Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

Question 1: A. housewife B. interested C. opinion D. different

Question 2: A. supports B. earns C. divides D. prefers

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions.

Question 3: A. success B. respect C. support D. grateful

Question 4: A. gratitude B. connection C. groceries D. character

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

Question 5: Spending quality time together helps build strong family _____ and create lasting memories.

A. experiences B. bonds C. success D. respect

Question 6: We clean our home on a daily basis to keep it _____.

A. spotless B. spotlessly C. spot D. spotting

Question 7: He quickly _____ his toys and puts them away before bedtime.

A. cheers up B. grows up C. picks up D. look after

Question 8: They have plenty of _____ to enjoy games and outdoor activities on Sundays.

A. value B. housework C. gratitude D. playtime

Question 9: My family _____ a picnic in a nearby park on weekends.

A. have usually B. usually have C. is usually having D. usually is having

Question 10: My parents _____ away on business, so now my grandmother _____ us.

A. is/ looks after B. are/ looks after

C. are/ is looking after D. are/ are looking after

Question 11: My dad _____ money as a breadwinner while my mom _____ most of the housework as a housewife.

A. earns/ is doing B. is earning/ does C. is earning/ is doing D. earns/ does

Question 12: It's important to raise children in an environment _____ they feel loved and supported.

A. where B. which C. when D. that

Question 13: His parents gave him a lot of support and helped him achieve _____ in his studies.

A. successful B. success C. succeed D. successfully

Question 14: Doing housework sometimes seems boring; _____, it helps me gain useful skills and experiences.

A. because B. therefore C. and D. however

Question 15: I am so proud _____ what I have done to support my parents.

A. with B. for C. of D. to

Question 16: My mom is very busy now. She _____ the washing-up in the kitchen.

A. does B. is doing C. did D. has done

Question 17: Both parents _____ responsibility for raising children and doing the chores.

A. bring B. have C. take D. make

Question 18: Two of my family values _____ being grateful for what we have and showing respect to each other

A. are including B. includes C. included D. include

Question 19: My family _____ a list of chores every week and each of us _____ to complete certain tasks according to personal choice.

A. make/ chooses B. make/ is choosing

C. are making/ chooses D. are making/ is choosing

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the sentence that best completes each of the following exchanges.

Question 20: Two friends are talking about doing housework.

Minh: "Sharing housework is an opportunity for everyone to contribute and work as a team."

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Nam: "_____ that each family member should be responsible for doing the housework to make their house a comfortable and loving place."

A. I don't know B. I strongly believe C. I am not sure D. I regret

Question 21: Two people are in the kitchen.

A: "There is a sense of satisfaction in seeing a clean and tidy home, don't you think?"

B: "_____. Housework is sometimes very tiring."

A. You're right. B. I don't feel like it. C. Absolutely! D. I have no doubt about that.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word in each of the following questions.

Question 22: I have great **respect** for my parents' hard work and efforts in supporting our family.

A. neglect B. admiration C. honesty D. success

Question 23: Doing housework at a young age provides children with **necessary** life skills.

A. essential B. extra C. unimportant D. useless

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

Question 24: Gaining valuable life skills through housework such as cleaning and cooking will be **useful** for teenagers as they grow older.

A. beneficial B. harmful C. convenient D. unable

Question 25: Showing gratitude for the little things in life **strengthens** family relationships and promotes a positive atmosphere.

A. enhances B. decreases C. improves D. destroys

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

Question 26: Don't forget to put up the rubbish every evening for the garbage collection.

A. forget B. put up C. every D. collection

Question 27: I go to the supermarket to shop for groceries at present, so that I can prepare lunch later.

A. go B. for C. so that D. later

Question 28: In a family, the homemaker often takes care of the housework while the breadwinner is focusing on earning money for the family.

A. takes B. while C. is focusing D. earning

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

Children can learn a lot from doing household chores. Doing chores helps children learn about what they need to do to care (29) _____ themselves, a home and a family. They learn skills (30) _____ they can use in their adult lives like preparing meals, cleaning, organising and gardening. Being involved in chores also gives children experience of relationship skills like communicating clearly, negotiating, cooperating and working as (31) _____ team. And when children contribute to family life, they might feel competent and responsible. Even if they don't enjoy the chore, when they keep going, they can feel (32) _____ that they've finished the task. Sharing housework can also help families work better and reduce family stress. When children help out, chores get done sooner (33) _____ parents have less to do. This frees up time for the family to do fun things together.

Adapted from https://raisingchildren.net.au/preschoolers/family-life/routines-rituals-rules/chores-for-children

Question 29: A. on	B. in	C. of	D. for
Question 30: A. when	B. which	C. who	D. where
Question 31: A. a	B. any	C. every	D. some
Question 32: A. satisfactory	B. satisfied	C. satisfaction	D. satisfy
Question 33: A. because	B. otherwise	C. and	D. but

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Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

The fast pace of modern day family life can make it easy to forget that simply just spending time with our children is really important. Our time is one of the greatest things we can give them. There are some reasons why you should make quality time a priority:

Firstly, spending time together builds children's self-esteem. Children who spend time with their parents participating in activities together build a positive sense of self-worth. When children feel that they are **valued** by their parents, **they** feel more positive about themselves. Family activities don't have to be expensive trips out to be meaningful, the important part is just being together. You could go for a bike ride or play a game together.

Families who share everyday activities together form strong, emotional bonds. Studies have found that families who enjoy group activities together share a stronger emotional bond as well as an ability to adapt well to situations as a family. You could share your favourite hobbies, sports, books, movies or other favourite activities.

When you spend time with your children, you are developing an environment for open communication. Good communication is important for your children to feel comfortable with talking about anything. Asking how their day has gone can make a big difference.

Children learn by example. If you are setting a good example for them by spending quality time together, they are more likely to adopt those behaviours in other relationships in their lives. Simple things like playing games together will help them understand more about interacting with others as well as teach them things like sharing and kindness.

Adapted from https://www.parentingni.org/blog/time-together-importance

Question 34: Which of the following can be the best title for the passage?

A. The Benefits of Spending Quality Time with Children
B. Building Strong Emotional Bonds in Families
C. Developing Open Communication with Children
D. The Importance of Family Activities

Question 35: The word "**they**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

A. trips B. activities C. children D. parents

Question 36: The word "**valued**" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. worshipped B. appreciated C. ignored D. discouraged

Question 37: Which of the following is mentioned as a family activity according to the passage?

A. going on a picnic B. watching movies alone
C. playing games together D. reading books individually

Question 38: Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

A. Family activities should always be expensive trips out to be meaningful.
B. Playing games together helps children develop open communication skills.
C. Good communication in families is not essential for children's positive development.
D. Family members who spend time together are less likely to build strong emotional bonds.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Children who help out around the house with family chores will grow as a person. Confidence can improve as your children learn and use their abilities to achieve a chore goal. Additionally, children can learn to feel proud of their work when they are reminded that their chores help everyone in the family. Working around the house and tackling new chores also teaches children life skills that will help them stay on task and be **productive** for the rest of their lives.

When children take part in the family chore load, there are benefits for everyone. If chores are divided equally, there will be more time for parents and children to spend time together once everyone's tasks are completed. **Structure** and routine can also help parents build their child's self-control and, in turn, reduces

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power struggles with parents. Children will begin feeling more successful and confident as they master new chores, and everyone will feel proud of the work that's done.

It's important to keep a few things in mind when assigning chores to your kids. First and foremost, keep chores age and developmentally appropriate and be specific with instructions when working with younger children. Consistency and patience helps children take on new chore responsibilities, so stick with the family plan!

Chores benefit children and parents alike. They are an important way for you to help children feel like they are contributing members of the family household. This, in turn, helps **them** to learn a sense of belonging and the value of being a contributing member of a group. This value can grow as they do. So, whether through a school project, neighbourhood clean-up, showing up to soccer practice on time, or serving lunch at the local soup kitchen, all of us benefit from children taking part in chores.

Adapted from https://www.canr.msu.edu/news/the_benefits_of_kids_doing_chores

Question 39: Which of the following can be the best title for the passage?

A. The Importance of Chores in Child Development
B. How to Assign Age-Appropriate Chores to Children
C. The Benefits of Working Together as a Family
D. Building Confidence and Life Skills through Chores

Question 40: The word "**productive**" in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. useless B. suitable C. inactive D. advantageous

Question 41: The word "**structure**" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. flexibility B. freedom C. organisation D. variety

Question 42: According to paragraph 3, what is an important consideration when assigning chores to kids?

A. keeping chores appropriate for kids' age and development
B. making sure the chores are fun and entertaining for the children
C. assigning chores that match the children's hobbies and interests
D. providing unclear instructions for younger children

Question 43: The word "**them**" in paragraph 4 refers to _____.

A. chores B. children C. parents D. family members

Question 44: Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a benefit of children taking part in household chores?

A. building self-control
B. promoting confidence and success
C. improving relationships with peers
D. feeling like contributing members of the family

Question 45: Which of the following can be inferred from the passage about children who take part in household chores?

A. They have more power struggles with their parents.
B. They are sometimes successful in completing their tasks.
C. They become less productive for the rest of their lives.
D. They have a sense of pride and accomplishment in their work.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.

Question 46: My parents encourage us to share household chores because doing the housework has many benefits.

A. Doing the housework has many benefits, but my parents encourage us to share household chores.
B. Doing the housework has many benefits; therefore, my parents encourage us to share household chores.
C. Although my parents encourage us to share household chores, doing the housework has many benefits.
D. My parents encourage us to share household chores despite doing the housework has many benefits.

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Question 47: It is important to share the housework equally among family members.

A. Sharing the housework equally among family members is not necessary.

B. Sharing the housework equally among family members may be required.

C. We must share the housework equally among family members.

D. We don't need to share the housework equally among family members.

Question 48: She hates cooking but she still does the cooking three times a week.

A. In spite of her dislike for cooking, she still does the cooking three times a week.

B. She loves cooking so she still does the cooking three times a week.

C. Because of her dislike for cooking, she still does the cooking three times a week.

D. She loves cooking because she still does the cooking three times a week.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

Question 49: My parents are very busy working. However, they still spend time having a meal with me every evening.

A. Although my parents are very busy working, they still spend time having a meal with me every evening.

B. My parents are very busy working; therefore, they still spend time having a meal with me every evening.

C. Because my parents are very busy working, they still spend time having a meal with me every evening.

D. Despite my parents are very busy working, they still spend time having a meal with me every evening.

Question 50: My family visit my grandparents every Sunday. By doing so, we can form a close connection with them.

A. My family visit my grandparents every Sunday but we can form a close connection with them.

B. My family visit my grand pa rents every Sunday so that we can form a close connection with them.

C. Unless my family visit my grand parents every Sunday, we can form a close connection with them.

D. Visiting my grandparents every Sunday makes us less close to them.

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