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Time allowance: 60 minutes

**PRONUNCIATION**

- Question 1. A. walked ed      B. ended d      C. started ed      D. beloved ed  
 Question 2. A. species      B. invent ed      C. medicine      D. tennis

**STRESS**

- Question 3. A. parent      B. seldom      C. unique      D. over  
 Question 4. A. scenery      B. festival      C. atmosphere      D. location

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

- Question 5. These shoes are yours, \_\_\_\_\_?  
 A. are these      B. aren't these      C. are they      D. aren't they
- Question 6. The steam engine \_\_\_\_\_ by James Watt.  
 A. is invented      B. was invented      C. has been invented      D. is being invented
- Question 7. Simon was not contented \_\_\_\_\_ what his son had achieved.  
 A. with      B. by      C. for      D. of
- Question 8. The fatter I become, \_\_\_\_\_ I run.  
 A. the quickest      B. the more slowly      C. the slower      D. the more fast
- Question 9. Mai wants to buy \_\_\_\_\_  
 A. a pair of sport new French shoes      B. a pair of new sport French shoes  
 C. a pair of new French sport shoes      D. a pair of French new sport shoes
- Question 10. John asked me \_\_\_\_\_ that film the night before.  
 A. that I saw      B. had I seen      C. if I had seen      D. if had I seen
- Question 11. Parents should start teaching them how to manage more complicated duties \_\_\_\_\_ children graduate from toddlerhood and move toward preschool.  
 A. yet      B. once      C. in case      D. otherwise
- Question 12. Richard will look for a job \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. after he had passed his exams      B. before he passed his exams  
 C. while he was passing his exams      D. as soon as he passes his exams
- Question 13: \_\_\_\_\_ UNESCO criteria for outstanding universal value to humanity, Trang An Scenic Landscape Complex was added to the World Heritage List in 2014.  
 A. Meeting      B. Met      C. To meet      D. Having met
- Question 14: They are going to \_\_\_\_\_ the pool to 1.8 meter.  
 A. deepen      B. depth      C. deep      D. deeply
- Question 15: He is disappointed at not being offered the job, but I think he will \_\_\_\_\_ it.  
 A. turn off      B. get over      C. fill in      D. take after
- 16: Though she lost her job last month, she still wanted to save \_\_\_\_\_, so she said that she had left it willingly.  
 A. mouth      B. face      C. hand      D. head
- Question 17: The final winner will be the one who breaks through \_\_\_\_\_ and survives till the last minutes.  
 A. obstacles      B. difficulty      C. hindrance      D. conflicts
- Question 18. In a formal interview, it is essential to maintain good eye \_\_\_\_\_ with the interviewers.  
 A. link      B. connection      C. touch      D. contact
- Question 19. There is no admission \_\_\_\_\_ for this cultural event.  
 A. fee      B. fine      C. fare      D. pension
- Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s)
- Question 20: Face-to-face socializing is not as preferred as virtual socializing among the youth.  
 A. instant      B. available      C. direct      D. facial
- Question 21: Mary has a strong desire to make independent decisions.  
 A. reliant      B. self-confident      C. self-confessed      D. self-determining

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) **OPPOSITE** in meaning to the underlined word(s)

**Question 22:** Jane found herself in conflict with her parents over her future career.

- A. disagreement      B. harmony      C. controversy      D. fighting

**Question 23:** It was obvious that the deal was no longer tenable, so we kicked it into touch.

- A. delayed it      B. mentioned it      C. forgot it      D. continued it

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the option that best completes each of the following exchanges.

**Question 24:** Rachel and Mark are at home.

- Rachel: "Can I get you something to drink?"      - Mark: "\_\_\_\_\_ . I'm not thirsty."

- A. No, thanks      B. Yes please      C. You're welcome      D. It's my pleasure

**Question 25:** Molly is talking to her sister about online shopping.

- Molly: "Shopping online is super convenient and trouble-free."

- Molly's sister: "\_\_\_\_\_ . Sometimes a lot of serious problems arise."

- A. That's it      B. I take your view      C. Absolutely      D. That's not entirely true

Read and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits

The relationship between students and teachers is less formal in the USA than in many other countries, especially at the college level. American college students do not stand up when their teachers (26) \_\_\_\_\_ the room. Students are generally encouraged to ask questions in class, to stop in the professor's office for extra help, and to phone if they are absent. Most teachers (27) \_\_\_\_\_ students to enter the class late or leave early, if necessary. (28) \_\_\_\_\_ the lack of formality, students are still expected to be polite to their teacher and fellow classmate.

When students want to ask questions, they usually (29) \_\_\_\_\_ a hand and wait to be called on. When a test is being given, talking to a classmate is not only rude but also risky. Most American teachers consider that students (30) \_\_\_\_\_ behaviors during a test are improper will be sent out the test room.

**Question 26:**      A. enter      B. arrive      C. come      D. go

**Question 27:**      A. encourage      B. let      C. allow      D. make

**Question 28:**      A. Despite      B. In spite      C. Though      D. Because of

**Question 29:**      A. raise      B. put      C. rise      D. arise

**Question 30:**      A. when      B. who      C. whom      D. whose

Read and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to the questions from 31 to 35.

When people plan to marry, they expect to find in their partner not only a lover but a friend also. They find a person with whom they can share their opinions, their emotions, thoughts and fears. In marriage we are looking for a partner who will be able to understand our values, our likes and dislikes.

If a man and a woman are born and raised in the same country, most likely they are familiar with the same songs, movies, jokes, books and life in general. They basically have the same roots. In the case of a western man and foreign woman family, everything is more complicated and requires much more patience and understanding from both spouses. On one hand each of the partners has an opportunity to learn a great deal about the other's country, culture, traditions and lifestyles which can be very interesting. On the other hand, it can be very disappointing if there is the inability to understand your partner's excitement and frustrations.

Do some research and learn about your partner's country, culture and lifestyles. Talk with her, ask her questions, get to know what songs she likes, what movies and books are of interest to her. The Internet will give you a great opportunity to find anything! Tell her about your country's culture, let her listen to the music that you like, rent a movie for her that left you with great impression. Let her understand you better through the things that you like. Patience and time will help you to conquer cultural differences.

**Question 31:** A spouse should \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. not interfere with what the partner's likes and dislikes      B. not share the feelings with the partner  
C. let the partner do everything alone      D. be not only a lover but also a friend

**Question 32:** The word "they" refers to \_\_\_\_\_

- A. couple from the same country      B. couple from different countries  
C. the same songs, movies, jokes, etc.      D. the same roots



- B. The rainforest in Western Africa ranks second after the Amazon in South America in the covered area.
- C. Rainforests account for about one sixth of the Earth's surface.
- D. There's a considerable variety of plants and animals in the rainforests.

**Question 42:** What can be inferred from the last passage?

- A. People are not aware of the significance of the rainforests.
- B. The consequences of deforestation are greater than what people can imagine.
- C. The more rainforests are destroyed, the harder people's life will become.
- D. People's economic benefits are more important than environmental problems.

*Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction*

**Question 43.** Mrs. Mai (A) and (B) her friends from Vietnam (C) plans (D) to attend the festival.

**Question 44.** Some manufacturers are not only (A) raising their prices (B) but also (C) decreasing the production of (D) its products.

**Question 45.** (A) The whole matter is (B) farther complicated by (C) the fact that Amanda and Jo refuse to speak (D) to each other.

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

**Question 46** "Shall I help you do the dishes, Carol"?" said Robert.

- A. Robert suggested help Carol with the dishes.
- B. Robert offered to help Carol do the dishes.
- C. Robert suggested to help Carol do the dishes.
- D. Robert offered Carol to help do the dishes.

**Question 47** This is the first time I have attended such an enjoyable wedding party.

- A. The first wedding party I attended was enjoyable.
- B. I have never attended such an enjoyable wedding party before.
- C. I had the first enjoyable wedding party.
- D. My attendance at the first wedding party was enjoyable.

**Question 48.** It is unnecessary for you to finish the report until tomorrow afternoon

- A. You needn't finish the report until tomorrow afternoon.
- B. You didn't have to finish the report until tomorrow afternoon.
- C. You may not finish the report after tomorrow afternoon.
- D. You needn't have finished the report until tomorrow afternoon

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

**Question 49.** Susan didn't apply for the summer job in the cafe. She now regrets it.

- A. Susan wishes that she applied for the summer job in the cafe.
- B. Susan feels regret because she didn't apply for the summer job in the cafe.
- C. If only Susan didn't apply for the summer job in the cafe.
- D. Susan wishes that she had applied for the summer job in the cafe.

**Question 50.** She had only just put the telephone down when the boss rang.

- A. She put the telephone down and the boss rang.
- B. Hardly had she put the telephone down when the boss rang.
- C. The boss rang back, but she put the telephone down.
- D. She had put the telephone down, so she let it ring when the boss rang.