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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. enrol B. attend C. relevant D. register
Question 2: A. distance B. vocational C. remote D. adapt

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. wonder B. martial C. complex D. acquire
Question 4: A. employment B. obstacle C. memory D. summary

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

- Question 5: He mentioned that staying relevant in his field _____ continuous learning.
A. required B. requires C. has required D. is requiring

- Question 6: She said that she went to a workshop on the benefits of lifelong learning _____.
A. yesterday B. next day C. tomorrow D. the previous day

- Question 7: She asked her team members _____ at least one book per month as part of their commitment to lifelong learning.

A. to read B. read C. reading D. to reading

- Question 8: He _____ his students to take advantage of every opportunity for lifelong learning, both inside and outside the classroom.

A. offered B. said C. asked D. counted

- Question 9: The habit of reading really _____ my horizon and I got to acquire a lot of valuable knowledge.

A. satisfied B. broadened C. widened D. pursued

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 from 10 to 15.

Unlock the power of lifelong learning! Join us for (10) _____ enlightening speech on lifelong learning. Here you can:

- discover the importance of (11) _____ personal and professional development.
- explore how lifelong learning can enhance your career prospects.
- learn strategies to stay relevant in today's (12) _____ world.
- gain insights into self-motivated learning and its benefits.
- be inspired by a culture of curiosity and growth.

Don't miss out on this opportunity to empower yourself for success! Reserve your spot now and embark on a journey of lifelong learning!

- Question 10: A. an B. a C. the D. Ø (no article)

- Question 11: A. continue B. continuous C. continuation D. continued

- Question 12: A. ever-changed B. changing-ever C. ever-changing D. changed-ever

Meet acclaimed author Jones Hansen at our exclusive meet and greet event!

- (13) _____ with the brilliant mind behind the groundbreaking book on lifelong learning.
- explore the author's journey and the inspiration behind their enlightening work.
- discover practical strategies to embrace lifelong learning in your daily life.
- enjoy an (14) _____ discussion and Q&A session with the author.
- meet (15) _____ individuals passionate about personal development.

Don't miss this opportunity to meet a thought leader in the field of lifelong learning! Limited seats available, so secure your ticket today!

- Question 13: A. encourage B. connect C. do D. face

- Question 14: A. interact B. interacting C. interactive D. interaction

- Question 15: A. like-mind B. liked-mind C. like-minding D. like-minded

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions.

Question 16:

- a. Secondly, lifelong learning also fosters creativity and innovation, leading to problem solving and critical thinking abilities.
 - b. Lifelong learning is crucial for personal growth and success.
 - c. By continuously seeking new knowledge and skills, people can enhance their careers and pursue their passions.
 - d. Firstly, it allows individuals to adapt to changes and seek new knowledge in the world around them and stay relevant in their fields.
 - e. Ultimately, embracing lifelong learning enables individuals to lead fulfilling and enriched lives.
- A. e-d-c-a-b B. e-c-d-b-a C. b-c-d-e-a D. b-d-c-a-e

Question 17:

- a. Secondly, I've been taking online courses to expand my skills and knowledge in areas like coding and digital marketing.
 - b. It's been a rewarding experience, and I highly recommend giving it a try! Take care,
 - c. Lastly, I've started journaling to reflect on my learning journey and track my progress.
 - d. Hey Nam, I hope you're doing well! I want to share with you how I've been adopting lifelong learning lately.
 - e. Firstly, I've been setting aside time each day to read books on various topics that interest me.
 - f. Moreover, I also make it a point to engage in discussions with experts and peers to gain different perspectives.
- A. d-e-f-c-a-b B. e-f-d-a-c-b C. d-e-a-f-c-b D. d-e-c-f-a-b

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 23.

In 2015 Doreetha Daniels received her associate degree in social sciences from College of the Canyons, in Santa Clarita, California. But Daniels wasn't a typical student: She was 99 years old. In the COC press release about her graduation, Daniels indicated that she wanted to get her degree simply to better herself; (18) _____ during that pursuit were a testament to her will, determination, and commitment to learning.

Few of us will pursue college degrees as nonagenarians, or even as mid-career professionals (though recent statistics indicate that increasing numbers of people are pursuing college degrees (19) _____). Some people never really liked school in the first place, sitting still at a desk for hours on end or suffering through (20) _____. And almost all of us have limits on our time and finances – due to kids, social organisations, work, and more - (21) _____.

As we age, though, learning isn't simply about earning degrees or attending (22) _____. Books, online courses, MOOCs, professional development programs, podcasts, and other resources have never been more abundant or accessible, (23) _____. Every day, each of us is offered the opportunity to pursue intellectual development in ways that are tailored to our learning style.

Adapted from: <https://hbr.org/2017/02/lifelong-learning-is-good-for-your-health-your-wallet-and-your-social-life>

- Question 18:** A. six years of her school B. her six years of school
C. her six schools of years D. six schools of her years
- Question 19:** A. at advancing ages B. in advanced ages
C. in advancing ages D. at advanced ages
- Question 20:** A. what seemed to be impractical courses
B. that seemed to be impractical courses
C. how seemed to be impractical courses
D. why seemed to be impractical courses
- Question 21:** A. who make additional formal education impractical or impossible
B. that make additional formal education practical or possible
C. that make additional formal education impractical or impossible
D. who make additional formal education practical or possible
- Question 22:** A. store institutions B. storying institutions
C. story institutions D. storied institutions
- Question 23:** A. make it easier than ever to make a habit of lifelong learning
B. making it easier than ever to make a habit of lifelong learning

- C. to make it easier than ever to make a habit of lifelong learning
- D. to making it easier than ever to make a habit of lifelong learning

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 24 to 28.

Continuous learning creates new career opportunities and helps individuals stay ahead of (24) _____ curve in today’s fast-paced world. Professionals can attend conferences, (25) _____ courses or read industry publications to stay up to date on the latest trends and developments in their field.

Lifelong learning has numerous mental health benefits as well. Learning new things can help boost self-confidence and self-esteem, and improve memory and cognitive function. Engaging in new challenges and learning experiences can also help reduce stress and anxiety by providing a (26) _____ of accomplishment and purpose.

Learning is fundamental to the advancement of human life. So let US embrace the pursuit of lifelong learning, not just for its practical benefits, but for the enrichment and growth it brings to our lives. The philosopher Seneca (27) _____ with writing a line that sums this all (28) _____ nicely: “As long as you live, keep learning how to live.”

Adapted from: <https://www.forbes.com/sites/forbesbusinesscouncil/2023/04/21/the-power-of-lifelong-learning-how-curiosity-forges-mastery/?sh=43ec92f56ce3>

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| Question 24: A. a | B. an | C. the | D. Ø |
| Question 25: A. set | B. get | C. make | D. take |
| Question 26: A. source | B. sense | C. growth | D. owner |
| Question 27: A. credits | B. is credited | C. credited | D. crediting |
| Question 28: A. up | B. in | C. on | D. of |

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 29 to 33.

Lifelong learning is an essential part of personal and professional development. It is a continuous process that helps individuals stay relevant in their fields, keep up with changes in trends and adapt to unclerness.

Curiosity is the spark that **ignites** the fire of learning. **It** is the desire to explore, question and discover new knowledge and experiences, which is required for lifelong learning. Albert Einstein is often credited with saying, “I have no special talents. I am only passionately curious.”

Curiosity is the fuel that makes individuals seek out new information, skills and perspectives.

Curious people listen and approach interactions with the hope of learning something valuable. When someone is sincerely interested in something, they tend to listen more closely - determined to uncover the facts, seek out answers and pile up deep knowledge along the way.

With more information and details at their disposal, they tend to be more motivated, more focused and, ultimately, more productive. Research also shows “curiosity to be associated with higher levels of positive emotions, lower levels of anxiety, and more satisfaction with life.” However, curiosity is only the driving force for the journey of lifelong learning.

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- Question 29:** What would be the best title for the passage?
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| A. The Importance of Lifelong Learning | B. The Benefits of Continuous Learning |
| C. Curiosity: The Key to Lifelong Learning | D. What is Lifelong Learning? |
- Question 30:** What does the passage suggest about lifelong learning?
- A. It is a process that individuals undergo only in their professional lives.
 - B. It is essential for adapting to changes in trends.
 - C. It is associated with lower levels of productivity.
 - D. It is irrelevant to personal development.
- Question 31:** The word “**ignite**” in paragraph 2 is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.
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| A. light | B. create | C. refuse | D. connect |
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- Question 32:** The word “**It**” in paragraph 2 refers to
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| A. spark | B. learning | C. curiosity | D. desire |
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- Question 33:** Which of the following is NOT true according to the passage?

- A. Curiosity is the desire to explore, question and discover new knowledge and experiences.
- B. Someone is sincerely interested in something so they tend to focus on it more closely.
- C. Curiosity is the factor that makes people want to acquire new information.
- D. Curiosity does not have any relation to the levels of anxiety.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 34 to 40.

In recent years, the educational landscape has undergone significant changes. These changes have prompted the trend toward student-centred learning and the focus of lifelong learning skills. Lifelong learning **transcends** traditional education, encouraging students to continuously seek knowledge, skills, and experiences throughout their lives.

Lifelong learning is an on going pursuit of knowledge, skills, and personal development throughout an individual’s life. **It**’s not confined to formal education and is often identified as self-motivated learning. The 21st century has seen a global shift into a knowledge-based economy as opposed to the labour-based economy of the previous century. As a result, lifelong learning is absolutely essential if an individual wants to thrive in the adult work-force.

The Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development explained in a 2019 report that “research suggests that, should current cutting-edge technology become widespread, 32% of current jobs are likely to see significant changes in how they are carried out and a further 14% of jobs could be completely automated.” This means that if working adults don’t learn and adapt to those changes, they will not be able to keep up with the evolving economy.

A vision for nurturing lifelong learners involves developing a classroom where every student leaves equipped with the tools, attitudes, and strength needed to thrive in an ever-changing world.

You can empower students to become lifelong learners, equipped with the skills and mindset needed for a dynamic and unknown future. By implementing strategies that promote curiosity, self-directed learning, and combining approaches, you can cultivate a culture of lifelong learning.

Adapted from: <https://www.studiesweekly.com/creating-a-passion-for-lifelong-learning/>

Question 34: What would be the best title for the passage?

- A. Lifelong Learning: Essential for the 21st Century Workforce
- B. Students with Lifelong Reading Skills
- C. Strategies to Become Lifelong Learners
- D. Technological Skills for Lifelong Learners

Question 35: What is the primary focus of the educational changes mentioned in the passage?

- A. teacher-centred learning
- B. lifelong learning skills
- C. standardised testing
- D. traditional education models

Question 36: The word “**transcends**” in paragraph 2 is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

- A. needs
- B. supports
- C. exceeds
- D. refuses

Question 37: The word “**It**” in paragraph 3 refers to _____.

- A. development
- B. life
- C. pursuit
- D. lifelong learning

Question 38: According to the passage, what is lifelong learning primarily characterised by?

- A. limited to formal education
- B. self-motivated learning
- C. skill-based training only
- D. short-term educational pursuits

Question 39: How can educators nurture lifelong learners, as suggested in the passage?

- A. by emphasising memorization and exam-taking skills
- B. by promoting standardised testing and more reading resources
- C. by using strategies that encourage curiosity and self-directed learning
- D. by restricting access to educational resources

Question 40: Which can be inferred from the passage?

- A. The economy in the 21st century is labour-based.
- B. Lifelong-learning is a term only used in formal education.
- C. People need to focus on lifelong learning to stay relevant in the evolving economy.
- D. There will be more new kinds of jobs in the future due to the technology development.