UNIT 5: HIGHER EDUCATION

PRACTICE TEST 1

A. PHONETICS

1 – 5. Pick out the word whose underlined and bold part is pronounced differently from that of the other words.

1.	A. f**ew**	B. s**ew**	C. kn**ew**	D. n**ew**
2.	A. ac**c**urate	B. ac**c**ept	C. ac**c**ident	D. suc**c**ess
3.	A. d**ea**l	B. dr**ea**m	C. h**ea**l	D. j**ea**lous
4.	A. t**au**ght	B. l**au**ghter	C. n**au**ghty	D. sl**au**ghter
5.	A. w**ei**ght	B. h**ei**ght	C. **ei**ght	D. v**ei**n

6 – 10. Pick out the word that has the stress differently from that of the other words.

6.	A. welcoming	B. freedom	C. leisure	D. adventure
7.	A. environment	B. famous	C. climate	D. colorful
8.	A. authority	B. eliminate	C. education	D. eradicate
9.	A. activity	B. extremely	C. photography	D. entertainment
10.	A. backpack	B. financial	C. hostel	D. operate

B. VOCABULARY AND STRUCTURE

11 – 25. Choose the best answer among A, B, C or D that best completes each sentence.

11. He wants a job in which he can _____ his foreign languages.
A. apply B. use C. produce D. A and B
12. A _____ education improves your chances of getting a job.
A. university B. college C. higher D. All are correct
13. There will be _____ decisions to be made.
A. hard B. difficult C. tough D. All are correct
14. I wrote a letter to _____ for more information.
A. request B. need C. want D. receive
15. We haven't yet been able to find a house that _____ our requirements.
A. catches B. brings C. meets D. pays
16. She lay awake half the night worrying, but _____ a decision in the morning.
A. arrive at B. come to C. reach D. All are correct
17. I _____ a ceramics course at the local college.
A. did B. attended C. took D. All are correct
18. I enrolled _____ the modern art course.
A. for B. in C. on D. All are correct
19. My old headmaster said he would _____ me a very good reference.
A. send B. write C. give D. B and C

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20. Do you think marks given by teachers are performance _____ for students?
A. marks B. indicators C. levels D. ranks

21. Trees won't grow _____ there is enough water.
A. if B. when C. unless D. as

22. _____ she agreed, you would have done it.
A. If B. Had C. Should D. Would

23. If you _____ to be chosen for the job, you'll have to be experienced in the field.
A. want B. wanted C. had wanted D. wants

24. If the doctor had arrived sooner, the boy _____.
A. might be saved B. have been saved
C. was saved D. might have been saved

25. If you just approach the job with the right attitude, things _____ well.
A. would have turned out B. will turn out
C. would turn out D. turns out

26 – 30. Choose the underlined part among A, B, C or D that needs correcting.

26. It wasn't until I graduated from university that I didn't realize the value of
A B C D
good education.

27. Come with us this weekend! My father never gets annoyed as if the children
A B C
make so much noise.
D

28. I told John that he had to study his lessons carefully even if he wants to
A B C D
pass this examination.

29. Had it not been for my father's advice, I would have done a serious mistake.
A B C D

30. I'm very glad that you have done lots of progress this semester.
A B C D

31 – 35. Choose the correct sentence among A, B, C or D which has the same meaning as the given one.

31. He didn't hurry so he missed the plane.
A. If he hurried, he wouldn't miss the plane.
B. If he had hurried, he might catch the plane.
C. If he had hurried, he could have caught the plane.
D. He didn't miss the plane because he hurried.

32. If he doesn't want to work, he shouldn't leave school.
A. He's sorry he left school and began to work.
B. He isn't interested in working and hasn't left school.
C. He hasn't begun work yet but has already left school.
D. He's still at school but would like to work as soon as possible.

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33. If only you had told me the truth about the theft.
   A. You should have told me the truth about the theft.
   B. Only if you had told me the truth about the theft.
   C. Had you told me the truth, there wouldn't have been the theft.
   D. You only told me the truth if there was the theft.
34. If we had lost the map, we would never have found our way.
   A. We will find our way unless we lose the map.
   B. We found our way because we didn't lose the map.
   C. We would have lost our way if we had lost the map.
   D. If we lose the map, we wouldn't find our way.
35. Hardly anybody applied for the job.
   A. Nobody applied for the job because it was hard.
   B. Anybody found it hard to apply for the job.
   C. There were very few applicants for the job.
   D. Anybody applied hardly for the job.

C. READING

36 – 45. Choose the word or phrase among A, B, C or D that best fits the blank space in the following passage:

In the US, colleges of pharmacy offer five-year undergraduate programs (36)_____ to the degree of Bachelor of Science in the pharmaceutical sciences. All (37)_____ students directly from high schools (38)_____ may grant advanced standing to college students or graduates. Licenses are granted by the states after the following requirements have been (39)_____: graduation from one of 72 colleges with programs (40)_____ by the American council on Pharmaceutical Education; about 1,500 hours of internship (41)_____ a registered pharmacist; (42)_____ completion of a state examination.

Pharmacists may practice their (43)_____ in a pharmacy located in a hospital, nursing home, or special area of a drugstore. They may also be (44)_____ by a pharmaceutical company in scientific research for the (45)_____ and production of new pharmaceutical products.

36.	A. coming	B. leading	C. owing	D. thanks
37.	A. accept	B. agree	C. ask	D. require
38.	A. or	B. nor	C. either	D. and
39.	A. met	B. seen	C. given	D. omitted
40.	A. accredited	B. pointed	C. applied	D. shown
41.	A. on	B. under	C. in	D. by
42.	A. satisfactory	B. satisfied	C. satisfying	D. satisfaction
43.	A. work	B. profession	C. vocation	D. amateur
44.	A. rented	B. admitted	C. employed	D. applied
45.	A. furnishing	B. enjoyment	C. attachment	D. development

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46 – 50. Choose the item among A, B, C or D that best answers the question about the passage:

Edward is entering a university and has to decide what foreign language to study, since he needs 12 credits to graduate. He studied Japanese by himself in high school and even had a chance to use some for it when he took a trip to Tokyo. He enjoyed his trip very much and thought that maybe some day he would like to work for an international company based in Japan.

The reason why the university requires students to study a foreign language is that they feel that it makes the students more educated. Edward does not feel that this should be the main reason for studying a foreign language. He thinks that being able to communicate with people from different cultures is far more important than just impressing people with your knowledge.

After considering the possibilities of studying German or French so that he could travel in Europe with little difficulty, he finally makes up his mind to continue his study of Japanese. He feels that being good at Japanese would make it much easier for him to be accepted if he decides to work and live in Japan for some time.

46. One of the reasons for Edward to study a foreign language is that he _____.
    A. has just graduated from a high school
    B. has just decided to enter a university
    C. wants to impress people with his knowledge
    D. needs certain credits to graduate
47. Which of the following has nothing to do with his final decision to continue his study of Japanese?
    A. The university requires students to study that language.
    B. The university thinks that a foreign language makes the students more educated.
    C. Edward studied Japanese by himself and used it when he traveled in Tokyo.
    D. He hopes that some day he may work for a company in Japan.
48. For Edward, to _____ is the least important reason to learn a foreign language.
    A. travel in a foreign country
    B. work and live in another country
    C. show people that he is very learned
    D. communicate with people from other cultures
49. Edward first considers the possibilities of studying German and French, but he chooses Japanese. This shows that he _____.
    A. is afraid of difficulties
    B. does not like German and French
    C. is practical for his study and his future job
    D. only likes daydreaming
50. The best title for this passage is "_____".
    A. Traveling in Europe
    B. Working and Living in Japan
    C. How to Study Japanese
    D. Choosing a Foreign Language

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