PRACTICE TEST 1

Time allotted: 90 minutes

I **Choose the word, phrase or sentence that best fits the space in each sentence or best answers the given question. Write A, B, C or D in the boxes on the answer sheet. (3.5 pts)**

1. Which word has the underlined part pronounced differently from that of the others?

A. sprained **B.** placed **C.** screamed **D.** cured

2. Which word has the underlined part pronounced differently from that of the others?

A. hacker **B.** balance **C.** contact **D.** remark

3. Which word has a different stress pattern from that of the others?

A. improve **B.** reduce **C.** outdoor **D.** distract

4. Which word has a different stress pattern from that of the others?

A. sympathy **B.** concentrate **C.** excitement **D.** introvert

5. ***Student A:*** I thought he was from Germany.
Student B: Actually, he lives there now, _____ his family is originally from Poland.

A. so **B.** but **C.** or **D.** and

6. ***Student A:*** _____ the middle of the exam, my mind went completely blank. It was a real challenge to remember anything.
Student B: That sounds stressful. How did you manage to finish it?

A. At **B.** On **C.** From **D.** In

7. ***Student A:*** What was it like _____ your first roller coaster?
Student B: I was terrified at first, but then I couldn't stop laughing.

A. in **B.** on **C.** at **D.** by

8. ***Student A:*** We should _____ for a small party next weekend.
Student B: Great idea! Who should we invite?

A. get down with **B.** get into **C.** get back on **D.** get together

9. ***Man:*** I interviewed a movie star _____ recently directed a new movie.
Woman: Wow! That's impressive. How was the interview?

A. which **B.** where **C.** who **D.** whom

10. ***Woman:*** Have you made a reservation for us at the restaurant?
Man: Not yet. But I _____ it as soon as possible.

A. will do **B.** am doing **C.** was doing **D.** have done

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11. ***Student A:*** How does Emma spend her weekends?

Student B: She is an _____ so she enjoys going out with friends and attending events.

A. extrovert B. introvert

C. pessimist D. optimist

12. ***Student A:*** Did you see the park after the renovation?

Student B: Yes, they _____ a small empty lot into a beautiful garden.

A. transported B. transformed

C. transferred D. translated

13. ***Student A:*** How was your first day of secondary school?

Student B: _____

Which sentence best answers the question?

A. My timetable has three maths lessons a week.

B. I made some new friends, so it went really well.

C. I think the library has over a thousand books.

D. I tried a new ice cream flavour yesterday.

14. ***Student:*** People walked or rode horses then.

Teacher: _____

Which question is appropriate?

A. Did people walk or ride horses then?

B. Was transport in the past different from that today?

C. What was transport in the past?

D. How was transport in the past?

Look at the sign or the notice. Choose the best answer for questions 15 and 16. Write A, B, C or D in the boxes on the answer sheet. (0.5 pt)

15.

What does the sign say?

A. This bottle is created specifically for men.

B. During pregnancy, women should not drink this.

C. Doctors recommend this drink to pregnant women.

D. This drink is considered safe for pregnant women.

16. What does the notice tell us?

A. These necklaces are suitable for giving as presents.

B. The highest price of these necklaces is $15.

C. The necklaces are made of gold and gemstones.

D. These necklaces are old-fashioned but cool.

Beautiful Necklaces for Sale

Elegant silver and gemstone necklaces starting from $15. Perfect for gifts or personal wear. Visit us today and choose your favourite piece!

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III Choose the word (A, B, C or D) that best fits each space in the following passage from a report on the role of the Internet in education. (1.5 pts)

The role of the Internet in education has significantly increased (17) _____ the past decade. Students can now download educational materials, attend online classes and (18) _____ in local and global discussions. Social media has also become an important tool for connecting them with peers and instructors fast and effectively when on group projects. In the past, students had to (19) _____ mainly on resources in llbraries, but now they know how to stream lectures easily and access information at (20) _____ time. Online platforms have improved learning by offering instant access to a (21) _____ range of content. Many students have already benefited from these advances, as they have used the Internet to make (22) _____ for presentations in class and complete assignments more efficiently. As a result, education has become more flexible and accessible than ever before.

17.	**A.** over	**B.** from	**C.** about	**D.** in
18.	**A.** accommodate	**B.** communicate	**C.** participate	**D.** determinate
19.	**A.** value	**B.** receive	**C.** belong	**D.** rely
20.	**A.** some	**B.** any	**C.** little	**D.** much
21.	**A.** wide	**B.** broad	**C.** deep	**D.** high
22.	**A.** inventions	**B.** decisions	**C.** preparations	**D.** combinations

IV Read the following passage . Decide whether the statements from 23 to 26 are True or False, and choose the correct answers (A, B, C or D) for questions 27 and 28. (1.5 pts)

Eating a healthy diet is very important for everyone. When we eat healthy food, our bodies feel stronger, and we have more energy. A healthy diet means eating the right number of different foods every day.

To have a healthy diet, we should eat fruit and vegetables often. They give us vitamins, minerals, and fibre, which help our bodies work well. Try to eat many different colours of fruit and vegetables, like apples, carrots, bananas and broccoli. This helps us get many good nutrients.

It is also important to eat some foods with protein, like chicken, fish, eggs, beans and nuts. Protein helps us build strong muscles and bones. Don't forget to eat whole grains, such as brown rice, whole wheat bread and oats. Whole grains give us energy and keep us feeling full.

We should drink enough water every day, about six to eight glasses. Water helps our

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bodies stay healthy and keeps our skin looking good.

Try not to eat too much sugar, salt or fat. These foods can be bad for our health if we eat them every day. Although fast food, chips and sweets taste good, they are not healthy if eaten too often.

Eating well is not difficult. Just remember to choose healthy foods, drink water and eat a variety of fruit and vegetables. If we eat healthy food, we will feel better and be happier.

23. Eating well means eating more healthy food and stopping eating fast food absolutely.

24. Foods with protein are unnecessary as vegetables are more important.

25. Drinking water every day is important since it helps us improve our complexion.

26. It's hard for us to practise a healthy diet because it requires careful planning.

27. What is the main idea of the passage?

A. The necessity for having a healthy diet **B.** The importance of eating vegetables

C. The feeling of eating too much **D.** The difficulty of eating well

28. Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the text?

A. Eating plenty of fruits and vegetables is key to a healthy diet.

B. Fresh fruit is a better choice for dessert than cake or ice cream.

C. By choosing healthy food, we gain strength and energy.

D. When we eat nutritious food, our mood improves, and we feel healthier.

V Use the correct form of the word given in each sentence. (1.5 pts)

29. It's important to listen _____ when a friend is going through a hard time. (sympathy)

30. The archaeologists accidentally _____ a rare artefact while they were examining the site. (earth)

31. Sustainable shopping promotes mindful _____ and reduces environmental impact. (consume)

32. At first, I was rather _____ about trying the new restaurant, but the food turned out to be amazing. (hesitate)

33. As a _____ he preferred to follow social trends rather than stand out. (conform)

34. They stayed in a(n) _____ five-star hotel with ocean views and 24-hour room service. (luxury)

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VI Look at the entry of the word 'transport' in a dictionary. Use what you can get from the entry to complete each of the sentences with two or three words. (0.5 pt)

transport /ˈtrænspɔːt/ *noun*

The travel or shipment of goods and individuals from one location to another

Back in my childhood, the only ***public transport*** *available in our town was a small bus.*

Before the tourists landed, the travel agency had ***arranged transport*** *from the airport to the hotel.*

By 2010, the government had completed several ***transport infrastructure*** *projects.*

The bicycle was a ***means of transport*** *I used every day as a student.*

35. The volunteers _____ to deliver supplies to the remote village yesterday.

36. New technologies helped create more efficient _____ across the region.

VII Rewrite each of the following sentences in another way so that it means almost the same as the sentence printed before it. (1.0 pt)

37. The last time I spoke to him was during our argument last month.

➲ I haven't _____.

38. The decision was so difficult that he couldn't sleep properly for days.

➲ It _____.

39. If he doesn't follow his dream career, he will regret it later in life.

➲ Unless _____.

40. Hoa became involved in photography when she received her first camera as a gift.

➲ Hoa got _____.

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