

**UNIT 13****HOBBIES****TEST 1**

Choose the word which has the underlined part pronounced differently from the rest.

1. a. played                      b. admired                      c. liked                      d. called
2. a. stamps                      b. friends                      c. relatives                      d. guitars
3. a. collected                      b. discarded *trai bỏ*                      c. watched                      d. wanted
4. a. placed                      b. practiced *thai hiên*                      c. needed                      d. stopped
5. a. envelopes                      b. tunes *giai điệu*                      c. books                      d. guitarists

Choose a, b, c, or d that best completes each unfinished sentence; substitutes the underlined part; or has a close meaning to the original one.

6. What do you prefer doing \_\_\_\_\_ your free time?  
a. in                      b. at                      c. for                      d. on
7. He seems to be successful \_\_\_\_\_ his business.  
a. on                      b. from                      c. in                      d. for
8. Mary can play the piano well and is very good \_\_\_\_\_ singing.  
a. for                      b. at                      c. on                      d. in
9. \_\_\_\_\_ hobby I like best is collecting picture books.  
a. A                      b. An                      c. The                      d. Ø
10. \_\_\_\_\_ is an activity which someone does for pleasure when they are not working.  
a. Collection                      b. Hobby *hobby*                      c. Keeping                      d. Entertainment
11. She is a very accomplished pianist.  
a. skilled                      b. beautiful                      c. interesting                      d. admired
12. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a series of musical notes that is pleasant and easy to remember.  
a. musical instrument                      b. guitar                      c. practice                      d. tune
13. To become a good guitarist, you have to practice regularly.  
a. never                      b. rarely                      c. seldom                      d. often
14. If you \_\_\_\_\_ a singer or a musician, you play one part of a piece of music while they sing or play the main tune.  
a. accomplish                      b. accompany *đồng hành*                      c. collect                      d. admire
15. They live in a fairly modest house, considering their wealth.  
a. expensive                      b. fairly small                      c. very cheap                      d. very big
16. All the pleasures and \_\_\_\_\_ of the weekend are over, and I must get down to some serious hard work. *ngày cuối tuần*  
a. indulge *thỏa mãn*                      b. indulgent                      c. indulgently                      d. indulgences *sự ham mê, thích thú*
17. My \_\_\_\_\_ for my mother is infinite. *vô tận*  
a. admire                      b. admirer                      c. admiration                      d. admirable
18. I am quite keen on my father's valuable stamp \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. collect                      b. collecting                      c. collection                      d. collector
19. All you need to be good at English \_\_\_\_\_ everyday.  
a. are practising                      b. is to practise                      c. practise                      d. it is to practise
20. \_\_\_\_\_ we all look for.  
a. It is happiness that                      b. That happiness  
c. Happiness it is that                      d. Happiness it is



21. \_\_\_\_\_ my neighbors who rescued me from the fire.  
a. It is                      b. It was                      c. That is                      d. This is
22. She sometimes keeps me \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. wait                      b. waited                      c. waiting                      d. to wait
23. \_\_\_\_\_ me how to play the drum.  
a. It was my uncle who taught                      b. My uncle who taught  
c. It was my uncle taught                      d. It is my uncle teaching
24. \_\_\_\_\_ I bought the golden fish.  
a. It was from this shop that                      b. It was from this shop where  
c. It was this shop which                      d. It was this shop that
25. \_\_\_\_\_ gave me that picture book.  
a. Mary                      b. It was Mary  
c. It was Mary whom                      d. It was Mary whose
26. My new book, \_\_\_\_\_, is very interesting.  
a. it is on wild animals                      b. is on wild animals  
c. which is on wild animals                      d. to be on wild animals
27. Two players of our delegation, \_\_\_\_\_, are in competition for the gold medal.  
a. it was Jim and John                      b. they were Tim and John  
c. it is Tim and John                      d. Tim and John
28. It was Tom \_\_\_\_\_ to help us.  
a. comes                      b. that comes                      c. to come                      d. who came
29. \_\_\_\_\_ the police had rescued from the fire.  
a. The baby                      b. The baby that  
c. It was the baby whom                      d. The baby whom
30. \_\_\_\_\_ my parents gave me the fish tank.  
a. It was on my birthday when                      b. It was my birthday on that  
c. It was my birthday that                      d. It was on my birthday that

**Choose the best sentence that can be made from the cues given.**

31. a football fan / collect pictures of football players / my hobby  
a. As a football fan, collecting pictures of football players is also my hobby.  
b. To be a football fan, as collecting pictures of football players is also my hobby.  
c. For a football fan, so collecting pictures of football players is also my hobby.  
d. A football fan, therefore collecting pictures of football players is also my hobby.
32. I / collect the pictures / newspapers / magazines / the Internet  
a. I collect the pictures in newspapers, magazines, and both the Internet.  
b. I collect the pictures from newspapers, magazines, and the Internet.  
c. I collect the pictures on newspapers, magazines, and with the Internet.  
d. I collect the pictures from newspapers, magazines, but the Internet.
33. I / keep / all the pictures / I have got in several albums  
a. I keep it is all the pictures that I have got in several albums.  
b. When I keep all the pictures which I have got in several albums.  
c. I keep all the pictures I have got in several albums.  
d. I keep all the pictures which are I have got in several albums.



34. I / clarify the pictures / different nations / the football players come
- I clarify the pictures into different nations from that the football players come.
  - I clarify the pictures into different nations it is from which the football players come.
  - I clarify the pictures into different nations it is where the football players come from.
  - I clarify the pictures into different nations from which the football players come.
35. the football season / come / I / have a good chance / make my collection richer
- It is when the football season comes I have a good chance to make my collection richer.
  - When the football season coming I have a good chance to make my collection richer.
  - The football season comes it is time I have a good chance to make my collection richer.
  - When the football season comes, I have a good chance to make my collection richer.

**Read the passage carefully and choose the correct answer.**

Stamp collecting is the collecting of postage stamps and related objects, such as envelopes or packages with stamps on them. It is one of the world's most popular hobbies, with estimates of the number of collectors ranging up to 20 million in the United States alone.

Many collectors enjoy **accumulating** stamps without worrying about the tiny details, but the creation of a large or comprehensive collection generally requires some philatelic knowledge. This is especially important for those who intend to spend large amounts for stamps.

Stamp collectors are an important source of revenue for some small countries that create limited runs of elaborate stamps designed mainly to be bought by stamp collectors. The stamps produced by these countries far exceed the postal needs of the countries.

Some collectors, observing the generally rising prices of rare stamps, have taken to Philatelic Investment. Rare stamps are among the most portable investments, and are easy to store. They offer an attractive alternative to art, other collectible investments, and precious metals.

36. Stamp collecting \_\_\_\_.
- does not consist of collecting envelopes
  - is not rather popular
  - is popular in the USA
  - is a rare hobby
37. The word **accumulating** has a close meaning to \_\_\_\_.
- estimating
  - purchasing
  - counting
  - collecting
38. According to the passage, \_\_\_\_.
- there are some people who spend a lot money on stamp collecting
  - all stamp collectors are interested in tiny details of a stamp
  - about 20 million people in the USA are not interested in stamp collecting
  - stamp collecting needs no knowledge

39. Which sentence is true?
- All stamps are created for the postal needs.
  - There are stamps created to be bought by stamp collectors.
  - Stamps cannot bring revenue.
  - Elaborate stamps are designed for postal needs.
40. Stamps \_\_\_\_\_.
- cannot be invested
  - are easy to store
  - are not easy to store
  - are unportable investments

**Fill in each numbered blank with one suitable word or phrase.**

Fishkeeping is a (n) (41) \_\_\_\_\_ hobby concerned with keeping fish in the home (42) \_\_\_\_\_ or garden pond. Fishkeeping is one of the (43) \_\_\_\_\_ popular branch of the hobby, with (44) \_\_\_\_\_ small pet stores often selling a variety of freshwater fish, such as goldfish, guppies, and angelfish. While most freshwater aquaria are set up as community tanks (45) \_\_\_\_\_ a variety of peaceful species, many aquarists keep single-species aquaria with a view to breeding. Livebearing fish, such as mollies and guppies, are (46) \_\_\_\_\_ the species that are most easily raised in captivity, but aquarists also regularly breed numerous other species, (47) \_\_\_\_\_ many types of cichlid, catfish, characin, and killifish. Garden (48) \_\_\_\_\_ are in some ways similar to freshwater tank, but are usually (49) \_\_\_\_\_ larger and exposed to the ambient climatic conditions. In the tropics, tropical fish can be kept in garden ponds, but in the cooler regions temperate zone species such as goldfish, and orfe are kept (50) \_\_\_\_\_.

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| 41. a. interested | b. famous     | c. popular    | d. admired    |
| 42. a. tank       | b. pot        | c. bottle     | d. jar        |
| 43. a. most       | b. mostly     | c. almost     | d. more       |
| 44. a. ever       | b. event      | c. even       | d. even if    |
| 45. a. contain    | b. contained  | c. to contain | d. containing |
| 46. a. of         | b. in         | c. between    | d. among      |
| 47. a. including  | b. consisting | c. containing | d. embracing  |
| 48. a. rivers     | b. seas       | c. canals     | d. ponds      |
| 49. a. more       | b. much       | c. many       | d. most       |
| 50. a. because    | b. instead    | c. actually   | d. despite    |