

PRACTICE TEST 8

SECTION 1. LISTENING

I. Listen and choose the correct answer.

1. Which sentence is TRUE?
 - A. Nam's thinking about getting married.
 - B. Nam's thinking about getting a new TV.
 - C. Nam's thinking about getting a new apartment.
2. Trang _____ watches television.
 - A. always
 - B. usually
 - C. rarely
3. What is Nam's favorite TV program?
 - A. Music programs.
 - B. The news.
 - C. The sports.
4. When will they go to the show "Who wants to be a Millionaire?"?
 - A. On Friday night.
 - B. On Saturday night.
 - C. On Sunday night.
5. Why does Trang want to come back home?
 - A. Because she wants to see the game shows.
 - B. Because she wants to do her homework.
 - C. Because she wants to see the final episode of her favorite show.

II. Listen and fill in the missing words.

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| 1. Name of film: |
| 2. For people: |
| 3. Cost: |
| 4. Video shop in: |
| 5. Opposite: |

SECTION 2. PHONETICS

III. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently. Write your answers in the space provided.

1. A. closes B. horses C. roses D. houses
2. A. cooked B. hoped C. laughed D. measured
3. A. room B. good C. foot D. looked

IV. Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from the other three of the group. Write your answers in the space provided.

1. A. uniform B. appointment C. unhappy D. delightful
2. A. compliment B. dishwasher C. anniversary D. calendar

SECTION 3. LEXICO - GRAMMAR

V. Choose the correct answer to complete each of the following sentences. Write your answers in the space provided. (7.0 points)

1. I bought this dress at the _____ on Hung Vuong street.
A. clothes'store B. store of closes C. clothes store D. closing store
2. Isn't it easy to learn English well?
A. No, it is B. No, it does not C. Yes, it is D. Yes. it does
3. There are two churches in the town and _____ of them are extremely old.
A. each B. all C. both D. most
4. Our neighbors are very _____ on camping holidays.
A. interested B. fond C. eager D. keen
5. Mr. Nam _____ to work yesterday.
A. wasn't drive B. not drive C. didn't drove D. didn't drive
6. The news on TV last night _____ very good.
A. was B. has C. were D. be
7. Lan did not know this word. Hoa didn't, _____ .
A. so B. neither C. either D. too
8. My sister will be 16 _____ Sunday _____ .
A. on - May 25th B. on - May 25 C. in - 25th May D. in - May 25
9. If he eats all that food, he eats _____ .
A. quite much B. too many C. quite many D. too much
10. Mr. Robinson speaks Vietnamese very _____ .
A. skillfully B. good C. fluently D. best
11. Sunflowers grow _____ in areas where there is much sunlight.
A. beautifully B. beautifying C. beauty D. beautiful
12. _____ the man gets, _____ he becomes.
A. The more old/ the more weak C. The older/ the weakest
B. The older/ the weaker D. Older/ weaker

13. She gave an interesting book _____ me.
 A. to B. for C. of D. at
14. The doctor advised Tom to stop _____.
 A. for smoking B. smoke C. smoking D. to smoke
15. Yesterday, I had a bad day. I got up very late and _____ my bicycle was broken.
 A. lucky B. unlucky C. luckily D. unluckily
16. This river is very _____ for the swimmers.
 A. danger B. dangerous C. dangerously D. more dangerous
17. We prefer reading _____ playing chess.
 A. with B. than C. as D. to
18. What would you like _____ to? Pop music.
 A. to listen B. listen C. listening D. listen
19. The test we did last time was more difficult than this one.
 A. We did a difficult test last time and a more difficult one this time.
 B. This test is not as difficult as the one we did last time.
 C. We had a more difficult time last week than this one.
 D. The test we have this time is not difficult at all.
20. Jogging is very useful.
 A. I find it is useless to jog. C. It is very useful to jog.
 B. Jogging is not good. D. We should not jog.
21. How is Hoa's new school different _____ her old school?
 A. from B. to C. with D. about
22. Tim's father has _____ summer vacation.
 A. three-weeks B. three-week
 C. a three-week D. a three-weeks
23. I'd like some local stamps and some for _____.
 A. overseas B. over sea C. over seaing D. an oversea
24. How much is it _____ a local letter in Malaysia.
 A. mail B. to mail C. mailing D. mails
25. Last night, the dentist _____ a cavity in Peter's tooth.
 A. made B. brushed C. filled D. put
26. My parents want me _____ hard every day.
 A. study B. to study C. studying D. to studying
27. She added _____ salt to the dish so it tasted good.
 A. a little B. many C. a few D. a lot
28. My mother wants a _____ apples.

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| 1. A. Shopping | B. Buying | C. Looking | D. Getting |
| 2. A. as | B. like | C. when | D. while |
| 3. A. last | B. later | C. next | D. ago |
| 4. A. are | B. were | C. was | D. have |
| 5. A. had | B. has | C. have | D. will have |
| 6. A. same | B. different | C. old | D. similar |
| 7. A. Farmers | B. Workers | C. Students | D. People |
| 8. A. at | B. on | C. in | D. for |
| 9. A. too | B. neither | C. nor | D. either |
| 10. A. a | B. the | C. an | D. ø |

VIII. Read the following passage and choose the best answer to each question. Write your answers in the space provided.

Sumo

Sumo wrestling is a national sport in Japan. Every year there are six tournaments, and millions of Japanese watch them on television. Sumo is almost as old as the nation of Japan itself. Stories say that there was sumo wrestling over 2,000 years ago. History says that there were national sumo tournaments in the eighth century.

Usually athletes are thin and can move very quickly. It is beautiful to watch them play. However, sumo wrestlers weigh from 100 to 160 kilos. One famous wrestler weighed 195 kilos. Sumo wrestlers do not look beautiful, and sumo wrestling is very slow sport.

Sumo wrestlers wrestle in a round ring with a sand floor. A wrestler loses the match if he leaves the ring. He is also the loser if any part of the body except his feet touches the floor. Each wrestler tries to push the other down on the floor or out of the ring.

People from other countries usually think sumo is very strange, but the Japanese love it. Even young people find this traditional sport exciting.

- How old is Sumo wrestling?

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| A. over twenty years | B. over two hundred years |
| C. over two thousand years | D. over two million years |
- Sumo wrestlers are _____ .

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| A. thin | B. quick | C. small | D. fat |
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- Sumo wrestling is a very _____ .

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| A. slow sport | B. fast sport | C. boring sport | D. dangerous sport |
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- A sumo wrestler loses the match if _____ .

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| A. his feet touch the floor | B. he is inside the ring |
| C. he pushes the other down | D. he is out of the ring |
- Young Japanese people find Sumo wrestling _____ .

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| A. quickly | B. exciting | C. boring | D. bad |
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IX. Fill in each numbered blank with ONE suitable word. Write your answers in the space provided.

Fishing (1)_____ my favorite pastime. I often fish for hours (2)_____ catching anything . But this does not worry me. Some fishermen (3)_____ unlucky . Instead of catching (4)_____, they catch old boots and rubbish. I am even less lucky. I never catch anything - not even old boots. After having spent whole mornings (5)_____ the river. I always (6)_____ home with an empty bag . "You must give up fishing! "my friends (7)_____: "It's a waste of (8)_____". But they (9)_____ realize one important thing. I'm (10)_____ interested in fishing . I am only interested in sitting on the boat and doing nothing.

SECTION 5. WRITING

X. Finish the second sentence in each pair in such a way that it means the same as the sentence before it.

1. What is the width of this river?
→ How.....
2. What's your favorite drink?
→ What drink.....
3. Nobody in my class is fatter than Ha.
→ Ha.....
4. What is the price of a cake and an orange?
→ How.....
5. This school has over one hundred teachers and seven hundred students.
→ There
6. Does your mother usually drive to work everyday?
→ Does.....
7. The photocopy store is to the left of the movie theater.
→The movie theater is.....
8. Jenifer is more beautiful than her younger sister.
→ Jenifer isn't
9. Dung is Mrs. Hoa's granddaughter.
→ Mrs. Hoa.....
10. Why don't we come over to my house and have some fun tonight?
→ What

___ The end ___