1. PHONETICS

I. Choose the words whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others in each group

1. A. collection	B. tradition	C. exhibition	D. question
2. A. version	B. pleasure	C. usual	D. design
3. A. closure	B. sure	C. pleasure	D. leisure
4. A. ocean	B. concert	C. musician	D. official
5. A. so	B. expensive	C. saxophone	D. music
6. A. treasure	B. closure	C. exposure	D. ensure
7. A. happy	B. hard	C. similarity	D. talent
8. A. chorus	B. brochure	C. machine	D. chef
9. A. treasure	B. vision	C. discussion	D. decision
10. A. exhibition	B. action	C. question	D. tradition
11. A. collect	B. clean	C. city	D. cracker
12. A. pottery	B. melody	C. modal	D. profit
13. A. near	B. clear	C. dear	D. learn
14. A. knocked	B. needed	C. founded	D. wanted
15. A. spring	B. swimming	C. think	D. realize
16. A. country	B. hungry	C. fly	D. every
17. A. why	B. who	C. when	D. what
18. A. finished	B. reported	C. landed	D. succeeded
19. A. celebrate	B. lazy	C. vacation	D. mechanic
20. A. conclusion	B. ensure	C. rush	D. mission
21. A. student	B. study	C. dust	D. must
22. A. father	B. date	C. hard	D. last
23. A. chapter	B. rich	C. cheese	D. chemist
24. A. watches	B. boxes	C. buses	D. tables
25. A. pleasure	B. sound	C. same	D. best
26. A. foot	B. pool	C. moon	D. food
27. A. birth	B. their	C. myth	D. fifth
28. A. trays	B. says	C. bays	D. days
29. A. companion	B. company	C. comparison	D. compartment
30. A. naked	B. wicked	C. beloved	D. confused
31. A. plumber	B. doubt	C. debt	D. herbage
32. A. clothes	B. gone	C. drove	D. ghost
33. A. hear	B. clear	C. swear	D. ear
34. A. heat	B. great	C. beat	D. teach
35. A. nearest	B. head	C. bread	D. health
36. A. sign	B. mistake	C. triangle	D. drive

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37. A. noon	B. tool	C. blood	D. spoon
38. A. plays	B. looks	C. wants	D. helps
39. A. decided	B. played	C. listened	D. enjoyed
40. A. feed	B. heat	C. meat	D. pleasure
41. A. dear	B. fear	C. hear	D. heart
42. A. stupid	B. studio	C. study	D. student
43. A. brother	B. thick	C. they	D. that
44. A machine	B. parachute	C. champagne	D. cheer
45. A. doctor	B. hospital	C. pollution	D. tomorrow
46. A. cough	B. laugh	C. enough	D. high
47. A. collect	B. clean	C. city	D. cracker
48. A. pottery	B. melody	C. modal	D. profit
49. A. near	B. clear	C. dear	D. learn
50. A. knocked	B. needed	C. founded	D. wanted

2. MULTIPLE CHOICE

I. Choose the best answer to complete each of the following sentences.

1. He is very good at drawing_____. He often draws his parents and friends.

A. crayons **B.**landmarks **C.** galleries **D.** portraits

2. She can play some musical_____ such as guitar, piano or cello.

A. instruments **B**. paintbrushes **C**. opera **D.** microphones

3. He_____ as a photographer. He likes _____ photos very much.

A. plays/drawing **B**. writes/taking

C. works/taking **D**. works/drawing

4. Physical education, music or art are the subjects in the secondary___ in Viet Nam.

A. curriculum **B.**necessity **C**. consideration **D**. importance

5. Do you know the national _____ of Viet Nam? -Yes. It's **Tien Quan Ca**.

A. composer **B.**anthem **C**. academic **D**. music

6. Some people should take notice of themain contentin the discussion. They just talk about_____ things.

A. suitable **B.**central **C**. unimportant **D**. necessary

7. The puppeteers are_ _____ the puppets by their strings.

A. controlling **B.**visiting **C**. appearing **D**. enjoying

8. She's looking___ to receiving the letter from her mother.

A. on **B.**forward **C**. up **D**. for

9. Your paintings are _____ his.

A. as beautiful so **B**. as beautiful as

C. more beautiful as **D**. so beautiful than

10. Her paintbrushes are so old. Hers are _____ yours.

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A. as not new as B. not as new like
C. not as new as D. not as new than

11. His knowledge of history of art is _____ours.
A. the same as B. very same as C. like same as D. more same as

12. Their kind of music is _____ mine.
A. different with B. so different to
C. as different than D. different from

13. Some people think the band's rock and roll songs are very lively. They are _____ some of their gentle old songs.
A. the same as B. different from C. not as far as D. as much as

14. I love dancing, and my sister loves it, _____.
A. so B. too C. neither D. either

15. He can't play the saxophone, and his brother can't _____ .
A. either B. neither C. so D. too

16.No one else in the class plays the guitar _____John.
A. as well B. as far as C. so well as D. as soon as

17.The Brit School is the most famous_____arts school in Britain.
A. performing B. performance C. perform D. performed

18.Jane is not_____her brother.
A. more intelligent as B. intelligent as
C. so intelligent as D. so intelligent that

19.Since the 1970s, the festival in Glastonbury has taken_____almost every year and has grown in size.
A. part B. place C. note D. notice

20.He drives as_____ his father does.
A. careful as B. more carefully C. the most carefulD. carefully as

21.Dong Ho paintings are made on_____paper with beautiful_____colors.
A. traditional – nature B. tradition - natural
C. tradition – nature D. traditional - natural

22.I'll be there _____ I can.
A. sooner as B. no sooner as C. as soon as D. soonest as

23. My village is not_____it was ten years ago.
A. the same as B. the same to C. same as D. the same

24.The villagers are_____they were years ago. There is no change at all.
A. differently from B. not as friendly as
C. as friend as D. as friendly as

25.Water puppetry_____in the 11th century in the villages of the Red River Delta of North Viet Nam.

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A. originated **B**. formed **C**. started **D**. began

26. The puppet shows present_____themes of Vietnamese villages.

A. city **B**. urban **C**. village **D**. rural

27.No one in my class is_____beautiful_____her.

A. as – as **B**. more - as **C**. as - than **D**. the - more

28.The group is_____for their albums and tours around the world.

A. well-knows **B**. know-how **C**. well-prepared **D**. well-known

29.Going by train isn't_____convenient as going by car.

A. so **B**. as **C**. more **D**.A & B are correct.

30.The performances of puppetry show_____in the countryside and_____.

A. everyday life - folk rock **B**. every day life-folk people

C. everyday life - folk tales **D**. every day life-folk stories

31.Today, subjects like music and arts are put into the school_____ in Viet Nam.

A. curriculum **B**. education **C**. school year **D.** subjects

32.Robert does not have_____Peter does.

A. money more than **B**. as many money as

C. more money as **D**. as much money as

33. For many people, a good knowledge of music and arts is regarded as a_____for every student.

A. in needs **B**. necessity **C**. necessary **D**. need

34.Last year, Matt earned_____his brother.

A. twice as much as **B.** twice as many as

C. twice more than **D.** twice as more as

35. Arts are of great_____in education, especially for young children.

A. unimportant **B**. unimportance

C. importantly **D**. importance

36. The Brit School is the most famous_____arts school in Britain.

A. perform **B.** performed **C.** performing **D.** performance

37. This river is _____ that one.

A. as length as **B**. the same length as

C. like length **D**. as deep as

38. He is _____my father, but he looks young.

A. the same age of **B**. as old

C. the same age as **D**. so old as

39. Y ou can see many interesting_____in that art gallery.

A. paints **B.** colours **C.** portraits **D.** paper

40. The ring is _____that one. How much does it cost?

A. as expensive **B**. so expensive as

C. as expensive as **D**. as expensively as

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41. The story is very interesting. I _____ it several times.

A. have read **B**. am reading **C**. read **D**. haven't read

42. We _____. to New York last summer.

A. flew **B**. we're going to fly

C. we're flying **D**. have flown

43. She always talks in class. _____

A. So is Mai **B**. Mai is, too **C**. So does Mai **D**. Neither is Mai

44. I never watch ballet, and my sister doesn't_____.

A. too **B.** so **C.** either **D.** like that

45. Teenagers in Viet Nam like K-pop, and they like Korean films_____.

A. too **B.** either **C.** so **D.** however

46. Today, subjects like music and arts are put into the school_____in Viet Nam.

A. school year **B.** subjects **C.** curriculum **D.** education

47. They are cutting grass in the garden. _____

A. I am, too **B**. So do I **C**. I do either **D**. I do neither

48. Arts are of great____in education, especially for young children.

A. important **B.** importance **C.** unimportant **D.** unimportance

49. Classical music is not_____as pop music.

A. as exciting **B.** as excited **C.** exciting **D.** more excited

50. This film is not_____long as the film I watched last week.

A. as **B.** but **C.** either **D.** too

3. WORD FORMS

I. Give the correct form of the word given to complete the sentence.

1. He is a famous_____. I usually hear some of his wonderful songs when I relax **(MUSIC)**

2. English is one of the_____ subjects for students to learn. **(COMPEL)**

3. They are really interested in water_____ because it is one of the proud traditional arts in Viet Nam. **(PUPPET)**

4. She played the piano and sang this song_____. I couldn't stop watching her performance. **(ART)**

5. I want to know where this band_____. **(ORIGIN)**

6. *Avatar* is probably the _____film I've ever seen! **(BAD)**

7. A dancer must throw her heart and soul into every _____. **(PERFORM)**

8. I think *Men in Black 1* was as ____ _____as *Men in Black 3*. **(EXCITE)**

9. Although John and Andrew look exactly alike, they act quite _____. **(DIFFERENT)**

10. Dong Ho paintings are made with _____colours. **(NATURE)**

11. His friends are all _____ - they're painters, **(ART)**

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musicians, and writers.

12. He later became a famous jazz _____playing saxophone. **(MUSIC)**

13. The problems seemed so small and _____. **(IMPORTANT)**

14. 3. I think that good knowledge of arts and music is a _____for anyone. **(NECESSARY)**

15. The_____she gave last night was marvelous. **(PERFORM)**

16. Water puppetry_____ in the villages of the Red River Delta. **(ORIGIN)**

17. The DAN BAU is a Vietnamese traditional___instrument. **(MUSIC)**

18. _____is the art or taking and processing photographs. **(PHOTOGRAPH)**

19. I don't like pop music because it is not as_____ as rock and roll. **(EXCITE)**

20. Peter has received a letter of___to see a water **(INVITE)**

4. VERB FORMS

I. Put the verbs in brackets in the correct tense form.

1. His life (**be**)_____so boring. He just (**watch**)_____TV every night.

2. I (**be**)_____late for school yesterday

3. My father (**be/ not**)_____at the office the day before yesterday.

4. _____Mr. and Mrs. James (**come**)_____back home and have lunch late last night?

5. How_____you (**get**)_____there?

6. John (**study**)_____hard in class, but I (**not think**)_____he'll pass.

7. It (**be**)_____cloudy yesterday.

8. Where_____your children (**be**)_____?

9. The telephone (**ring**)_____several times and then (**stop**)___before I could answer it.

10. The bank (**close**)_____at four o'clock.

11. The little boy (**spend**)_____ hours in his room making his toys.

12. Jamie passed the exam because he (**study**)_____very hard.

13. My mother (**fry**)_____eggs for breakfast every morning.

14. Mozart (**have**)_____more than 600 pieces of music.

15. My father (**not watch**)_____ TV last night but I _____(**do**).

16._____anyone (**phone**)_____yet?

17. Three people (**visit**)_____him in hospital last Friday.

18.How many games_____your team (**win**)_____so far this season?

19.She (**go**)_____to Japan but now she (**not/ come**)_____ back.

20. They (**visit**)_____a farm two weeks ago.

II. Put the verbs in brackets in the correct verb form.

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Kevin O'Donnell works in Hollywood. He records sound for films. He (**1. work**) _____on his first film in 1980: *Star Wars*. He's now 51 and he (**2. help**)_____to make more than 100 films. In 1983, he (**3. do**)_____the sound on the film called *Terms of Endearment*. The film (**4. win**)_____five Oscars, but O'Donnell (**5. not win**)_____one. He (**6. be**)_____at the Oscars in 1983 when he was only 26.

Now, he (**7. be**)_____to the Oscars 20 times. He has worked on *Top Gun,Terminator 3, Spider-Man, Transformers* and other great films, but he (**8. not win**) _____an Oscar yet. He (**9. write**)____20 speeches so far, but (**10. never given**)_____ one. The speeches are in a drawer in his house. Kevin doesn't mind. He knows the sound in his films is amazing. He's going to win - one day!

5. CORRECTION

I. Choose the underlined word or phrase (marked A, B, C or D) in each sentence that needs correcting.

1. She's interested in photographs because she wants to take a lot of beautiful photos of life.
A B C D

2. The band would like to share their interest in music to their fans by singing good songs in their concert.
A B C D

3. Water puppetry is one of the unique and traditional artist forms in Viet Nam.
A B C D

4. She thinks her younger brother plays the piano as good as she does.
A B C D

5. Some people say that the melody of classical music isn't more quick as hip-hop.
A B C D

6. My hobby isn't quite different with your hobby, so I think we can become close friends.
A B C D

7. She doesn't like going to cinema, and her sister doesn't too.
A B C D

8. I think your idea is quite different as mine.
A B C D

9. Uncle Jimmy came to stay with us last month; it is very nice life.
A B C D

10. I have travelled a lot, but I have never been in the USA.
A B C D

II. There is one mistake in each sentence. Underline and correct the mistake.

Sentences	Correction

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1. A lot of people are good artists and they are successfully in life.	_____
2. Music promote creativity, social development, and personality.	_____
3. The *Mona Lisa* is a portrait paint by the Italian artist Leonardo da Vinci.	_____
4. Your violin is the same with the one I've just bought.	_____
5. My mother doesn't like rock music and I don't too.	_____
6. The weather of Hong Kong is different from that of Canada's.	_____
7. How long do you go to the movies? - Twice a month.	_____
8. The weather today is not so hot as it is yesterday.	_____
9. They kept me in the dark. I didn't knew anything about that robbery.	_____
10. Yesterday class 2B has gone to the National Library.	_____

6. READING

I. Fill in the blank with a suitable word.

Kevin O'Donnell works (**1**)_____Hollywood. He records (**2**)_____ for films. He worked on his first film in 1980: *Star Wars*. He's now 51 and he (**3**)_____helped to make more than 100 films. In 1983, he did the sound on the film called *Terms of Endearment*. The film won five Oscars, but O'Donnell (**4**)_____win one. He was at the Oscars in 1983 (**5**)_____he was only 26.

Now, he has (**6**)_____to the Oscars 20 times. He worked on *Top Gun, Terminator 3, Spider-Man, Transformers* and other great films, but he hasn't won an Oscar (**7**)_____. He has written 20 speeches so far, but has never been given one. (**8**)_____speeches are in a drawer in (**9**)_____ house. Kevin doesn't mind. He knows the sound in his films is amazing. He's (**10**)_____ to win one day!

II. Fill in the blank with a suitable word in the box.

however	made	best	was	much
leaving	wrote	lived	in	the

One of the first novels in the history of literature (**1**)_____ written in England in 1719. It was Robinson Crusoe by Daniel Defoe. Daniel Defoe was born (**2**)__ London in the family of a rich man. When Daniel was a schoolboy, be began to write stories. After (**3**)___ school, he worked in his father's shop and (**4**)_____articles for newspapers. Defoe visited many countries and met many people. That helped him (**5**)_____in his writings.

In 1719, when Defoe was sixty years old, he wrote the novel Robinson Crusoe which (**6**)_____ him famous. Defoe used in his book a true story about a sailor who

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(7)_____ on an island for four years. Robinson Crusoe in Defoes novel lived on an island for twenty-eight years. People liked (8)_____ novel in England and in many other countries, Daniel Defoe wrote other books. (9)_____, his novel Robison Crusoe was the (10)_____ famous. Defoe was not a rich man when he died in 1731.

III. Read the passage, and then answer the questions.

Have you ever seen the film *School of Rock*? It's about a rock musician who became a teacher. The film is based on a real music school which is run by Paul Green. Paul Green started the first *School of Rock* in 1998 in Philadelphia in the USA. He gave students rock music lessons after school, but he wanted to do more. Now he gives them the chance to play in rock concerts. "Some of our students have never played in front of a real audience before. We teach them how to do it." he says. He has already taught hundreds of young people to be rock performers, and now there are 30 schools of rock in different towns in the USA.

1. How many students has he taught?

   _____

2. How many schools of rock are there in the USA?

   _____

3. When did Paul Green start his first rock school?

   _____

4. What is the film *School of Roc*k about?

   _____

5. What does he teach his students to do?

   _____

IV. Read the text about an artist. Choose the correct answer: A, B, or C.

You can't buy a drawing by Julian Beever and you can't see his work in a gallery or museum. Julian makes his amazing pictures on the pavements of city streets. People have called him "the Pavement Picasso" and perhaps you have seen his pictures on the Internet.

Julian has made hundreds of pieces of "pavement art" in different countries - in many parts of Europe and also in the USA, Australia, Japan, Argentina, and Brazil.

His drawings can take three or four days to finish. But because he draws with chalk, the drawings only stay for a short time. When people walk on them or when it rains, they quickly disappear. For Julian, this isn't a problem. The drawings survive in the photos he has taken, and this is the most important thing for him.

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Julian's fame hasn't come from experts in the art world, but from the Internet. "The reason why my work has become well known is because people like it and they've sent it to each other on the Internet," he says. "So I know that what I do is popular."

Julian Beever is from Leicestershire in England, but he now lives in Belgium.

1. Julian Beever makes drawings_____.

A. outside **B.** on his computer **C.** for exhibitions in a gallery

2. He has worked_____.

A. in a few cities **B.** in lots of countries **C.** with hundreds of people

3. His pictures_____.

A. are easy to draw **B.** look good when it rains **C.** don't stay for a long time

4. Lots of people know Julian's art because _____.

A. they know a lot about art

B. he has sent photos to them

C. they have seen it on the net

5. Julian Beever_____.

A. hasn't lived in Britain

B. hasn't tried to be a star in the art world

C. isn't very interested in photos

7. WRITING

I. Complete sentences with *too* or *either*.

1. We often go to the library on Sunday afternoon, they.....
2. Susan can speak Japanese, Tom.....
3. Minh didn't see the train, Nga.....
4. Hoa will fly to Hong Kong next month, and her mother.....
5. The pineapples aren't ripe. And the durians .....
6. March is hot, and May .....
7. The boys shouldn't smoke cigarettes and the girls.....
8. I don't know how to use a computer and my friends.....
9. She likes eggs, and her brothers .....
10. They stayed at home last night, and their children.....

II. Combine the sentences. Use the words in brackets.

1. Mr. Pike teaches history of arts. Mrs May teaches history of music. **SAME SUBJECT**

_____

2. This bike is 800,000 VND. That bike is 600,000 VND **(PRICE ... DIFFERENT)**

_____

3. Linda didn't go to the concert show last night. Susan didn't go to the concert show last night. **(EITHER)**

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_____

4. Classical music is interesting. Folk music is interesting. **(AS ... AS)**

_____

5. Mr. Owen speaks English. Mrs. Phan speaks English. **(SAME LANGUAGE)**

III. Complete each sentence so that it means the same as the sentence above.

1. This room is larger than the one at the end of the corridor of the art gallery.
The room at the end of the corridor of the art gallery is not_____.

2. I think action films are more exciting than romance films.
In my opinion, romance films are not_____ .

3. Salvador Dali's paintings are different from Picasso's paintings.
Picasso's paintings are not _____ .

4. I am interested in comic books, and my brother is also interested in comic books.
I am interested in comic books, and my brother is _____ .

5. My mother doesn't like thrillers. I don't like them.
My mother doesn't like thrillers, and I don't_____.

6. She takes photographs and collects coins as hobbies.
Her hobbies are _____.

7. "Chèo" or "Cải lương" are considered some kinds of traditional opera in Viet Nam.
Viet Nam has some kinds of_____ .

8. My sister sings better than me.
I don't sing_____.

9. Ballets and modern dance are quite different.
Ballets and modern dance are not _____.

10. The project was shorter than we thought at first.
The project was not as_____ .

IV. Write a letter to invite a friend to a circus, using the following cues.

Dear Nam

1. I/ happy/ hear/ that/ you/ your family/ well.

_____

2. You/ remember/ circus/ we/ see/ last year?

_____

3. Circus/ coming/ again/ our city.

_____

4. My father/ tickets/ circus.

_____

5. We/ you/ go/ us.

_____

6. You/ free/ this weekend?

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_____

7. We/ meet/ 7 pm/ outside/ theatre.

_____

8. Show/ begin/ 7.30 pm.

_____

9. I/ hope/ we/ good time/ together.

_____

10. I/ look forward/ see/ you/ there.

_____

Have a good day!
Regards,Tuan

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