Ngo Quyen Junior High School Date: _____

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45-MINUTE-TEST

Mark 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.

Question 1. A: m<u>ea</u>ning B: ar<u>ea</u> C: l<u>ea</u>der D: f<u>ea</u>ture

Question 2. A: fabul<u>ous</u> B: ar<u>ou</u>nd C: delici<u>ous</u> D: popul<u>ous</u>

Mark the letter A, B, C or D 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: cosmopolitan B: convenient C: multicultural D: metropolitan

Question 4.A: affordable B: available C: comfortable D: reliable

Mark letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.

Question 5. ***The table and the desk are the same size.***

A: The table is bigger than the desk. B: The table is not as big as the desk.

C: The desk is bigger than the table. D: The table is as big as the desk.

Question 6. ***The trip was short; however, we enjoyed it very much.***

A: The trip was short, so we didn't enjoy it very much. B: We enjoyed the short trip very much.

C: We enjoyed the trip very much because it was short. D: Although the trip was short, we enjoyed it very much.

Question 7. ***They found that someone had stolen the valuable picture.***

A: They found that the picture was valuable. B: They found that the valuable picture had been stolen.

C: The picture they found was valuable. D: The valuable picture they had stolen was found.

Question 8. ***The company turned down Bill's offer.***

A: The company rejected Bill's offer. B: The company accepted Bill's offer.

C: The company offered Bill a job. D: The company talked about Bill's offer.

Question 9. ***It's a long time since we last went to the cinema.***

A: We haven't been to the cinema for a long time. B: We don't go to the cinema as we used to.

C: We have been to the cinema for a long time. D: We wish we went to the cinema now.

Question 10. ***I was the last to know about the accident.***

A: At last I knew about the accident. B: Everyone had heard about the accident before I did.

C: The last thing I knew about was the accident. D: I wasn't informed about the accident at all.

Question 11. ***We have never seen such a pretty flower display.***

A: This flower display is prettier than some we've ever seen. B: This is the prettiest flower display we've ever seen.

C: This is one of the prettiest flower displays we've ever seen. D: This flower display isn't as pretty as those we've ever seen.

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Question 12. ***John used to write home once a week when he was abroad.***

A: John doesn't write home once a week any longer.

B: John never forgot to write a weekly letter home when he was abroad.

C: When John was abroad he remembered to write home every week.

D: John enjoyed writing home every week when he was abroad.

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

Question 13. Teacher: - You have a really good voice. **Student:** - _____.

A: Yes, of course B: I appreciate it C: Congratulations D: That's right

Question 14. Nam: - Can I help you with your suitcase? **Hoa:** - _____.

A: That's very kind of you B: I don't think so C: Well-done D: Yes, you can

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 15. My father has just given up _____ .

A: smoking B: smoked C: smoke D: to smoke

Question 16. Hoi An is an ancient town in central Vietnam. It is famous_____ its own unique dish "Cao Lau".

A. for B. from C. with D. to

Question 17. Local authorities are trying to make _____better and better by building more ring roads.

A: education system B: public transport C: living standard D: city scenery

Question 18. The return fare costs _____ the single one.

A:as twice as B: twice as C: twice much as D: twice as much as

Question 19. More school and hospital are _____ to meet the demand of the increasing number of people in this area.

A: set up B: put up C: made up D: turned up

Question 20. Karachi in Pakistan is _____ city in the world in population.

A: the second largest B: second largest C: second large D: the second larger

Question 21. The more he earns, _____ .

A: the more he spends B: he spends much C: the much he spends D: he spends more Ha Noi is

Question 22. Ha Noi is_____ the most populated city in Viet Nam.

A: much more B: a little bit C: a lot D:by far

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

Most of the greatest cities in the world are (23) _____ near oceans, rivers, or lakes. New York City, Rio de Janeiro, and Buenos Aires are on the Atlantic Ocean, (24) _____ San Francisco, Tokyo, and Santiago are on the Pacific Ocean. Singapore is located on an island in the South China Sea and Venice is on an island in the Adriatic Sea. London is (25) _____ the Thames River. Paris is on the Seine River. Cairo is on the Nile River and Budapest is on the Danube River. Chicago, Cleveland, and Toronto are on the Great Lakes: Chicago on Lake Michigan, Cleveland on Lake Erie, and Toronto on Lake Ontario.

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(26) _____ their location, most of these cities have famous (27) _____ associated with water. New York City has the Statue of Liberty Island. San Francisco has the Golden Gate Bridge and Venice has the Grand Canal, to name only a few.

Question 23. A: lied B: set C : put D:located

Question 24. A: but B:as C: while D: although

Question 25. A:at B:in C: from D: on

Question 26. A: Because of B: As C: Because D: Since

Question 27. A: scenery B: landmarks C: monuments D: regions

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

Question 28. In many ways, I prefer country life than city life.

A: in B: ways C: than D: prefer

Question 29. This book is similar the one we saw in the bookshop this morning.

A:similar B:the one C: in the bookshop D:saw

Question 30. I found it interesting listen to your talk on problems of living in big cities.

A:on B: listen C:living D:it

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer.

Life in modern city truly causes a lot of nuisances. Firstly, citizens have to deal with traffic congestion every day. This problem is even worse in the rush hour when so many people run out to work and are stuck on the streets for hours. Next, high cost of living is also a serious issue in the city, especially in metropolitan cities. More and more people find it difficult to live on their modest salaries when prices are going up and up all the time. Financial pressure makes city dwellers become constantly stressed and tired. Finally, the polluted air caused by exhaust emission from millions of vehicles, construction dust and the lack of green trees negatively affect residents' health. Many people suffer from respiratory problems such as cough, sore throat or asthma. Indeed, city life brings a number of difficulties as well as challenges to its citizens.

Question 31. ***Respiratory problems which people living in the city suffer from are _____.***

A: asthma and headache B: sore throat and stress

C: asthma and cough D: cough and cancer

Question 32. ***Stress and tiredness are results of _____ .***

A: traffic congestion B: polluted air C: lack of green trees D: financial pressure

Question 33. ***This paragraph is about _____ .***

A: high cost of living in the city B: nuisances of living in the city

C: air pollution in the city D: traffic problems in the city

Question 34. ***Traffic congestion is even worse during _____.***

A: rush hours B: late in the afternoon C: early morning D: the night

Question 35. ***Many city dwellers are suffered from _____ every day but they have no way out.***

A:pleasant and convenient B: unpleasant and inconvenient

C:pleasure and convenience D: unpleasure and inconvenience

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Question 36. ***How many problems of living in the city are mentioned in the paragraph?***

A:four B:one C:three D:two

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

Question 37. We'd better **speed up** if we want to get there in time.

A:turn down B: slow down C:lie down D: put down

Question 38. A lot of things have been done to **save** natural resources but it seems not enough.

A:explore B: discover C: protect D: exploit

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

Question 39. English is **compulsory** in most schools in our town.

A: fulfilled B: specialized C: applied D: required

Question 40. Let's wait here for her. I'm sure she will **turn up** before long.

A: enter B:visit C:return D:arrive

--The End--

Good luck to all of you!

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