

PART I

Task 1. Grammar

/12x1=12 points/

Read the sentence and choose the best answer to complete each sentence :

- On most TV channels, the news at 8 pm.
A. are broadcast
B. is broadcast
C. will broadcast
D. broadcast
E. broadcasts
- Oxygen is nitrogen. We can find them everywhere on the surface of the earth.
A. more abundant
B. as abundant
C. the most abundant
D. abundant as
E. as abundant as
- Recent research has shown that young French people, prefer burgers and chips to rich gourmet dishes, tend to become overweight.
A. who
B. whom
C. for whom
D. that
E. whose
- One of the most fascinating actresses of our time is Nicole Kidman, ?
A. does she
B. is she
C. isn't she
D. doesn't she
E. was she
- Although it may seem to be high in calories, it actually has many benefits for people who suffer heart disease and other health problems.
A. by
B. with
C. of
D. from
E. in
- If the rescue operation hadn't been carried out quickly, the residents of the building
A. been saved
B. will not be saved
C. be not saved
D. hadn't been saved
E. wouldn't have been saved
- Yesterday, they when the doorbell
A. were sleeping / rings
B. slept / rings
C. were sleeping / rang
D. were sleeping / ring
E. slept / was ringing
- I haven't received the letter yet. It sent to the wrong address.
A. should have
B. might have been
C. must have
D. have been
E. must sent
- She knew everything about our plans. She to our conversation.
A. must have listened to
B. could listen
C. can listen
D. might listen
E. was listening
- When you were younger, you didn't learn to play a musical instrument. Now you regret it.
You say : I wish I
A. would learn to play a musical instrument.
B. learned to play a musical instrument.
C. will learn to play a musical instrument.
D. learning to play musical instrument.
E. had learned to play a musical instrument.
- A : Can you help me with the gardening?
She asked me her with the gardening.
A. if I could help
B. I could help
C. when I could help
D. whether I help
E. I can help
- I've never seen such a fast horse in my life! It's worth on.
A. to bet
B. bet
C. betting
D. betted
E. bets

Task 2. Vocabulary

/14x2=28 points/

Choose one word or phrase that best completes the sentence.

- She is very good at decisions.
A. using
B. lending
C. borrowing
D. taking
E. doing
- My friend was extremely hard-working and deserved the promotion.
A. has
B. so
C. in spite of
D. because
E. therefore

15. The government the cost at over 50 million tugric.
 A. measured B. recalled C. estimated D. situated E. value
16. We can not believe that she left the of finance director at the bank.
 A. post B. profession C. place D. vacancy E. CV
17. Although someone had seen him take the watch, he still it.
 A. refused B. rejected C. disowned D. denied E. hid
18. A cat licks its before it washes its face.
 A. Paw B. hoof C. tail D. claws E. fur
19. I hate the tomatoes. My sister does it for me since she has long nails.
 A. peeling B. cutting C. shaving D. skinning E. slicing
20. Based on the I wrote a project report.
 A. usage B. an information C. progress D. understand E. conclusions
21. Jim and his cousin aren't good friends, but they
 A. get over B. get along C. get off D. get up E. get in
22. Choose the **correct meaning for the idiom** below :
Bite the bullet.
 A. to feel very hungry
 B. to make someone angry
 C. to swallow a very hot thing
 D. to suddenly find yourself in a dangerous situation
 E. to force yourself to do something unpleasant or difficult
23. What prefix forms the **correct opposite of the word** :
 We thought it was rude, didn't you? - Yes, it was very
 A. unpolite B. dispolite C. inpolite D. impolite E. mispolite
24. Fill in the sentence with the **correct word form** :
 Many medicines are a of natural and synthetic ingredients.
 A. combine B. combined C. combination D. combatted E. combative
25. Choose the word that **doesn't fit** in the list.
 We can say
 A. take an exam B. take a bus C. take a photo D. take friends E. take a shower
26. Odd one out.
 A. message B. receive C. save D. process E. store

Task 3. Social expressions

/5x2=10 points/

Choose the best answer to the questions below.

27. A : What's the new boss like?
 B :
 A. She's delicious.
 B. A bit too kindly.
 C. She is very active.
 D. She likes fruit.
 E. She looks like her mother.
28. Man : What did you do over the summer, Donna?
 Woman : Mostly I helped my father in his clothing store.
 Man : I can't imagine you selling clothes.
 Woman : I didn't. Remember, I am studying accounting. I helped him with the bookkeeping. Also, I put price tags on the new clothes and designed the window displays.
What did Donna do over the summer?
 A. She helped her father do the accounting.
 B. She sold clothes in his father's store.
 C. She displayed prices in the window.
 D. She designed new clothes.
 E. She studied accounting all the summer.

29. A : Did you get a ticket for the movie this evening?

B : They were sold out weeks ago.

What does this answer mean?

- A. He couldn't get a ticket.
- B. He may have tickets tomorrow.
- C. The tickets were sold yesterday.
- D. He bought a ticket weeks ago.
- E. The movie has been cancelled.

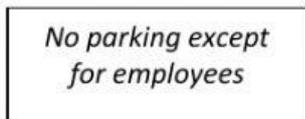
30. Bat : I have misplaced my watch. Could you lend me yours this afternoon?

Bilguun : My watch? You've never seen me wearing a watch, have you?

What does Bilguun mean?

- A. He is so mean.
- B. His watch is missing.
- C. He has put his watch somewhere.
- D. He doesn't own a watch.
- E. He needs his watch in the afternoon.

31. Look at the notice board. Someone asks you what it means. Choose the best answer :



- A. This is a national park.
- B. Everyone can park here.
- C. The park is not used for workers.
- D. Employees can not park here.
- E. The car park is used only by the employees.

Task 4. Reading

/6x3=18 points/

Read the article and choose the correct answer A, B, C or D :

Recycling is a very important subject, and one that is becoming more so all the time. As we all know, it reduces waste and is good for the environment. But what do recycling centers do with the things we throw away? I found out some very interesting information.

Recycling paper has been the biggest success. In 1990, in the USA, more than 20 million tons of paper were recycled and turned into birthday cards, cereal boxes, and hundreds of other things. Paper is the easiest material to recycle and, as David Dougherty of *Clean Washington* said, "You can use it six times over, then burn what's left to create energy." Wisconsin cow farmer George Plenty had the most interesting use for recycled paper: he uses it instead of straw in his barn. "It's cheaper than straw," he said, "but even if the price were the same, I wouldn't go back."

Plastic is the hardest material to recycle, because there are so many different kinds, all of which need to be treated differently. At the moment, only two per cent of the plastic used in the US is recycled. But it has its uses: one company uses plastic from recycled car headlights to make windows. In some ways they are better than normal windows, because they are much harder to break. Another company, *Image Carpets*, uses plastic to make carpets and rugs. A comment made by the manager showed us how attitudes towards recycling have changed. "We worried that people might refuse to buy the carpets if they knew they were recycled," said sales Manager, John Richmeier. "Now we advertise the fact as a marketing strategy."

Metal is another important material. It is easier to recycle an aluminum can than to make a new one. It is also 20 per cent cheaper, and uses only 5 per cent of the energy that making a new can would use. So many of the things we use are made of metal, and can be reused after they stop working. Recycling car parts, for example, is a big business. There is also very little waste involved in recycling metal. Steel is 100 per cent recyclable, and can be recycled hundreds of times. Recycling steel is cheaper than mining it. A lot of America's **scrap metal** is taken by the Japanese, recycled, and eventually sold back to America as new cars.

20 per cent of America's glass is recycled, and used for a number of things. For example, it can be mixed with asphalt or cement and used to pave streets. It can also be melted down and used to make new bottles. However, unlike the other materials, glass can also be reused commercially in its original form: many types of bottles are returned to bottling plants, sterilized and refilled. Recycling and reusing glass is actually a huge worldwide business, with bottle banks appearing everywhere.

So remember, think before you throw things away – they may still be useful. If we all make an effort to recycle, we can make the planet a cleaner place to live.

32. According to the text, which material is the least difficult to recycle?

- A. paper
- B. plastic
- C. metal
- D. glass
- E. cement

33. Glass can be recycled for making

- A. steel
- B. cans
- C. asphalt
- D. bottle banks
- E. car's windows

34. The word "**scrap metal**" is nearest in meaning to

- A. new cars
- B. melted metal
- C. recycled metal
- D. recycling steel
- E. broken vehicles

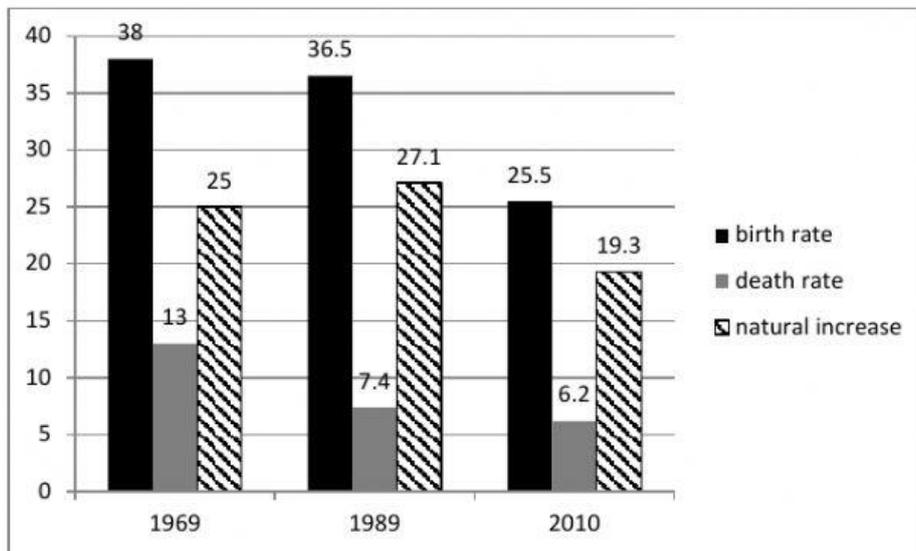
35. Which material does not have to be changed to be reused?

- A. paper
- B. plastic
- C. metal
- D. glass
- E. asphalt

2.3 Look at the chart below and choose the correct answer.

/5x1=5 points/

The following graph shows the population growth of Mongolia between 1969 and 2010 (per 1000 people).



A. The birth rate has from 1969 to 2010.

1. dropped to 8.7
2. decreased by 12.5
3. fallen by 8.7
4. gone up to 38
5. fluctuated between 25.5-36.5

B. The death rate has from 1989 to 2010.

1. increased by 1.2
2. dropped to 2.2
3. decreased by 1.2
4. fluctuated by 6.2-13
5. fallen by 2.2

C. The natural increase has between 1969 and 2010.

1. increased by 6.8
2. fluctuated between 7.4-13
3. dropped to 5.7
4. decreased by 5.7
5. gone up to 25

D. Which year did Mongolia have the least natural growth rate?

1. 1969
2. 1989
3. 2010

E. Which rate fluctuated mostly between 1989 and 2010?

1. birth rate
2. death rate
3. natural increase