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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. lonely B. chalk C. level D. lemon

Question 2. A. passage B. courage C. message D. engage

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 3. "If I were you, I would start jogging every morning," the doctor said.

A. The doctor advised me to start jogging every morning.

B. The doctor advises if he is me, he will start jogging every morning.

C. The doctor advises me not to start jogging every morning.

D. The doctor advised me that he should start jogging every morning.

Question 4. There is no reason why people ignore early warnings about hurricanes.

A. There is no reason of which people ignore early warnings about hurricanes.

B. There is no reason in that people ignore early warnings about hurricanes.

C. There is no reason for which people ignore early warnings about hurricanes.

D. There is no reason of that people ignore early warnings about hurricanes.

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 people take up photography as a hobby to ___ special moments in their daily lives.

A. record B. collect C. capture D. draw

Question 6. Electric cars are becoming ___ friendly than petrol cars because they produce fewer emissions.

A. least environmentally

B. more environmentally

C. less environmentally

D. most environmentally

Question 7. I wish our school ___ better sound equipment and a bigger hall for drama club rehearsals.

A. has

B. will have

C. had

D. have

Question 8. Talking to a school counselor can be an effective way to deal with academic _____.

A. progress

B. pressure

C. success

D. decision

Question 9. After school, Nam tells Hoa about his problem.

Nam: "I lost my science project report this morning."

Hoa: "Oh no! _____"

A. That's great news for you.

B. I'm really sorry to hear that.

C. That's really fortunate.

D. I hope you win a prize for that.

Question 10. Many tourists bring reusable water bottles _____ reduce plastic waste.

A. so as to

B. so that

C. in order that

D. although

Question 11. Minh told his parents that he would visit his grandparents _____.

A. next day

B. the day before

C. the following day

D. previous day

Question 12. She's really _____ of collecting stamps and has a large album full of amazing stamps.

A. interested

B. keen

C. fond

D. excited

Read the following guideline 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.

🐾 WHAT TO DO IF YOU FIND A LOST CAT OR DOG

Finding a cat or dog wandering alone can be worrying - but your actions can make a real difference.

- If you see an animal in need, (13) ___ report the situation to your local animal shelter or authority.

- Try to take a photo and note where you found the animal. Keep the animal in a quiet place if possible, away from traffic and noise.
- Be gentle and stay (14) _____ a safe distance to avoid scaring it.
- Some shelters have online forms you can (15) _____. These systems make reporting cases faster and easier for the public.
- (16) _____ you follow the correct steps, the animal won't have a chance of finding its way home.

- Question 13. A. quicker B. quickly C. quickness D. quick
 Question 14. A. up B. on C. to D. in
 Question 15. A. look after B. make up C. pass down D. fill out
 Question 16. A. While B. If C. Although D. Unless

Read the article and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from Question 17 to Question 22.

Bright Ideas, Real Change

Creating innovative school projects doesn't just mean building something cool - it means solving real problems with purpose. The best student projects begin with one big question: How can we make life better with science and technology?

Start with a Purpose

Every successful project starts with a clear goal. Whether the topic is saving energy, improving classroom air quality, or designing smart tools, students first need to define what they want to achieve. A strong plan is key. It helps guide each step and makes sure the idea stays on track.

Think Practical

After setting the goal, it's time to design. The most impressive inventions don't just look good - they work in everyday life. One student team created a device that adjusted light levels automatically. This idea didn't just sound smart - it was useful and effective in real classrooms.

Use the Right Tools

Modern science projects often use digital tools. In one project, students used an Arduino board, a small computer that helped them program and test their prototype. It allowed them to see how their invention performed in different conditions.

Share Your Work

It's not enough for students to build a great project - **they** must communicate their work clearly. At the school science fair, teams presented their ideas **confidently**, answered questions thoughtfully, and impressed both judges and classmates.

Make It Count

What made these projects **valuable** wasn't just the tech - it was the purpose. One model helped solve classroom lighting issues. It showed how student ideas, when guided by a real goal, can lead to real change.

Question 17. What is the main idea of the article?

- A. School science fairs are fun for students.
- B. Science tools are more useful than ideas.
- C. Projects need design, purpose, and teamwork.
- D. Students should only focus on air quality.

Question 18. Why is planning an important step in student projects?

- A. It helps the team save more time.
- B. It gives the project clear direction.
- C. It makes the invention look nicer.
- D. It helps students work better together.

Question 19. What is one way students tested their invention?

- A. They read articles about science.
- B. They found help from online tools.
- C. They used a small digital board.
- D. They asked teachers to review it.

Question 20. What does the word "**they**" in the article refer to?

- A. students
- B. projects
- C. judges
- D. teachers

Question 21. The word "**confidently**" in the article is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

- A. with proud expression
- B. with nervous feeling
- C. with weak eye contact
- D. without body language

Question 22. The word “valuable” in the article is **OPPOSITE** in meaning to _____.

- A. smart in design
B. helpful in real life
C. strong in function
D. useless in real life

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 23 to 28.

Traditions and Technology Together

Last month, I visited Phú Đô noodle village, a place well-known for its rice noodle production. It was not just (23) _____ ordinary trip. It was a learning experience where I discovered how traditional values and modern techniques can work together.

The villagers still follow customs passed down for generations, including the use of bamboo trays and sun drying. These are parts of Phu Do’s lifestyle, (24) _____ many young people today may not well know about. What impressed me most is how they’ve added a simple (25) _____ system to remove waste water before it goes into nature. It helps keep the environment cleaner while keeping the old noodle-making process alive.

They also use (26) _____ shelves and large stone grinding tools, showing both beauty and function in daily life.

I learned that producing rice noodles requires not only skill but also respect for the environment. The villagers work hard to maintain their traditions, but they adopt technology when needed. Some steps are fast and modern, while others are slow and handmade. (27) _____, both methods aim to protect the village’s future.

Visiting Phú Đô (28) _____ me a deeper understanding of how culture and innovation can support each other. It truly was an unforgettable experience.

- Question 23.** A. the B. no article C. an D. a
Question 24. A. whose B. which C. that D. where
Question 25. A. filtered B. filter C. to filter D. filtering
Question 26. A. wooden long drying B. drying long wooden
 C. long wooden drying D. long drying wooden
Question 27. A. However B. Because C. Similarly D. Unless
Question 28. A. have given B. is giving C. give D. gave

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 29. That/ temple/ be/ ancient/ that/ historian/ study/ for/ year.

- A. That temple is so ancient that historians have studied it for years.
B. That temple is such ancient that historians have studied it for years.
C. That temple is such an ancient that historians have studied it for years.
D. That temple is so an ancient that historians have studied it for years.

Question 30. Community project/ succeed/ many/ challenge.

- A. The community project succeeded in spite many challenges.
B. The community project succeeded although many challenges.
C. The community project succeeded; however, many challenges.
D. The community project succeeded despite many challenges.

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 31. What does this sign mean?

- A. You should walk slowly and carefully here.
B. Running is not allowed in this area.
C. You must run quickly to leave this place.
D. Running in this area is allowed.



Question 32. What should customers do in this area?

- A. Walk around while waiting to pay for items.
B. Go straight to the exit without paying.
C. Stand in a line here to make their payment.
D. Pick up more products before queuing.

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.

Question 33. A. physical B. creative C. important D. successful

Question 34. A. mistake B. escape C. remove D. cancel

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 35 to 36.

Question 35. Put the sentences (a–c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical paragraph.

Nam began noticing that the canal near his neighborhood was filled with plastic waste and had a terrible smell.

a. After researching the issue, Nam found out that the trash came from nearby houses and that it was polluting the water and killing fish.

b. He also decided to create posters to raise awareness and started a clean-up club at school with his classmates.

c. Every weekend, they picked up trash, talked to local residents, and encouraged families to stop dumping waste into the canal.

A. a – c – b

B. b – a – c

C. c – b – a

D. a – b – c

Question 36. Choose the best concluding sentence for the story.

A. Their efforts were fun, but the canal stayed dirty and full of plastic waste.

B. Their clean-up took time, but the trash kept coming back every single week.

C. Their group worked hard at first, but no one really noticed any difference.

D. Their actions helped improve the canal and the area became much cleaner.

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.

Live Earthquake Coverage

We are reporting live from the northern region, where a powerful earthquake has just struck. Roads are cracked, homes have collapsed, and people are running outside in fear. (37) _____, the situation could be far more tragic.

Authorities are urging people to stay calm and follow emergency instructions. (38) _____

Rescue teams have already begun their search efforts, and help is pouring in from neighboring provinces. (39) _____

(40) _____, families are gathering in open fields, away from unstable buildings, waiting for updates.

The situation remains tense, but there's also a sense of community as volunteers distribute water and blankets. We'll continue bringing updates as more information comes in. Stay safe, and stay tuned.

A. While aftershocks are still being reported in nearby towns

B. If the local government didn't invest in emergency training

C. Before that, the mayor announced that they would set up emergency shelters across the city.

D. As a result, thousands of residents are being moved to temporary shelters in safer areas.

Question 37. _____ Question 38. _____ Question 39. _____ Question 40. _____

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