

I. PRONUNCIATION

Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from that of the others.

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| 1. a. <u>foot</u> | b. <u>moon</u> | c. <u>look</u> | d. <u>would</u> |
| 2. a. <u>gravity</u> | b. <u>aspiration</u> | c. <u>biography</u> | d. <u>possible</u> |
| 3. a. <u>technical</u> | b. <u>conquest</u> | c. <u>psychology</u> | d. <u>launched</u> |
| 4. a. <u>national</u> | b. <u>venture</u> | c. <u>fortunate</u> | d. <u>suggestion</u> |
| 5. a. <u>support</u> | b. <u>shuttle</u> | c. <u>success</u> | d. <u>venture</u> |

II. LANGUAGE FOCUS

A. Choose the word or phrase - a, b, c or d - that best completes the sentence or substitutes for the underlined word or phrase.

6. Neil Armstrong was the first man to walk on the moon _____ 20 July 1969.
a. in b. at c. on d. of
7. She is never satisfied _____ what she's got.
a. to b. with c. for d. in .
8. In 1961 Yuri Gagarin lifted _____ into space aboard the Vostok 1.
a. off b. up c. on d. Ø
9. After landing, the team members were greeted like _____ heroes.
a. conquer b. conquering c. conqueror d. conquest
10. No one knew precisely what would happen to a human being in space.
a. exactly b. clearly c. carefully d. vividly
11. Neil Armstrong, an American _____, was the first man to step on the moon's surface.
a. scientist b. cosmonaut c. astronaut d. astronomer
12. The 27-year-old Soviet cosmonaut became the first person to eat and drink in _____.
a. weight b. weighting c. weightless d. weightlessness
13. About 100 Russian satellites are the earth.
a. flying b. orbiting c. traveling d. circuiting
14. Many people are demonstrating to express their _____ with the new land law.
a. satisfied b. satisfactory c. satisfaction d. dissatisfaction
15. The astronauts were able to send the information back to the earth.
a. spaceships b. space stations c. spacemen d. space shots

B. Choose the word or phrase - a, b, c or d - that best completes the sentence.

16. No one is better cook than his mother, _____?
a. is she b. isn't she c. are they d. aren't they
17. Do it right now, _____?
a. will you b. shall you c. do you d. don't you
18. There are no easy ways to learn a foreign language, _____?
a. are they b. are there c. aren't they d. aren't there
19. He seldom goes to the library, _____?
a. doesn't he b. is he c. does he d. isn't he
20. Let's go for a long walk, _____?
a. will we b. shall we c. don't you d. do you
21. I'd lost my key, so I _____ the door when I got home.
a. could lock b. wasn't able to lock
c. couldn't unlock d. was able to unlock
22. When Mr. Lee was younger, he _____ work in the garden for hours.
a. has got to b. should be able to c. can d. could
23. Yesterday I _____ to a furniture store. I bought a new lamp there.
a. could go b. could have gone c. went d. ought to have gone

- C. Choose the word or phrase - A, B, C or D -that needs correcting.**

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28. Halley's comet was named of the astronomer Edmund Halley, who was the first to realize that some comets appear in regular cycles.

30. If I were a little taller I could be astronaut, but I don't meet the height requirement.
- A B C D

A. Fill in each blank space with one appropriate from the box.

Before man had (31) _____ in space it was thought that his physical and mental capabilities might be (32) _____ by long periods of (33) _____, and that he might be endangered by high levels of (34) _____. Yuri Gagarin's first (35) _____ flight in April 1961 showed that man could live in space and, although this (36) _____ only lasted for 108 minutes, it gave encouragement to those interested in the future of (37) _____ space flight. In fact, most of the early fears about man's health in space have proved (38) _____, and although several odd medical (39) _____ have been observed, none has (40) _____ affected man's ability for useful work.

B. Read the passage carefully, then decide whether the following statements are true (1) or false IF).

41. Marco Polo traveled from England to China in the late 13th century.

42. While he was looking for India, Christopher Columbus reached America.

43. In the 19th century Richard Byrd flew over both the North and the South Poles.
44. Unmanned spacecraft went to the moon before manned spacecraft did.
45. Apollo 11 was the first manned spaceship to go to the moon.
46. Apollo 11 was damaged in the blast.
47. All of the American astronauts on the spaceship landed on and explored the surface of the moon.
48. Today we are sending spacecraft with astronauts on board to other planets.

IV. WRITING

Choose the phrase that best completes the sentence.

49. _____ by meteorites whose impact formed craters of all size.
a. The surface of the moon was shaped
b. The moon whose surface shaped
c. The surface of the shaped moon
d. The surface was forming the shape of the moon
50. Many craters on the earth's surface were probably formed by very large meteorites _____.
a. when smashed into the ground was an explosion
b. which smashed into the ground and an explosion
c. smashing into the ground and exploding
d. they smashed into the ground and exploded
51. Throughout history, the moon has inspired not only song and dance _____.
a. but poetry and prose as well b. but poetry also prose
c. together with poetry and prose d. and also poetry and prose
52. Claudius Ptolemy, _____ of the first century A.D., left a good description of the geocentric theory.
a. he was an astronomer and a philosopher
b. being an astronomer and a philosopher
c. an astronomer and who was a philosopher
d. who was an astronomer and a philosopher
53. _____ the fifth largest among the nine planets that make up our solar system.
a. The Earth being b. The Earth is
c. That the Earth is d. Being the Earth
54. If my aunt had not fallen down yesterday, _____.
a. her legs would not be hurting now
b. she can walk normally now
c. she does not have to go on crutches now
d. she would not have been painful now
55. Glass that has been tempered may be up to _____.
a. as hard as ordinary glass five times
b. five times as hard as ordinary glass
c. hard as ordinary glass five times
d. ordinary glass as hard as five times