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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. st<u>a</u>te **B.** b<u>a</u>ke **C.** f<u>a</u>ith **D.** f<u>a</u>ir

Question 2: A. <u>h</u>orn **B.** <u>h</u>our **C.** <u>h</u>elp **D.** <u>h</u>ealth

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. plastic**B.** cartoon **C.** package **D.** standard

Question 4: A. holiday **B.** journalist **C.** attention **D.** document

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: Denmark ranks first in the list of _____ countries in the world.

A. cleaner **B.** the cleanest **C.** more clean **D.** as clean

Question 6: They _____ a large amount of money in developing this city last year.

A. investment **B.** investing **C.** investor **D.** invested

Question 7: That single dad is working hard to support his family and _____ his children alone.

A. take back **B.** bring up **C.** turn down **D.** put on

Question 8: Could we _____ a meeting to discuss technical issues of the project tomorrow?

A. open **B.** hold **C.** take **D.** give

Question 9: The students finished their assignment on time, _____ their teacher happy.

A. is made **B.** to make **C.** making **D.** made

Question 10: The first award in the competition _____ by Jennifer Hawkins last week.

A. won **B.** was won **C.** was winning **D.** has won

Question 11: Working back-to-back shifts at the hospital _____ her energy, leaving her no time for rest.

A. trickled **B.** drained **C.** exuded **D.** sucked

Question 12: The coach wants his team to feel confident _____ winning the game.

A. of **B.** at **C.** with **D.** on

Question 13: The kids are getting in my _____ today, so I need you to watch them for a little bit.

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A. hair **B.** nose **C.** mouth **D.** tongue

Question 14: We chose group 4 _____ with us to complete the project lesson on climate change.

A. to collaborate **B.** collaborated **C.** collaborating **D.** collaborate

Question 15: Tom burnt his hand when he _____ a cake in the kitchen.

A. had baked **B.** bakes **C.** was baking **D.** baked

Question 16: This charity organisation helped handicapped children _____ their difficulties.

A. recover **B.** surpass **C.** overcome **D.** outweigh

Question 17: I'm looking for_____ apartment in the city center.

A. the **B.** an **C.** Ø (no article) **D.** a

Question 18: _____ , she will let you know.

A. When Linda found out the truth **B.** When Linda was finding out the truth

C. When Linda had found out the truth **D.** When Linda finds out the truth

Question 19: His parents are hospitable, _____?

A. aren't they **B.** are they **C.** don't they **D.** do they

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

Question 20: Leo and Tim are talking about food.

- Leo: "I think it is true to say that the quickest way to a man's heart is through his stomach."

- Tim: "_____. Sometimes a man cares more about his feelings rather than food"

A. That's great **B.** I refuse to believe that

C. I totally agree with you **D.** I guess you're right

Question 21: Harry is talking to Judy over the phone.

Harry: "Thank you for helping me prepare for my birthday party, Judy."

Judy: "_____."

A. It's my pleasure B. Of course not C. Never mention me D. That's out of this world

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.

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Question 22: It is impossible for us to finish the research in a month.

A. We must finish the research in a month.

B. We needn't finish the research in a month.

C. We can't finish the research in a month.

D. We would finish the research in a month.

Question 23: Linda last went to the university library three months ago.

A. Linda went to the university library for three months.

B. Linda didn't go to the university library for three months.

C. Linda has gone to the university library for three months.

D. Linda hasn't gone to the university library for three months.

Question 24: **"**It is not easy for my son to overcome his shyness in class," she told the teacher.

A. She told the teacher that it was not easy for her son to overcome her shyness in class.

B. She told the teacher that it was not easy for her son to overcome his shyness in class.

C. She told the teacher that it is not easy for her son to overcome his shyness in class.

D. She told the teacher that it was not easy for his son to overcome his shyness in class.

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 25: Press photographers are banned from taking photographs backstage. There is not any exception whatsoever.

A. On no account are press photographers allowed to take photographs backstage.

B. In no way were press photographers allowed to take photographs backstage.

C. Under no circumstances are press photographers prohibited to take photographs backstage.

D. On no occasion are press photographers banned from taking photographs backstage.

Question 26: We were nearly out of petrol. That's why we stopped at the service station.

A. If we hadn't been nearly out of petrol, we would have stopped at the service station

B. If we weren't nearly out of petrol, we would stop at the service station.

C. If we hadn't been nearly out of petrol, we wouldn't have stopped at the service station

D. If we hadn't been nearly out of petrol, we wouldn't stop at the service station.

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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 27: Our country could successfully fight against COVID-19 pandemic thanks to the government's imaginary approaches.

A. fight against **B.** approaches **C.** imaginary **D.** thanks to

Question 28: My grandmother can remember things which happens many years ago.

A. happens **B.** My **C.** things **D.** can

Question 29: Some of my friends are going to spend his holidays by the sea.

A. spend **B.** his **C.** the sea **D.** Some

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

A pandemic is a worldwide outbreak of disease. It happens when a bacterium or virus becomes capable of spreading across a large region, continent, or worldwide. It causes severe **contagious** illnesses which can spread quickly from one person to another. Throughout history, there have been many pandemics that have had significant effects on various populations.

Pandemics have the capability of killing large portions of people in a place. In 1347, the Black Death, a plague in Europe, spread and killed 75 million people, a whopping one-third of Europe's population. When European explorers began encountering other places in the world, they tended to spread diseases to the local population. One notable example is the complete destruction of the Guanches on the Canary Islands. The majority of tribe members were killed by disease brought by Spanish invaders in the 15th century

In fact, many countries and cultures faced deadly pandemics after international exploration became possible. It is believed that Columbus and his crew brought a strain of syphilis back with **them** to Europe from the New World. In Europe, the virus was able to mutate because of the location's different conditions. Additionally, European people that were sent to work in Asia were killed by disease. Intercultural mixing, exposure to new viruses, and the transportation of diseases led to many pandemics across the world.

Today, the COVID-19 pandemic is an **ongoing** global pandemic of coronavirus disease. It is caused by severe acute respiratory syndrome SARS-CoV-2. This epidemic first broke out in Wuhan, China, in December 2019. Many efforts to control its spread have failed, which allows the virus to reach almost every country. The World Health Organization (WHO) declared a Public Health Emergency of International Concern on 30th January 2020 and a pandemic on 11th March 2020. By 10th April 2022, the pandemic had caused more than 498 million cases and 6.17 million deaths, making it one of the deadliest pandemics in human history.

Question 30: The word **"them"** in paragraph 3 refers to _____.

A. strains of syphilis **B.** Columbus and his crew

C. destructive pandemics **D.** Europe and the New World

Question 31: Which of the following is NOT true according to the passage?

A. The Black Death in medieval Europe was caused by exploration and conquest.

B. WHO upgraded the Covid-19 warning level twice within two months.

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C. The efforts by WHO brought an end to the COVID-19 pandemic.

D. The Guanche population in the Canary Islands disappeared due to the malady from the Spanish intruders.

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.

If you are interested in having a trip of a lifetime, but also doing something useful at the same time, then why not try joining a Greenforce expedition as a volunteer. Greenforce, (32)_____ was set up in 1997, is an international research agency that gathers information about wildlife and natural habitats in various parts of the world. There is a qualified biologist in charge of each team of volunteers and these carry out surveys all year round in some of the world remote and most beautiful places. Volunteers come from all walks of life. No previous experience is necessary as Greenforce provides full (33)_____ in animal identification and survey methods. However, you will need to be a person who enjoys the outdoor life (34)_____ working in remote locations can be challenging. You'll also need to be passionate about wildlife and prepare to learn a lot about the place you visit. (35)_____ expedition lasts for ten weeks, and training begins in the UK with a residential weekend where you can get a taste of expedition life and meet up with some of your teammates, as well as learning about first-aid and basic survival skills. Each volunteer (36)_____ £2,550 to the total cost of the expedition, but past volunteers say it is worth every penny

Question 32: A. who	**B.** which	**C.** that	**D.** whose
Question 33: A. operation	**B.** performance	**C.** production	**D.** training
Question 34: A. but	**B.** moreover	**C.** since	**D.** although
Question 35: A. Many	**B.** Much	**C.** Other	**D.** Each
Question 36: A. contributes	**B.** compensates	**C.** pays	**D.** offers

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

In the next decade, population growth will probably add to world hunger problems. As the population grows, according to the World Hunger Programme, so will the number of **malnourished** people. The world's population, estimated at 5.6 billion in 1994, may reach 11.5 billion by the year 2150, and most of that growth is occurring in the world's poorest countries. At least 95 percent of the global population growth over the next thirty-five years will take place in the hunger-belt regions of Africa, Asia, and Latin America. For countries that already have a hard time feeding their populations, growth on a scale of even 3 percent a year could add significantly to their food problems. This level of growth is already occurring in Namibia and in South Africa, and many other countries are not far behind.

In 1981, the United States recorded a population on the African continent of 481 million people. This number topped 800 million by the year 2000. Africa would have to increase its food production by 4 percent a year to meet the food needs of **its** increased population. But Africa's food production is growing by only 1 percent a year, which means that nations already struggling to meet their people's food needs will have an even greater struggle as populations grow. "When food supply grows slower than population," says Professor De- Gregori, "a country is in trouble."

(Source: Basic IELTS Reading)

Question 37: According to paragraph 2, which is true about the food production in Africa?

A. It has greatly increased in recent years. **B.** It can eventually meet the needs of the population.

C. It has dramatically decreased since 1981. **D.** It is growing more slowly than the population.

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Question 38: All of the following mentioned in the passage are about population growth and its effect on world hunger EXCEPT _____.

A. when population grows faster than food supply, a country will suffer.

B. the biggest increase in population will be recorded in poor countries.

C. a country's population will not starve if its annual growth reaches 3 percent.

D. the number of people in Africa is increasing faster than its ability to feed them.

Question 39: The word **its** in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

A. The United States **B.** Africa **C.** a population **D.** a country

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