

REVISION FOR THE MID TERM TEST – No 3 – G8

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

1. A. great B. waste C. surface D. chase
2. A. storage B. shortage C. manage D. escape
3. A. game B. faster C. safety D. cake

Choose the word whose primary stress is placed on the second syllable.

4. A. carefully B. happily C. intelligently D. normally
5. A. extremely B. usually C. wonderfully D. beautifully

Choose the the best answer.

6. The firemen arrived just in time to _____ the child stuck in the fire.

- A. assist B. help C. rescue D. provide

7. Robots can search for people after earthquakes _____ than humans can.

- A. faster B. slowly C. slower D. quickly

8. Without modern science and _____, humans cannot travel to the moon.

- A. technological B. technician C. technology D. technologically

9. Jane's mom: Robots can recognize people's voice and do what they say.

Jane: _____

- A. How amazing! B. What a great robot! C. I know. It's a new one. D. Don't worry! It's easy!

10. If we check our tests _____ carefully, we can get higher scores.

- A. much B. more C. a lot D. well

11. My mom cleans the floor _____ than a vacuum cleaner.

- A. more fastly B. more slowly C. slower D. more faster

12. Cleaning is a simple job, and robots don't get _____.

- A. crazy B. mad C. bad D. tired

13. My father prefers this robot because its battery can _____.

- A. run fast B. last longer C. move slowly D. keep it hotter

14. That smartphone has long battery life. _____, it costs much more than this one.

- A. But B. Therefore C. However D. Because

15. The greenhouse effect is the slow rise of the earth's _____ because of the increase in carbon dioxide in the atmosphere.

- A. climate B. energy C. power D. temperature

16. Robots can't get lost. They can _____ through any environment.

- A. complete B. rescue C. navigate D. charge

17. Jack: Don't you think having a robot do all the housework is a good idea?

Ben: _____

- A. Yes, I don't think so. B. No. My children will be lazy then. C. Yes. It's not a good idea. D. Yes, of course. It's too expensive for my family.

Read the review of a film and choose the best answer for each question.

I'm not a fan of science fiction, so can you imagine how I felt when my friends choose Screen 2 on the movie theater website? It was showing this film. Much better choices for me were Screen 1, with a film about the early days of America, Screen 3, which was showing a comedy, or Screen 4, which had a film about the first landing on the Moon.

But, I hear you say, the Screen 4 film was about science. Yes, but science fact. And that is why, in the end, I really liked The Martian because you don't see any green men with two heads. Instead, you learn things from the astronaut, like how to make oxygen and how to grow plants with no soil. We find out how to live on a desert planet with no water and low gravity using the knowledge and technology which we already have.

The astronaut is left on Mars when his spaceship takes off suddenly because a huge storm is coming. He is caught in the storm and loses communication with the ship, so they think he is dead. He nearly dies in several accidents, but a spaceship comes to rescue him after nearly 600 days.

I loved the film, because it wasn't about a man who is frightened all the time and worried about his future. In many ways, it is really a comedy, and you know, and the astronaut knows, from his funny lines when things go wrong, that everything will be all right in the end.

18. Where did the writer see the film?

- A. At a movie theatre B. On the TV in his own house
C. On the TV at a friend's house D. On a website

19. The writer doesn't like films _____.

- A. about aliens
C. which are funny
- B. about space
D. about the past

20. The astronaut in the film _____.

- A. invents a lot of new things
C. uses a lot of technology which we don't have yet
- B. learns to live on the planet
D. doesn't explain how he lives on the planet

21. How long is the astronaut alone on Mars?

- A. Less than a year
C. The writer does not say.
- B. The film does not give a time period
D. Nearly two years

22. According to the writer, the main character in the film _____.

- A. is scared most of the time
C. makes jokes about his situation
- B. does not think people will come to rescue him
D. is sure that he will die

II. Listen to the rest of the news. Write True or False

23. M22 has a battery life of four hours. _____
24. K18's battery can last almost one day. _____
25. Both of the phones give many options of storage. _____
26. K18 has the same choice of storage as M22. _____
27. Users can choose to buy suitable phones for different purposes. _____

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

28. What does the sign say?



- A. You have to wear shoes that can provide protection in this area.
B. You are allowed to wear shoes in this area.
C. You should wear shoes in this area because of safety.
D. You have to keep your shoes safe in this area.

29. Which sentence is true?



- A. You must keep walking on the grass.
B. You must walk on the grass.
C. You can't walk on the grass.
D. You shouldn't walk on the grass.

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

30. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

We had organized a barbecue party in our backyard. Everything was set up, and the guests started arriving. However, something unexpected happened.

- a. We quickly moved everything indoors and continued the party inside.

- b. Suddenly, it started to rain heavily, and the wind blew out the fire.
c. Everyone rushed to grab the food and drinks before they got wet.

A. b - c - a B. c - a - b C. a - b - c D. b - a - c

31. Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text (in Question 17).

- A. The rain didn't stop us from having a great time with our friends.
B. We had to cancel the party and send everyone home.
C. The rain stopped soon, and we moved back outside.
D. Despite the weather, the party was a success.

Read the article about life in the future. Choose the best word (A, B, or C) for each space.

Where will people live?

by Tony Jacobs

Earth is becoming very crowded. In the future, many people believe that the (32) _____ will continue to increase. So, the question is, where will all the people live?

I believe that most people will live on (33) _____. We can build these close to Earth and travel between them. It will be easy to build new space stations when we need more places for people to live. However, there might not be a lot of room for people to move and exercise. They (34) _____ also be very expensive to build, but they will have a great (35) _____ of Earth and they will be safe.

I think other people will live on Mars. There will be large cities with lots of people in them. We will have to build these cities under a glass cover. These places will be even easier to travel between. However, they will be dangerous. If we damage something and the air gets out, it will cause a lot of damage. It will also have less (36) _____ than Earth. This can cause problems for people.

We don't know where we will live in the future, but we will find some interesting solutions for our large population.

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| 32. A. planet | B.crowded | C.population |
| 33. A. space stations | B.Mars | C.the moon |
| 34. A.won't | B. are | C. will |
| 35. A. temperature | B. view | C.gravity |
| 36. A. space station | B. gravity | C. view |

Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that fits each of the numbered blanks.

- A. which add a new and exciting favour.
B. make an effort to creat these dishes with them
C. maintaining a recipe book
D. There are few ways in which one can preserve their culinary heritage.

Food is an important part of our culture, and each family has its own unique culinary heritage. (37) You can use any of these or a combination of these ways to ensure that future generations stay in touch with recipes close to your family. Some of the popular ways to preserve your culinary heritage include the following: cooking with your family, (38) and cooking often. The small differences in the way we cook and the ingredients we use make our family recipe special. These dishes are loved by everyone in the family and should be preserved for future generations. Some of these recipes might have regional specialities (39) If you want your future generations to know and appreciate the food that has been passed down in your family, it's important to teach them these recipes. Even if you can only find time on weekends or your days off, (40) This will create lasting memories and ensure that your family's legacy continues to live on.

Question 37.

Question 38.

Question 39.

Question 40.