

## DE 29

### I. PHONETICS

(1-3). Choose the word whose underlined part pronounced differently from that of the others.

1. a. proud      b. young      c. found      d. out
2. a. school      b. Christmas      c. scholarship      d. chopsticks
3. a. deaf      b. head      c. bread      d. meat

(4-5). Choose the word whose main stress pattern is not the same as that of the others.

4. a. common      b. rubbish      c. machine      d. cyclone
5. a. animal      b. bacteria      c. dynamite      d. pyramid

### II. GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY

(6-20). Choose the word or phrase (a, b, c or d) that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

6. I had no money \_\_\_\_\_ me when I came across a nice shirt.

a. by      b. at      c. on      d. over

7. Look \_\_\_\_\_ ! There's a big hole in front of you

a. on      b. over      c. off      d. out

8. She often goes swimming \_\_\_\_\_ Sunday mornings.

a. on      b. over      c. in      d. at

9. Jack insisted that he didn't need any help. I helped him anyway.

a. and      b. so      c. for      d. but

10. Thousands of people took part in a \_\_\_\_\_ of support for free higher education.

a. march      b. gathering      c. demonstration      d. crowd

11. It is estimated that four million \_\_\_\_\_ watched the show on television.

a. observers      b. onlookers      c. viewers      d. spectators

12. Some English words have the same pronunciation \_\_\_\_\_ they are spelled differently, for example, dear and deer.

a. unless      b. since      c. even though      d. only if

13. If the engine gets too hot, it \_\_\_\_\_ to smoke.

a. starts      b. is starting      c. would start      d. will be started

14. Do you know the man \_\_\_\_\_ over there?

a. stands      b. who stand      c. stood      d. standing

15. I hope the children soon got used \_\_\_\_\_ in much smaller house.

a. live      b. to live      c. living      d. to living

16. Help is needed for families \_\_\_\_\_ homes were destroyed in the storm.

a. who's      b. whose      c. which      d. whom

17. The seeds \_\_\_\_\_ into flour which is used for pancakes, noodles and breads.

a. grinded      b. are ground      c. are grounded      d. ground

18. \_\_\_\_\_ the gold medal, he will have to do better than that.

a. To win      b. So he wins      c. That he wins      d. Winning

19. When I first met him, he wore \_\_\_\_\_

a. a brown nice leather jacket      b. a nice leather brown jacket

c. a leather nice brown jacket      d. a nice brown leather jacket

20. 'Won't you have something to drink?' ' \_\_\_\_\_ '

a. I'm sorry, I won't.      b. Not for me, thank you.

c. I'm afraid I can't.      d. I've no idea.

**(26-30). Use the correct form of the word given in each sentence.**

26. The heating switches off \_\_\_\_\_ . (automatic)

27. Malaysia has \_\_\_\_\_ climate, (tropic)

28. You should do what the \_\_\_\_\_ told if you want to pass the driving test, (instruct)

29. He is a tourist guide so we all take his \_\_\_\_\_ . (guide)

30. Your exam results are rather \_\_\_\_\_. I expect you to do better, (disappoint)