

PRACTICE TEST 9

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. method B. website C. suggest D. explain

Question 2. A. nuclear B. include C. society D. common

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 3. A. effect B. marriage C. single D. luggage

Question 4. A. computer B. generate C. assistant D. connection

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. She chose to be a _____ after the birth of her second child, focusing on raising the children.

A. manager B. breadwinner C. housewife D. worker

Question 6. The town _____ my grandparents grew up had no electricity or running water.

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

Question 7. The staff asked us _____ quietly in the library and not to disturb others.

A. read B. reading C. to read D. reads

Question 8. My dog is _____ friendly than my cat, which often hides from visitors.

A. less B. more C. very D. as

Question 9. Scientists _____ the patterns of hurricanes for over a decade.

A. were studied B. have studied C. was studying D. has studied

Question 10. *Two friends are planning a weekend outing.*

An: Do you think we should go hiking this Saturday? - Mike: Absolutely! _____

A. Oh, I don't like hiking at all. B. I'm not very sporty.
C. I really miss the one I had in Paris! D. That sounds like a great idea.

Question 11. Can you buy _____ bread from the store on your way home?

A. a few B. many C. any D. some

Question 12. John is _____ the financial report, so he will present it at the meeting.

A. unaware of B. in charge of C. bored with D. tired of

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.

Instructions for using the library

Enter quietly: Keep noise to a minimum to maintain a (13) _____ environment for all users.

Use reading areas: Choose (14) _____ quiet area to read or study. Respect others' need for silence.

Follow library rules: Follow any posted rules regarding food, drinks, and phone usage.

Ask for help: Don't hesitate (15) _____ librarians for assistance with research or finding specific materials.

Return on time: Make sure to return borrowed items by their (16) _____ date to avoid fines.

Enjoy your time at the library

Question 13. A. dangerous B. boring C. noisy D. peaceful

Question 14. A. x (no article) B. a C. the D. an

Question 15. A. ask B. to asking C. to ask D. asking

Question 16. A. due B. late C. early D. soon

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.

Yesterday, I had an exciting day at the amusement park. _____.

- a. After our adventurous day, we sat down to enjoy delicious ice cream together, laughing and sharing stories about our favourite rides.
- b. I bought tickets at the entrance and happily entered the park with my friends.
- c. We rushed to the roller coaster, and as we climbed to the top, the thrill of the ride made our hearts race with excitement!

A. a - b - c

B. c - a - b

C. c - b - a

D. b - c - a

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

- A. First, I checked the weather to make sure it would be a sunny day for our trip to the amusement park.
- B. Before we went to the amusement park, I woke up early and had a big breakfast to get ready for the day.
- C. It was a great way to finish a fun day with friends, making happy memories that we will always remember.
- D. To begin my day, I excitedly picked out my favourite outfit to wear to the amusement park.

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.

Choosing a career is an important decision in life. Many people (19) _____ having a job that makes them happy and successful. For example, some individuals want to become teachers. They love to help students learn and grow. (20) _____ people may choose to be doctors because they enjoy taking care of others and making them healthy. A career in technology is also popular, as many enjoy working with computers and creating new software.

When deciding on a career, it's essential to think about what (21) _____ at and what you enjoy doing. Some people prefer working with their hands, (22) _____ others like to work with ideas and information. It can be helpful to talk to friends and family about their jobs. This way, you can learn about different careers and what they involve.

Finally, (23) _____ through internships or volunteer work is a great way to explore a career choice. This experience can help you understand what you want and (24) _____. Remember, choosing a career is about finding a job that fits you best!

Question 19. A. afraid of

B. fond of

C. dream of

D. proud of

Question 20. A. The other

B. Other

C. Another

D. Others

Question 21. A. are good you

B. good are you

C. are you good

D. you are good

Question 22. A. thus

B. however

C. while

D. even

Question 23. A. realizing experience

B. scoring experience

C. gaining experience

D. reaching experience

Question 24. A. make a better decision

B. make a better selection

C. make a better opinion

D. make a better determination

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. He asked, "Do you think about working in healthcare in the future?"

- A. He asked if I thought about working in healthcare in the future.
- B. He asked if I think I will work in healthcare in the future.
- C. He asked if you thought I would work in healthcare in the future.
- D. He asked if I work in healthcare in the future.

Question 26. How about going to the summer fair this weekend?

- A. Why don't we go to the summer fair this weekend?
- B. How about go to the summer fair this weekend?

- C. Why not going to the summer fair this weekend?
- D. Why we don't go to the summer fair this weekend?

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. She/ studied/ hard/ pass/ exam/ top marks.

- A. She studied so hard but she passed the exam with top marks.
- B. She studied so hard that she passed the exam with top marks.
- C. She studied hard that she passed the exam with top marks.
- D. Although she studied hard, she passed the exam with top marks.

Question 28. She/ suggests/ explore/ the local markets/ city/ taste authentic street food

- A. She suggests that explore the local markets in the city to taste authentic street food.
- B. She suggests that exploring the local markets in the city to taste authentic street food.
- C. She suggests exploring the local markets in the city to taste authentic street food.
- D. She suggests to exploring the local markets in the city to taste authentic street food.

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 does the sign say?



- A. You need to sit close to each other.
- B. You need to stand at a distance of at least 2 metres.
- C. You have to stand next to each other for 2 metres.
- D. You cannot stand here.

Question 30. What does the sign say?



- A. You must wear hand protection in this area.
- B. You must have eye protection in this area.
- C. You must wear ear protection in this area.
- D. You must wear head protection in this area.

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.

The Amazon Rainforest is the largest tropical rainforest in the world, covering parts of several countries, including Brazil, Peru, and Colombia. This incredible **ecosystem** is home to millions of species of plants and animals, many of which are not found anywhere else on Earth. The Amazon plays a crucial role in regulating the global climate by absorbing carbon dioxide and producing oxygen.

The rainforest is often called the "lungs of the planet" because of its ability to provide a significant amount of the world's oxygen. However, the Amazon Rainforest is facing serious threats from deforestation, logging, and agriculture. These activities not only destroy the habitat of countless species but also contribute to climate change. Protecting the Amazon is essential for maintaining biodiversity and ensuring a healthy planet for future generations.

Many organisations are working to protect the Amazon Rainforest by promoting sustainable practices, which means using resources in ways that do not **harm** the environment or deplete them for future generations. People can help by supporting conservation efforts and reducing their use of products that contribute to deforestation.

Question 31. What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. The Amazon Rainforest is the largest rainforest in the world.
- B. The Amazon Rainforest is essential for global climate regulation.

C. The Amazon Rainforest is home to many unique species.

D. The Amazon Rainforest faces threats from human activities.

Question 32. The word “ecosystem” in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

A. environment

B. community

C. habitat

D. landscape

Question 33. According to the passage, what is one of the important functions of the Amazon Rainforest?

A. It covers only Brazil.

B. It is home to all species found on Earth.

C. It helps regulate the global climate.

D. It produces more carbon dioxide than oxygen.

Question 34. According to the passage, why is the Amazon Rainforest called the "lungs of the planet"?

A. It provides a significant amount of the world's food.

B. It produces a large amount of the world's oxygen.

C. It absorbs all the carbon dioxide from the atmosphere.

D. It is home to many animals that breathe oxygen.

Question 35. Why is protecting the Amazon Rainforest important, according to the passage?

A. It prevents the spread of agriculture.

B. It provides food for many countries.

C. It helps maintain biodiversity and supports a healthy planet.

D. It increases the amount of land available for farming.

Question 36. The word “harm” in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

A. respect

B. damage

C. spoil

D. misuse

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.

New York City is often called "The Big Apple" and is one of the most iconic cities in the world. (37) _____. Visitors come from all over to see its famous landmarks, such as the Statue of Liberty and Times Square.

One of the best ways to experience the city is by walking through Central Park, (38) _____. You can also enjoy the beautiful scenery, have a picnic, or even rent a boat on the lake. The park is a peaceful escape from the busy streets surrounding it.

New York City is also known for its diverse food scene, (39) _____. Whether you prefer grabbing a hot dog from a street vendor or enjoying a meal at a fine dining restaurant with international dishes, the city has something for everyone.

Public transportation is also very convenient in New York. The subway system makes it easy to get around quickly, (40) _____ for both locals and tourists.

A. offering a wide range of options for every taste

B. It is known for its vibrant culture and exciting atmosphere

C. where you can relax and enjoy various outdoor activities

D. making it a popular choice for commuting

Question 37: _____ **Question 38:** _____ **Question 39:** _____ **Question 40:** _____