PRACTICE TEST 30

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. contain B. computer C. month D. convenient

Question 2. A. achieve B. friend C. believe D. field

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. temple B. damage C. rebuild D. worship

Question 4. A. dedicate B. natural C. occupy D. historic

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. He's stuck in a traffic jam. If the traffic _____ terrible, he _____ at the meeting on time.

A. wasn't – could arrive B. isn't – could arrive C. isn't – can arrive D. was – could arrive

Question 6. Mike's father _____ Mike should visit famous landmarks in Paris.

A. wondered B. wanted C. asked D. suggested

Question 7. The conference was _____ due to the speaker's illness.

A. taken up B. looked after C. carried on D. put off

Question 8. She was seriously sick; _____, she couldn't attend the house-warming party.

A. however B. therefore C. instead D. moreover

Question 9. I used to _____ a lot of time playing video games when I was younger.

A. spend B. spends C. spending D. spent

Question 10. Paul is very busy at work. He has _____ free time.

A. little B. many C. few D. a lot

Question 11. Sarah sees Jane wearing a new dress.

- Sarah: That's a lovely dress you're wearing!
- Jane: _____

A. No problem. I can do it myself. B. Thanks! I just bought it yesterday.

C. Thank you. I still need to do more. D. It's nice of you to help me do this.

Question 12. They _____ for the bus when it started to rain heavily.

A. have waited B. waited C. had waited D. were waiting

Read the following notice 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.

RULES FOR VISITING A NATURE RESERVE

- Stay (13) _____ the marked trails to protect the plants and animals.
- Do not touch any plants or animals to avoid (14) _____ them.
- Make noise levels low enough so as not to disturb the wildlife.
- Put your trash in designated bins to keep the reserve (15) _____.
- Visitors are required to have a guide in (16) _____ most restricted areas.

Question 13. A. on B. in C. away D. from

Question 14. A. damage B. damaged C. to damage D. damaging

Question 15. A. cleanly B. clean C. cleanliness D. unclean

Question 16. A. a B. an C. X (no article) D. the

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 paragraph.

_____ Children are spending more time sitting in front of computers, so they have less time for physical activities while eating more processed high-calorie foods.

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a. Additionally, the increase in screen time also contributes to the problem.
b. Childhood obesity is a growing concern in many countries.
c. One major reason is the changes in children's diet and lifestyle.
A. c – a – b B. b – c – a C. a – c – b D. b – a – c

Question 18. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.
A. In conclusion, families and schools must work together to help children solve this problem soon.
B. Therefore, schools and families may not help students be more active and eat healthier foods.
C. Consequently, adult obesity is becoming a more and more serious problem in some countries.
D. Finally, the best way to solve childhood obesity is to have children play more video games.

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.

It's definitely crucial to have a balanced lifestyle to (19) _____ stress and maintain good mental health. However, many people still do not know (20) _____ to achieve a balanced lifestyle like studying or working. Taking short (21) _____ every hour can help you relax and refocus. Another important aspect is to prioritize sleep. Aim for at least 7–8 hours of quality sleep each night. As a result, you'll feel more energized and ready to tackle your studies.

Exercise is also (23) _____ to reducing stress and improving overall well-being. Aim for at least 30 minutes of moderate exercise most days of the week. (24) _____, don't forget to make time for hobbies and socializing. Engaging in activities you enjoy and spending time with friends and families can help you feel more positive and motivated.

Question 19. A. move on	B. deal with	C. set up	D. get out
Question 20. A. where to stop	B. who to make	C. what to find	D. how to do
Question 21. A. One way to	B. In order to	C. In an effort to	D. With a view to
Question 22. A. notices	B. distances	C. breaks	D. accounts
Question 23. A. helpful	B. key	C. essential	D. good
Question 24. A. In spite of this	B. As a consequence	C. On the contrary	D. Last but not least

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. "What have you done to realize your dream, Linda?" said Mike.
A. Mike asked Linda what she had done to realize her dream.
B. Mike wanted to know what Linda had done to realize dream.
C. Mike asked Linda what she had done to realize her dream.
D. Mike asked me what Linda had done to realize her dream.

Question 26. I don't study hard for the test.
A. I wish I studied harder for the test.
B. I wish I study harder for the test.
C. I wish I studied more hard for the test.
D. I wish to study hardly before the test.

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. If / you / not / come home now / it / be / too late.
A. If you don't come home now, it will be too late.
B. If you not come home now, it will be too late.
C. If you don't come home now, it would be too late.
D. If you didn't come home now, it wouldn't be too late.

Question 28. There / many / reason / she / can / successful / career.
A. There is many reasons why she can be successful her career.
B. There are many reasons which she can be successful in her career.

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C. There are many reasons for which she can be successful her career.
D. There are many reasons why she can be successful in her career.

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 has changed according to the notice?

A. Drink
B. Time
C. Place
D. Food

Question 30. According to the message, what does Sarah want?

A. Sarah wants to know if Jane agrees to go to her birthday meal at that restaurant.
B. Sarah wants to know if the food at the restaurant is suitable for Jane.
C. Sarah only wants to share the restaurant's menu with Jane in advance.
D. Sarah wants to let Jane know that the food at the restaurant is delicious.

To: Jane
From: Sarah
Jane – my birthday meal is booked for 6.30 Saturday night at Luigi's restaurant. I know there are things you can't eat. So I've attached a menu. Tell me if it's OK.
Sarah

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.

Ban Gioc Waterfall, located in Cao Bang Province, Vietnam, is one of the most **stunning** natural wonders in Southeast Asia. It lies on the Quay Son River, forming part of the border between Vietnam and China. The waterfall is divided into two main parts: the primary waterfall, which is larger and more powerful, and a smaller one nearby. Both are surrounded by lush green forests, rolling hills, and dramatic limestone mountains, creating an extraordinary natural landscape.

The best time to visit Ban Gioc Waterfall is during the rainy season, from June to September, when the water flows most rapidly and powerfully, making the falls more spectacular. However, during the dry season, from October to May, visitors can enjoy a calmer and clearer view of the falls, with peaceful sounds of water and breathtaking scenery. Many tourists choose to take bamboo raft rides that bring them close to the falls, where they can feel the cool mist on their faces and enjoy the majestic view up close.

Apart from its natural beauty, Ban Gioc Waterfall holds cultural and historical values. The local Tay and Nung ethnic groups live in nearby villages, **preserving** their traditional customs, crafts, and lifestyles. Their presence adds unique charm to the area, attracting both nature enthusiasts and cultural explorers.

With its impressive scenery and cultural richness, Ban Gioc Waterfall is a must-see destination for anyone visiting Vietnam.

Question 31. What is the main idea of the passage?
A. The beauty and attractions of Ban Gioc Waterfall.
B. The historical significance of Ban Gioc Waterfall.
C. The daily life of people near Ban Gioc Waterfall.
D. The location and visit time of Ban Gioc Waterfall.

Question 32. The word "**stunning**" in paragraph 1 is **CLOSEST** in meaning to _____.
A. very boring B. extremely beautiful C. rather attractive D. slightly impressive

Question 33. When is Ban Gioc Waterfall the most powerful?

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A. During the dry season
B. During the rainy season
C. In October and May
D. In June and September

Question 34. The word "**preserving**" in paragraph 3 is **OPPOSITE** in meaning to _____.

A. maintaining
B. protecting
C. repairing
D. destroying

Question 35. Which of the following is **TRUE** about Ban Gioc Waterfall?

A. Ban Gioc Waterfall is located in Bac Ninh Province.
B. Taking bamboo raft rides is an activity for tourists.
C. There are peaceful sounds of water in July and August.
D. Only Vietnamese people visit Ban Gioc Waterfall.

Question 36. Which of the following is **NOT** mentioned in the passage?

A. Ban Gioc Waterfall consists of two main parts, i.e. the primary waterfall and a smaller one nearby.
B. Ban Gioc Waterfall situated on the Quay Son river forms part of the Vietnamese–Chinese border.
C. The unique charm of Ban Gioc Waterfall is hardly appealing to people who love exploring cultures.
D. The Tay and Nung ethnic groups living near Ban Gioc Waterfall bring cultural and historical values.

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.

Last summer, my family went on a beach vacation. We were all excited to escape the city and (37) _____. We stayed in a cozy cottage near the shore with a beautiful view of the ocean. Every morning, we would wake up early to watch the sunrise over the horizon. (38) _____.

After breakfast, we would head to the beach. The sand felt soft and warm under our feet. It would take us hours to swim in the cool, refreshing water and (39) _____. When we got tired, we would lay on beach towels and soak up the warm sunshine.

In the afternoons, we would explore the nearby town. It was filled with charming souvenir shops and seafood restaurants. We would browse the shops, trying on colorful hats and sunglasses. (40) _____.

As the day came to an end, we would take a leisurely walk along the beach, admiring the stunning sunset. The colors of the sky would change from blue to gold, and finally to a deep red. We would collect seashells and smooth rocks as souvenirs of our wonderful vacation. These precious memories of our beach trip will always have a special place in our heart.

A. spend some quality time together
B. build sandcastles on the shore
C. The sky would turn into a breathtaking display of orange and pink
D. We would also sample delicious local seafood dishes at the restaurants

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

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