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FINAL 1 EXAM REVIEW

Vocabulary

Read these sentences and choose the best word for each space.
For each question, circle the correct letter **A**, **B** or **C**.

Example:

0 There's lots of air pollution in my city because there are too many ..... on the roads.

(A) cars B bikes C metros

1 A ..... jacket is a really good idea if you're going camping.

A water B first-aid C waterproof

2 The city centre's always ..... at the weekend – there are so many people!

A crowded B calm C elegant

3 This ..... jumper I got for my birthday is so warm.

A silk B wool C collar

4 My friends and I usually give each other a ..... when we meet.

A nod B hug C shake

5 I love listening to ..... music from my country – it's old, but I love it!

A traditional B annual C lunar

6 Global warming means that lots of ..... are melting.

A forests B volcanoes C glaciers

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7 Train ..... have gone up a lot in the last few years.

A fares B stops C tourists

8 You should carry a water ..... with you if you go for a long walk.

A bag B bottle C kit

9 This shirt has got a lot of ..... – it takes me ages to do them all up.

A sleeves B collars C buttons

10 Fruit and vegetables are used to ..... the sun and planets at Nowruz.

A decorate B symbolise C organise

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Grammar 1

Read the sentences about school and learning.
Circle the correct word to complete each sentence.

Example:

0 I don't mind *learn / learning* about history.

11 I'm no good at *make / making* clothes.

12 I think that science lessons are really *interesting / interested*.

13 Some of the first cars *are / were* invented in Germany.

14 I always try new clothes *on / in* before I buy them.

15 How long *had / did* it take you to read that book?

[Total: 5 marks]

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Grammar 2

There is one mistake in each of the sentences below.
Write each sentence out correctly.

Example:

0 The journey to New York was really long and tired.

The journey to New York was really long and ***tiring.***

16 My grandparents lived in the same house since 1975.

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17 I send you an email as soon as I know what time I'm arriving.

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18 This app is much more difficult to use that the other one I had before.

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19 Electrical equipment should be switch off when you're not using it.

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20 Ahmet was using his brothers bike because his was broken.

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Reading

You are going to read an article about the invention of potato crisps.
Read the questions on the next page.
For each question, choose the correct answer **A**, **B**, **C** or **D**.

The accidental invention of potato crisps

Potato crisps, also known as potato chips or just crisps, are eaten more and more in many countries around the world, without the need for lots of advertising. This is mainly because crisps can be made to taste of more or less anything, so can be produced to suit any culture. Take a look in any big supermarket: there's everything imaginable, from roast chicken to tomato ketchup!

One story says that the first crisps were created because of a rude guest in an American hotel restaurant over 150 years ago. Moon's Lake House hotel in Saratoga attracted the kind of customer who was used to being treated like a king or queen. The hotel's chef, George Crum, was well-respected by most of his clients, and complaints were rare. They knew that Mr Crum could take any ingredient and turn it into something wonderful, so would return regularly to try out his latest dishes. Crum was confident in his own abilities, and was very proud of everything he created.

The story tells us that, in 1853, an especially difficult-to-please customer came for dinner at the hotel. He ordered some fried potatoes with his meal, but then made the mistake of complaining about them. He felt that the small side dish of potatoes was too thick, too soft, and didn't really taste of much. He demanded a new serving, but this time cooked properly.

Crum did not receive this news well. His face turned red and he walked around his kitchen shouting. After a short while, he suddenly went quiet and smiled as an idea came into his head. He quickly returned to his work and set about preparing the difficult guest's new dish of potatoes. He had decided to play a trick on the diner.

The chef cut a potato into paper-thin slices and fried them until they were so hard that they broke if you tried to eat them with a knife and fork. Crum then shook far too much salt over the crispy potatoes. 'That will teach him!' he thought. 'He will hate these so much, he'll never come and complain in my restaurant again.' But the plan didn't quite work out as Crum had hoped. The difficult diner found Crum's new creation so original and tasty that he ate the whole plate and then asked for a second plate.

Seeing how the guest reacted to the potato dish led to Crum adding it to the restaurant menu. There was little need to advertise it in local newspapers or sell it in shops nearby. Regular customers recommended the crispy potatoes to their friends, who came to the hotel to taste them for themselves. They, in turn, told others, and so more and more people heard about this new dish. Before long, many diners were coming into the hotel restaurant to ask for a plate of what had become known as 'Saratoga chips'. Crum went on to open his own restaurant several years later, by which time his new invention had become the hotel's biggest-selling dish. Although not many people know Crum's name today, his invention, which was created completely by accident, has grown into a massive worldwide snack industry.

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21 Why are crisps becoming more and more popular?

A They are widely advertised in many countries.
B They are available in so many different flavours.
C They are sold in supermarkets around the world.
D They can be bought in a wide range of packet sizes.

22 A typical guest at the Moon's Lake House hotel was

A rich.
B kind.
C rude.
D attractive.

23 What did most guests think of George Crum's cooking?

A They often complained about its quality.
B They loved the big portions he cooked.
C They thought it was very creative.
D They wished there could be more variety.

24 Why did a difficult customer complain about the fried potatoes?

A He wasn't given enough of them on his plate.
B They had been cooked for much too long.
C He wanted a traditional recipe and not a new one.
D They lacked flavour and were the wrong size.

25 How did Crum feel when the customer first complained?

A depressed
B angry
C anxious
D surprised

26 Why did Crum's mood change soon after the customer complained?

A He had thought of a way of annoying the guest.
B He was too busy to stay in a bad mood for long.
C He realised the guest was playing a trick on him.
D He loved the challenge of cooking for difficult guests.

27 Crum cut the potatoes very thinly and put on lots of salt because

A that was what the customer had requested.
B he knew the customer didn't use a knife and fork.
C that was how he usually prepared them for customers.

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D he thought the customer wouldn't like them.

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28 What went wrong with Crum's plan?

A The customer disliked them so much he couldn't eat them.
B The customer complained again about the fried potatoes.
C The customer enjoyed the new dish so much he wanted more.
D The customer dropped the potatoes all over the table.

29 How did other people learn about Crum's new dish?

A through adverts in newspapers
B by trying it at the 'Saratoga chips' market
C guests telling friends about it
D by seeing it in local shops

30 What do you think George Crum would write to a friend after opening his own restaurant?

A I'm fed up with customers who complain all the time. Now I've opened my own restaurant, I'm going to be famous!
B Sometimes customers complaining can have positive results. I doubt I'll ever be well-known, but I'm pleased this new dish has made people happy.
C I'm not sure these Saratoga chips will ever be popular, but having a restaurant will allow me to experiment with other dishes.
D My confidence has grown since I left the hotel, so for the first time, my food is popular with diners.

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Writing

31 You see this announcement on an English language website:

> **Articles Wanted**
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> Many experts think we don't do enough to stay fit and healthy.
>
> How can people be encouraged to do more exercise?
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> What advice would you give about eating healthily?
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> We'll publish the best articles you send us on our website.

Write your article in about 100 words in an appropriate style below.

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