10A2 – Monthly test

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.

1. A. c<u>o</u>ntaminate B. def<u>o</u>rest C. p<u>o</u>llute D. pr<u>o</u>tect
2. A. m<u>ea</u>ning B. gr<u>ea</u>ter C. h<u>ea</u>twave D. cl<u>ea</u>ring
3. A. p<u>u</u>blic B. broch<u>u</u>re C. <u>u</u>nderstand D. c<u>u</u>lture

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

4. A. explore B. aware C. brochure D. sustain
5. A. environment B. electrical C. ecosystem D. Material

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

6. _____is the gradual increase of temperature on the earth's surface due to greenhouse effect.
   A. Global warming B. Climate change
   C. Natural habitats D. Extreme weather
7. Air pollution is a major _____that has serious effects on our health.
   A. measure B. solution C. issue D. sewage
8. Some animals lose their habitats because of _____.
   A. habitat B. energy C. deforestation D. biodiversity
9. _____tourism has a negative impact on the environment.
   A. Mass B. Massive C. Eco- D. Eco-friendly
10. Do you think we are doing enough to _____ wild animals?
    A. prevent B. protect C. promote D. predict
11. Many _____ animals have been saved thanks to community efforts.
    A. dangerous B. endangered C. generous D. natural
12. We should _____action to protect endangered animals.
    A. take B. get C. make D. do
13. We followed the _____ through the forest.
    A. tour B. trail C. train D. street
14. There will be ____, too. Some areas will become wetter while others will become much drier.
    A. weather changes B. weather forecasts
    C. climatic changes D. climate changes
15. "What was the weather like here" - "It was very sunny and hot. We had a bit of a _____"
    A. balance B. diversity C. habitat D. heatwave

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16. Global warming is the rise in the _____temperature of the earth's atmosphere.
    A. average B. normal C. casual D. polluted
17. Earth Hour _____attention to climate change and global energy issues, and promotes green activities worldwide.
    A. attracts B. draws C. paints D. writes
18. There are lots of things we can all do to ____ the environment.
    A. enhance B. protect C. make D. build
19. The gradual rise in the Earth's temperature is known as ____.
    A. greenhouse effect B. global warming
    C. ozone layer D. acid rain
20. Global warming is making _____weather events, such as hurricanes and droughts.
    A. extreme B. positive C. sustainable D. climatic

Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed to make the sentence correct.

21. We <u>need</u> <u>to</u> protect the <u>environmental</u> for the <u>next</u> generation.
22. My younger brother <u>was</u> very <u>exciting</u> <u>about</u> his camp trip <u>to</u> Nha Trang.
23. <u>If</u> someone <u>came</u> into the store, <u>smile</u> and say, "<u>May</u> I help you?"
24. I <u>was play</u> football in the <u>backyard</u> <u>when</u> my best friend <u>called</u> me.
25. A smartphone <u>can</u> be <u>used</u> <u>for</u> <u>send</u> messages.

Read the passage, then choose the one best answer - A, B, C or D.

Personal computers, or PCs, are an important part of our everyday lives. Many people cannot imagine life without them. One of the most important people in making these machines work is Bill Gates. Bill Gates was born in 1955 in Washington State. He grew up in a rich family. His parents sent him to a private school. There he met his business partner, Paul Allen. When they were in eighth grade, they were writing programs for business computers and making more.

In 1973, Gates was accepted at Harvard University. His parents were happy. They thought he would get over his obsession with computers and become a lawyer like his father. Two years later, Gates ***dropped out of*** Harvard to work on a computer program with his friend Allen. They worked eighteen hours a day in a dormitory room at Harvard. They were writing the program that would run one of the first personal computers. In 1975, they created a company called Microsoft to sell their product.

Allen became ill with cancer and left Microsoft in 1983. He recovered a few years later and started his own company. Meanwhile, Microsoft became a giant company. By 1990, at the age of thirty-four, Gates was the youngest billionaire in the history of the United States. He was the "King of Software". He achieved his success with a lot of hard work.

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For more than ten years, he worked sixteen-hour days, seven days a week. He had a dream and the will to succeed. By 1997, he was the richest man in the United States.

26. According to the passage, ...
    A. Bill Gate's parents wanted him to become a computer programmer.
    B. Bill Gates and Paul Allen created Microsoft because they want to sell their program for personal computers
    C. Paul Alien left Microsoft because he wanted to start his own company.
    D. Bill Gates met his business partner at Harvard.
27. The words ***dropped out of*** in line 10 mean:
    A. graduated from B. got over
    C. took part in D. stopped taking class at
28. According to the writer, ……..
    A. people cannot live without personal computers
    B. computers play an important part of our lives
    C. Bill Gates invented personal computers
    D. Bill Gates is the most important people in computer science
29. How old was Bill Gates when he became the richest man in the United States?
    A. 34 B. 51
    C. 42 D. 44
30. Which of the following is not mentioned in the text?
    A. In a few years, Microsoft became a very large company.
    B. Bill Gates and Paul Allen first wrote programs for business computers when they were about fifteen.
    C. Bill Gates earned his success by working very hard.
    D. Bill Gates is the richest man in the United States.

Complete the reading passage. Choose suitable word to fill each blank.

join	friendly	terms	ecosystem	for

Nowadays, organic food is considered as one of the best foods consumers choose for their meal. They believe that it is good (31) _____ their health because the organic products consist of no preservatives and poisonous chemicals frequently used in agriculture. Moreover, it is reported that organic farming is very environmentally (32) _____. With the chemical technology developed in modern life, pesticides have been used in farmland to get high yields. Pesticides are artificial poisons for killing insects, but they might also eliminate some other useful insects and disorder the balance of the (33) _____. This hurts the surrounding environment and community's health. It's time to do our best to save the Earth by encouraging farmers to priorities the organic farming

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and the government should (34) _____ hands to support them in (35) _____ of technological knowledge, finance, and the consumption market.

36. Mai can reach the book on the shelf because she is tall. (so)

=> Mai_____

37. He arrived in the middle of our lunch time. (while)

=> He_____

38. That film made me bored. (boring)

=> I _____

39. They have never seen that film before.

=> This_____

40. She walked home by herself, although she knew that it was dangerous. (but)

=> She_____

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