

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 from 1 to 2.

**Question 1:** A. doubteded      B. weddeded      C. connecteded      D. passeded

**Question 2:** A. exhhaustive      B. household      C. hometown      D. handwriting

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 each of the following questions from 3 to 4.

**Question 3:** A. answer      B. reply      C. singer      D. future

**Question 4:** A. intentional      B. optimistic      C. environment      D. participant

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 5 to 12.

**Question 5:** The Missouri River is the \_\_\_\_\_ river in the United States, so it is important for transport.

A. most long      B. longer      C. longest      D. the longer

**Question 6:** Tram Chim National Park is \_\_\_\_\_ many rare birds, so tourists visit it to watch wildlife safely.

A. covered with      B. home to      C. different from      D. keen on

**Question 7:** Divorce was uncommon in my grandparents' time because of \_\_\_\_\_ hardship and strong social pressure.

A. economical      B. economy      C. economics      D. economic

**Question 8:** Tien asks Jake about the club schedule.

Tien: "I'm thinking of joining the book club. \_\_\_\_\_"

Jake: "We meet twice a week, on Mondays and Fridays."

A. What time do you usually start the meeting?      B. Where do you normally hold the meetings?

C. Do you enjoy the meetings so far? D. How often do the club members meet?

**Question 9:** We usually go for a walk in \_\_\_\_\_ afternoon when it's not too hot.

A. a B. an C. any D. the

**Question 10:** People in the countryside \_\_\_\_\_ up early to work on the farm.

A. get B. got C. will get D. getting

**Question 11:** If people recycle more, they \_\_\_\_\_ less rubbish in the streets.

A. produce B. must produce C. would produce D. produced

**Question 12:** The old rules were too strict \_\_\_\_\_ students comfortable, so the school changed them.

A. make B. making C. to make D. to making

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.

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**Question 13:** A. ways B. types C. varieties D. brands

**Question 14:** A. shock B. exchange C. change D. shift

**Question 15:** A. in B. on C. at D. for

**Question 16:** A. all B. most C. many D. each

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.

Old photos or songs can bring back memories and shape how we see our experiences today. (17) \_\_\_\_\_ When we share these stories, we often understand our family and friends more deeply. (18) \_\_\_\_\_ Because of this, remembering the past can help us grow in a calmer way.

**Question 17:** Choose the sentence that best **FITS** the blank.

- A. Some museums display old objects so tourists can take photos and buy gifts.
- B. Many people keep diaries because they want to practice writing every morning.
- C. Sometimes one small detail can suddenly connect a feeling to a specific moment.
- D. Teenagers usually prefer new music because it feels more exciting and modern.

**Question 18:** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

- a. Even painful memories can later become useful lessons.
- b. At the same time, we should not only remember success and forget hard times.
- c. If we accept both sides, our experiences can feel more honest and meaningful.

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

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.

In the coming decade, the traditional classroom will undergo a major transformation due to digital innovation. Students will no longer rely solely on printed textbooks; instead, they will use tablets and virtual reality headsets to explore complex subjects. This shift allows learners to incorporate interactive 3D models into their studies, making lessons more engaging. (19) \_\_\_\_\_, teachers will act more as facilitators, guiding students through personalized learning paths rather than just delivering lectures.

To succeed in this environment, students take (20) \_\_\_\_\_ for their own progress. They must learn how to manage their digital tools effectively to avoid distractions. Some students find that the new technology is (21) \_\_\_\_\_ without a few days of practice. However, once they get used to it, they can (22) \_\_\_\_\_.

For the schools (23) \_\_\_\_\_, investing in high-speed internet and modern devices is essential. Students (24) \_\_\_\_\_ use these resources wisely to prepare for a future where technology is everywhere. Overall, the classroom of the future offers endless possibilities for those ready to embrace change.

**Question 19:** A. However                      B. Nevertheless                      C. Otherwise                      D. As a result

**Question 20:** A. responsively    B. responsibility    C. responsible    D. responsibly

**Question 21:** A. master to quite difficult    B. quite difficult to master  
C. difficult quite to master    D. to quite master difficult

**Question 22:** A. learn more quickly    B. more learn quickly  
C. quickly learn more    D. learn quickly more

**Question 23:** A. that use AI    B. where AI use    C. AI that use    D. where use AI

**Question 24:** A. shall    B. must    C. ought    D. will

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 from 25 to 26.

**Question 25:** "Please raise your hands when I call your names," the teacher said to the students.

- A. The teacher asked the students to raise their hands when she called their names.
- B. The teacher told the students raise their hands when she called their names.
- C. The teacher asked the students raising their hands when she called their names.
- D. The teacher said the students to raise their hands when she called their names.

**Question 26:** "Please, open the door!" she begged the guard.

- A. She begged the guard to open the door to go.    B. She begged the guard to open the door.
- C. She ordered the guard to open the door politely.    D. She begged with the guard opening the door.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best made from the given cues in each of the following questions from 27 to 28.

**Question 27:** I / wish / students / check / information / before / they / submit / assignments.

- A. I wish students checked information before they submitted assignments.
- B. I wish students check information before they submit assignments.
- C. I wish students will check information before they submit assignments.
- D. I wish students can check information before submit assignments.

**Question 28:** It's / waste / time / comparing / prices / in a hurry / because / you / might / choose / the wrong item.

- A. It's a waste of time comparing prices in a hurry because you might choose the wrong item.
- B. It's waste of time comparing prices in a hurry because you might choose the wrong item.
- C. It's a waste time comparing prices in a hurry because you might choose the wrong item.
- D. It's a waste of time to comparing prices in a hurry because you might choose the wrong item.

Read the following notice or message 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 29 to 30.

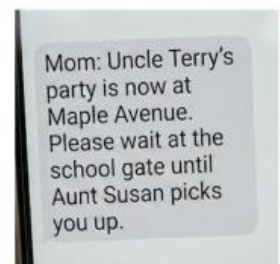
**Question 29:** What does the notice mean?

- A. You get ten percent off when you buy two items together.
- B. You get ten percent off if you buy anything before noon.
- C. You must buy three items to receive one free item.
- D. The discount is only for members who show a card.



**Question 30:** What does the message mean?

- A. Go to Maple Avenue alone because the party starts soon and is far.
- B. Wait at the school gate and go with Aunt Susan to the new place.
- C. Call Uncle Terry and tell him you cannot go because it changed place.
- D. Take the bus to Maple Avenue and meet Aunt Susan at the party door.



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.

### Too Connected to Sleep

Doctors in many countries are seeing the same problem among teenagers: young people who feel tired during the day and cannot sleep well at night. In many cases, the cause is not illness. It is their phone. Studies show that many teenagers check their devices right before going to bed. The light from screens tells the brain to stay awake, making it hard for the body to rest. Over time, bad sleep affects mood, memory, and the ability to learn.

What makes this habit hard to break is that phones are built to keep people coming back. Apps send notifications and update all the time. For teenagers, ignoring these signals can feel almost **compulsive**, like

something they cannot control. Many young people say they want to put their phone down but pick it up again without really thinking about it. This is not just about willpower. It is about how these apps are designed to hold attention.

Some schools and families have started setting simple rules, such as no phones in bedrooms after a certain hour. Teenagers who sleep better tend to feel **calmer** and do better in school. Small changes like charging a phone in another room or reading before bed can already help a lot. The goal is not to take technology away from young people. It is to make sure it does not take over the parts of life that matter most.

**Question 31:** Which of the following is **FALSE** according to the passage?

- A. Screen light can make it harder for the body to rest
- B. Some teenagers check their phones before going to sleep
- C. Bad sleep may influence learning, mood, and memory
- D. Most sleep problems in teenagers are caused by illness

**Question 32:** The word "**compulsive**" in the second paragraph is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. careful
- B. uncontrollable
- C. confident
- D. important

**Question 33:** The word "**calmer**" in the third paragraph is **OPPOSITE** in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. happier
- B. healthier
- C. anxious
- D. creative

**Question 34:** According to the second paragraph, why is the habit of checking phones hard to stop?

- A. Because teenagers believe that notifications provide essential daily information.
- B. Because students lack the willpower to follow their parents' strict rules.
- C. Because applications are engineered to keep users constantly coming back.
- D. Because teenagers are afraid of missing out on important social updates.

**Question 35:** What can be inferred about the author's view on technology usage?

- A. Digital devices should be completely prohibited from teenagers' daily lives.
- B. Technological tools are the primary cause of all modern teenage illnesses.
- C. Using technology intentionally is better than letting it dominate one's life.
- D. Schools should be solely responsible for managing teenagers' screen time.

**Question 36:** Which of the following best summarises the main content of the passage?

- A. The scientific reasons why artificial light from screens causes physical illness.
- B. The impact of smartphone habits on sleep and strategies for healthier balance.
- C. The psychological pressure that teenagers face from using social media apps.
- D. The role of schools in teaching students how to manage their digital devices.

**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.**

Every culture has traditions that have been passed down for hundreds of years. In Vietnam, these include things like worshipping ancestors, wearing áo dài on special days, and gathering as a family during Tết. Many people believe that keeping these customs alive is important because they give people a sense of who they are (37) \_\_\_\_\_. When a tradition disappears, something quietly disappears with it too, something that cannot easily be brought back.

At the same time, not every old custom fits comfortably into modern life. Some traditional practices cost a lot of money, take many days to prepare, or ask (38) \_\_\_\_\_. In some rural communities, large wedding ceremonies can put real financial pressure on families who cannot afford them but feel they cannot say no. When a tradition causes more stress than joy, it is fair to ask whether it still serves the people who practise it.

Perhaps the answer is not a choice between keeping everything and letting everything go. Traditions can change slowly and still survive. (39) \_\_\_\_\_. A community might update a festival to be more welcoming to outsiders and still keep its meaning. (40) \_\_\_\_\_. The heart of a custom can stay alive even when the details around it change.

- A. women to take on roles that younger generations find outdated
- B. and where they come from
- C. A family might celebrate Tết in a smaller, quieter way and still feel deeply connected to their roots
- D. What matters most is not the exact form a tradition takes, but the care and intention behind it

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