

45-Minute Test 24

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. marinates B. areas C. attractions D. wonders

Question 2: A. fashion B. stay C. lazy D. game

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. mountaineer B. committee C. community D. establish

Question 4: A. answer B. discuss C. forget D. explain

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

Question 5: It is said that her father can play basketball skillful.

A. can B. basketball C. said D. skillful

Question 6: Newton was used to read science books every month when he was a boy.

A. science B. read C. was used to D. month

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

Question 7: She will hardly recognize her house, _____ ?

A. won't she B. does she C. doesn't she D. will she

Question 8: Our friends were very _____ about the football match last night.

A. amazed B. amused C. surprised D. excited

Question 9: You have to fill in an _____ form for admission to the university at the front desk.

A. apply B. applicator C. applicable D. application

Question 10: The man _____ injury is serious has been taken to hospital.

A. who B. whom C. whose D. that

Question 11: Don't put too _____ sugar in the orange juice. It's not good for your health.

A. a little B. little C. much D. many

Question 12: He asked the children _____ at bedtime, but they kept making noise.

A. didn't talk B. not talked C. not to talk D. don't talk

Question 13: The English summer camp in Singapore is very interesting _____ it's too

expensive for us.

- A. such B. but C. in spite of D. because of

Question 14: Most children find it uncomfortable _____ like little kids.

- A. being treated B. treating C. to be treated D. to treat

Question 15: At this time yesterday, while I _____ a book, my sister _____ to music.

- A. was reading/ listened B. was reading/ was listening
C. read/ was listening D. read/ listened

Question 16: The water clock was made by the Chinese _____ the 11th century.

- A. in B. at C. to D. on

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

Question 17: *Lan*: “ Why don’t we go camping this weekend?”

Nga: _____

- A. That’s a fine day. B. That’s a good idea.
C. Here you are. D. You’re welcome.

Question 18: *John*: “Do you think that we should use public transportation to protect our environment?”

Ken: “ _____ ”

- A. I see. B. Of course not. You bet.
C. Well, that’s very surprising. D. There is no doubt about it.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following questions.

Question 19: Sometimes it is **unsafe** to eat food from the street vendors in this neighbourhood.

- A. cheap B. dangerous C. convenient D. common

Question 20: Making a speech in public was one of my **unforgettable** experiences.

- A. forgetful B. remarkable C. memorable D. impressive

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following questions.

Question 21 In order to save energy resources, we should **increase** the use of solar power.

- A. improve B. reduce C. develop D. rise

Question 22: A good architect **takes into account** the building’s surrounding.

A. bear in mind B. think about C. consider D. disregard

Read the 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 blank.

Lying next to the beautiful Lan Ha Bay, Cat Ba island is considered one of the must-visit destinations of Vietnam. Cat Ba has three main beaches (23) _____ visitors can sunbathe and enjoy the beauty of the sea, especially at sunset. For those who prefer (24) _____ activities, they can try rock climbing, kayaking, or snorkelling.

Summer is the best time to visit Cat Ba because of the sunny days, less rain and high temperature. There are many suitable beachside activities for tourists to join in. (25) _____, during this time, the beaches can be more crowded than usual. If you want to have the beaches all to yourself, come early in the morning.

(26) _____ other islands in Vietnam, Cat Ba offers a wide variety of quality seafood. The restaurants here have great views of the bay and the service is excellent. Let's (27) _____, a trip to Cat Ba and you will certainly have the best time with your beloved family or friends.

- Question 23: A. when B. who C. whom D. where
Question 24: A. physically B. physics C. physician D. physical
Question 25: A. Therefore B. Because of C. Even D. So that
Question 26: A. Like B. Without C. Liking D. In
Question 27: A. taking B. takes C. to take D. take

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

I am sure you have heard about global warming. Global warming may make the sea level become higher. Do you know why? It is because global warming causes the earth to be warmer and this in turn makes glaciers melt.

What is a glacier? It is a large sheet of ice that moves very, very slowly. Some melting glaciers add more water to the ocean. Higher temperature also make water expand. When water expands in the ocean, it takes up more space and the level of the sea rises.

Coastal flooding could cause salt water to flow into areas where salt is harmful, threatening plants and animals in those areas. Leaders of all nations around the world are in the fight against global warming but "change only happens when individuals take action".

Question 28: *Global warming may make the level of the sea become _____.*

- A. hotter B. higher C. lower D. warmer

Question 29: *How fast does a glacier move?*

- A. Very rapidly B. Very quickly C. Very fast D. Very slowly

Question 30: *Why does water expand, according to the passage?*

- A. Because of plants and animals.
- B. Because of higher temperatures.
- C. Because of leaders of all nations around the world.
- D. Because of individuals.

Question 31: *What will be threatened if salt water flows into areas where salt is harmful?*

- A. Buildings in those areas.
- B. Glaciers in those areas.
- C. Rivers in those areas.
- D. Trees and animals in those areas.

Question 32: *Which of the following statements is **NOT TRUE**, according to the passage?*

- A. A glacier is a large sheet of ice that moves very fast.
- B. Global warming may make the sea level become higher.
- C. Water expands because of higher temperatures.
- D. Leaders of many countries in the world are fighting against global warming.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.

Question 33: *We decided to leave early in order to avoid traffic jams.*

- A. We decided leaving early therefore we can avoid traffic jams.
- B. We decided leaving early so that to avoid traffic jams.
- C. We decided to leave early so that we could avoid traffic jams.
- D. We decided to leave early but we can avoid traffic jams.

Question 34: *Tom hasn't gone to church for 5 months*

- A. It has been 5 months since Tom went to church.
- B. The last time Tom went to church was 5 months.
- C. It is 5 months since Tom last gone to church.
- D. Tom last went to church 5 months ago.

Question 35: "Can you help me with the homework, Eric?", asked Laura.

- A. Laura asked Eric if could help her with the homework.
- B. Laura asked Eric if he helped her with the homework.
- C. Laura asked Eric if he could help her with the homework.
- D. Laura asked Eric if he can help her with the homework.

Question 36: *My sister wrote a lot of articles last year.*

- A. A lot of articles were written by my sister last year.
- B. A lot of articles had been written by my sister last year.
- C. A lot of articles have been written by my sister last year.
- D. A lot of article are written last year by my sister.

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 37: *Pam and Joseph/ wish/ they / on holiday/ Brazil/ inseed of/ stay at home.*

- A. Pam and Joseph wish they will be on holiday in Brazil instead of stay at home.
- B. Pam and Joseph wish they were on holiday in Brazil instead of stay at home.
- C. Pam and Joseph wish they will on holiday in Brazil instead of staying at home.
- D. Pam and Joseph wish they were on holiday in Brazil instead of staying at home.

Question 38: *If/ I/ win/ the lottery/ now,/ I/ go/ on/ a trip/ around/ the/ world.*

- A. If I won the lottery now, I would go on a trip around the world.
- B. If I won the lottery now, I would have gone on a trip around the world.
- C. If I win the lottery now, I would go on a trip around the world.
- D. If I won the lottery now, I will go on a trip around the world.

Question 39: *They/ close friends/ they/ share/ lot of/ happiness and sadness.*

- A. They become close friends before they sharing lot of happiness and sadness.
- B. They makes close friends after they share lot of happiness and sadness.
- C. They are close friends, so they share a lot of happiness and sadness.
- D. Although they are close friends, but they share a lot of happiness and sadness.

Question 40: *Life/ city/ not/ peaceful/ as/ life/ the countryside.*

- A. Life in the city is not as peaceful as life in the countryside.
- B. Life in the city not so peaceful as life in the countryside.
- C. Life in the city is not more peaceful as life in the countryside.
- D. Life in the city does not peaceful as life in the countryside.