

ONLINE TRIAL TEST 01

Name: .....

A. MULTIPLE CHOICE (8.0 points)

I. **Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

01. A. education      B. graduate      C. individual      D. confident

02. A. embarrassed      B. awareness      C. abandoned      D. captain

II. **Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

03. A. recognize      B. concentrate      C. assignment      D. cognitive

04. A. teenager      B. vehicle      C. activate      D. nationwide

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

05. Last Wednesday witnessed a sudden drop in raw oil price.

A. significant      B. gradual      C. sharp      D. considerable

06. It was unprofessional \_\_\_\_\_ casual clothes to the international conference.

A. of her to wear      B. for her wearing      C. for her to wear      D. of her wear

07. The very first metro is being built to \_\_\_\_\_ the travel demands of Saigonese.

A. solve      B. make      C. see      D. meet

08. \_\_\_\_\_ ease traffic congestion, it is necessary to promote the development of public transport.

A. Because of      B. Despite      C. In order to      D. Since

09. I think life today is \_\_\_\_\_ comfortable than it was in the past.

A. About as      B. a lot more      C. the most      D. the more

10. My friend were all extremely \_\_\_\_\_ when they heard I'd lost my job.

A. tolerant      B. sympathetic      C. obedient      D. confident

11. Vietnamese prefer riding motorbike \_\_\_\_\_ walking to work

A. to      B. for      C. than      D. rather than

12. It is hard \_\_\_\_\_ us to persuade him to believe what we said.

A. to      B. of      C. for      D. with

13. A lot of \_\_\_\_\_ were built to solve the traffic jam problem at intersections.

A. trams      B. flyovers      C. skytrains      D. tunnels

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

14. If you slept under a mosquito net, you weren't bitten so often.

A      B      C      D

15. Unfortunately, the catering committee can never agree between themselves.

A      B      C      D

16. We suggest that Jack takes a taxi on the way home.

A      B      C      D

V. **Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct response to each of the following exchanges**

17. "What a meaningful thing you've done for your less fortunate friend, my son!"

" \_\_\_\_\_ "

- A. Thanks for talking care of me, Mom.
- B. What a wonderful gift you've made for me.
- C. I don't really care. I must go now.
- D. Thank you mom that's just a bit I can do for them.

18. "New Year is coming. I'll repaint the house for Mrs. Poor Old Amada." " \_\_\_\_\_ "

- A. No, not for me.
- B. That would be great help.
- C. It is very expensive
- D. Not at all

VI. **Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

19. The old blood cells are broken down by the sleep and eliminated from the body.

- A. cut out
- B. exhaled
- C. removed
- D. held

20. Humans will enjoy longer life expectancy when they are more conscious of what they eat and do.

- A. aware of
- B. capable of
- C. responsible for
- D. suitable for

VII. **Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

21. Global warming may lead to many negative changes, including harsher weather conditions.

- A. more unbearable
- B. milder
- C. more extreme
- D. more serious

22. The physical therapy helped Jim overcome his fear of height.

- A. overwhelm
- B. control
- C. neglect
- D. conquer

VIII. **Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

Living in a city has a number of drawbacks. Firstly, there is the problem of traffic (23)\_\_\_\_\_ and traffic accidents. The increase in population and the increasing number of vehicles have (24)\_\_\_\_\_ many accidents to happen every day. Secondly, air pollution (25)\_\_\_\_\_ affects people's health, and it also has a bad (26)\_\_\_\_\_ on the environment More and more city dwellers suffer from coughing or breathing problems. Thirdly, the city is noisy, even at night. Noise pollution comes from the traffic and from construction sites. Buildings are always being knocked down and rebuilt. These factors contribute to making city life (27)\_\_\_\_\_ difficult for its residents.

- 23. A. calm
- B. jams
- C. light
- D. legacy
- 24. A. caused
- B. made
- C. done
- D. got
- 25. A. actively
- B. negatively
- C. positively
- D. weakly
- 26. A. pressure
- B. consequence
- C. influence
- D. result
- 27. A. mostly
- B. very
- C. much
- D. more

**IX. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.**

Every year students in many countries learn English. Some of these students are young children. Others are teenagers. Many are adults. Some learn at school. Others study by themselves. A few learn English just by hearing the language in films, on television, in the office or among their friends. But not many are lucky enough to do that. Most people must work hard on their lessons to learn another language.

Many boys and girls learn English at school because it is one of their subjects. They study their own language, mathematics and English. In England, America or Australia, many boys and girls study their own language, which is English and another language, perhaps French, German or Spanish.

Many adults learn English because it is useful for their work. Teenagers often learn English for their higher studies because some of their books are in English at the college or university. Other people learn English because they want to read newspapers or magazines in English

28. According to the writer \_\_\_\_\_.

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| A. Only adults learn English            | C. no children like to learn English     |
| B. English is useful only for teenagers | D. English is popular all over the world |

29. Most people learn English by \_\_\_\_\_.

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| A. watching videos only               | B. working hard on their lessons |
| C. hearing the language in the office | D. talking with the foreigners   |

30. Many boys and girls learn English because \_\_\_\_\_.

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| A. it is included in their study courses | B. English can give them a job            |
| C. they are forced to learn it           | D. they have to study their own languages |

31. In America and Australia, many school children study \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. English as a foreign language
- B. English and mathematics only
- C. such foreign languages as French, German or Spanish
- D. their own language and no foreign language

32. Many adults learn English because \_\_\_\_\_.

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| A. English is spoken in their office  | B. they want to go abroad      |
| C. most of their books are in English | D. it helps them in their work |

B. WRITING (2.0 points)

**33. I have not met her for three years.**

- A. The last time I met her was three years ago.
- B. It is three years when I will meet her.
- C. I did not meet her three years ago.
- D. During three years, I met her once.

**34. "How beautiful is the dress you have just bought!" Peter said to Mary.**

- A. Peter promised to buy Mary a beautiful dress.
- B. Peter said thanks to Mary for her beautiful dress.
- C. Peter complimented Mary on her beautiful dress.
- D. Peter asked Mary how she had just bought her beautiful dress.

**35. Barry continued to smoke even though we had advised him to quit.**

- A. Barry took our advice so he stopped smoking.
- B. If we had advised Barry, he would have quit smoking.
- C. Barry did not quit smoking because of our advice.
- D. Despite being told not to smoke, Barry continued to do.

**36. Many people think Steve stole the money.**

- A. It was not Steve who stole the money.
- B. Steve is thought to have stolen the money.
- C. Many people think the money is stolen by Steve.
- D. The money is thought to be stolen by Steve.

**37. Even though it was raining heavily, the explorers decided to continue their journey.**

- A. It rained so heavily that the explorers could not continue their journey.
- B. The explorers put off their journey due to the heavy rain.
- C. The heavy rain could not prevent the explorers from continuing their journey.
- D. If it had rained heavily, the explorers would not have continued their journey.

**38. He cannot afford a new computer.**

- A. The new computer is so expensive that he cannot buy it.
- B. Therefore, he would buy a new computer.
- C. So, he would buy a new computer.
- D. The new computer is so expensive but he can buy it.

**39. The roads were slippery because it snowed heavily.**

- A. It snowed too heavily to make the roads slippery.
- B. The heavy snow prevented the roads from-being slippery.
- C. Thanks to the slip of the roads, it snowed heavily.
- D. The heavy snow made the roads slippery.

**40. You'd better take a taxi; it was raining hard outside**

- A. You'd better take a taxi in case it was raining
- B. She advised us to take a taxi because it was raining outside
- C. She gave us a lift because it was raining heavily
- D. She didn't lend us any raincoats but a taxi