

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. remembereded B. cooked C. walked D. missed
2. A. miles B. words C. accidents D. names

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the rest in each of the following questions.

3. A. academic B. environment C. artificial D. limitation
4. A. energetic B. independence C. informative D. pessimistic

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

5. A school year in Vietnam usually _____ in September and _____ in May.
A. begins / ends B. starts / last C. ends / starts D. departs / starts
6. In England, each term _____ by a one-week break called half term.
A. divides B. educates C. puts into force D. is separated
7. There are two _____ school systems in England; i. e. , state school system and public school ones.
A. parallel B. paragraph C. paradise D. pyramid
8. _____ candidates are likely to succeed in job interviews.
A. Nervous B. Self-conscious C. Self-doubt D. Self-confident
9. Many children are under such a high _____ of learning that they do not feel happy at school.
A. recommendation B. interview C. pressure D. concentration
10. It was just a friendly get-together. Everyone was wearing _____ clothes.
A. formal B. casual C. unimportant D. unfriendly
11. Qualifications and _____ are two most important factors that help you get a good job.
A. politeness B. experience C. attention D. impression
12. Someone who is _____ is hopeful about the future or the success of something in particular.
A. powerful B. optimistic C. stagnant D. pessimistic
13. A _____ is a spacecraft that is designed to travel into space and back to earth several times.
A. plane B. corporation C. telecommunication D. shuttle
14. If I _____ 10 years younger, I _____ the job.
a. am / will take b. was / have taken c. had been / will have taken d. were / would take
15. If you _____ to my advice, you _____ in trouble now. (mix)
a. listened / were not b. listen / are not.
c. had listened / would not have been d. had listened / would not be
16. If I had known that you were in hospital, I.....you.
A. will have visited B. would have visited C. have visited D. would had visited
17. He lent me _____ yesterday.
A. the book I need B. the book when I need C. which book I need D. the book whose I need

18. Let's go swimming, ____?

A. do you

B. do we

C. shall we

D. shall you

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word that has the CLOSEST meaning to the original one.

19. In Scotland, students transfer from primary to secondary education at approximately age

A. compound

B. base

C. change

D. move

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.

20. Advanced students need to be aware of the important of collocation

A. of high level

B. of great important

C. of low level

D. of steady

progress

21. At first, college was a little daunting. I graduated from a small school.

A. heartening

B. discouraging

C. shocking

D. awful

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.

22. The professor together with his three students have been called to court.

A

B

C

D

23. Walking in the rain are not a good idea.

A

B

C

D

24. The police is asking him a lot of questions which he can't answer.

A

B

C

D

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best complete each of the following exchanges.

25. -"You look nice today. I like your new hair style." - "_____"

A. It's nice of you to say so.
interesting to hear that.

B. Shall I? Thanks.

C. Oh, well done.

D. I feel

26. "How well you are playing!" - "_____"

A. No, do you think so?

B. I think so. I'm proud of myself

C. Many thanks. That is a nice compliment.

D. Yes, Thank you.

27. _ "What a beautiful dress you are wearing!"

_ "_____"

A. Thank you. That's a nice compliment.

B. Don't say so.

C. Thank you very much. I don't know that.

D. I don't like your sayings.

Choose the sentence which has the closest meaning to the original one.

28. The last time I went to the museum was a year ago.

A. I have not been to the museum for a year.

B. A year ago, I often went to the museum.

C. My going to the museum lasted a year.

D. At last I went to the museum after a year.

29. I have not met her for three years.

A. The last time I met her was three years ago.
her.

B. It is three years when I will meet

C. I did not meet her three years ago.
once.

D. During three years, I met her

30. This is the first time I attend such an enjoyable wedding party.

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

Read the passage and choose the best answer

Life in the future will be (31) _____ better than it is today. People will be able to live in a cleaner environment, breathe fresher air and eat healthier food. Robots will be (32) _____ to do most of the work in factories and they will be able to do all the dangerous things for us. More people will be able to work from home on computers so there won't be any traffic (33) _____. Cars will be with us but they will be able to run on solar energy (34) _____ of petrol. Robots will be able to interact (35) _____ people. They will be able to do almost everything for us at home.

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| 1. A. far | B. much | C. many | D. more |
| 2. A. able | B. ability | C. disable | D. disability |
| 3. A. hour | B. jams | C. stuck | D. stick |
| 4. A. consist | B. instead | C. afraid | D. already |
| 5. A. on | B. to | C. with | D. for |

Reading 2

When most people interview for a job they are very nervous. Being nervous for an interview is natural but if you're prepared you will feel more confident and you'll be more likely to get the job. Read the following tips on interviewing and try them On your next job interview.

Before the Interview: Make a list of a few of the strong points that you want to emphasize in the interview. Think of things that make you good at that job. Get your clothes ready. Make sure it is clean and ironed and the shoes look good. Call for directions to get to the place where the interview is going to be. **Research** the company. Look for information about the company in the Internet or talk to people you know who work there. The more you know, the more informed you will be in the interview. Practice interviewing. Have a friend pretend that they are the person who will interview you. Have them ask you interview questions and practice answering them with confidence.

During the Interview: Arrive to the interview a few minutes early. When you meet the interviewer, make eye contact, smile, and give them a firm handshake. It's important that you make a good first impression. Most interviewers will make a judgment about you in the first five minutes. During the interview speak with confidence and sit up straight in the chair. Make sure you talk about your strong points that you put on the list you prepared before the interview.

After the Interview: Thank the interviewer for the interview. Go home and send them a thank you note. Put it in the mail immediately.

36. Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the article?

- a. Arrive early to the interview.
- b. Call for direction to get there.
- c. Bring your school certificates to the interview.
- d. Smile when you meet the interviewer.

37. What does the word "research" in the second paragraph?

- a. Call the company.
- b. Write an article about the company.

- c. Write a letter to the administrator of the company.
 - d. Find out information about the company.
38. Which of the following is NOT a good way to make a positive first impression?
- a. Give a firm handshake
 - b. Make eye contact
 - c. Smile
 - d. Explain your salary requirements
39. Which is NOT an example of a strong point that you should mention in the interview?
- a. I have experience in this kind of job.
 - b. I was sometimes late for work at my last job.
 - c. I am a hard-working person.
 - d. I was a supervisor at my last job.
40. Which of the following should NOT be included in a thank you note for an interview?
- a. Thank the person for the interview.
 - b. Mention again why you would be good at the job.
 - c. Tell them you really need the job.
 - d. Tell them how they can contact you (your phone number and e-mail address).