

PRACTICE TEST 10

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.

1. A. sticky B. towards C. nurture D. talent
2. A. public B. uncle C. punish D. usual
3. A. hardly B. harmful C. honest D. headline
4. A. divided B. mentioned C. designed D. preferred
5. A. reduces B. arranges C. requires D. comprises

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

6. Before Tet, Vietnamese people _____ their homes with flowers and colored lights.
A. decorates B. decorated C. decorate D. are decorating
7. You will stay with us during the Christmas holiday, _____?
A. will you B. won't you C. do you D. are you
8. The kids wish Tet holiday _____ longer so that they could visit more relatives and friends.
A. is B. were C. are D. can be
9. Lan suggested _____ a bunch of roses for her mom on Mother's Day.
A. buy B. bought C. to buy D. buying
10. Mrs. Lan has cooked a lot of traditional dishes _____ for her son's wedding.
A. prepared B. preparing C. to prepare D. prepares
11. If today _____ Vietnamese Women's Day, I and my father would buy some flowers for my mother.
A. is B. would be C. wasn't D. was
12. This laptop _____ to me last week as a 15th birthday gift by my parents.
A. gave B. is given C. was given D. gives
13. I _____ go out tonight or stay at home watching TV. I'm not sure.
A. might B. have to C. must D. should

14. The men in the picture _____ in a field near a river.
A. is working B. was working C. are working D. works
15. It is expected that petrol prices won't _____ in the next two months.
A. come down B. come in C. come along D. come across
16. I used _____ egg, some chocolate and flour to make this cup cake.
A. the B. a C. an D. no article
17. I have some photos of my family _____ the wall in the office.
A. under B. on C. in D. next to
18. Tony was _____ by the harvest festival at the first time he joined it.
A. fascinating B. fascinated C. fascinates D. fascination
19. I have just bought _____ oranges.
A. some big delicious C. delicious some big
B. some delicious big D. big delicious some
20. _____ it started raining, we had to hold the anniversary party indoors.
A. Because B. Although C. However D. So
21. Although I have tried to pay attention to the lesson, _____.
A. I don't understand what the teacher is saying
B. I understand the main parts of the lesson
C. I can't read the questions
D. the lesson is easy
22. The government has taken action to _____ the outspread of coronavirus.
A. prevent B. prevention C. preventive D. preventable
23. Every member of my family _____ the housework.
A. takes B. shares C. receives D. spends
24. On Mother's Day, children _____ their mothers flowers, cards and presents to show their love to their mother.
A. sell B. give C. bring D. pay
25. Tet Nguyen Dan is the most important _____ for Vietnamese people.
A. parade B. holiday C. calendar D. charity
26. I love spring _____ a lot of traditional festivals are held in my country.
A. where B. whose C. why D. when

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.

27. Burning Man is a musical carnival held at the end of August in the western United States.

- A. festival B. contest C. holiday D. vacation

28. The classic Thanksgiving feast includes old-time favorites that never change: turkey, gravy, stuffing, potatoes, veggies, and pie.

- A. victory B. celebration C. meal D. parade

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.

29. Lauren received a lot of cards and presents on her 15th birthday.

- A. got B. bought C. sent D. took

30. Christmas is celebrated on the 25th December when Christians remember the birth of Christ.

- A. know B. forget C. think D. memorize

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.

31. Berth and Edward are talking about the weekend.

Edward: "Let's go to the concert this weekend."

Berth: "Ok, _____"

- A. Good idea! B. I don't C. Why's that? D. I need it

32. Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Brown are drinking coffee.

Mrs. Taylor: "Would you like more coffee?"

Mrs. Brown: "_____"

- A. Yes, please B. Here you are C. It doesn't matter D. I'm OK

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.

33. Ricky didn't go to class this morning because he used to have a terrible headache.

A

B

C

D

34. Mrs. Black is one of the nicest people I've ever known and I wish I could see she more often.

A

B

C

D

35. Washing the dishes is my least favourable job as I sometimes break things.

A

B

C

D

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 numbered blanks from 36 to 40.

Preparations for Christmas

Preparations for Christmas start early for most people so that they have enough time (36) _____ everything ready on the eve of Christmas. Preparations for Christmas involve a lot of activities. People usually buy decorations, food, and gifts mostly (37) _____ children in the family and friends.

The common preparations include decorations of the place with Christmas trees, lighting. Before decorations begin, the house must be deep cleaned. The Christmas tree brings the Christmas (38) _____ in homes. Presents are placed under the Christmas tree in wrapped gift boxes and are not to be opened until Christmas day.

People usually spend (39) _____ money on Christmas and so saving money for these plans should be the earliest (40) _____ among all these. Families also plan to travel to stay together during this celebration.

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| 36. A. getting | B. to get | C. get | D. got |
| 37. A. with | B. for | C. to | D. by |
| 38. A. spirit | B. light | C. feeling | D. thought |
| 39. A. many | B. a little | C. lots of | D. a few |
| 40. A. preparatorily | B. preparatory | C. prepare | D. preparation |

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 from 41 to 45.

Elephant racing festival, one of the biggest festivals in Tay Nguyen, is held **annually** in the third lunar month. As preparation for the festival, villagers feed

their elephants with a wide range of food apart from grass, including corns, sugar canes, sweet potatoes, papayas, and bananas. Also, in order to preserve their strength, the elephants take a rest from hard work.

On the day of the event, elephants from several villages gather at Don village. Ten elephants will run at the same time for about one or two kilometers. The first elephant that reaches the destination will receive a wreath as a symbol of victory, and it will enjoy the achievement excitedly with sugar canes and bananas from surrounding people. After finishing the race at Don village, the elephants move to Serepok River for another competition-swimming. They also participate in games like football and tug of war.

At the end of the festive day, all festival goers gather at Don Village's community house for feasting, drinking stem wine, and being a joyful atmosphere with the boisterous sound of gongs and drums.

41. What is the main idea of the passage?
- A. Preparations for the elephant racing festival
 - B. Elephant racing festival in Tay Nguyen
 - C. Elephant swimming racing in Tay Nguyen
 - D. Games at elephant racing festival
42. The word "annually" in the first paragraph is closest in meaning to ____.
- A. excitingly
 - B. every year
 - C. every two years
 - D. nearly
43. Before the racing day, ____.
- A. elephants have to work hard
 - B. elephants are fed with different kinds of food
 - C. elephants gather at Don village
 - D. elephants eat and sleep a lot
44. What does the winning elephant receive as a symbol of victory?
- A. sugar canes
 - B. grass
 - C. a wreath
 - D. bananas
45. It can be inferred from the passage that ____.
- A. Elephant racing is the most exciting festival in Tay Nguyen
 - B. Elephants like playing football and tug of war
 - C. Gongs and drums are important musical instruments in Tay Nguyen
 - D. There are other big festivals in Tay Nguyen

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct sentence that is closest in meaning to the given one.

46. The ticket price to the Bay included your meals and accommodation.
- A. Your meals were included by the ticket price to the Bay and accommodation.
 - B. Your meals and accommodation were included by the ticket price.
 - C. Your meals and accommodation were included in the ticket price.
 - D. Your meals and accommodation are included in the ticket price.
47. "You had better heat the oil before putting the garlic in," said the mother to her daughter.
- A. The mother advise her daughter to heat the oil before putting the garlic in.
 - B. The mother warned her daughter to heat the oil before putting the garlic in.
 - C. The mother advised her daughter to heat the oil before putting the garlic in.
 - D. The mother encouraged her daughter to heat the oil before putting the garlic in.
48. Lan is a better cook than her roommate.
- A. Lan's roommate cooks better than her.
 - B. Lan cooks better than her roommate.
 - C. Lan is cook better than her roommate.
 - D. Lan's roommate is a better cook than her.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

49. Bean will never forget the day. He met his idol on that day.
- A. Bean will never forget the day when he met his idol.
 - B. Bean will never forget the day when he met his idol on.
 - C. Bean will never forget the day when he met his idol on that day.
 - D. Bean will never forget the day which he met his idol.
50. She doesn't live in London. She can't find a job there.
- A. If she lives in London, she can find a job there.
 - B. If she found a job in London, she would live there.
 - C. If she doesn't live in London, she can find a job there.
 - D. If she would find a job in London, she could live there.