

## LIVE 12

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 1.** A. hide      B. pink      C. shine      D. like

**Question 2.** A. cheap      B. child      C. chemist      D. chair

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 3.** A. harmful      B. actor      C. perform      D. lengthen

**Question 4.** A. disappear      B. recommend      C. entertain      D. fortunate

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

**Question 5.** Do you think that a person \_\_\_\_\_ around children in public should be cited?

A. smoke      B. who smoke      C. smoking      D. to smoke

**Question 6.** Hermes Birkin is \_\_\_\_\_ bag in my collection.

A. the most expensive      B. most expensive      C. more expensive      D. expensivest

**Question 7.** \_\_\_\_\_, she will buy her parents a new TV.

A. When she receives her salary      B. Once she received her salary

C. Until she received her salary      D. After she had received her salary

**Question 8.** The Internet was invented \_\_\_\_\_ the 20 century.

A. at      B. in      C. with      D. from

**Question 9.** She has recently bought a new car, \_\_\_\_\_?

A. hasn't she      B. didn't she      C. did she      D. has she

**Question 10.** I have left my book in \_\_\_\_\_ kitchen and I would like you to get it for me.

A. the      B. a      C. Ø      D. an

**Question 11.** Environmental groups try to stop farmers from using harmful \_\_\_\_\_ on their crops.

A. economy      B. agriculture      C. investments      D. chemicals

**Question 12.** Everybody in the house woke up when the burglar alarm \_\_\_\_\_.

A. went up      B. went off      C. came across      D. put off

**Question 13.** She regrets \_\_\_\_\_ that she has to sell the house due to the bankruptcy of her company.

A. to inform      B. informing      C. inform      D. to informing

**Question 14.** When hearing the news, Tom tried his best to keep a \_\_\_\_\_ on his surprise.

A. hat      B. roof      C. hood      D. lid

**Question 15.** Ngoc \_\_\_\_\_ in the kitchen when she saw a mouse.

A. is cooking      B. has cooked      C. was cooking      D. cooks

**Question 16:** The jury \_\_\_\_\_ her compliments on her excellent knowledge of the subject.

A. paid      B. gave      C. made      D. said

**Question 17.** Every day, Peter's mother drives him to school. However, today, he \_\_\_\_\_ to school by his father.

A. taken      B. is being taken      C. is taking      D. took

**Question 18.** The drug under examination has shown some \_\_\_\_\_ results when given to volunteers in some countries.

A. impressed      B. impresses      C. impressive      D. impression

**Question 19.** After a period of probation, you'll be offered a written \_\_\_\_\_ of employment.

A. contract      B. certificate      C. degree      D. licence

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best completes each of the following exchanges*

**Question 20:** - Mai: "How fashionable a pair of trainers you have!" ; - Nam: " \_\_\_\_\_."

A. Do you want to know where I bought them?      B. Thanks for your compliment.  
C. I know it's fashionable.      D. Yes, of course.

**Question 21:** Janet wants to invite Susan to go to the cinema.

- Janet: "Would you like going to the cinema this evening?" ; - Susan: " \_\_\_\_\_."

A. I don't agree, I'm afraid      B. You're welcome  
C. Yes, I'd love to      D. I feel very bored

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions*

**Question 22.** The lights are on, so I'm sure Dan is at home.

A. Dan must be at home as the lights are on.      B. Dan can't be at home as the lights are on.  
C. Dan must have been at home as the lights were on.      D. Dan should have been at home to turn on the lights.

**Question 23:** Peter started learning to play the piano two months ago.

A. Peter has learned to play the piano for two months.      B. Peter is learning to play the piano at the moment.  
C. Peter stopped learning to play the piano two months ago. D. Peter has never learned to play the piano.

**Question 24:** Tom said: "Why do you keep staring at me, Janet?"

A. Tom asked Janet why did she keep staring at him. B. Tom asked Janet why she keeps staring at him.  
C. Tom asked Janet why she had kept staring at him. D. Tom asked Janet why she kept staring at him.

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

**Question 25.** She has disappeared three days ago, and they are still looking for her now.

A. has disappeared      B. and      C. are still      D. for her

**Question 26.** Ozone has his origin in a number of sources, a prime one being the automobile engine.

A. his      B. prime      C. being      D. the

**Question 27.** It is essential to provide high school students with adequate career orientation, so they can make more informative decisions about their future major.

A. essential      B. orientation      C. informative      D. major

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions*

**Question 28:** Jack dropped out of school at the age of 15. He now regrets it.

A. If only Jack had dropped out of school when he was 15.  
B. If Jack dropped out of school when he was 15, he would regret it.  
C. Jack wishes he hadn't dropped out of school when he was 15.  
D. Jack regrets not having dropped out of school when he was 15.

**Question 29:** Mike became a father. He felt a strong sense of responsibility towards his parents.

A. Were Mike to become a father himself, he would feel a strong sense of responsibility towards his parents.  
B. Only after Mike had become a father himself did he feel a strong sense of responsibility towards his parents.  
C. Had Mike become a father himself, he would have felt a strong sense of responsibility towards his parents.  
D. Not until he felt a strong sense of responsibility towards his parents did Mike become a father himself.

*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 .*

I was an MBA student in the USA and I lived in the university's coed dormitory (KTX dành cho nam sinh). In my culture, usually, if a woman talks to a man, it is a sign of romantic interest. (30)\_\_\_\_\_, in the first few days

of school, I found it strange that so (31) \_\_\_\_ women were talking to me and I was under the impression that some women on my dormitory floor were interested in me. To (32) \_\_\_\_ their politeness, I would buy them flowers or offer small gifts, as is done in my country. However, I was quite surprised to see that these same women now seemed (33) \_\_\_\_ around me. One was even quite offended and told me to leave her alone. Eventually I talked to the residence adviser on my floor to see what I was doing wrong, and he explained to me the way men and women usually interact in the USA. I was quite relieved to hear that nothing was wrong with me, but rather with the way I was interpreting my conversations with women. Even though I did not find the love of my life while I was in the USA, I still made many good female friends afterwards (34) \_\_\_\_ I still maintain contact with.

(Source: <https://books.google.com.vn>)

**Question 30:** A. However      B. Therefore      C. Moreover      D. Otherwise

**Question 31:** A. many      B. any      C. each      D. much

**Question 32:** A. pay      B. show      C. return      D. give

**Question 33:** A. uncomfortable      B. amazing      C. exciting      D. surprising

**Question 34:** A. which      B. to whom      C. whose      D. whom