UNIT 1 - TEST 2

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.** br<u>ea</u>th **B.** within **C.** h<u>ea</u>lth **D.** <u>ea</u>rth

Question 2: **A.** l<u>a</u>nd **B.** pl<u>a</u>ne **C.** g<u>a</u>me **D.** b<u>a</u>se

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.** appear **B.** unite **C.** wonder **D.** behave

Question 4: **A.** compliment **B.** argument **C.** nursery **D.** requirement

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. Nam _____ in the same house since he worked for that company.

A. was living **B.** is living **C.** had lived **D.** has lived

Question 6: They called me yesterday, _____?

A. didn't it **B.** do they **C.** didn't they **D.** did they

Question 7: I'll never forget _____this piece of music for the first time.

A. have heard **B.** to hear **C.** hearing **D.** to be heard

Question 8: Chuseok is one of _____ celebrations in the Korean calendar when Koreans give thanks to nature.

A. the most important **B.** the more important

C. the less important **D.** more important

Question 9: Governments should _____ some international laws against terrorism.

A. bring up **B**. bring about **C**. bring in **D**. bring back

Read the following advertisement/ 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 10 to 15.

Hotel Receptionist wanted for Plaza Hotel

We need a young and enthusiastic person to work as **(10)**_____ receptionist at our hotel in Ha Noi from 20th May to 15th August.

Working hours are **(11)**_____ 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(12)_____ include receiving guests and visitors, checking them in and out, taking bookings, and answering the phone.

Ability to speak English is an advantage.

Please contact: The manager, Plaza Hotel

21 Vu Ngoc Duong, Hai Ba Trung, Ha Noi

Question 10.A. an **B.** X (no article) **C.** a **D.** the

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Question 11.A. to **B.** from **C.** at **D.** on
Question 12.A. Responses **B.** Responsibly **C.** Responsibilities **D.** Responsible

Announcement of Doi Can High School Youth Union

Doi Can High School Youth Union would like to announce:

The Celebration of the 92nd Anniversary of the Founding of the Ho Chi Minh Communist Youth Union

will take place in the school yard and start at 8 A.m. on 24th March, 2024.

The event **(30)** _____ by the 12th grade students, who will make all the **(31)** _____ for the activities

Activities include Vietnamese traditional games such as bamboo dancing, tug of war, and singing contests.

All the students **(32)** _____ be present at the stadium by 7:30 A.m.

Question 13.A. will host **B.** hosts **C.** will be hosting **D.**will be hosted
Question 14.A. arrangements **B.** celebrations
C. contributions **D.** procedures
Question 15.A. able to **B.** must **C.** mustn't **D.** may

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions.

Question 16:

a. Finally, joining these organisations has also helped Viet Nam increase both local and international tourism.
b. Firstly, it is easier and more convenient for Viet Nam to promote its culture and learn about other cultures.
c. In short, Viet Nam has benefited greatly from becoming a member of different international organisations.
d. Viet Nam has gained three main benefits since it joined different international organisations.
e. Also, this has created greater education opportunities for both Vietnamese and foreign students.

A. d- b-e - a -c **B.** b-e - c- a-d **C.** b-a - e - c- d **D.** d - c-a- e -b

Question 17:

a. She was angry then, but now we are close friends.
b. When I was 9, I used to fall in love with a girl in my class.
c. I hoped she would like it. However, I didn't know that she was allergic to pollen.
d. One day, I bought a bunch of flowers to give her.

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e. She coughed terribly when she smelt the flowers.

A. a-b-c-d-e **B.** e-d-c-b-a **C.** b-d-c-c-a **D.** b-a-e-c-d

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 18 to 23.

It is often said that books are always a good friends and reading is an active mental process. Unlike TV, books make you use your brain. By reading, you think more and become smarter. Reading improves concentration and focus. Reading books takes brain power. (18) _____.Unlike magazines, Internet posts or e-Mails that might contain small pieces of information. Books tell the whole story". Since you must concentrate in order to read, you will get better at concentration. Many studies show if you do not use your memory; you lose it. (19)_____. Reading requires remembering details, facts and figures and in literature, plot lines, themes and characters.

Reading is a good way to improve your vocabulary. Do you remember that when you were at elementary school you learned how to infer the meaning of one word by reading the context of the other words in the sentence? (20) ____, especially challenging ones, you will find yourself exposed to many new words.

Reading is a fundamental skill builder. Every good course has a matching book to go with it. Why? Because books help clarify difficult subjects. Books provide information (21) _____ By reading more books you become better informed and more of an expert on the topics you read about. This expertise translates into higher self-esteem. Since you are so well-read, people look to you for answers. Your feelings about yourself can only get better.

Books give you knowledge (22) _____. The more information you have got, the richer your knowledge is. Books can expand your horizons by letting you see what other cities and countries have to offer before you visit them.

Question 18.

A. It requires you to focus on what you are reading for long periods.

B. You require to focus on what you are reading for long periods.

C. It is required you to focus on what you are reading for long periods.

D. what you are reading for long periods requires you to focus on

Question 19.

A. Which helps you stretch your memory muscles.

B. You can help reading stretch your memory muscles.

C. Reading helps you stretch your memory muscles.

D. Stretching your memory muscles helps you reading.

Question 20.

A. While to read books **B.** While reading books **C.** to read books **D.** While read books

Question 21.

A. that goes deeper than just classroom discussions **B.**goes deeper than just classroom discussions

C. that deeper than just classroom discussions **D.** which goes deeper than just that classroom discussions

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Question 22.

A. about other cultures and places **B.** of other cultures and places
C. other cultures and places **D.** and places of other cultures

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 24 to 28.

In such a costly and competitive society and world, no one of us can live without money. We need money to full fill our basic needs of the life such as buying food, and (24) _____many basic necessities of life which are almost impossible to buy without money. People in the society (25) _____are rich and have property are looked as honourable and respectful person of the society however a poor person is seen as hatred without any good impression.

Money increases the position of the person in the society and (26)_____a good impression to him. All of us want to be rich by earning more money through good job or business in order to fulfil all the increasing demands of the modern age. (27)_____, only few people get this chance of completing their dreams of being a millionaire.

So, money is the thing of great importance all through the life. Money is required by everyone whether he/she is rich or poor and living in urban areas or rural areas. People in the urban areas are earning more money than the people living in backward or rural areas as the people of the urban areas have more (28)_____to the technologies and get more opportunity because of the easy sources.

(Adapted from https://www.indiacelebrating.com)

Question 24. A. other	**B.** some	**C.** many	**D.** few
Question 25. A. where	**B.** what	**C.** who	**D.** which
Question 26. A. gives	**B.** does	**C.** takes	**D.** draws
Question 27. A. Besides	**B.**Therefore	**C.** Moreover	**D.** However
Question 28. A. way	**B.** exit	**C.** access	**D.** order

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 questions from 29 to 33.

Vietnam's population is ageing quickly. In 2017, more than 10 per cent of the population will be 60 and older, and in 15-20 years the elderly will account for one third of the total population. This raises concerns about healthcare, welfare and pensions for the elderly at a time when Vietnam is focusing on economic integration and requires a large labor force. So far two solutions have been proposed: to loosen the two-child policy and to increase the retirement age to 58 for women and 62 for men. By ending the two-child policy the government expects to make up for the ageing population within the next 20 years. But **its** effect could be creating an uncontrollable boom in the Vietnamese population. When the government loosened the two-child policy in 2015 in a trial period, in the first 6 months of 2016 the third child birth rate increased remarkably by 7.5 per cent

Raising the retirement age has been proposed by the Ministry of Labor pending parliamentary evaluation in May 2017. While the policy is beneficial in utilizing the work experience of the elderly while creating savings in the pension budget, it also means fewer job prospects and promotion opportunities for younger generations. It is also not in the

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interest of all the elderly, especially the 70 per cent of Vietnam's labor force working in manual labor-intensive sectors such as agriculture, manufacturing and construction where working above the age of 50 can be dangerous and unproductive. Despite these drawbacks, raising the retirement age is still considered by policymakers as one of the key solutions to the ageing population problem in Vietnam. However, these are only **temporary** solutions.

Question 29. The best title for this passage could be _____.

A. Vietnam struggling with ageing population

B. Stopping the two-child policy in Vietnam

C. Raising the retirement age in Vietnam

D. How to solve the aging population in Vietnam

Question 30. Which statement is probably **TRUE** according to the information in the paragraph 1?

A. In 2017, the elderly take up for one third of the total population, this leads to more concerns about healthcare, welfare and pensions for the elderly.

B. In 2015, the two-child policy has been officially tightened and succeeded.

C. The government would promote families to have two children to compensate for the ageing population within the next 20 years.

D. In the next 15-17 years, Vietnam's economy will need a large labor force to integrate with global economy.

Question 31. The word **"temporary"** in paragraph 2 means _____.

A. constant **B.** permanent **C.** short-term **D.** long-term

Question 32. The word **"its"** in paragraph 1 refers to _____?

A. two-Child policy **B.** aging population

C. retirement age **D.** economic integration

Question 33. In the 2rd paragraph, the writer suggests that _____.

A. The Ministry of Labor has applied raising the retirement age in May 2017.

B. Raising the retirement age can reduce job opportunities for younger generations.

C. The elderly whose age is 50 would be dangerous if they continued to work

D. Raising the retirement age and stopping two-child policy can be considered as long-term and effective solutions.

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 questions from 34 to 40.

Vocational learning opportunities play a critical role in skill development. In non-vocational studies, students often spend hours of their time exploring a variety of different subjects. Their class time tends to be only a few hours per week, as they will spend many hours in the library and on computers conducting research and writing papers that help them continue to build their theoretical knowledge in a variety of fields.

Even within their chosen discipline, they often spend a significant amount of time exploring theory and ideas used by other professionals in the industry. They have significantly fewer opportunities to actually put these ideas to work compared to students going through a vocational education situation. The skills for work and vocation are significantly limited for these students, as their theoretical knowledge does not have the work experience that helps them **transition** from a classroom study topic into their actual

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profession. This can sometimes cause challenges when the students graduate and transition into the working world.

However, for students in vocational education and training, this situation gets corrected. Students spend hours in the practical workshops each week learning **hands-on** practical skills related to their chosen field. Class time tends to increase in these schools, compared to their outside research time, because students spend more time exploring actual work opportunities that prepare **them** for their future jobs. They do not focus as much time on researching the theoretical as learning the practical.

Students also have courses that will help them use the highly specialised equipment that they need to do their jobs well. Rather than simply learning about this type of equipment or how it might be useful in the job, they actually have the chance to try out their own skills while still in school. When the time comes for them to transition to an actual job, they have the experience they need to begin the job right away. They will not have to spend time learning how to physically operate the equipment on the job, allowing them to become a valuable employee and build a career faster.

Source: https://hospitalityinsights.ehl.edu/vocational-training-career-development

Question 34. Which of the following can be the best title for the passage?
A. Challenges in Moving from Theory to a Profession
B. Benefits of Vocational Education
C. Importance of Specialised Equipment in Vocational Learning
D. Drawbacks of Non-vocational Studies

Question 35. What do non-vocational students mainly explore within their discipline?
A. practical skills **B.** research opportunities
C. theories and ideas **D.** specialised equipment

Question 36. How does vocational education help with the transition to work?
A. by providing lots of theoretical knowledge
B. by reducing class time
C. by offering more research opportunities
D. by providing practical work experience

Question 37. The word '**transition**' in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.
A. change **B.** act **C.** prefer **D.** show

Question 38. The word "**hands-on**" in paragraph 3 is opposite in meaning to _____.
A. indirect **B.** automatic **C.** important **D.** critical

Question 39. The word "**them**" in paragraph 3 refers to _____.
A. opportunities **B.** schools **C.** skills **D.** students

Question 40. What advantage do vocational students have when starting jobs?
A. more theoretical knowledge **B.** experience operating specialised equipment
C. less time in practical workshops **D.** fewer work opportunities

The End

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