

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. author                      B. daughter                      C. taught                      D. laugh

Question 2. A. sprinkle                      B. drain                      C. tender                      D. garnish

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 following questions.

Question 3. A. industry                      B. understand                      C. engineer                      D. competition

Question 4. A. punctual                      B. flexible                      C. openness                      D. specific

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. Many ecotourism activities, like hiking and bird watching, allow visitors to enjoy \_\_\_\_\_.

A. nature                      B. shopping                      C. movies                      D. sports

Question 6. In the past, people \_\_\_\_\_ to the market, but now they \_\_\_\_\_ or ride motorbikes.

A. used to walk / drive                      B. use to walk / drove                      C. was walking / is driving                      D. were walking / drives

Question 7. This year's festival was \_\_\_\_\_ than last year, with more activities.

A. more exciting                      B. the most exciting                      C. most exciting                      D. as exciting

Question 8. If you \_\_\_\_\_ this button on the remote, the TV \_\_\_\_\_ on and we can start watching the show.

A. press/will turn                      B. pressing/will turns                      C. presses/turn                      D. will press/turns

Question 9. Tom and Mary are talking about the performance.

- Tom "You've got a lovely singing voice, Mary!"

- Mary: "\_\_\_\_\_"

A. It's all right.                      B. Congratulations!                      C. Don't mention it                      D. Thank you.

Question 10. The car \_\_\_\_\_ she has just bought is more reliable than her old one.

A. why                      B. who                      C. which                      D. where

Question 11. Life in the city is more \_\_\_\_\_ than that in the countryside.

A. bored                      B. full                      C. good                      D. modern

Question 12. I have \_\_\_\_\_ homework to do before the weekend.

A. less                      B. little                      C. few                      D. many

Read the following 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 13 to 16.

## FIRST AID BASICS

Knowing basic first aid can help in emergencies. Here's what you should do:

(13) \_\_\_\_ calm and assess the situation before acting.

If someone is bleeding, apply (14) \_\_\_\_ lean cloth to the wound.

Make sure someone is nearby to (15) \_\_\_\_ for help if needed.

(16) \_\_\_\_ any medical conditions to the emergency team when they arrive.

**Question 13.** A. Feel                      B. Move                      C. Run                      D. Stay

**Question 14.** A. The                      B. A                      C. An                      D. No article

**Question 15.** A. Call                      B. Find                      C. Ask                      D. Help

**Question 16.** A. Mention                      B. Mentioned                      C. Mentioning                      D. Mentions

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

**Question 17:** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

The holiday in Singapore last week was memorable but didn't go as smoothly as planned. \_\_\_\_\_.

a. Upon arriving at the safari park two hours later, it was discovered that it was closed for maintenance.

b. The situation began when the decision was made to visit the safari park.

c. Excitement about the trip was high, but the moment the hotel was left, it started raining.

A. b-c-a                      B. a-c-b                      C. c-b-a                      D. b-a-c

**Question 18:** Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

A. Then a local resident was asked for directions to another place of interest.

B. Initially, this park was considered a must-see for all nature enthusiasts.

C. The day ended with a return to the hotel, feeling quite sad and disappointed.

D. The visit included a lot of fun while exploring various animal exhibits.

**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 19 to 24.**

Good morning. Welcome to our Fun Science Program. This week we have received (19) \_\_\_\_\_ questions about life on the moon. We have talked to some experts and these are what we have found out. There is no water or air on the moon. It is all silent (20) \_\_\_\_\_ there is no air. Of course, there will be no music, no sounds. (21) \_\_\_\_\_ and no lakes. At night, it is very cold. The temperature (22) \_\_\_\_\_ down to 151°C below zero. But during the day, it rises to 100°C above zero.

There are great round holes on the moon. They are called craters. There are more than 30,000 of them. There are also high mountains. The highest mountains on the moon are about 26,000 feet or 8,000 meters.

And here is something very (23) \_\_\_\_\_ for you to know: on the moon, you weigh one sixth of what you weigh on the earth. If you weigh 50 kilos on the moon, you will weigh only a little more than 8 kilos. You will be able to jump very high, even higher than any high jump Olympic champions. You can take very long steps as well. And maybe you won't (24) \_\_\_\_\_ because one day on the moon lasts two weeks. So, is there life on the moon? I'll leave the question for you to answer yourselves in the group discussion.

**Question 19:** A. other                      B. much                      C. a lot of                      D. lots of

**Question 20:** A. but                      B. because                      C. so                      D. although

**Question 21:** A. There are rivers                      B. There isn't rivers                      C. There are no rivers                      D. There is no rivers

**Question 22:** A. go                      B. goes                      C. decrease                      D. decreases

**Question 23:** A. interested                      B. interesting                      C. interest                      D. interestingly

**Question 24:** A. very well sleep                      B. sleep very well                      C. sleep very good                      D. very good sleep

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

**Question 25:** "If I were you, I would apply for the job," Peter said to Tom.

- A. Peter told Tom to apply for the job.
- B. Peter advised Tom to apply for the job.
- C. Peter suggested that Tom should apply for the job.
- D. Peter told Tom that if he were him, he would apply for the job.

**Question 26:** In spite of not speaking English, Macron decided to settle in Melbourne.

- A. Macron wanted to settle in Melbourne though he didn't speak English.
- B. Although Macron didn't speak English, he decided to live in Melbourne.
- C. Macron decided to settle in Melbourne because he didn't speak English.
- D. Macron didn't speak English, and so he decided to live in Melbourne.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.

**Question 27:** I/ wish/ there/ not/ environmental/ problems/ city.

- A. I wish there weren't environmental problems in our city.
- B. I wish there aren't environmental problems in our city.
- C. I wish there hadn't environmental problems in our city.
- D. I wish there won't be environmental problems in our city.

**Question 28:** Brown/much/ rich/ than/ anyone else/I/known.

- A. Mr. Brown is much richest man than anyone else I have known.
- B. Mr. Brown is much richer than anyone else I have known.
- C. Mr. Brown is more richer than anyone else I have known.
- D. Mr. Brown is much more richer than anyone else I have known.

Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

**Question 29:** What will you do when you see this sign?

- A. This place is for parking.
- B. This is for parking your car.
- C. You must park your car here.
- D. You mustn't park your car in this area.



**Question 30:** What does this message say?

- A. Nail's racket will be repaired tomorrow.
- B. Neil cannot meet James tomorrow.
- C. Neil's tennis racket has been broken.
- D. Neil will lend James a racket tomorrow.

Notification
James, Neil rang. He can't play tennis with you tomorrow unless you lend him a racket because his is broken and can't be repaired.

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 following questions from 31 to 36.

One of the greatest security threats in the online world is computer hacking. Hackers are people who illegally enter systems. They may alter or delete information, steal private information, or spread viruses that can damage or destroy files. But how exactly can a hacker get into a system to do these things?

Most hackers use information called protocols that are built into computer software. These protocols allow computers to interact with one another. Protocols are sort of like computer police officers. When a computer connects to another system, the protocols check to see if the access is valid. The protocols can also determine how much information can be shared between the two systems. Hackers can manipulate the protocols to get unlimited access to a computer system.

In fact, just the act of entering a computer network is commonly considered passive hacking. Passive hackers get a rush from just being able to access a challenging system like a bank or military network. Another kind of hacker tries to do damage to a system. After hacking into systems, these hackers release viruses or alter, delete, or take information. Known as active hackers, they are the more dangerous of the two.

The easiest way to protect a system is with a good password. Long and unusual passwords are harder for hackers to guess. For even greater security, some online services now use "password-plus" systems. In this case, users first put in a password and then put in a second code that changes after the user **accesses** the site. Users either have special cards or devices that show them new code to use the next time. Even if a hacker steals the password, they won't have the code. Or if the hacker somehow gets the code, they still don't know the password.

**Question 31.** What should be the main title of the passage?

- A. Hackers and Computer Security
- B. Funny Things Hackers Do
- C. Famous Hackers
- D. Good Ways to Stop Hackers

**Question 32.** The word "threats" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. danger
- B. safety
- C. solution
- D. benefit

**Question 33.** What do hackers do to get into a computer?

- A. manipulating its codes
- B. replacing security programs
- C. making a new password
- D. spreading viruses

**Question 34.** Which of the following can NOT be inferred about active hackers?

- A. They make use of the hacked information.
- B. They deactivate the protocols in computers.
- C. They are more warning than passive ones.
- D. They take over the computers systematically

**Question 35.** What is the easiest way to protect a system?

- A. Using a long and unusual password
- B. Avoiding online services
- C. Sharing passwords
- D. Using the same password everywhere

**Question 36.** The word "**assesses**" in paragraph 4 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. designs
- B. forgets
- C. ignores
- D. invents

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, 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 37 to 40.**

A healthy diet is very important for good health. It includes a variety of foods such as fruits, vegetables, whole grains, and lean proteins. Eating more fruits and vegetables (37) \_\_\_\_\_. Whole grains, like brown rice and oats, (38) \_\_\_\_\_. Lean proteins, such as chicken and fish, help build strong muscles. It's also important to drink enough water and limit sugary snacks. Additionally, cooking at home can (39) \_\_\_\_\_. Making meals with fresh ingredients is a great way to control what we eat. Regular meals and snacks can (40) \_\_\_\_\_. By making these simple choices, we can feel better, have more energy, and stay healthy for a long time.

- A. helps our bodies get essential vitamins and minerals
- B. help us choose healthier ingredients
- C. provide energy and keep us full
- D. help keep our energy steady throughout the day

**Question 37.** \_\_\_\_\_. **Question 38.** \_\_\_\_\_. **Question 39.** \_\_\_\_\_. **Question 40.** \_\_\_\_\_.