1 Choose 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. (0.8 pt)

1. A. unique B. university C. unusual D. uniform
2. A. decisive B. repetitive C. competitive D. sensitive
3. A. danger B. anger C. occasion D. nation
4. A. mouth B. method C. birthday D. weather

2 Choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions. (0.4 pt)

5. A. national B. monument C. translation D. charity
6. A. sodality B. academic C. individual D. distribution

3 Choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following questions. (0.4 pt)

7. *Mum:* Finish this task before you go out. _____
   Son: Yes, I get it.
   A. Got it? B. Heard it? C. Seen it? D. Received it?
8. *Mai:* Hopefully, I will get a well-paid job after this vocational training course.
   Teacher: _____
   A. Never mind. B. I hope not. C. I hope so, too. D. I hope you like it.

4 Choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that is OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word in each of the following questions. (0.4 pt)

9. He has a challenging job, so he has to make every effort to do his best.
   A. difficult B. demanding C. easy D. interesting
10. My tablet has a lightweight aluminum case.
    A. bright B. heavy C. portable D. thick

5 Choose A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions. (0.8 pt)

11. Scientists suggest to build more natural reserves to protect wild endangered species.
    A. to build B. natural reserves C. protect D. endangered
12. The name of Earth, what is a Germanic word, means the "ground".
    A. name B. what C. word D. "ground"
13. They advised that we turned off our smartphones while they are charging to protect the battery.
    A. turned off B. while C. charging D. protect
14. Since three fourths of our planet's surface is covered with water, the amount of fresh water is just 3%.
    A. Since B. fourths C. is covered D. fresh water

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6 Read the text below and choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions. (1.0 pt)

Digital technologies have remarkably changed teenagers' life and work both positively and negatively. According to UNICEF, 71% of 15-24-year-olds are online and one third of Internet users are under 18 years old.

Teenagers benefit from the advances in technology. **They** have various devices like computers, tablets, smartphones, and applications to improve the ways they learn, broaden their relationships, and spend their leisure time. They have more opportunities to learn, get access to information, and use different communication channels inexpensively.

However, they also face many risks. First, there is a concern about children's physical and mental health. Statistics show that teens spend less time doing physical activities, and many more teens suffer from obesity, bone and eye problems. Moreover, teens are also **at risk** of visiting websites which promote self-harm or suicide. In fact, cyber-bullying on the Internet has become more serious than bullying at school.

Schools and parents should guide children so that they can use devices wisely and not become victims of those devices and technologies.

15. The passage is mainly about _____.
   - **A.** the benefits of digital technologies
   - **B.** the risks of digital technologies
   - **C.** the future of digital technologies
   - **D.** the pros and cons of digital technologies

16. What does the word "**They**" in paragraph 2 refer to?
   - **A.** Teenagers **B.** Devices **C.** Ways **D.** Activities

17. What does the writer say about ONE of the benefits of digital technologies?
   - **A.** Teens can change relationships frequently.
   - **B.** Teens spend more on communication costs.
   - **C.** Information is more available to teens.
   - **D.** Teens have more leisure activities.

18. What is the phrase "**at risk**" in paragraph 3 closest in meaning to?
   - **A.** in danger **B.** in fear **C.** by chance **D.** on occasion

19. What does the writer say about cyber-bullying?
   - **A.** It is more frequent now than in the past.
   - **B.** Bullying in cyber space is more serious than that offline.
   - **C.** There are more cases of bullying at school than in cyber space.
   - **D.** Cyber-bullying promotes suicide and self-harm.

7 Choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions. (2.6 pts)

20. It takes Earth, _____ is the fifth largest planet in the solar system, about 365 days to complete its orbit around the Sun.
   - **A.** that **B.** what **C.** which **D.** who

21. My friend recommended that I _____ think carefully of my real ability and interests before making a decision about my future career.
   - **A.** could **B.** should **C.** would **D.** must

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22. The seller suggested _____ I should buy a tablet instead of a laptop.
A. what B. me C. that D. which

23. The school counselor advised the students _____ stay up too late.
A. to B. not to C. that D. should

24. Parents may expect their children to study for a job _____ they like rather than one that their children like.
A. what B. whose C. when D. which

25. _____ academic subjects are important, students should also learn skills to prepare for their future career.
A. Although B. Because C. As D. Despite

26. I attended a course in teaching _____ I want to enter the teaching profession.
A. or B. so C. but D. since

27. Writing novels is a passion of my mum, _____ job is not at all related to writing.
A. who B. which C. whose D. what

28. I want to go straight to work after school; _____, most available vocational courses are not very practical.
A. because B. however C. although D. since

29. The headmaster had a long talk with Mai and Ann, _____ are having to make career choices soon.
A. which B. that C. whose D. who

30. The robot is _____ a smart vacuum cleaner _____ we feel it's worth the price.
A. so – that B. too – that C. such – that D. enough – that

31. The new smartphone has _____ many functions _____ it can replace many other devices like a camera or an iPod.
A. such – that B. too – that C. so – that D. enough – that

32. The local government has built a new nature reserve _____ they can preserve endangered animals in the area.
A. so that B. in order to C. although D. so as to

8 Choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of the sentences below. (0.8 pt)

33. Steve Jobs was famous as an American inventor, designer, and businessman. He was the co-founder of Apple Inc.
A. Steve Jobs was famous as an American inventor, designer, and businessman who was the co-founder of Apple Inc.
B. Steve Jobs was famous as an American inventor, designer, and businessman, who is the co-founder of Apple Inc.
C. Steve Jobs, who was the co-founder of Apple Inc., was famous as an American inventor, designer, and businessman.
D. Steve Jobs who was the co-founder of Apple Inc. was famous as an American inventor, designer, and businessman.

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