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SECTION 4: WRITING

PART 1: Word formation (20 pts)

(Q61-Q70): Write your answers next to the relevant numbers. Capitalizing and spelling mistakes result in minus points.

Sample answer: globe

global

Q61: impress

Q62: industry

Q63: instruct

Q64: fashion

Q65: economical

Q66: examine

Q67: enjoy

Q68: invention

Q69: general

Q70: compare

PART 2: Sentence transformation (20 pts)

(Q71-Q80): Write your answers on the given lines. Spelling mistakes result in minus points.

Example: You should take care of your sore throat or it will get worse.

Sample answer: Your sore throat should be taken care of or it will get worse.

Q71: It is possible that the Covid-19 is less threatening in many countries now.

Your answer: The Covid-19 virus

Q72: They believe that hard work leads to success.

Your answer: It

Q73: "Don't go to bed late or you'll be late for school tomorrow," Tim's mother said to him.

Your answer: Tim's mother told

Q74: I'm dreaming about a vacation by the beach in this hot weather.

Your answer: I wish

Q75: Karen's best friend is studying abroad now. He can't attend Karen's 15th birthday.

Your answer: If Karen's best friend

Q76: My cousin rides his bike to work every day, but he thinks going by bus is safer.

Your answer: Riding

Q77: Learning English through Walt Disney movies is easy for many children.

Your answer: Many children find

Q78: If I am admitted into my dream high school, I will try my best for my academic goals.

Your answer: Should.....

Q79: Larry joins some study groups on Facebook, so this social media platform is useful to him.

Your answer: Facebook

Q80: The new supervisor just made a request. He asked us not to gossip during our meetings.

Your answer: The new supervisor requested that

SECTION 1: PRONUNCIATION (5 pts)

(Q1-Q3): Choose the best option A, B, C, or D that indicates the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from those of the other words.

- Q1: A. human B. hidden C. helpful D. honest
Q2: A. decide B. define C. insist D. night
Q3: A. looked B. laughed C. declined D. hoped

(Q4-Q5): Choose the best option A, B, C, or D that indicates the word whose primary stress is placed on a syllable different from those in the other words.

- Q4: A. gather B. prefer C. surprise D. define
Q5: A. disaster B. delightful C. difficult D. distraction

SECTION 2: GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY (25 pts)

PART 1: Structure and meaning identification

(Q6-Q25): Choose the best option A, B, C, or D that best fits the gap in each of the given sentences.

Q6: When our family was on holiday, our neighbor helped us by _____ our garden plants.

- A. looking up B. taking care C. caring about D. looking after

Q7: As an only child, Mary wishes that she _____ at least one sibling to play with every day.

- A. has B. had had C. would have D. had

Q8: In their lesson yesterday, Linda's tutor _____ follow the model essay rigidly to gain a good score.

- A. advised not to B. advised her to not
C. advises her to D. advised her not to

Q9: Nancy is a hard-working and smart student. Rarely _____ any homework exercise unfinished.

- A. she does not leave B. does she leave
C. she leaves D. she does leave

Q10: If the Smiths follow a clean-eating meal plan, they _____ cut down on fat and sugar.

- A. have B. had better to C. must D. ought

Q11: It's too cold out there in the park! Put on your _____ to keep warm.

- A. wool sweater B. plaid skirt
C. denim shorts D. short-sleeved blouse

Q12: In our training session last week, we met our new football coach _____ here from a city club.

- A. having moved B. has been moved
C. being moved D. moving

Q13: John's grandfather is interested in history. He likes watching _____ every night.

- A. social media B. documentaries
C. breaking news D. journalism

Q14: Of the three movies I have watched, *3 Idiots* is _____.

- A. more interesting than
- B. the most interesting
- C. as interesting as
- D. less interesting

Q15: IELTS is a/an _____ English test whose result is widely accepted in many countries.

- A. national
- B. institutional
- C. internationally
- D. international

Q16: On their Independence Day, American people love watching _____ marching along the streets.

- A. splendid fireworks
- B. colorful balloons
- C. exciting celebrations
- D. long parades

Q17: City born and city bred, Jack has never seen how _____ are raised on the farm.

- A. cattle
- B. villages
- C. crops
- D. plants

Q18: My city gradually returned to normal _____ all lockdown restrictions were removed.

- A. whenever
- B. after
- C. so long as
- D. as soon as

Q19: Lan really loves the song lyrics _____ her father wrote especially for her.

- A. who
- B. whom
- C. whose
- D. which

Q20: Our class will join a _____ campaign this summer. This is our school's community program.

- A. littering
- B. garbage dump
- C. natural resource
- D. beach clean-up

Q21: A/an _____, or a huge tidal wave, can wash away a whole seaside village.

- A. earthquake
- B. hurricane
- C. tsunami
- D. tornado

Q22: Tom's mother gave him a _____ as a birthday gift.

- A. red new Nike cap
- B. Nike new red cap
- C. new Nike red cap
- D. new red Nike cap

Q23: Replace the leaking faucets or we'll have an enormous _____ as we did last month.

- A. water bill
- B. power cut
- C. fuel shortage
- D. energy crisis

Q24: On her first vacation to Korea, Ellen was very excited about the diverse _____ of this Asian country.

- A. culture
- B. uniqueness
- C. region
- D. temple

Q25: No one believed in Nick's story about his UFO _____ last night during his drive home.

- A. sighting
- B. sampling
- C. appearance
- D. alienation

PART 2: Error identification

(Q26–Q30): Find ONE error (A, B, C, or D) in each of the following sentences.

Q26:

Rainy weather normally effects people's mood, so they tend to avoid the wet season if possible.

- A
- B
- C
- D

Q27:

Jack will have to take the online exam again because he did not have Internet assess last week.

- A
- B
- C
- D

Q28:

I can never forget my grandmother's old house was located in a beautifully designed neighborhood.

A

B

C

D

Q29:

A famous singer had posted a message which hurt her fans, therefore, she had to post an apology.

A

B

C

D

Q30:

Being extreme excited as soon as the football match began, little Tom shouted and jumped around.

A

B

C

D

SECTION 3: READING COMPREHENSION (30 pts)

(Q31-Q40): Read the passage carefully and choose the best option A, B, C, or D for each gap.

LIFE DURING THE PANDEMIC

By: Lynda Feustel (adapted)

1. Entering year two of (31) ____ pandemic is strange. It barely seems a day since last March 2020, but it also seems like **a lifetime**. As an only child and introvert, shutting down my world was initially simple and relatively easy. My friends and I had been super busy with the school play, and while I was sad about it being canceled, I was struggling a lot during that show and desperately needed some time (32) ____.
2. As March turned to April, **virtual** school began, and being alone really set in. I missed my friends and us being together. The isolation felt real with just my parents and me, even as we spent time together. My friends and I began meeting on Facetime every night (33) ____ TV and just be together in some way. We laughed at insane jokes we made, had homework and therapy sessions over Facetime, and grew closer through digital and literal walls. The summer passed with in-person events together, and the virus **faded into the background** for a little while. We went to the beach and (34) ____ out in people's backyards.
3. Then school came for us in a way none of us had ever expected. In hybrid school we were **separated**. Students had lessons, sports, and other activities while many of us were in quarantine. Teachers piled on work, and the virus grew more present again. Group texting put out hundreds of messages a day and again, meeting in person as a group (35) _____. Being together on video and in person was the way of staying **cheered up**.
4. We are working and looking for some change as we are about to enter the second year of this pandemic. After all, life is hopeful.

Q31: A. an

B. the

C. a

D. Ø (no article)

Q32: A. down

B. for

C. up

D. off

Q33: A. to watch

B. watch

C. watching

D. watched

Q34: A. hanged

B. would hang

C. hung

D. was hanging

Q35: A. not being allowed

B. allowed

C. was not allowed

D. did not allow

Q36: The phrase **a lifetime** in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to ____.

- A. once upon a time
- B. a very long time
- C. life expectancy
- D. a human's life

Q37: The word **virtual** in paragraph 2 can be best replaced by ____.

- A. distance
- B. unreal
- C. online
- D. digital

Q38: The phrase **faded into the background** in paragraph 2 can be best replaced by ____.

- A. spread
- B. declined
- C. disappeared
- D. controlled

Q39: The word **separated** in paragraph 3 can be best replaced by ____.

- A. moved
- B. divided
- C. locked
- D. isolated

Q40: The phrase **cheered up** in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to ____.

- A. very happy
- B. inspired
- C. upset
- D. positive

(Q41-Q50): Read the passage carefully and choose the best option A, B, C, or D to answer each question.

By: Lieutenant Brian Ellis (adapted)

1. One of the promises I have made to myself as a leader in recent years is to be more mindful of improving my surroundings every day. This happens mostly through the lessons of life, and pushing into areas **that** challenge my way of thinking or creating useful opportunities for me to strengthen my values. Any good gift is worth sharing, so I extend the list of books with some following sweet faces of love.
2. **Love is patient:** The opposite is impatience, a cause of hostility and frustration. According to *Challenging the Law Enforcement Organization* by Jack Enter, leaders have to make sure they are patient enough for others to go through the processes of learning from mistakes.
3. **Love is kind:** No employee will follow a controlling leader. Good leaders make people-centered policies because of the benefits and **force** these policies create. In *A Higher Standard of Leadership* by Keshavan Nair, it is suggested to look below the surface and identify the hidden needs of others to create a bond with those you are trying to serve.
4. **Love does not envy:** Envy can be subtle and indirect, and interferes with colleagues, family, and friends, according to *Envy and Leadership* by Mark Stein. Being truthful to yourself means understanding who you are and who you want to be. Being comfortable with the journey is part of the experience. Having more doesn't fix anything, and the idea of being content is the way to a satisfied heart.
5. **Love keeps no record of wrongs:** I'm no saint and neither are you. Be compassionate enough for problem solving, which also means you understand when it's time to turn around and reassess. Create an environment that is focused on problem solving rather than **people blaming** through learning and development.
6. **Love always trusts:** Trust is challenging at times, and it requires us to confront the things that stand in its way. When we have to protect ourselves from each other, the whole organization suffers. When trust thrives, the organization grows stronger **as a result**, as illustrated in *Leaders Eat Last: Why Some Teams Pull Together and Others Don't* by Simon Sinek.
7. All in all, love never fails. It will be the one constant that gives you an inspired life.

Q41: What is the passage mainly about?

- A. Lessons of love for leaders
- B. True leadership and true love
- C. Leaders' sharing of their love
- D. How love can change leaders

Q42: What does the word **that in paragraph 1 refer to?**

- A. lessons
- B. life
- C. areas
- D. surroundings

Q43: According to paragraph 1, which of the following is TRUE of the author?

- A. He/She often creates opportunities and gives gifts.
- B. He/She loves challenging people's leadership.
- C. He/She often makes promises to other leaders.
- D. He/She wants to inspire people around him/her.

Q44: What can be inferred about the processes of learning from mistakes in paragraph 2?

- A. They are wrong.
- B. They take time.
- C. They must be avoided.
- D. They cause hostility.

Q45: What is stated in paragraph 3 about a controlling leader?

- A. He/She cannot reach his/her desired power.
- B. He/She creates bad forces for his/her staff.
- C. He/She does not have his/her staff's support.
- D. He/She tries to serve others to win their hearts.

Q46: What can the word **force in paragraph 3 be best replaced by?**

- A. strength
- B. influence
- C. energy
- D. attraction

Q47: What lesson or message can be inferred from paragraph 4?

- A. Interferences cause colleagues to envy.
- B. A life of contentment is a happy life.
- C. Truthfulness leads to others' happiness.
- D. Understanding creates comfort and love.

Q48: In paragraph 5, what is the phrase **people blaming closest in meaning to?**

- A. criticism
- B. penalty
- C. abuse
- D. mistake

Q49: In paragraph 6, why does the author use the phrase **as a result?**

- A. to give an example
- B. to show an effect
- C. to compare two things
- D. to prove a true fact

Q50: According to the passage, which of these love lessons is NOT cited from a book author?

- A. Love is kind
- B. Love is patient
- C. Love keeps no record of wrongs
- D. Love always trusts

(Q51-Q60): Read the passage carefully and choose the best option A, B, C, or D to answer each question or to complete each gap.

1. SARS, Ebola, and SARS-CoV-2: all three of these highly infectious viruses have caused global panic since 2002, and all three of them jumped to humans from wild animals living in dense tropical forests that we are slashing and burning to create land for crops, mining, and housing. The more we **clear**, the more we come into contact with wildlife which hosts illnesses likely transferred to humans.
2. Stopping deforestation will not only reduce natural disasters but also control the spread of a long list of dangerous diseases that have come from rain forest habitats - **Zika, Nipah, malaria, cholera, HIV**, and so on. A 2019 study found that a 10 percent increase in deforestation would raise malaria cases by 3.3 percent; that would be 7.4 million people worldwide. Meanwhile, an average of 28 million hectares of forest have been cut down annually since 2016, and there is no sign of a slowdown. **[A]**
3. Societies can take numerous steps to prevent the destruction. Eating less meat, **which** improves our health anyway, will lessen demand for crops and pastures. Eating fewer processed foods will reduce the demand for palm oil, much of which is grown on land from tropical rain forests. Producing more food per hectare can boost supply without the need for more land. **[B]**
4. In the meantime, governments should prohibit the sale of live wild animals in so-called wet markets, where pathogens have repeatedly crossed over into humans. The markets may be culturally important, but the risk is too great. Governments must also ban illegal wildlife trade, which can spread infectious agents far and wide. In addition, authorities must examine factory farms that pack thousands of animals together – the source of the 2009 swine flu outbreak that killed more than 10,000 people in the U.S. and many more people worldwide. **[C]**
5. Ending deforestation and preventing pandemics would address six of the United Nations' 17 Sustainable Development Goals: the guarantee of healthy lives, zero hunger, gender equality, responsible consumption and production, sustainably managed land, and climate action. The COVID-19 pandemic is a catastrophe, but it calls for our attention on the human achievements by not overexploiting the natural world. **[D]**

(Adapted from Scientific American)

Q51: What may be the best title for the passage?

- A. Measures to Prevent Animal-transmitted Diseases
- B. National Solutions to Global Deforestation
- C. How to Stop Deforestation in Worldwide Societies
- D. Deforestation as a Major Cause of Pandemics

Q52: The word **clear in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to ____.**

- A. reduce pollutants
- B. remove confusion
- C. slash and burn
- D. trap and kill

Q53: Why does the author mention Zika, Nipah, malaria, cholera, HIV in paragraph 2?

- A. To warn people not to go into forest habitats when it is raining.
- B. To give some examples as consequences of deforestation.
- C. To predict the future dangers if deforestation takes place widely.
- D. To describe the danger of these diseases to those who get them.

Q54: It can be inferred from the 2019 study in paragraph 2 that malaria cases ____.

- A. have been a worry for people in many countries worldwide
- B. have been rising faster than those of Zika, Nipah, cholera, and HIV
- C. will never stop rising due to people's continuous deforestation
- D. would probably rise to about 10% if deforestation rose to 30%

Q55: What does the word which in paragraph 3 refer to?

- A. eating less meat
- B. destruction
- C. numerous steps
- D. meat

Q56: According to paragraph 3, ____ is one step to prevent the destruction.

- A. meaty food banning
- B. reforestation
- C. increased productivity
- D. oily food removal

Q57: What is implied in paragraph 4 about sales of live wild animals in wet markets?

- A. They must be removed out of all wet markets.
- B. They are illegal and have been long banned.
- C. Their disadvantages outweigh their advantages.
- D. They are important as they make local culture.

Q58: The main idea of paragraph 4 is ____.

- A. government-based solutions
- B. society-based solutions
- C. impacts of deforestation
- D. governments' development goals

Q59: Which of the following is NOT a United Nations' Sustainable Development Goal?

- A. Hunger removal
- B. Responsible land use
- C. Health insurance
- D. Reduced production

Q60: In which place can the following sentence best fit?

Reducing food waste can also vastly lessen the pressure to grow more crops.

- A. [A]
- B. [B]
- C. [C]
- D. [D]

SECTION 4: WRITING

PART 1: Word formation (20 pts)

(Q61-Q70): Read each sentence carefully, then use the correct form of the word given in the right-hand column to fit each relevant gap. The first sentence is given as an example. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

Example: The Covid-19 pandemic has caused numerous problems around the <u>globe</u> .	global
Q61: Vietnam was _____ successful in its early fight against the Covid-19 virus.	impress
Q62: Most _____ parks are built in the suburbs, not in city centers.	industry
Q63: At colleges and universities, teachers are normally called "_____".	instruct
Q64: Mary's clothes are always in style because she wants to look _____.	fashion
Q65: Young people should work hard to develop their country's _____.	economical
Q66: In a written _____, it takes more time for test papers to be marked.	examine
Q67: The 31 st SEA Games event was both _____ and motivational to many people.	enjoy
Q68: It is interesting that many useful products have been _____ by chance.	invention
Q69: _____ speaking, teenagers are passionate fans of entertainment trends.	general
Q70: _____ to fluorescent bulbs, LED lights are up to 80% more energy-saving.	compare

PART 2: Sentence transformation (20 pts)

(Q71-Q80): Read the first sentence in each pair of sentences carefully, then complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first one. The first sentence is given as an example. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

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