

## TA 9 RIGHT ON

### Unit 6 Test 6A

#### I. PRONUNCIATION (5 QUESTIONS)

Choose the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in the following questions.

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|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| 1. A. <u>t</u> otal  | B. g <u>l</u> obal  | C. f <u>o</u> reign | D. <u>l</u> ocal   |
| 2. A. vi <u>s</u> it | B. pra <u>t</u> ise | C. de <u>s</u> ign  | D. choo <u>s</u> e |
| 3. A. top <u>i</u> c | B. p <u>r</u> int   | C. m <u>i</u> nd    | D. sk <u>i</u> ll  |

Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of the main stress in the following questions.

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|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 4. A. widen   | B. convey   | C. explore  | D. improve  |
| 5. A. finance | B. industry | C. merchant | D. republic |

#### II. USE OF ENGLISH (14 QUESTIONS)

Choose the best option to complete the following questions.

6. My English skills are improving ..... I started taking an online course.  
A. in spite of      B. though      C. since      D. because of
7. We had ..... fun taking part in English Language Day activities that we can't wait to do it again next year!  
A. such      B. so      C. such a      D. such an
8. Learning new languages helps people ..... entertainment from other countries.  
A. use      B. watch      C. enjoy      D. have
9. .... taking lessons for many years, David still struggles to communicate in English.  
A. Although      B. Despite      C. So      D. Such
10. Georgia ..... online lessons to learn English because of her busy schedule.  
A. studies      B. practises      C. joins      D. takes
11. Ken is studying English ..... his love for Hollywood films.  
A. even though      B. since      C. because of      D. because

12. Studying a new language can ..... brainpower and improve your memory.  
 A. explore                      B. boost                      C. widen                      D. improve
13. .... Cynthia was worried to study English at first, she is improving quickly.  
 A. Although                      B. Despite                      C. In spite of                      D. Since
14. **David:** What should I do to improve my English?  
**Alice:** \_\_\_\_\_  
 A. I really appreciate it.                      C. I'm happy to help.  
 B. Your English is so good.                      D. You should take online lessons.
15. John speaks English ..... well that he doesn't have any trouble communicating when he travels abroad.  
 A. such                      B. because                      C. so                      D. though
16. Paula isn't very confident in her language skills ..... studying English for many years.  
 A. since                      B. as                      C. though                      D. in spite of
17. You can use your ..... language to translate new English words and phrases.  
 A. official                      B. foreign                      C. native                      D. global

**Choose the option that has the CLOSEST meaning to the underlined part in the following question.**

18. Using English in everyday conversations is a great way to learn the language faster.  
 A. sign up                      B. pick up                      C. take up                      D. deal with

**Choose the option that has the OPPOSITE meaning to the underlined part in the following question.**

19. John reads a lot of English news to stay updated on things that are happening around the world.  
 A. uncommon                      B. unfamiliar                      C. unimportant                      D. uninformed

### III. WORD FORMATION (5 QUESTIONS)

Write the correct form of the given word.

20. We can widen our ..... about global issues by learning new languages.  
(KNOW)
21. What is the ..... language in your country? (OFFICE)
22. Peter wants to learn English to be a better ..... at work for international projects. (COMMUNICATE)
23. Learning a new language can strengthen your memory ..... and your brainpower. (ABLE)
24. Language ..... use books, apps and videos to improve their skills.  
(LEARN)

### IV. ERROR RECOGNITION (3 QUESTIONS)

Find the underlined part that needs correction in the following questions.

25. Learning English is essential because of it allows students to access information on the Internet, widening their knowledge on various topics.  
A. Learning                      B. because of                      C. to access                      D. widening
26. I can write emails in English despite I started learning English a few months ago.  
A. write                      B. in English                      C. despite                      D. started
27. Improving our English skills is such important that it can help us communicate with people from all over the world.  
A. such                      B. that                      C. us                      D. communicate

## V. READING (10 QUESTIONS)

A. Choose the option that best completes each blank in the passage.

### Fun Ways to Learn English

*Learning English can be exciting, especially when you make fun activities part of your language-learning process. Here are some entertaining ways to 28) ..... your English skills.*

**1. English Language Day:** Celebrate English Language Day by joining events and activities at school or in your community. You can listen to English music or participate in English quizzes.

**2. Travel:** If you have the opportunity, 29) ..... an English-speaking country. Spending time there will help you improve your skills quickly.

**3. Chatting online:** Using social media to chat with English speakers is 30) ..... a clever way to practise your writing skills and learn new words and phrases that you'll improve your English in no time!

**4. Playing Games:** Play English-language games, such as word puzzles or online games for language learners. They can help improve your vocabulary and grammar skills while having fun.

**5. Watching TV shows and films:** 31) ..... English-language TV shows and films to improve your listening skills. Try to repeat phrases and practise saying what you hear to improve your speaking skills, too.

*English can be a lot of fun when you use it to do different activities. When we make language-learning an 32) ..... experience, we are more likely to keep practising and improving, too!*

28. A. boost      B. improve      C. widen      D. study

29. A. go      B. explore      C. travel      D. visit

30. A. though      B. despite      C. such      D. so

31. A. Watch      B. Use      C. Enjoy      D. Read

32. A. entertainer      B. entertainment      C. entertain      D. entertaining

**B. Read the text about the benefits of studying English online. Choose the correct option (A, B, C or D).**

### **The Benefits of Studying English Online**

*Do you want to learn English, but you can't take lessons in your local area? Well, online courses might be the right option for you. They are a great way to learn English for many reasons. Let's read about some of them below!*

**A. Low cost:** Online English courses are often cheaper than traditional classes. This means that more people can afford to learn English.

**B. Flexible schedule:** With online courses, you can study English at any time that suits you. This flexibility means that you can fit your studies around your work or other responsibilities.

**C. Match student's needs:** You can find online English courses that suit your learning needs. Since you can focus on the areas of English that you find most challenging, this will help you improve faster.

**D. Accessible:** Online courses make learning English accessible to everyone. If you have an Internet connection, you can learn English from anywhere in the world.

**E. Students control their progress:** In online courses, you are in control of your own progress. You can learn at your own speed and focus on the areas you find most interesting.

*It's clear that studying English online offers many benefits because it's affordable, flexible, useful, accessible and student focused. With all these benefits, who wouldn't want to give them a try?*

**33.** According to the text, how does the price of online English courses compare to traditional classes?

- A. They are more expensive.
- B. They are as expensive.
- C. They are more affordable.
- D. The price is not mentioned.

34. Which of the following is closest in meaning to the word 'suits' in paragraph B?

- A. agrees
- B. matches
- C. checks
- D. serves

35. Which statement is true according to the text?

- A. There aren't enough online courses for students.
- B. Traditional classes are more flexible than online courses.
- C. Online courses allow students to learn what they need most.
- D. Online courses are not accessible to most people.

36. According to the text, who controls the progress of students in online English courses?

- A. the teacher
- B. the students
- C. the Internet
- D. the school

37. What is the purpose of the text?

- A. to list the benefits of online English courses
- B. to describe the history of online English courses
- C. to give information about an online English course
- D. to explain how online English courses work

## VI. LISTENING (5 QUESTIONS)

**Listen to an interview about the benefits of learning English. Decide whether the statements are *T* (True) or *F* (False).**

- 38. More people speak English than any other language. ....
- 39. English helps us communicate with people from other places. ....
- 40. The man thinks it's difficult to find a job if you speak English. ....
- 41. Learning English can offer new experiences in life. ....
- 42. The man suggests that people watch films to learn English. ....

## VII. WRITING (8 QUESTIONS)

**Combine the following sentences using the words in brackets.**

43. English grammar can be complex. Jane won't stop trying to learn the language.  
**(EVEN THOUGH)**

\_\_\_\_\_.

44. I feel more confident in my English skills. My teacher is very encouraging.  
**(BECAUSE OF)**

\_\_\_\_\_.

45. Learning English is very important for Tim's work. He started taking lessons.  
**(SO ... THAT)**

\_\_\_\_\_.

46. Mai wants to improve her listening abilities. She loves English pop songs. **(AS)**

\_\_\_\_\_.

**Put the words in the correct order to make a correct sentence.**

47. studying English / confident. / Lee / In spite of / very / for years / doesn't feel

\_\_\_\_\_.

48. the teacher / The classroom / to be / asked / quiet. / was / that / so noisy / everyone

\_\_\_\_\_.

**Use the given words or phrases to make a complete sentence.**

49. Learn / English / be / useful / as / it / provide / many / job opportunities.

\_\_\_\_\_.

50. I / have / such / exciting / experience / in / first English lesson / that / I / not want / leave.

\_\_\_\_\_.

