

A-LANGUAGE

I. PRONUNCIATION

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others in each group.

1. A. <u>vitamin</u>	B. <u>mineral</u>	C. <u>diet</u>	D. <u>fitness</u>
2. A. <u>medicine</u>	B. <u>energy</u>	C. <u>exercise</u>	D. <u>obesity</u>
3. A. <u>survive</u>	B. <u>prohibit</u>	C. <u>fertilizer</u>	D. <u>environment</u>
4. A. <u>reply</u>	B. <u>relate</u>	C. <u>prefer</u>	D. <u>correct</u>
5. A. <u>tonight</u>	B. <u>forget</u>	C. <u>woman</u>	D. <u>promote</u>

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions.

6. A. <u>cartoon</u>	B. <u>answer</u>	C. <u>movie</u>	D. <u>paper</u>
7. A. <u>visit</u>	B. <u>prepare</u>	C. <u>cover</u>	D. <u>travel</u>
8. A. <u>exciting</u>	B. <u>cultural</u>	C. <u>successful</u>	D. <u>important</u>
9. A. <u>remember</u>	B. <u>volunteer</u>	C. <u>represent</u>	D. <u>understand</u>
10. A. <u>conference</u>	B. <u>consequence</u>	C. <u>conjunction</u>	D. <u>atmosphere</u>

II. VOCABULARY

11. Increasing numbers of children are _____ from mental health problems due to bad habits.
A. suffering B. recovering C. harming D. improving
12. Start following these five habits to add years to your life _____.
A. expect B. expectant C. expectation D. expectancy
13. The doctor have just _____ the patients and fortunately the treatment is working.
A. discharged B. suffered C. examined D. operated
14. My grandpa is the most conservative person in my family. He never _____ about way of life.
A. gives his opinion B. changes his mind C. gives his view D. keeps in mind
15. After graduating from university, I want to _____ my father's footsteps.
A. follow in B. succeed in C. go after D. keep up
16. The population of ASEAN is more than 600 million people, _____ about 8% of the world's population.
A. counting on B. setting for C. accounting for D. making of
17. Many Vietnamese volunteer organizations have been _____ to give help and support to disadvantaged children in the area.
A. laid out B. looked on C. set up D. got by
18. Developing _____ skills is crucial for the progress of Asian nations.
A. leader B. leadership C. leading D. leadership
19. The project aims to improve the city's old _____ by creating more pedestrian zones and cycle paths.
A. building B. apartment C. block D. infrastructure
20. Many people in Ho Chi Minh said that its public _____ is better and cheaper than before.
A. transport B. trip C. trek D. travel
21. My city was ranked as the most _____ city in the country thanks to its excellent facilities and clean air.
A. liveable B. living C. life D. live
22. Local authorities should find ways to limit the use of private cars and encourage city _____ to use public transport.
A. commuters B. planners C. dwellers D. people
23. His first speech as president _____ a strong impression on his audience.
A. held B. got C. made D. did
24. The four main areas that determine your carbon _____ are electricity usage, oil or natural gas usage, car mileage, and airplane trips.
A. emission B. gas C. footprint D. absorption
25. Ecology is the study of our _____ environment.
A. physical B. ordinary C. normal D. natural
26. Black _____ emission come from several sources and effect the earth's temperature.
A. carbon B. coal C. methane D. soil
27. The _____ of global warming are causing lots of problem.

A. effects B. conditions C. areas D. habitats

28. Burning coal for heating and cooking can increase indoor air _____.
 A. pollutant B. atmosphere C. pollution D. affection

29. I noticed that you was looking a little _____ the weather. You coughed a lot.
 A. under B. unhappy C. healthy D. ill

30. Making mistakes is all _____ of growing up.
 A. chalk and cheese B. cats and dogs C. part and parcel D. here and there

31. I haven't seen my old primary teacher in _____ years – I wonder how she has been.
 A. donkey's B. monkey's C. rooster's D. pigeon's

32. Continuous natural disasters set _____ ringing about environmental pollution.
 A. fire bells B. safety bells C. alarm bells D. door bells

III. GRAMMAR

33. Their children _____ lots of new friends since they _____ to that town.
 A. have made - moved B. were making - have moved
 C. made - are moving D. made - have been moving

34. There _____ great changes in our village in the past few years.
 A. have been B. had been C. was D. has been

35. The noise from the trains _____ me terribly last night.
 A. was annoyed B. annoyed C. has annoyed D. had annoyed

36. After he had finished his English course, he _____ to England to continue his study.
 A. goes B. went C. has gone D. was going

37. When I _____ to visit her last night, she was having a bath.
 A. was coming B. came C. has come D. had come

38. I have never played badminton before. This is the first time I _____ to play it.
 A. try B. tried C. have tried D. am trying

39. Her mother prevented her from _____ out tonight.
 A. went B. go C. to go D. going

40. We are looking forward _____ out at the weekend.
 A. go . B. going C. to go D. to going

41. You should give up _____ your sister.
 A. being bullied B. bullied C. bullying D. to bully

42. I wish that dog would stop _____. It's driving me mad.
 A. bark B. barking C. being barked D. to bark

43. I don't regret _____ her what I thought, even if it upsets her.
 A. tell B. to tell C. to have told D. telling

44. You should avoid _____ to the downtown area during the rush hour.
 A. traveling B. to travel C. traveled D. to traveling

45. He is very skillful at _____ animal noises.
 A. being made B. to make C. made D. making

46. _____ a foreign language well is a long process.
 A. Learn B. Learning C. To learning D. Learned

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.

47. Economic cooperation among Asian nations can lead to mutual support and growth.
 A. weakness B. assistance C. relation D. contribution

48. Asian nations are working together to address the current global challenges.
 A. present B. political C. economy D. financial

49. Human activities, such as burning fossil fuels, release pollutants that harm the atmosphere.
 A. sea B. air C. soil D. earth

50. Global warming is an environmental issue with far-reaching consequences for our planet.
 A. results B. levels C. floods D. substances

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.

51. Exploring Vietnam's historical sites is a way to honour its heritage.
A. respect B. value C. cherish D. disrespect

52. Mr. Minh Phat has recently been proposed to become the minister of the volunteer group.
A. promoted B. recommended C. suggested D. dismissed

53. Efforts to reduce emission include the use of cleaner and more fuel-efficient vehicles.
A. increase B. absorption C. decrease D. trapping

54. The solid structure of coral reefs is threatened by warming ocean temperatures.
A. dense B. strong C. liquid D. weak

C. ERROR IDENTIFICATION

55. My grandma suggested to grow vegetables in our roof garden.
A B C D

56. You can enjoy a sport without joining in a club or belong to a team.
A B C D

57. Study the science of logistics is one way to cultivate one's reason skills.
A B C D

58. Human now have to suffer the effects of global warming due to having treated the environmental
A B C D
irresponsibly.

59. After three hours of discussion, all the members of the committee felt happily about the decision.
A B C D

B-READING

Read of the following leaflet and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks

Living in 2050: The Cities of Tomorrow

In 2050, the cities of tomorrow will (63)_____ our expectations, looking completely different from today. Other cities will adopt cutting-edge technology (64)_____ will provide smart solutions for their citizens. (65)_____, some cities will be powered by renewable energy, while others will use artificial intelligence to manage traffic and reduce pollution.

As people move into these futuristic cities, new types of infrastructure, such as eco-friendly buildings and automated transportation systems, will become the (66)_____. The shift to sustainable urban living will create a significant change in urban planning. In addition to advanced technologies, more focus will be placed on the quality of life for residents, ensuring that the cities remain livable and safe.

The rapid development of these cities will have a huge impact on the environment, as massive efforts will be made to reduce carbon emissions and waste. (67)_____ of the innovations introduced will focus on conserving natural resources, including water, energy, and raw materials.

60. A. come down with B. set up for C. live up to D. fall back on

61. A. which B. who C. whose D. whom

62. A. For instance B. However C. Therefore D. In contrast

63. A. exception B. kind C. norm D. rule

64. A. Much B. Many C. A little D. Little

Read the following passage about The Importance of Renewable Energy and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions .

In today's world, the transition to renewable energy sources has become a crucial topic. Many countries are investing in solar, wind, and hydroelectric power to reduce their reliance on fossil fuels. This shift is necessary not only to combat climate change but also to create sustainable economic growth. Renewable energy sources, unlike traditional fuels, are **abundant** and can help lower greenhouse gas emissions.

One significant advantage of renewable energy is its ability to provide energy security. By diversifying energy sources, countries can reduce **their** vulnerability to price fluctuations and geopolitical tensions associated with oil and gas. Moreover, the growth of the renewable energy sector has led to job creation, offering employment opportunities in various fields, from manufacturing to installation.

However, challenges remain. The initial cost of setting up renewable energy systems can be high, and there are still regions where access to these technologies is limited. Additionally, energy storage and grid infrastructure need to improve to accommodate the intermittent nature of renewable sources.

In conclusion, while there are obstacles to overcome, the benefits of **transitioning** to renewable energy far outweigh the challenges. It is essential for future generations to prioritize sustainability and ensure a healthy planet.

65. What is the main idea of the passage?

A. Renewable energy is key to sustainability despite challenges. B. Fossil fuels are depleting rapidly.
C. Renewable energy is cheaper and more reliable. D. High costs slow renewable energy adoption.

66. Which of the following is **NOT** mentioned as a kind of energy according to the passage?

A. solar power B. nuclear power C. wind power D. hydroelectric power

67. The word "**their**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

A. people B. traditional fuels C. countries D. various fields

68. The word "**transitioning**" in paragraph 4 could be best replaced by _____.

A. converting B. delaying C. moving D. maintaining

69. Which of the following is **TRUE** according to the passage?

A. The transition to renewable energy sources has no significant impact on job creation.
B. The initial cost of renewable energy systems is always low and affordable for all regions.
C. Renewable energy sources are limited and often lead to higher greenhouse gas emissions.
D. Investing in renewable energy can enhance energy security for countries.

C – WRITING-ĐÁP ÁN

70. Burnt for energy, fossil fuels release CO₂ and other greenhouse gases.

71. Mentored by her father, she was an expert at chess.

72. Watered the right amount, plants can grow big and tall.

73. Raised in the right way, a child will become a good person.

74. I caught sight of him crossing the road.

75. I have no intention of applying for the job.

76. Instead of eating at home, we went to a restaurant.

77. Mark has no chance of passing the exam.

78. I succeeded in getting the job thanks to my excellent interview.

79. Rearrange these sentences to make a meaningful passage about necessary skills and experience to join in SSEAYP, then write the complete passage in your test paper.

- a.** As the program brings together young people from different countries and backgrounds, it is crucial for participants to be open-minded and respectful towards diverse cultures and traditions.
- b.** Additionally, being adaptable allows participants to navigate through various challenges and unfamiliar situations during the program, such as adjusting to different living conditions and engaging in cross-cultural activities.
- c.** This skill enables them to effectively communicate and collaborate with their fellow participants, fostering a harmonious and inclusive environment onboard the ship.
- d.** In my opinion, one of the most important skills or experiences for SSEAYP (Ship for Southeast Asian and Japanese Youth Program) participants to have is cultural sensitivity and adaptability.
- e.** Overall, possessing cultural sensitivity and adaptability enhances the overall experience and success of SSEAYP participants.

A. d – a – c – b – e B. d – c – a – b – e C. e – a – c – b – d D. a – d – c – b – e

80. Rearrange these sentences to make a meaningful passage about measures to reduce the amount of the carbon footprint, , then write the complete passage in your test paper.

- a.** Using reusable bags, bottles, and containers helps minimize single-use plastics that harm our environment. Recycling paper, plastic, and other materials also contributes to reducing waste.
- b.** Let's work together to build a cleaner, greener world. Remember, the changes we make today will shape the future for generations to come.
- c.** For travelling, using public transport, cycling, or walking instead of driving reduces harmful emissions while also promoting a healthier lifestyle. When driving is unavoidable, consider carpooling or using fuel-efficient vehicles.
- d.** Reducing our carbon footprint is an important step toward protecting our planet and ensuring a sustainable future. There are many simple actions we can take every day.
- e.** At home, switching to energy-efficient appliances and turning off lights and devices when not in use can save a significant amount of energy.

A. d – a – c – b – e B. d – c – a – b – e C. e – a – c – b – d D. d – c – e – a – b

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