Dong Ngac Secondary School

The second Mid-term Revision

Grade 8

A. PRONUNCIATION

I.Choose the word whose underlined part differ from the other three in pronunciation .

1. **A.** disease	**B.** dead	**C.** treatment	**D.** sneeze
2.**A.** environment	**B.** billboard	**C.** visual	**D.** litter
3. **A.** birth	**B.**thermal	**C.** earth	**D.** further
4. **A.** poisoned	**B.** died	**C.** dumped	**D.** caused
5.**A.** contaminant	**B.** waste	**C.** illustrate	**D.** radiation
6. A. camp	B. language	C. native	D. accent
7. A. capital	B. scenic	C. Scotland	D. iconic
8. A. increased	B. provided	C. haunted	D. founded
9. A. chemical	B. architecture	C. French	D. chaos
10. A. brigade	B. kilt	C. liberty	D. icon

II. Circle the word with a different stress pattern from the others

1.**A.** environment	**B.** temperature	**C.** botanical	**D.** contaminant
2. **A.** untreated	**B.** aquatic	**C.** pollution	**D.** electronic
3. **A.** pollute	**B.** poison	**C.** damage	**D.** illustrate
4. **A.** presentation	**B.** radioactive	**C.** environmental	**D.** contamination
5. **A.** permanent	**B.** Chemical	**C.** dramatic	**D.** herbicide
6. A. American	B. Canadian	C. Australian	D. Portuguese
7. A. monument	B. symbolize	C. attraction	D. spectacle
8. A. natural	B. trainee	C. unique	D. parade
9. A. territory	B. festivity	C. traditional	D. geography
10. A. official	B. legendary	C. historic	D. iconic
11. **A.** technology	**B.** disaster	**C.** available	**D.** temporary
12**A.** tsunami	**B.** evacuee	**C.** ecology	**D.** volcanic
14. **A.** volunteer	**B.** scientific	**C.** sociology	**D.** property
15. **A.** electronic	**B.** biology	**C.** photography	**D.** astrology

GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY

I. Choose the best answer to complete the following sentences.

1. Since 2005, India_____ the world's largest English-speaking population.
   A. has **B.** is having **C.** had **D.** has had
2. The United Kingdom_____ of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
   A. consists **B.** is consisted **C.** has consisted **D.** consisted
3. English_____ around the world by children in school as a foreign language.
   A. has learned **B.** is learning **C.** is learned **D.** learned
4. You'd better go to bed early tonight. The plane_____ at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning so we'll have to be up by 4.30!
   A. will leave **B.** leaves **C.** leave **D.** is leaving

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5. Over the past five years, Australia's population_____ by 1.86 million people.
   A. increases **B.** is increasing **C.** has increased **D.** is increased
6. I'm sorry. I can't meet up this weekend. We_____ to Wales on Friday.
   A. go **B.** are going **C.** will go **D.** has gone
7. In the 16th century, French and British settlers_____ in Canada.
   A. arrive **B.** have arrived **C.** was arriving **D.** arrived
8. Light pollution has a wide range of negative effects_____ human health.
   A. on **B.** of **C.** for **D.** to
9. _____can cause high blood pressure, heart problems, sleep disturbances, and hearing problems.
   A. Air pollution **B.** Light pollution **C.** Water pollution **D.** Noise pollution
10. The levels of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere have risen_____ the burning of fossil fuels.
   A. therefore **B.** because **C.** in spite of **D.** due to
11. If noise pollution happens regularly, It ……stress.
   a. will cause b. would cause c. had caused d. cause
12. _____are Chemicals that are used to kill unwanted plants, such as weeds.
   A. Fertilizers **B.** Pesticides **C.** Herbicides **D.** Pollutants
13. There would be much less pollution_____ people stopped using cars completely.
   A. if **B.** since **C.** when **D.** although
14. Emissions of pollutants into the air can_____ changes to the climate.
   A. get on **B.** end up **C.** go into **D.** result in
15. _____can we help save our environment?
   A. What **B.** How **C.** Why **D.** How much
16. Water pollution_____ the death of all forms of life in the water bodies.
   A. occurs **B.** results of **C.** creates **D.** leads to
17. _____ plastic takes so long to break down, it pollutes the land and ocean.
   A. Because **B.** Due to **C.** Even if **D.** Although
18. Many flights were cancelled _____ the smoke from forest fires.
   A. so **B.** because **C.** because of **D.**result in
19. _____the garbage dump smells terrible, no one lives around there.
   A. Because of **B.**Since **C.**As a result of **D.** Even though
20. Grace didn't love nature, _____ she wasn't happy when her group went camping in a jungle.
   A. but **B.** and **C.** because **D.** so
21. Thousands of fish were killed _____ a discharge of poisonous chemicals from a nearby factory.
   A. because **B.** lead to **C.** result in **D.** as a result of
22. A flood_____ when a large amount of water covers the land.
   A. occurs **B.** is occurred **C.** is occurring **D.** has occurred
23. Could you list some non-point source _____?
   A. pollution B. pollutants C. polluting D. polluted

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24. Families camped out in a City park after their homes_____ by the earthquake.

A. have heavily damaged **B.** had damaged heavily

C. were heavily damaged **D.** are damaged heavily

25. At least 200 people_____ after rivers burst their banks in Colombia mudslides.

A. killed **B.** had killed **C.** were killed **D.** are being killed

26. The Disney World_____ in the City of Orlando, which is in the State of Florida.

A. locates **B.** is locating **C.** is located **D.** located

27. We_____ home when a hurricane hit the town two days ago. What a terrible experience!

A. are driving **B.** were driving **C.** drove **D.** had driven

28. Before we went to Hawaii, we_____ a volcanic eruption.

A. never saw **B.** has never seen **C.** had never seen **D.** were never seen

29. So far, some of the storm damaged roads and bridges_____.

A. already repaired **B.** had already repaired

C. were already repaired **D.** have already been repaired

30. What can be done to protect people from …….disaster?

A.environment B. environmental C.environmentally D. environmentalist

31. The government has declared a state of ……following earthquake.

A.emergency B. accident C.situation D. extension

32. The forest fire …….for eight hours, killing all of the animals.

A.burst B. occurred C.raged D. spread

33. Many countries have sent …….aid to the earthquake victims.

A.soldiers B. elders C.rescuers D. humanitarian

34. If the storm…….the area, it …….a lot of damage.

A.hits/causes B. will hit/ causes C.hits/ will cause D. hit/cause

35. People ……the fooded villages when rescue workers ……..

A.left/had arrived B. had left/ arrived C.left/arrived D. will left/ will arrive

36. Too much use of electric lights in cities may cause……pollution

A.air B. noise C.thermal D. light

37. The ……chemical waste is dumped into the river.

A.poison B.poisonous C.pollute D. polluted

38. The Golden Gate Bridge in San Francisco is an/a ……..of this famous city.

A.unique B.scenic C.icon D. attract

39. By the time we got to the cinema, the film……

A.will start B. had started C.starts D. is starting

40. If you ……the president, what would you do to help the environment?

A.were B. are C.had been D. will be

<u>II.Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.</u>

1. "No one was killed in the forest fire two days ago." - "_____"

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A:That's shocking! B:How terrible! C:That's a relief. D:Oh dear.

2. Lan: "I have just won the first prize in the English speaking contest in my school".

   -Hoa: "....."

   A. Stay calm.You can do it. B. Congratulations!

   C. If I were you I wouldn't do that. D. I understand how you feel.

3. Tuan: "Thanks a lot for your help. " – Minh: "....."

   A.Go ahead B.I don't care C. Stay calm. D. Don't mention it.

4. Been: "He has to work 12 hours everyday". – Peter: "....."

   A. Sure. B. How cool! C. Wow, I can't imagine that. D. I wish I could go back to that time.

5. "Would you pick the kids up from school this afternoon?" - "_____"

   A:Sure B:I don't think so. C:Really? D:No, I am afraid I can't.

III.Indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

1. We should try to **preserve** every custom and tradition.

   A. act out B. entertain C. collect D. keep alive

2. I'll take the new job whose salary is **fantastic.**

   A. reasonable B. acceptable C. wonderful D. pretty high

3. Lan**looks forward to** seeing her friends soon.

   A. is excited about B. is disappointed about C. is worried about D. is fed up with

4. Before I come to a decision, I'll have to **consider carefully** their offer.

   A. think over B. go over C. take over D. get over

5. **Mother tongue** is the language that you learn to speak from birth.

   A. foreign language B. second language C. tounge D. first language

IV. Indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

1. Some English verbs are **the same as** their nouns or adjectives.

   A. like B. changed according to C. different from D. as

2. **Drawback** is a problem that makes something a less attractive idea.

   A. disadvantage B. advantage C. unhealthy D. unlucky

3. The famous inventor was not brought up in a **well-off** family.

   A.kind B. rich C. wealthy D. poor

4. The villagers have been taken to a safe place where **temporary** accommodation will be provided for them.

   A:permanent B:mutable C:passing D:transitory

5. This group of chemicals is known to be ***harmful*** to people's health.

   A:safe B:Risky C:dangerous D:natural

V. Choose the underlined word or phrase, A, B, c or D that needs correcting.

1. What will happen if the Earth stopped moving?

   A B C D

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2. Humans can even die if they will drink contaminated water.
   A B C D
3. Kilts are wore in both Scotland and Ireland as a symbol of pride.
   A B C D
4. We would save the environment if we stop using so much energy.
   A B C D
5. Niagara Falls is one of the most spectacle waterfalls in the world.
   A B C D
6. Contaminated water can lead many types of diarrheal diseases, including cholera.
   A B C D
7. Unless we leave a bowl of water under the sun, it evaporates.
   A B C D
8. If we continue to use fuels at the current rate, we would soon have to face a fuel crisis
   A B C D
9. English and Welsh are the two officially languages of Wales.
   A B C D
10. The dead typhoon that swept through the Philippines was one of the strongest ever recorded.
   A B C D

WRITING

I. Combine two sentences into a new one by choosing the best anwer

1. The temperature of water increases. Many fish in the river die.

A. Many fish in the river die sincethe temperature of water increases.

B. Many fish in the river die because of the temperature of water increases.

C. Many fish in the river die due to the temperature of water increases.

D. Many fish in the river die because the increase temperature of water temperature.

2. Global warming happens. There is too much carbon dioxide (CO2) in the atmosphere.

A. Too much carbon dioxide (CO2) in the atmosphere leads Global warming

B. Global warming cause too much carbon dioxide (CO2) in the atmosphere.

C. Too much carbon dioxide (CO2) in the atmosphere causes Global warming

D . Global warming as a result of too much carbon dioxide (CO2) in the atmosphere.

3. We must conserve water. Otherwise we will face serious water shortages.

A. Unless we don't conserve water, we will face serious water shortages.

B. If we don't face serious water shortages, we must conserve water

C. If we conserve water, we will face serious water shortages.

D. If we don't conserve water, we will face serious water shortages.

4. We should stop cutting down so many trees. We endanger our oxygen supply.

A. If we stop cutting down so many trees, we will endanger our oxygen supply.

B. Unless we stop cutting down so many trees, we will endanger our oxygen supply

C. Unless we don't stop cutting down so many trees, we will endanger our oxygen supply

D. Unless we stop cutting down so many trees, we wouldn't endanger our oxygen supply

5. Light pollution occurs. We are unable to see the stars in the sky.

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A. Light pollution makes us unable to see the stars in the sky.

B. Light pollution makes us unable see the stars in the sky.

C. Light pollution makes us able to see the stars in the sky.

D. Light pollution makes us unable to seeing the stars in the sky.

6. Aquatic life suffers or dies. There is thermal pollution.

A. Aquatic life suffers or dies because thermal pollution.

B. There is thermal pollution because aquatic life suffers or dies

C. There is thermal pollution because of aquatic life suffers or dies

D. Aquatic life suffers or dies because of thermal pollution.

7. It rained heavily. The road in front of my house was flooded.

A. Because the heavy rain, the road in front of my house was flooded.

B. Due to the heavy rain, the road in front of my house was flooded.

C. Because of it rained heavily, the road in front of my house was flooded.

D. Because the rain heavy, the road in front of my house was flooded.

8. We are damaging the ozone layer. The ozone layer is necessary for human existence.

A. We are damaging the ozone layereven though the ozone layer is necessary for human existence

B. We are damaging the ozone layer despite the ozone layer is necessary for human existence

C. We are damaging the ozone layer even though the ozone layer necessary for human existence

D. We are damaging the ozone layer in spite of the ozone layer is necessary for human existence

II. Choose the second sentence so that it has similar meaning to the given sentence

9. They repaired their house, then the typhoon came.

A. After they had repaired their house, the typhoon came.

B. After they repaired their house, the typhoon had came.

C. After they repaired their house, the typhoon had come.

D. After they have repaired their house, the typhoon came.

10. I don't take part in the volunteer program because I don't have enough free time.

A. If I had had enough free time, I would take part in the volunteer program.

B. If I had enough free time, I will take part in the volunteer program.

C. If I had enough free time, I would take part in the volunteer program.

D. If I have enough free time, I would take part in the volunteer program.

11. They have invented new devices to help people live a longer life.

A. New devices has been invented to help people live a longer life.

B. New devices have been invented to help people live a longer life.

C. New devices have invented to help people live a longer life.

D. New devices were invented to help people live a longer life.

12. They will predict natural disasters accurately with the help of technology in the future.

A. Natural disasters will predict accurately with the help of technology in the future.

B. Natural disasters will predicted accurately with the help of technology in the future.

C. Natural disasters would be predicted accurately with the help of technology in the future.

D. Natural disasters will be predicted accurately with the help of technology in the future.

13. The government didn't warn the people about the possibility of a tsunami.

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A. The possibility of a tsunami were not warned about the people by the government

B. The people were not warned about the possibility of a tsunami by the government

C. The people was not warned about the possibility of a tsunami by the government

D. The people were warned about the possibility of a tsunami by the government

14. People left the flooded villages, then rescue workers arrived.

A. Before rescue workers had arrived, people left the flooded villages.

B. Before rescue workers arrived, people have left the flooded villages.

C. Before rescue workers arrived, people left the flooded villages.

D. Before rescue workers arrived, people had left the flooded villages.

15. Stop smoking, or you will have breathing problems.

A. If you don't stop smoking, you will have breathing problems.

B. If you don't stop smoking, you would have breathing problems.

C. If you didn't stop smoking, you will have breathing problems.

D. If you stop smoking, you will have breathing problems.

III. Write full sentences, using the words given by choosing the best anwer

1**. Many natural disasters / have / cause/ global warming / so far**

A. Many natural disasters have caused by global warming so far.

B. Many natural disasters had been caused by global warming so far.

C. Many natural disasters were caused by global warming so far.

D. Many natural disasters have been caused by global warming so far.

2. Food / blankets / have / give / out / flood victims / volunteers / so far

A. Food and blankets have been given out to flood victims by volunteers so far.

B.Food and blankets have given out to flood victims by volunteers so far.

C. Food and blankets were given out to flood victims by volunteers so far.

D.Food and blankets have been gave out to flood victims by volunteers so far.

3. Rescuers / clear / up / the debris/ after / they /provide/ food / water.

A. Rescuers had cleared up the debris after they provided food and water.

B. Rescuers cleared up the debris after they provided food and water.

C. Rescuers cleared up the debris after they had provided food and water.

D. Rescuers had cleared up the debris after they had provided food and water.

4. contaminated food /result/ people /poor /health.

A. The contaminated food results of people's poor health

B. The contaminated food results from people's poor health

C. The contaminated food as results in people's poor health

D. The contaminated food results in people's poor health.

5. By the time / volcano / erupt, / most people / leave.

A. By the time the volcano erupted, most people had left.

B. By the time the volcano had erupted, most people left.

C. By the time the volcano erupted, most people left.

D. By the time the volcano erupted, most people had leaved.

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