

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.

- 1. A. wisely B. width C. wisdom D. confident
- 2. A. thought B. that C. lengthen D. theme

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.

- 3. A. interact B. concentrate C. counsellor D. influence
- 4. A. attract B. prefer C. forecast D. suppose

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

5. Many of the pictures _____ from outer space are presently on display in the public library.

- A. sent B. sending C. having sent D. that sent

6. He drives _____ his brother.

- A. more careful than B. more carefully
- C. more carefully than D. as careful as

7. I am reading a novel. _____, I will have finished it.

- A. By the time you came back from work
- B. By the time you come back from work
- C. By the time you had come back from work
- D. By the time you will come back from work

8. These days everybody is aware _____ the danger of smoking.

- A. up B. of C. on D. with

9. You have the latest album of this band, _____?

- A. do you B. don't you C. have you D. haven't you

10. Did you read _____ news about the Sukhoi Superjet crash in Indonesia?

- A. a B. the C. some D. x

11. The youth nowadays have many things to do in their _____ time.

- A. leisure B. entertainment C. fun D. amusement
12. Unfortunately, the company closed down because it couldn't keep _____ with rapidly changing technology.
A. speed B. time C. fast D. pace
13. My teacher reminded me _____ my essay carefully before handing it in.
A. checked B. checking C. to checked D. to check
14. The cinema is no longer as popular as it was in the 1930's and 1940's, but it is still an important _____ of entertainment.
A. origin B. prospect C. status D. source
16. In a formal interview, it is essential to maintain good eye _____ with the interviewers.
A. link B. connection C. touch D. contact
17. Before my brother leaves for New York, my mother _____ a gift.
A. will give B. has given C. will be given D. has been given
18. Nowadays, most students use _____ calculators in their studies and examinations.
A. electrical B. electronic C. electricity D. electric
19. My college graduation was a real _____ day for my whole life.
A. red brick B. red ink C. red tape D. red letter

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

20. Nam and Lan is in the coffee shop.

Nam: "Would you like a cup of tea?" Lan: " _____ "

- A. Yes, I usually drink coffee. B. I could do with one!
C. It isn't my cup of tea. D. Don't mention it.

21. Two classmates, Zoe and Jack are talking about school holidays.

Zoe: "I think that students need to take holidays in the winter."

Jack: " _____. Schools in some other countries have winter holidays as well."

- A. You must be joking B. I know
C. I don't know D. Absolutely not

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) *OPPOSITE* in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

22. I don't know what they are going to ask in the job interview. I'll just play it by ear.

- A. plan well in advance
- B. be careful about it
- C. listen to others saying
- D. do not plan beforehand

23. In remote communities, it's important to replenish stocks before the winter sets in.

- A. repeat
- B. refill
- C. empty
- D. remark

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) *CLOSEST* in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

24. The board of directors rejected the proposed project, explaining that it was too expensive to be feasible at the present moment.

- A. costly
- B. troublesome
- C. capable
- D. practicable

25. The theme of the poem is emigration.

- A. article
- B. comment
- C. topic
- D. problem

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.

26. It was quite unnecessary for you to carry all those parcels home yourself.

- A. You needn't have carried all those parcels home yourself.
- B. You should carry all those parcels home yourself.
- C. You must carry all those parcels home yourself.
- D. You mustn't carry all those parcels home yourself.

27. They last visited me five years ago.

- A. They haven't visited me for a long time.
- B. I haven't been visited for a long time.
- C. They have visited me for five years.
- D. They haven't visited me for five years.

28. She asked me: "Why didn't you come here yesterday?"

- A. She asked me why I hadn't gone there the day before.
- B. She asked me why I didn't go there the day before.
- C. She asked me why didn't I go there the day before.
- D. She asked me why hadn't I gone there the day before.

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

29. The media have produced live covering of Michael Jackson's fans around the world

A

B

C

mourning for him. (live coverage: phát sóng trực tiếp)

D

30. Up to the present, we wrote almost every lesson in the book.

A

B

C

D

31. The housework makes my family closer, so we often share them with each other.

A

B

C

D

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

32. He can not find a good job because he doesn't know how to use a computer

- A. Were he to know how to use a computer, he could find a good job
- B. If he knows how to use a computer, he can find a good job
- C. If he had known how to use a computer, he could have found a good job
- D. Had he known how to use a computer, he could find a good job

33. Hans told us about his investing in the company. He did it on his arrival at the meeting.

- A. Hardly had he informed us about his investing in the company when Hans arrived at the meeting.
- B. Only after investing in the company did Hans informs us of his arrival at the meeting.

C. No sooner had Hans arrived at the meeting than he told us about his investing in the company.

D. Not until Hans told us that he would invest in the company did he arrive at the meeting.