

## UNIT 12 – CAREER CHOICES - TEST 01

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.

Question 1: A. salary B. bartender C. garment D. demanding

Question 2: A. insist B. subject C. solving D. rise

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.

Question 3: A. career B. passion C. training D. garment

Question 4: A. mechanic B. architect C. hairdresser D. bartender

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

Question 5: Mrs Ha is a skillful \_\_\_\_ who makes beautiful and unique dresses.

1. Hairdresser B. mechanic C. tailor D. assembly worker

Question 6: I don't think too much about what \_\_\_\_ I will do when I grow up.

1. Career B. job C. task D. duty

Question 7: A farmer is a \_\_\_\_ job. You may need to work through the night on the field

1. Repetitive B. basic C. regular D. demanding

Question 8: If you want to become a surgeon, you should be \_\_\_\_ enough.

1. fashionable B. calm C. stressful D. well-paid

Question 9: \_\_\_\_ painstaking effort, the team couldn't win the last match.

1. In spite B. Despite C. Although D. Despite the fact that

Question 10: Her speech was \_\_\_\_ touching \_\_\_\_ everyone in the room burst into tears.

1. Such ... that B. as ... as C. so ... that D. too ... that

Question 11: A nail artist needs both \_\_\_\_ training and knowledge of nail care and products

1. Hands-on B. hands-in C. hands-off D. hands-up

Question 12: Arina: “\_\_\_\_, you want me to submit the assignment by Friday, is it correct?”

Teacher: “Yes that's correct.”

1. Let me think about it C. So just to clarify  
2. You're welcome D. You follow along

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.

### ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE TEAM BUILDING EVENT

The school Young Pioneer Manager would like to announce:

- All pioneers are (13) \_\_\_\_ present by 5:30 on Dec 29.
- No mobile devices. Just (14) \_\_\_\_ the organization's uniform
- Food (15) will be \_\_\_\_.
- Parents (16) \_\_\_\_ the Manager at 0356.211.439 for further information

Question 13: A. required to be B. had to be C. due to D. going to

Question 14: A. put off B. put on C. put out D. put in

Question 15: A. available B. avail C. availability D. avalably

Question 16: A. email B. telegraph C. contact D. relate

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions 17.

1. Finally, I would buy a motorcylce for my sister. She has had to ride her old bicycle since she was 15.  
2. Do you think winning the lottery would make you happy? If I won it, I could do something easily.  
3. Secondly, I would have our old house rebuilt. My parents, my sister and I have been living in there fore more than 40 years and it is downgraded  
4. First of all, I would donate half of the money to the orphanages in my little hometown.
1. b-c-a-d B. b-d-c-a C. b-c-d-a D. b-d-a-c

**Question 18. Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text (in question 17)**

1. To sum up, I would use the money to help my family with the satisfaction of basic needs
2. To sum up, I think that money can not buy basic things for my family
3. To sum up, people shouldn't look forward to lottery
4. To sum up, we should win lottery as it brings lots of money for us.

**Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each numbered blank from 19 to 24.**

Higher education also provides a competitive edge in the career market. We all know that in the (19) \_\_\_\_\_ times we are living in today, finding jobs is not guaranteed. The number of people unemployed is still relatively high, and the number of new career (20) \_\_\_\_\_ isn't nearly enough to put people in jobs they are seeking.

As a job seeker, you're competing with a high number of experienced workers (21) \_\_\_\_\_ have been out of the workforce for a while and are also seeking work. (22) \_\_\_\_\_, when you have a higher education, it generally equips you for better job security. Generally speaking, employers tend to value those who have completed college than those who have only completed high school and are more likely to replace that person who hasn't (23) \_\_\_\_\_ a higher education. Furthermore, some companies even go so far as to pay your tuition because they consider an educated (24) \_\_\_\_\_ to be valuable to their organization. A college education is an investment that doesn't just provide you with substantial rewards. It benefits the hiring company as well.

**Question 19:** A. economy                      B. economical                      C. economic                      D. economics

**Question 20:** A. responsibilities                      B. activities                      C. opportunities                      D. possibilities

**Question 21:** A. who                      B. where                      C. whose                      D. which

**Question 22:** A. Otherwise                      B. Moreover                      C. Therefore                      D. However

**Question 23:** A. permitted                      B. refused                      C. applied                      D. received

**Question 24:** A. employment                      B. employer                      C. employee                      D. unemployed

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.**

**Question 25:** He was capable of doing all the tasks by himself.

1. He managed to do all the tasks by himself
2. He has no ability to do all the tasks by himself
3. He needs someone to do all the tasks with him
4. He cannot do all the tasks by himself

**Question 26:** Although he was tired, he was playing soccer for an hour.

1. He was tired, but he was playing soccer for an hour.
2. He was playing soccer for an hour because he was tired.
3. When he was tired, he was playing soccer for an hour.
4. He was so tired that he was playing soccer for an hour.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27:** Since/ he/ not finish/ high school,/ can't take/ pilot training course.

1. Since he hasn't finished high school, can't take the pilot training course
2. Since he not finish high school, he can't take the pilot training course
3. Since he doesn't finish high school, he can't take the pilot training course
4. Since he hasn't finished high school, he can't take the pilot training course.

**Question 28:** The school/ give/ helpful career advice/ that/ we/ grateful/ it.

1. The school gave us such helpful career advice that we felt grateful for it
2. The school gave helpful career advice, that we felt grateful for it.
3. The school gave us so helpful advice that we felt grateful for it.
4. The school gave us such helpful advice that feeling grateful for it.



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.

**Question 29:** What does the sign say?



1. Anyone, including visitors and staff, can park here without restrictions.
2. Only employees or staff members are allowed to park in these spaces
3. Parking is not allowed in this area under any circumstances
4. The parking area is open to all people, without any specific rules

**Question 30:** What does the notice say?

**"No cell phones allowed in this area.  
Please turn off your phone or put it on silent"**

1. You must have permission to use the phone in this area
2. You may not turn off your phone if you are not using it
3. Cell phones are only for emergency use here
4. Cell phones must be turned off or silenced in this area.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.

If we were asked exactly what we were doing a year ago, we would probably have to say that we could not remember. But if we kept a book and wrote in it an account of what we did each day, we should be able to give an answer. In a way, this is similar to history. 45 Most people are proud to tell you what their ancestors did in the past. We may call this **remembered history**. But many things have been forgotten because we do not have any written account of them. Sometimes people kept a record of the most important happenings in their country, but often it was destroyed by fire or in a war. Sometimes there was never any written record because the people of that time and place did not know how to write. For example, we know a lot about the people who lived in China about 2,500 years ago because they could write and leave written records for those who lived after them. But we know little about the people who lived just 200 years ago in central Africa, because they had no writing system. Sometimes, even if people cannot write, **they** may know something of the past. They have heard about it from older people, and often songs, dances, and stories have been made about the most important past events, and these have been sung about, acted and told for generations.

**Question 31:** What is the main idea of the passage?

1. Writing systems are the only way to preserve knowledge about the past
2. People in central Africa 200 years ago left no records of their history.
3. Oral traditions like songs, dances, and stories help preserve history without writing
4. People who cannot write have no knowledge of their past

**Question 32:** "**Remembered history**" in the passage may refer to

- A. history based on a person's imagination
- B. record of important happenings destroyed by fire or in a war
- C. stories of important happenings passed down to younger generations
- D. songs, dances, and stories about all events in our everyday lives

**Question 33:** The underlined word "**account**" in the passage mostly means.

- A. amount
- B. report
- C. happening
- D. question

**Question 34:** We know very little about the central Africa 200 years ago because

- A. there was nothing to write down at that time
- B. the people there did not keep a record

C. the written records were destroyed by a fire                      D. the people there did not have a writing system  
system **Question 35:** The underlined word "they" in the passage refers to

- A. people who cannot write                      B. older people  
C. songs, dances, and stories                      D. the most important happenings

**Question 36: Which statement is NOT true about the passage?**

- A. People in central Africa 200 years ago had no writing system.  
B. Oral traditions, such as songs and stories, can preserve history without writing.  
C. Written records are the only way to learn about the past.  
D. Some people learn about the past through stories passed down from older generations.

*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 best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.*

In Germany, it's important to be serious in a work situation. They don't mix work and play so you shouldn't make jokes as you do in the UK and USA when you first meet people. They work in a very organized way and prefer to do one thing at a time. (37) \_\_\_\_\_. Punctuality is very important so you should arrive on time for appointments. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. If you give a presentation, you should focus on facts and technical information and the quality of your company's products. You should also prepare well, (39) \_\_\_\_\_. Colleagues normally use the family names, and title - for example 'Doctor' or 'Professor', (40 ) \_\_\_\_\_.

A – as they may ask a lot of questions

B – They don't like interruptions or sudden changes of schedule

C – so you shouldn't use first names unless a person asks you to.

D – At meeting, it's important to follow the agenda and not interrupt the other speaker

**Question 37**

**Question 38**

**Question 39**

**Question 40**