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Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions. (0.6 points)

Question 1:	**A.** plays	**B.** likes	**C.** deals	**D.** sings
Question 2:	**A.** arrive	**B.** about	**C.** alarm	**D.** apple
Question 3:	**A.** channel	**B.** chubby	**C.** chemist	**D.** cheap

Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in the following questions. (0.4 points)

Question 4:	**A.** follow	**B.** release	**C.** decide	**D.** prepare
Question 5:	**A.** discussion	**B.** original	**C.** geography	**D.** affordable

Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word in the following question. (0.4 points)

Question 6: Each exercise **focuses on** a different grammar point.
A. pay attention **B.** be interested in **C.** rely on **D.** wait for

Question 7: The red squirrel is in danger of becoming **extinct** in England.
A. die from **B.** die of **C.** die out **D.** die for

Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word in the following question. (0.4 points)

Question 8: My parents have always **encouraged** me in my choice of career.
A. discouraged **B.** supported **C.** impaired **D.** motivated

Question 9: `Question:` Technology can be **a double-edged sword** in education if it is not used properly.
A. completely safe B. very simple C. only beneficial
D. having both advantages and disadvantages

Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the answer that best fits each gap in the following questions. (3.2 points)

Question 10: I've been _____ a cup to match the one I broke.
A. looking for **B.** looking over **C.** looking through **D.** looking

Question 11: Would you like _____ and visit my hometown?
A. come **B.** to come **C.** coming **D.** came

Question 12: That house overthere _____ in the early 19th century.
A. is built **B.** will built **C.** was built **D.** has been built

Question 13: If you smoke twenty cigarettes a day, you will die of _____ cancer.
A. lung **B.** blood **C.** liver **D.** stomach

Question 14: Travelling to Ba Mun Island in Quang Ninh, tourists can explore on their own, following some natural _____ on the island.
A. marks **B.** trails **C.** roads **D.** stretches

Question 15: _____ is an annual festival commemorating the birth of Jesus Christ.
A. Christmas **B.** Passover **C.** Thanksgiving **D.** Easter

Question 16: Did you enjoy the singing _____ last week?
A. compete **B.** competition **C.** competing **D.** competent

Question 17: The cleaning robot produces _____ noise than the one we bought last month.
A. little **B.** a few **C.** fewer **D.** less

Question 18: If more people _____, there _____ less pollution.
A. runs-will be **B.** run-would be **C.** cycle-will be **D.** cycles-will be

Question 19: That detective film was very _____ , so I turned off the TV.
A. bore **B.** bored **C.** boring **D.** bores

Question 20: NASA uses a variety of facilities to _____ microgravity conditions.
A. do **B.** create **C.** invent **D.** perform

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Question 21: He completed the report with the _____ of his personal secretary.

A. assistant **B.** assist **C.** assistance **D.** assisted

Question 22: She is a great violinist because she always plays with _____.

A. concept **B.** involvement **C.** enthusiasm **D.** development

Question 23: When I last saw him, he _____ in Viet Nam.

A. was living **B.** had lived **C.** is living **D.** has been living

Question 24: There had been very _____ before the accident.

A. heavy rain **B.** weight rain **C.** large rain **D.** massive rain

Question 25: "Did you see the new 3D film at Megastars Theater?"

— "Yes. It was better than good. It was _____.".

A. over the moon **B.** once in a blue moon

C. out of this world **D.** the sky is the limit

Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correcting in each of the following questions. (0.6 point)

Question 26: The man whom robbed you has been arrested.

A B C D

Question 27: Mr. Kien stoped typing the letter when he saw me coming.

A B C D

Question 28: Although Lan didn't get the prize, her mother is proud of her.

A B C D

Circle the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete the following exchange. (0.4 points)

Question 29: ***Jimmy is talking to Anna about his headache .***

Jimmy: "Oh, dear. The pain in my head is killing me!"

Anna: "_____"

A. How do you do? **B.** I'm sorry. I can't do it.

C. Happy to help! **D.** What can I do for you now?

Question 30:

a. Teacher: "Why do you think the experiment failed?"

b. Teacher: "That's a reasonable explanation. How could you improve it next time?"

c. Student: "Possibly because we didn't control the temperature carefully."

d. Student: "We should monitor all variables more closely."

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

Read the following announcement and circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 31-33 (0.6 points)

To all student of Hung Vuong,

Tomorrow we will have Friday routine (31)_____ our school clean. Besides that, we will plant some trees around the school area. Please, look at the following list of classes and (32) _____ tools must (33) _____ tomorrow.

- Student of class 7A – E: broom
- Student of class 8A – E: dustpan
- Student of class 9A – E: watering can

Yours,

Mr. Steve

The students administration

Question 31:	**A.** to keep	**B.** keeps	**C.** keeping	**D.** kept
Question 32:	**A.** made of	**B.** kind of	**C.** much of	**D.** proud of
Question 33:	**A.** bring	**B.** bringing	**C.** brought	**D.** be brought

Read the following passage and circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 34-38. (1.0 point)

Read the passage and choose A, B, C or D

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We still have a lot to learn about life under (34) _____ sea. Do you know that (35) _____ people go into space than visit the bottom of our biggest seas!
The biggest animals (36) _____ live in the sea are whales. Blue whales are the biggest kind and they are much bigger than any dinosaurs that ever lived! A lot of the fish we eat comes from the sea. Fishing in the sea is (37) _____ a job and a hobby in countries all over the world.
When people think of the most dangerous fish in the sea, they usually think of sharks. Most people are afraid of sharks (38) _____of stories in books and films.

Question 34 : A. below	B. beneath	C. under	D. underneath
Question 35 : A. fewer	B. less	C. little	D. much
Question 36: A. which	B. where	C. whose	D. when
Question 37 :A. considered	B. considering	C. to consider	D. consider
Question 38 :A. although	B. because	C. however	D. despite

Read the following passage and circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 39-45. (1.4 points)

From far out in space, Earth looks like a blue ball. Since water covers three-fourths of the Earth's surface, blue is the colour we see most. The continents look brown, like small islands floating in the huge, blue sea. White clouds wrap around the Earth like a light blanket. The Earth is shaped like a sphere, or a ball. It is 25,000 miles around! It would take more than a year to walk around the whole planet. A spaceship can fly around the widest part of the sphere in only 90 minutes.

Even though spaceships have traveled to the Moon, people cannot visit the Moon without special suits. **It** has no air and water. Plants and animals can't live there either. Astronauts first landed on the Moon in 1969. After that, there were six more trips to the Moon. They brought back Moon rocks, which scientists are still studying. There are holes, or craters, all over the Moon's surface. Scientists believe that meteorites smashed into the Moon millions of years ago and **formed** the craters.

The Sun is the closest star to Earth. A star is a hot ball of burning gas. The Sun looks very big because it is so close. But the Sun is just a medium-sized star. Billions of far-away stars are much bigger than our Sun. The burning gases from the Sun are so hot that they warm the Earth from 93 million miles away! Even though the Sun is always glowing, the night here on Earth is dark. That's because the Earth rotates, or turns around, every 24 hours. During the day, the Earth faces the Sun. Then we see light. During the night, the Earth turns away from the Sun. Then it faces the darkness of space.

Question 39: Why is blue colour we see most when looking at the Earth from outer space?
A. Because most of the Earth is covered in land.
B. Because the Sun's rays make the Earth look blue.
C. Because most of the Earth is covered in water.
D. Because clouds wrap around the Earth

Question 40: What is a star?
A. A star is a hot ball of burning gas. **B**. A star is a hot ball of gas.
C. A star was a luminous ball of gas. **D.** A star was a luminous ball of burning gas.

Question 41: What causes daylight on Earth?
A. A full Moon causes daylight.
B. Daylight is caused by the Earth facing away from the Sun.
C. The heat of the Sun's rays caused daylight.
D. Daylight is caused by the Earth-facing toward the Sun.

Question 42: What does the word "It" in the second paragraph refer to?
A. The Sun **B.** The Earth **C.** The Moon **D.** The stars

Question 43: The word **"formed"** in the paragraph 2 is CLOSEST in meaning to_____.
A. hit **B.** made **C.** broke **D.** stopped

Question 44: Which of the following sentences BEST describes the Sun?

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A. The Sun looks like small because it is so far from Earth.
B. The Sun is a ball of burning gases that gives the Earth heat and light.
C. The Sun is a small star.
D. The Sun is not as hot as it looks.

Question 45: Which of the following statements is NOT true based on the passage?
A. The Earth is shaped like a sphere.
B. People cannot visit the Moon without astronaut suits.
C. The Moon's surface is smooth.
D. During the day, the Earth faces the Sun.

Rewrite each of the sentences below in such a way that it means exactly the same as the one given before it. (1.0 point)

Question 46: " I want to be a doctor, " my sister said.

→ My sister said that _____.

Question 47: Many trees died because of the bad weather.

→ Because the weather _____.

Question 48: I don't have the key, so I cannot get into the house.

→ If I _____.

Question 49: If you are a student, you can always get special reduced prices.

→ Unless _____.

Question 50: All the other players on the field were better than Jim.

→ Jim_____.

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