



MID TERM 1 TEST 1

I. MULTIPLE CHOICE (7.5 points)

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the pronunciation of the underlined part in each of the following questions.

- Question 1.** A. watched B. missed C. listened D. hoped
Question 2. A. spread B. measure C. breath D. break

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. cartoon B. decision C. unique D. separate
Question 4. A. automatic B. conservation C. experiment D. electrician

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.** Please _____ the light. It's getting dark here.
A. turn off B. turn over C. turn into D. turn on
Question 6. I found this wallet on the street while I _____ to school.
A. was walking B. am walking C. have walked D. walk
Question 7. We've spent a lot of time _____ around the town.
A. wander B. wandering C. to wander D. wandered
Question 8. If he _____ wasting his time, he'll feel sorry about that.
A. go on B. will go on C. went on D. goes on
Question 9. Kim apologized to me _____ breaking my phone.
A. to B. for C. about D. on
Question 10. We were thirsty; _____, the water in the stream was polluted.
A. so B. therefore C. however D. because
Question 11. Many people _____ that they had seen ghosts in century-old castles.
A. suggested B. claimed C. decided D. saw
Question 12. Many people become _____ because of the natural disasters every year.
A. homeland B. homeless C. homesick D. homework
Question 13. _____ are used to kill insects and weeds so as to help the crops grow better.
A. Creatures B. Dynamite C. Nature D. Pesticides

Mark the letter A, B, C, D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

- Question 14.** I'm sorry. I didn't mean to interrupt you. Please, go on and finish what you were saying.
A. talk B. quit C. continue D. stop

Mark the letter A, B, C, D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions

- Question 15.** He decided not to buy the fake watch and wait until he had more money.
A. authentic B. mistake C. faulty D. original

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correcting in each of

the following questions

Question 16. They asked a lot of questions, checked their figures, and came up with a best solution.

- A. asked B. checked C. came up with D. a best

Question 17. Have you ever seen Picasso's La Guerre, that is really a masterpiece?

- A. ever seen B. Picasso's C. that D. a

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.

Question 18. - Tom: "My closest friend misunderstood me." - Katy: "_____."

- A. Well done! B. If I were you I would get some sleep.
C. It's very kind of you to do that. D. I understand how you feel.

Question 19. - Tom: "May I borrow your newspaper?" - Katy: "_____."

- A. That's a good idea. B. It doesn't matter.
C. Sure. Here you are. D. It's my pleasure.

Question 20. - Tom: "You looked tired. Would you like a cup of tea?" - Katy: "_____."

- A. Yes, I would. B. Yes, please.
C. Yes, I like. D. Yes, thanks.

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 questions

Almost all our energy, comes from oil, coal and natural gas. We call them fossil fuels. The earth's fossil fuels are running out. What would happen if there were no oil, coal and gas on Earth? Scientists are trying to find and use other alternative sources of energy. We can use energy from the Sun, the wind and the water.

Solar energy is unlimited. It supplies all the energy used to grow plants, to evaporate water for rain, and to maintain the temperature of the planet. All are necessary for human life. If we're able to collect solar energy, we'll be sure to make good use of this **abundant** source of power.

Another source of energy from nature is the wind. Wind power is clean and plentiful. Energy from the wind has been used for centuries to move ships, grind grain, pump water and do other kinds of work. In more recent time, wind power has been used to generate electricity.

Water can also provide power. For a long time, people have used water to power machines. Some early uses of water were to mill grain, saw wood and power machinery for the textile industry. Today water power is mostly used to generate electricity.

Question 21. The fossil fuel on the earth are _____.

- A. unlimited B. being used up C. renewable D. not used now

Question 22. Solar energy means the power from the _____.

- A. fossil fuel B. temperature C. electricity D. sun

Question 23. The word "abundant" in the passage is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. necessary B. limited C. plentiful D. natural

Question 24. Centuries ago, people could use wind power to _____.

- A. force water to move B. grow plants
C. maintain the earth's temperature D. generate electricity

Question 25. Nowadays water energy is mainly used to _____.

- A. power machinery B. mill grain
C. saw wood D. generate electricity

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

LEARNING HOW TO LEARN

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There is usually one important subject missing from most school timetables. Very few students

are (26) _____ how to organize their learning and how to make the best use of their time. Let's take some simple examples. Do you know how to (27) _____ up words in a dictionary, and do you understand all of the (28) _____ the dictionary contains? Can you take notes quickly and can you understand them later? For some reasons, many schools give learners no (29) _____ with these matters. Teachers ask students to memorize pages from books, but they don't explain how to do it. Learning by heart can be useful but it is important to have a genuine understanding of a subject. You can (30) _____ a lot of time memorizing books, without understanding anything about the subject.

Question 26. A learnt B. educated C. taught D. graduated

Question 27. A. find B. research C. look D. get

Question 28. A. themes B. subjects C. advice D. information

Question 29. A. help B. instruction C. teaching D. ability

Question 30. A. tell B. pass C. waste D. want

II. WRITING (2.5 points)

Finish the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, beginning with the given words.

Question 31. She can't go to school today because she is ill.

A. If she isn't ill, she will go to school today.

B. If she doesn't ill, she will go to school today.

C. If she is ill, she won't go to school today.

D. If she will be ill, she will go to school today.

Question 32. "Could I borrow \$5, Mom?", asked William.

A. William asked if he could borrow \$5 from.

B. William asked if his mom could lend him \$5.

C. William asked if his mom could borrow him \$5.

D. William asked could his mom borrow \$5.

Question 33. People say he is a good teacher.

A. He is said to be a good teacher.

B. He is said he is a good teacher.

C. He was said to be a good teacher.

D. He is said that he is a good teacher.

Question 34. His life is hard. He studies very well.

A. Despite his life is hard, he studied very well.

B. Despite his hard life, he studied very well.

C. Despite he studies very well, his life is hard.

D. Despite being hard, he studies very well.

Question 35. Nam and Tom arrived late. They missed the most important part of the festival.

A. Nam and Tom arrived late because they missed the most important part of the festival.

B. Nam and Tom arrived late so that they missed the most important part of the festival.

C. Because Nam and Tom arrived late, they missed the most important part of the festival.

D. Because of Nam and Tom arrived late, they missed the most important part of the festival.

Question 36: Tim lờì sai:

Some people enjoy preparing (A) their (B) own meals while (C) another (D) would rather eat out regularly.

Question 37: Tim lờì sai

The (A) news of the decision to (B) invade with armed forces were (C) not well received (D) by the 3 citizens.

Question 38: Tìm lỗi sai

Air traffic controllers must use (A) a (B) form of communication that is universal (C) understood because a pilot's understanding (D) of instructions is critical.

Question 39: Tìm từ đồng nghĩa

He had never experienced such discourtesy towards the president as it occurred at the annual meeting in May.

A. politeness

B. rudeness

C. encouragement

D. measurement