

TEST 4H

Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently.

1. A. around B. fabulous C. populous D. delicious
2. A. meaning B. feature C. leader D. area

Choose the word that its main stress is placed differently from the others.

3. A. affordable B. reliable C. comfortable D. available
4. A. convenient B. metropolitan C. multicultural D. cosmopolitan

Choose the word (A, B, C or D) that best completes the sentence.

5. Hoi An is an ancient town in central Viet Nam. It is famous ____ its own unique dish "Cao Lau".
A. for B. with C. to D. from
6. Karachi in Pakistan is ____ city in the world in population.
A. second large B. the second larger C. second larges D. the second largest
7. Ha Noi is ____ the most populated city in Viet Nam.
A. much more B. by far C. a lot D. a little bit
8. More schools and hospitals are ____ to meet the demand of the increasing number of people in this area.
A. set up B. turned up C. made up D. put up
9. Many city dwellers are suffered from ____ every day but they have no way out.
A. unpleasantness and inconvenience B. pleasant and convenient
C. unpleasant and inconvenient D. pleasure and convenience
10. My father has just given up ____ .
A. smoke B. smoked C. to smoke D. smoking
11. The return fare costs ____ the single one.
A. twice much as B. as twice as C. twice as D. twice as much as
12. The more he earns, ____ .
A. the more he spends B. he spends much
C. he spends more D. the much he spends
13. Local authorities are trying to make ____ better and better by building more ring roads.
A. city scenery B. living standard C. education system D. public transport

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions

14. I found (it) interesting (listen) to your talk (on) problems of (living) in big cities.
A B C D
15. This book is (similar) (the one) we (saw) (in the bookshop) this morning.
A B C D

16. (In) many (ways), I (prefer) country life (than) city life.

A

C

D

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

17. **Nam:** - Can I help you with your suitcase?

Hoa: - _____.

A. Well-done

B. That's very kind of you

C. I don't think so

D. Yes, you can

18. **Teacher:** - You have a really good voice.

Student: - _____.

A. I appreciate it

B. That's right

C. Congratulations

D. Yes, of course

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. English is compulsory in most schools in our town.

A. required

B. fulfilled

C. specialized

D. applied

20. Let's wait here for her. I'm sure she will turn up before long.

A. enter

B. arrive

C. return

D. visit

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. A lot of things have been done to save natural resources but it seems not enough.

A. exploit

B. explore

C. protect

D. discover

22. We'd better speed up if we want to get there in time.

A. turn down

B. lie down

C. slow down

D. put down

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.

Most of the greatest cities in the world are (23) _____ near oceans, rivers, or lakes. New York City, Rio de Janeiro, and Buenos Aires are on the Atlantic Ocean, (24) _____ San Francisco, Tokyo, and Santiago are on the Pacific Ocean. Singapore is located on an island in the South China Sea and Venice is on an island in the Adriatic Sea. London is (25) _____ the Thames River. Paris is on the Seine River. Cairo is on the Nile River and Budapest is on the Danube River. Chicago, Cleveland, and Toronto are on the Great Lakes: Chicago on Lake Michigan, Cleveland on Lake Erie, and Toronto on Lake Ontario.

(26) _____ their location, most of these cities have famous (27) _____ associated with water. New York City has the Statue of Liberty Island. San Francisco has the Golden Gate Bridge and Venice has the Grand Canal, to name only a few.

23. A. located

B. lied

C. put

D. set

24. A. but

B. although

C. while

D. as

25. A. in B. at C. from D. on
26. A. Because of B. Because C. Since D. As
27. A. regions B. landmarks C. scenery D. monuments

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

Life in modern city truly causes a lot of nuisances. Firstly, citizens have to deal with traffic congestion every day. This problem is even worse in the rush hour when so many people run out to work and are stuck on the streets for hours. Next, high cost of living is also a serious issue in the city, especially in metropolitan cities. More and more people find it difficult to live on their modest salaries when prices are going up and up all the time. Financial pressure makes city dwellers become constantly stressed and tired. Finally, the polluted air caused by exhaust emission from millions of vehicles, construction dust and the lack of green trees negatively affect residents' health. Many people suffer from respiratory problems such as cough, sore throat or asthma. Indeed, city life brings a number of difficulties as well as challenges to its citizens.

28. ***This paragraph is about ____ .***
A. high cost of living in the city B. nuisances of living in the city
C. air pollution in the city D. traffic problems in the city
29. ***Stress and tiredness are results of ____ .***
A. polluted air B. lack of green trees C. financial pressure D. traffic congestion
30. ***Traffic congestion is even worse during ____ .***
A. late in the afternoon B. rush hours C. early morning D. the night
31. ***How many problems of living in the city are mentioned in the paragraph?***
A. two B. three C. one D. four
32. ***Respiratory problems which people living in the city suffer from are ____.***
A. sore throat and stress B. asthma and cough
C. asthma and headache D. cough and cancer

Choose the second sentence which has the same meaning as that of the root one.

33. ***The trip was short; however, we enjoyed it very much.***
A. We enjoyed the trip very much because it was short.
B. Although the trip was short, we enjoyed it very much.
C. The trip was short, so we didn't enjoy it very much.
D. We enjoyed the short trip very much.
34. ***It's a long time since we last went to the cinema.***
A. We don't go to the cinema as we used to.
B. We have been to the cinema for a long time.
C. We wish we went to the cinema now.
D. We haven't been to the cinema for a long time.

35. ***The table and the desk are the same size.***
- A. The table is as big as the desk.
 - B. The table is bigger than the desk.
 - C. The desk is bigger than the table.
 - D. The table is not as big as the desk.
36. ***They found that someone had stolen the valuable picture.***
- A. The picture they found was valuable.
 - B. The valuable picture they had stolen was found.
 - C. They found that the valuable picture had been stolen.
 - D. They found that the picture was valuable.
37. ***I was the last to know about the accident.***
- A. Everyone had heard about the accident before I did.
 - B. The last thing I knew about was the accident.
 - C. I wasn't informed about the accident at all.
 - D. At last I knew about the accident.
38. ***We have never seen such a pretty flower display.***
- A. This flower display isn't as pretty as those we've ever seen.
 - B. This flower display is prettier than some we've ever seen.
 - C. This is one of the prettiest flower displays we've ever seen.
 - D. This is the prettiest flower display we've ever seen.
39. ***John used to write home once a week when he was abroad.***
- A. John doesn't write home once a week any longer.
 - B. John enjoyed writing home every week when he was abroad.
 - C. John never forgot to write a weekly letter home when he was abroad.
 - D. When John was abroad he remembered to write home every week.
40. ***The company turned down Bill's offer.***
- A. The company talked about Bill's offer.
 - B. The company offered Bill a job.
 - C. The company accepted Bill's offer.
 - D. The company rejected Bill's offer.