenagers now can store many \_\_\_\_\_ on their mobile phones.  
A. e-books                  B. information                  C. mail                  D. newspaper



18. Can you speak French? - Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ .  
 A. a few                      B. few                      C. a little                      D. little
19. Peter: Shall we go to the cinema or stay in to play computer games?  
 Jack: \_\_\_\_\_  
 A. I'd rather stay in    B. I'd rather not.                      C. Why not?
20. Jack: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Helen: I'd love to, but I'm afraid I can't  
 A. Why not go swimming?  
 B. Would you rather go swimming than watch TV?  
 C. Would you like to go swimming with us?
21. Thank you very \_\_\_\_\_ for your help.  
 A. many                      B. much                      C. a lot of                      D. little
22. She has talked too \_\_\_\_\_ .  
 A. much                      B. many                      C. few                      D. a great deal
23. He made very \_\_\_\_\_ mistakes.  
 A. much                      B. many                      C. little                      D. a number of
24. Don't phone Ann now. She \_\_\_\_\_ be having lunch.  
 A. might                      B. can                      C. must                      D. has to
25. In the future, machines \_\_\_\_\_ all the work for us.  
 A. are doing                      B. will do                      C. were doing                      D. do
26. They know \_\_\_\_\_ about what to do.  
 A. many                      B. few                      C. little                      D. the number of
27. \_\_\_\_\_ children are ill-prepared for employment.  
 A. Much                      B. Most                      C. A little                      D. Most of
28. Would you like \_\_\_\_\_ champagne to drink?  
 A. some                      B. few                      C. a few                      D. many
29. When I studied Shakespeare, I thought his plays were \_\_\_\_\_ boring.  
 A. many                      B. much                      C. few                      D. a few
30. \_\_\_\_\_ of the students are good today.  
 A. Most                      B. Much                      C. A little                      D. Very
31. There were too \_\_\_\_\_ different nationalities in my class and we had to speak English.  
 A. a lot of                      B. much                      C. some                      D. many
32. I don't know \_\_\_\_\_ about English literature.  
 A. many                      B. much                      C. a few                      D. little
33. \_\_\_\_\_ you be in Rome tonight?  
 A. Will                      B. Might                      C. May                      D. Maybe
34. We \_\_\_\_\_ have time to help you tomorrow.  
 A. may                      B. will                      C. must                      D. could
35. " \_\_\_\_\_ you hand me that pair of scissors, please?"  
 A. May                      B. Shall                      C. Will                      D. Should