



A. Listening

Question 1

- (A) Stay home for a while
- (B) Find easier classes
- (C) Take fewer courses in the future
- (D) Look downstairs to find the classroom

Question 2

- (A) Joyce used it
- (B) Bill took it
- (C) Joyce fixed it
- (D) Bill lost it

Question 3

- (A) Get some rest now and write the paper later
- (B) Read the paper before she rests
- (C) Wait for work on the paper the following day
- (D) Write the paper now before it's too late

Question 4

- (A) The man should take home some souvenirs
- (B) She will make a reservation for the man
- (C) The man should relax at home
- (D) She can give the man some information



Question 5

- (A) He agrees with the woman
- (B) He hasn't been here this week
- (C) He likes hot weather
- (D) He doesn't know what the temperature is

Question 6

- (A) She doesn't like pizza
- (B) She'd rather stay home
- (C) She doesn't like the man idea
- (D) The man prefers to try new restaurants

Question 7

- (A) Wait until Friday to buy a ticket
- (B) Buy a ticket as soon as possible
- (C) See the play on a different night
- (D) Invite a friend to the play

Question 8

- (A) He usually leaves at five
- (B) He'd glad it's finally five o'clock
- (C) He thought it was earlier
- (D) He knew the clock was inaccurate



Question 9

- (A) He doesn't feel like waiting in line today
- (B) Sandwiches will be served at the restaurant he chose
- (C) The cafeteria menu doesn't appeal to him
- (D) He only made plans for the two of them

Question 10

- (A) It was a small table
- (B) It was expensive
- (C) He didn't expect it to be so large
- (D) He doesn't know how much it costs

Question 11

- (A) It had already taken place
- (B) All the graduates would return
- (C) It would be held on campus
- (D) It was scheduled for a different date

Question 12

- (A) When the man can pick up the prescription
- (B) The name of the man's doctor
- (C) In what form the man wants the medicine
- (D) For what illness the medicine was prescribed



Question 13

- (A) She doesn't need the man's money
- (B) She's willing to lend the man some money
- (C) She'll buy the man a new wallet
- (D) She'll give the man a ride home tonight

Question 14

- (A) He doesn't understand what the woman said
- (B) He's offended by what the woman said
- (C) He's sorry he was late
- (D) He needs to talk to the woman immediately

Question 15

- (A) Ticket prices are generally lower on weeknights
- (B) Foreign films are very popular
- (C) Movie tickets have been discounted
- (D) The theater is not very crowded

B1. Vocabulary

16. Strong tropical storms can easily _____ deep into coastal forests, uprooting centuries-old trees.

- A. penetrate
- B. plunge
- C. inspect
- D. flourish



17. Archaeologists were stunned by the sudden _____ of the ancient civilization following a severe decade-long drought.
- A. archeoastronomy
 - B. beam
 - C. demise
 - D. shadow
18. Water and essential minerals _____ the majority of the plant's living tissue.
- A. benefit
 - B. constitute
 - C. produce
 - D. sacrifice
19. Authorities uncovered a covert network plotting _____ actions designed to disrupt regional elections.
- A. subversive
 - B. upset
 - C. subsequent
 - D. thrilled



20. A catastrophic navigation error _____ the cargo vessel to run aground on the shallow reef.
- A. dispersed
 - B. doomed
 - C. relied
 - D. served
21. The engineering panel praised the remarkable _____ demonstrated by the young team in designing the solar-powered water filter.
- A. ingenuity
 - B. channels
 - C. mechanism
 - D. invasion
22. The film drew harsh criticism for relying on an outdated cultural _____ rather than developing nuanced characters.
- A. odds
 - B. accomplishment
 - C. gears
 - D. stereotype



23. The athlete captured the gold medal for the third _____ tournament, setting an unprecedented national record.

- A. artificial
- B. emotional
- C. successive
- D. ascend

24. Scientists are diligently searching for a _____ explanation to account for the sudden fluctuations in atmospheric pressure.

- A. rational
- B. huge
- C. calm
- D. fundamental

25. A brisk walk in the morning _____ a healthy diet and promotes cardiovascular fitness.

- A. complements
- B. intimidates
- C. inflicts
- D. shocks



B2. Grammar

26. Dr. Ramirez _____ by the metropolitan hospital as a senior pediatric consultant.

- A. is employed
- B. employed
- C. is being employ
- D. has employed

27. The laboratory door was left unlocked, and valuable optical equipment _____ during the blackout.

- A. is stolen
- B. has been stolen
- C. was stolen
- D. stole

28. An unexpected incident _____ during the chemistry demonstration, prompting the instructor to evacuate the room.

- A. is happened
- B. happened
- C. happening
- D. was happened



29. The hiker required urgent medical care after he _____ repeatedly by angry hornets along the trail.
- A. stung
 - B. was stinging
 - C. was stung
 - D. had stung
30. Modern passenger jets are noticeably _____ than early commercial propeller planes.
- A. more fast
 - B. more faster
 - C. faster
 - D. fast
31. Many literary critics agree that the revised edition of the novel is significantly _____ than the original draft.
- A. more interesting
 - B. interestinger
 - C. more interest
 - D. interesting



32. The northern summit is slightly _____ than the southern peak, making it much more hazardous to scale.
- A. more high
 - B. highest
 - C. higher
 - D. more
33. The international flight _____ departs at dawn arrives in Singapore by midday.
- A. where
 - B. who
 - C. which
 - D. whose
34. The researcher _____ published paper sparked international debate has agreed to deliver the keynote address.
- A. which
 - B. where
 - C. who
 - D. whose



35. Where did you find the stray cat _____ was sleeping on our front porch yesterday?

- A. who
- B. that
- C. whose
- D. when

B3. Identifying Errors

36. The board must evaluate how much capital can raise by liquidating the underperforming divisions across Europe.

- A. can raise
- B. liquidating
- C. divisions
- D. Europe

37 Almost forty percent of the applicants were successfully completed the practical examination on their first attempt.

- A. of
- B. were
- C. successfully
- D. their



38 Prior background in emergency logistics may be determined the coordinator's handling of resource distribution under extreme pressure.

A. may be determined

B. handling

C. under

D. pressure

39 The architect whom designed the sustainable civic center won multiple international accolades last year.

A. whom

B. civic center

C. accolades

D. year

40. This is the confidential vault in which the clerk stored the original treaty documents in.

A. vault

B. in which

C. treaty documents

D. in



Section C: Reading

Passage 1

James Nachtwey: Bearing Witness

[1] For more than four decades, James Nachtwey has stood as one of the most revered and courageous figures in contemporary documentary photography. Driven by an uncompromising sense of moral duty, Nachtwey has dedicated his career to recording human conflict, social injustice, and humanitarian crises across the globe.

[2] Born in New York in 1948 and raised in Massachusetts, Nachtwey studied art history and political science at Dartmouth College. His ambition to document historical upheaval crystallized during the late 1960s, heavily catalyzed by television footage of the Vietnam War and imagery from the American civil rights movement. Believing that candid visual records possessed the power to awaken global conscience and influence public policy, he resolved to become a photographer. Nachtwey taught himself photographic techniques while laboring on merchant ships and driving transport trucks. In 1976, he secured his initial job as a staff photographer for a local newspaper in New Mexico, refining his craft before relocating to New York to pursue independent documentary work.



[3] In 1981, Nachtwey undertook his first major international assignment, traveling to Northern Ireland to document civil unrest surrounding republican hunger strikes. Over the following decade, he repeatedly embedded himself in zones of extreme peril, capturing historic clashes in Central America, the Middle East, and Eastern Europe. Guided by his philosophy that a photojournalist must act as an empathetic witness rather than a detached observer, Nachtwey cultivated a practice of positioning himself in close proximity to human suffering. His arresting frames of combatants, bereaved families, and war victims earned widespread acclaim for their emotional gravity. Despite persistent physical peril, Nachtwey maintained that an image's integrity depends upon the photographer sharing the immediate risks confronting ordinary people.

[4] When widespread famine and catastrophic conflict struck the Horn of Africa during the early 1990s, Nachtwey traveled to Somalia without commercial backing, determined to expose the disaster. Working amid armed factions, he produced visceral, haunting images of human starvation. These photographs, eventually featured on the cover of *The New York Times Magazine*, mobilized global relief agencies and expedited vital international aid shipments. Nachtwey subsequently documented genocide in Rwanda, surviving close-range crossfire to transmit undeniable



visual evidence of systematic atrocities. His extraordinary focus under fire was later documented in Christian Frei's critically praised 2001 film, *War Photographer*.

[5] Nachtwey's uncompromising approach has resulted in numerous physical injuries, including shrapnel wounds sustained during a grenade assault in Baghdad in 2003. Undeterred by the physical toll, he continued documenting epidemics, systemic poverty, and industrial catastrophes worldwide. He has repeatedly stressed that his objective is not to produce art, but to create visual testimony so direct and unsparing that it disrupts societal complacency.

[6] Nachtwey's legacy endures through his extensive published monographs and numerous prestigious accolades, including multiple Robert Capa Gold Medals and World Press Photo awards. His lifetime of work remains a profound monument to the power of dedicated visual reportage in defense of human dignity.