

## FINAL TEST B

Time allotted: 45 min.

*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.*

**Question 1.** A. vegetable      B. encourage      C. Italian      D. traditional

**Question 2.** A. sufficient      B. nutritious      C. adolescence      D. unhealthy

*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.*

**Question 3.** Some people enjoy preparing (A) their (B) own meals while (C) another (D) would rather eat out regularly.

**Question 4.** The (A) news of the decision to (B) invade with armed forces were (C) not well received(D) by the citizens.

**Question 5.** Air traffic controllers must use (A) a (B) form of communication that is universal (C) understood because a pilot's understanding (D) of instructions is critical.

*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.*

**Question 6.** They try to imitate the wings and shape of animals in nature to produce parts of vehicles.

A. irritate      B. irrigate      C. paste      D. copy

**Question 7.** They all started playing water polo when they were very young.

A. took away      B. took up      C. took over      D. took off

*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.*

**Question 8.** Punctuality is imperative in your new job.

A. Being efficient      B. Being courteous      C. Being late      D. Being cheerful

**Question 9.** Pure water is often a fairly rare commodity that requires significant energy to produce.

A. clean      B. contaminated      C. fresh      D. flawless

*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.*

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**Question 10.** – “Your parents must be proud of your result at school.” – “ ”;

**Question 11.** – “Thanks for your help, Linda.” – “\_\_\_\_\_”

**A.** With all my heart. **B.** It's my pleasure.  
**C.** Never remind me. **D.** Wish you.

*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.*

**Question 12.**   A. century      B. culture      C. secure      D. applicant

**Question 13.** A. eradicate      B. astronaut      C. standard      D. fatal

*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.*

Just imagine a day without paper, reads one advertisement for a Finnish paper company. It adds, 'You almost certainly see our products every day.' And they're right. But in most industrial countries, people are so (14) \_\_\_\_\_ to paper - whether it's for holding their groceries, for drying their hands or for PROVIDING them with the daily news - that its (15) \_\_\_\_\_ in their daily lives passes largely unnoticed.

At one time paper was in short supply and was used mainly for important documents, but more recently, growing economies and new technologies have (16) \_\_\_\_\_ a dramatic increase in the amount of paper used. However, the costs (17) \_\_\_\_\_ in paper production, in terms of the world's land, water and air resources, are high. This (18) \_\_\_\_\_ some important questions. How much paper do we really need and how much is wasted?

**Question 14.** A. conscious    B. acquainted    C. familiar    D. accustomed

**Question 15.** A. task      B. operation      C. service      D. role

**Question 16.** A. called on    B. came around    C. brought about    D. drawn

**Question 17.** A. involved      B. contained      C. held      D. connected

Question 18. A. puts      B. raised      C. gets      D. places

**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.**

## Are sports bad for kids?

People think children should play sports. Sports are fun, and playing with others. However, playing sports can have negative effects on children. It may produce feelings of poor self-respect or aggressive behavior in some children. According to research on kids and sports, 40,000,000

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kids play sports in the US. Of these, 18,000,000 say they have been yelled at or called names while playing sports. This leaves many children with a bad impression of sports. They think sports are just too aggressive.

Many researchers believe adults, especially parents and coaches, are the main cause of too much aggression in children's sports. They believe children copy aggressive adult behavior. This behavior is then further strengthened through both positive and negative feedback. Parents and coaches are powerful teachers because children usually look up to them. Often these adults behave aggressively themselves, sending children the message that winning is everything. At children's sporting events, parents may yell insults at other players or cheer when their child behaves aggressively. As well, children may be taught that hurting other players is acceptable or are pushed to continue playing even when they are injured. In addition, the media makes violence seem exciting. Children watch adult sports games and see violent behavior replayed over and over on television.

As a society, we really need to face up to this problem and do something about it. Parents and coaches should act as better examples for children. They also need to teach children better values. They should teach children to enjoy themselves whether they win or not. It's not necessary to knock yourself out to enjoy sports. Winning isn't everything. In addition, children shouldn't be allowed to continue to play when they are injured. Sending a child with an injury into a game gives the child the message that health isn't as important as winning. If we make some basic changes, children might learn to enjoy sports again.

**Question 19.** What is the main idea of the reading?

- A. Children often become like their parents
- B. Children need to play sports in school
- C. Playing sports may have negative results
- D. Some sports can cause health

**Question 20.** How many children said they had some negative experience when playing sports?

- A. All of the children
- B. More than half of the children
- C. Less than half of the children
- D. About ten percent of the children

**Question 21.** Which is described as the main cause of more aggressive playing?

- A. Adults
- B. Children with low grades in school
- C. New rules in sports
- D. Other players

**Question 22.** What does the writer suggest?

- A. Aggressive sports shouldn't be shown on television

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- B.** Children shouldn't play sports until high school
- C.** Coaches should be required to study child psychology
- D.** Parents should teach children to play sports for fun and exercise

**Question 23.** What would probably NOT be done when "facing up to a problem"?

- A.** Ignoring the problem
- B.** Finding the reason
- C.** Admitting there is a problem
- D.** Looking for a solution

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

**Question 24.** Don't phone between 7 and 8 o'clock. \_\_\_\_\_ dinner then and my wife doesn't like being disturbed when we're eating.

- A.** We'll be having
- B.** We'll have
- C.** We'd have
- D.** We'd be having

**Question 25.** The teacher keeps a record of every student's \_\_\_\_\_.

- A.** attending
- B.** attendant
- C.** attendance
- D.** attention

**Question 26.** He liked his work \_\_\_\_\_ it was badly paid.

- A.** however
- B.** even though
- C.** even
- D.** in spite of

**Question 27.** There's a world \_\_\_\_\_ of energy and scientists are looking for alternative sources.

- A.** shortage
- B.** lack
- C.** exhaust
- D.** loss

**Question 28.** – Do you know the man \_\_\_\_\_ to Anne? – No, I've never seen him before.

- A.** talking
- B.** is talking
- C.** who talking
- D.** whose talking

**Question 29.** If you make a good \_\_\_\_\_ at the interview, you will get the job.

- A.** impress
- B.** impressive
- C.** impression
- D.** impressance

**Question 30.** \_\_\_\_\_ the beginning, I didn't want to have a party for my birthday, but now I've changed my mind.

- A.** At
- B.** In
- C.** On
- D.** During

**Question 31.** During his career as a teacher, he has \_\_\_\_\_ students from different backgrounds.

- A.** taken over
- B.** got on with
- C.** dealt with
- D.** faced up to

**Question 32.** I want to \_\_\_\_\_ that I turned off all the lights in the house, so I'll go back and check.

A. insure      B. reassure      C. make sure      D. inquire

*Mark the letter A, B, c, or D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.*

**Question 33.** I saw a little girl running across the road by herself. It was dangerous.

A. When I saw a little girl running across the road by herself, it was dangerous.  
B. Running across the road by herself, the girl was dangerous.  
C. I saw that a little girl was running across the road by herself, which was dangerous.  
D. It was dangerous for me to see a little girl running across the road by herself.

**Question 34.** Mark Twain's career began during the Civil War. At that time he was working as a newspaper man.

A. Mark Twain's Civil War began during his writing career when he was working as a newspaper man.  
B. Mark Twain's writing career began during the Civil War when he was working as a newspaper man.  
C. Mark Twain's writing career began during the newspaper man when the Civil War was working.  
D. Mark Twain began as a newspaper man during the Civil War when his writing career worked.

**Question 35.** "Why don't you take a holiday?", said Phuong.

A. Phuong suggested I take a holiday.  
B. Phuong asked me why I hadn't taken a holiday.  
C. Phuong ordered me to take a holiday.  
D. Phuong said I shouldn't take a holiday.

**Question 36.** Those who neglected their study seldom obtained good marks.

A. Good marks were seldom given to those who neglected their study.  
B. Good marks are often obtained by those who neglected their study.  
C. Those who neglected their study had good marks by chance.  
D. Those who worked hard were certain to get good marks.

*Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words / phrases given.*

**Question 37.** so far/ we/ / donate/ books and clothes/ the poor children.

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- A. So far, we donate books and clothes to the poor children.
- B. So far, we have donated books and clothes to the poor children.
- C. So far, we have donate books and clothes to the poor children.
- D. So far, we are donated books and clothes the poor children.

**Question 38.** Father's Day / be / celebrated / third / Sunday / June / countries.

- A. Father's Day celebrated the third Sunday in June in countries.
- B. Father's Day is celebrated on the third Sunday in June in some countries.
- C. Father's Day is celebrated on third Sunday in June in some countries.
- D. Father's Day celebrated the third Sunday in June in some countries.

**Question 39.** Lan / be /taller / work / fashion model.

- A. If Lan were taller, she would work like a fashion model.
- B. If Lan is taller, she will work as a fashion model.
- C. If Lan were taller, she will work as a fashion model.
- D. If Lan were taller, she would work as a fashion model.

**Question 40.** He/ ask/ me/ know/ Long's address

- A. He asked me for Long's address.
- B. He asked me if someone knew Long's address.
- C. He asked me if I know Long's address.
- D. He asked me if I knew Long's address.

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