

# PRACTICE TEST 075

## A. PHONETICS

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. watcheded      B. formeded      C. finisheded      D. laugheded  
2. A. watch      B. want      C. match      D. what

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.

3. A. design      B. happen      C. solar      D. patient  
4. A. tradition      B. politics      C. energy      D. primary

## B. VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR AND COMMUNICATION

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

5. Mary has a sore \_\_\_\_\_ because she has tonsillitis.  
A. chin      B. head      C. throat      D. neck

6. The meeting will start when everyone \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. will arrive      B. arrived      C. will be arriving      D. has arrived

7. The train \_\_\_\_\_ half an hour ago.  
A. has been leaving      B. left      C. has left      D. had left

8. I suggest that you \_\_\_\_\_ buy a present for her on her birthday.  
A. may      B. could      C. should      D. will

9. A modern hospital should \_\_\_\_\_ in this town soon.  
A. build      B. built      C. be built      D. have built

10. My favorite \_\_\_\_\_ is summer because I love the sea and the sun  
A. weather      B. season      C. climate      D. temperature

11. You will fail the exam \_\_\_\_\_ you learn harder.  
A. if      B. unless      C. where      D. or

12. After the break, we will \_\_\_\_\_ with chapter three of the book.  
A. persist      B. insist      C. continue      D. keep

13. She wishes she \_\_\_\_\_ the next exam.

A. passed      B. will pass      C. would pass      D. passes

14. Don't talk in class, \_\_\_\_\_?

A. do you      B. don't you      C. will you      D. did you

*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.*

15. - John: "What a delicious dinner! Thanks a lot"

- Laura: "\_\_\_\_\_."

A No, it's not very delicious.      B. Yes, but the meal is tough  
C. I'm glad you like it      D. You're also a very good cook

16. - Ha: "Please give my love to your grandma"

- Mary: "\_\_\_\_\_."

A. The same to yours      B. Yes, I will. Thank you      C. Yes, please      D. I'm afraid I can't

#### C. SYNONYM AND ANTONYM:

*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.*

17. Jennifer's roasted hot dog was ruined when it fell into the fire.

A. flame      B. water      C. ground      D. fridgde

18. It is worth making an effort to master these skills. They are very necessary in our life.

A. deciding      B. enjoying      C. trying      D. exploring

*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.*

19. The girls were surprised when they saw the beautiful flowers that the delivery boy brought.

A. ugly      B. pretty      C. fast      D. orange

20. I have failed my English test. I am afraid that my parents would be disappointed.

A. taken      B. missed      C. forgotten      D. passed

#### D. READING

*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.*

#### LIVING ON THE MOON

The idea of living on the moon is no longer science fiction. However there will be drawbacks to living there as well as advantages. On the positive side, people will be (21)\_\_\_\_\_ to escape from the earth's overcrowded cities and live in an environment where everything is carefully controlled by technology. ( 22)\_\_\_\_\_ addition to this , they will have wonderful clear views of the earth and stars, besides being able to explore the mountains and craters of the moon. On the other hand, the moon is an unfriendly place for humans. First of all, people will have to (23)\_\_\_\_\_ special suits whenever they go outside and if their equipment fails, they will probably die. Secondly, they will have to get used to being weightless or living in artificial gravity and (24)\_\_\_\_\_ recycled air and water. Finally, they will probably miss the plants and wildlife that exist on earth. To sum up, the moon might be the idea place for a holiday or for scientists to (25)\_\_\_\_\_ research. It is not for ordinary people to live there all the time.

21. A. capable	B. able	C. possible	D. potential
22. A. For	B. In	C. From	D. On
23. A. have	B. dress	C. make	D. wear
24. A. using	B. use	C. used	D. usage
25. A. make for	B. carry out	C. go into	D. get on

***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.***

Cigarettes contain toxic substances like tar and nicotine. That is why we often hear people telling us that smoking is harmful to our bodies. Smoking weakens our lungs as well as other parts of our body. We will not be as active as before and will need more effort to move about.

Smoking affects our environment too. When we puff, we pollute the environment with smoke. This makes our surroundings unpleasant and unclean. Since smoking does not do any good to us, we should always say no to cigarettes. We should advise our loved ones to take a sweet instead whenever they feel like taking a toxic puff.

**26. Smoking is harmful to us because it \_\_\_\_\_.**

A. makes us more active	B. wastes our money
C. weakens our body	D. makes us move about difficultly

**27. Which word in the passage means "harmful to our body"?**

A. toxic                    B. pollute                    C. unpleasant                    D. effort

**28. Which of the following is a harmful effect of smoking?**

A. Hearing problem    B. Loss of sense of smell                    C. Hair loss    D.

Lung cancer

**29. How can we help a smoker quit his bad habit?**

A. Give him more money.  
B. Ask him to suck on sweets to replace smoking.  
C. Hide away his cigarettes so that he cannot smoke.  
D. Tell him to stop smoking every day.

**30. Which of the following sentences is correct?**

A. Cigarettes contain a lot of smoke.  
B. Smoking can kill us immediately.  
C. We can help smokers quit smoking easily.  
D. Smoking causes more harm than good to us.

#### **E. WRITING**

*Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correcting in each of the following questions.*

**31. I was walking down the road when I saw the old lady fell over.**

A                    B                    C                    D

**32. The humming-bird is one of the most smallest birds we know of.**

A                    B                    C                    D

**33. I used to having a very good time with my grandparents when I was a child.**

A                    B                    C                    D

**34. Even though being ill , Phong still went to school last Monday.**

A                    B                    C                    D

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.*

**35. Although the weather was good, we stayed indoors.**

A. In spite of the weather was good, we stayed indoors.  
B. We stayed indoors despite the good weather.  
C. Even though the good weather, we stayed indoors.  
D. We stayed indoors but the weather was good.

**36. They didn't let us feed the animals at the zoo.**

- A.** We were not allowed to feed the animals at the zoo.
- B.** We were not allowed feeding the animals at the zoo.
- C.** We were not let to feed the animals at the zoo.
- D.** we were not let feeding the animals at the zoo.

**37. You'd better get someone to sweep the chimney tomorrow.**

- A.** You may get the chimney to be swept tomorrow.
- B.** You can get the chimney to sweep tomorrow.
- C.** You should get the chimney swept tomorrow.
- D.** You have to sweep the chimney yourself tomorrow.

**38. Phong didn't notice the sign. It was right in front of him.**

- A.** Phong didn't notice the sign just because it was right in front of him.
- B.** Phong didn't notice the sign; furthermore, it was right in front of him.
- C.** Phong didn't notice the sign even though it was right in front of him.
- D.** Even if the sign was right in front of Phong , he didn't notice it .

**39. The old house burned down last week. No one lived there.**

- A.** The old house burned down last week, so no one lived there.
- B.** No one lived in the old house, but it burned down last week.
- C.** No one lived in the old house, which made it burned down last week.
- D.** The old house where no one lived burned down last week.

**40. In Vietnam, basketball is less popular than football.**

- A.** In Vietnam, basketball is not as popular as football.
- B.** In Vietnam, basketball is more popular than football.
- C.** In Vietnam, football is not as popular as basketball.
- D.** In Vietnam, football is less popular than basketball.

\_\_\_\_ **The end** \_\_\_\_

