

WRITTEN TEST 1

I. PHONETICS

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the other three in each question.

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| 1. A. beer | B. here | C. wear | D. year |
| 2. A. <u>be</u> ard | B. <u>care</u> | C. <u>stair</u> | D. <u>aer</u> oplane |
| 3. A. <u>ear</u> | B. <u>cheers</u> | C. <u>real</u> | D. <u>square</u> |

Choose the word which has a different stress pattern from the other three in each question.

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| 4. A. career | B. racket | C. regard | D. elect |
| 5. A. marathon | B. equipment | C. fantastic | D. exhausted |

II. VOCABULARY

Choose the word or phrase that best completes each sentence below.

6. Lily and I have maintained a good _____ for 10 years.
A. friend B. friendly C. friendliness D. friendship
7. My father is a very active _____.
A. cycle B. cyclist C. bicycle D. cycling
8. Rock-climbing is quite _____, so climbers need a good rest afterwards.
A. tiring B. tired C. tiredness D. tiredly
9. My classroom has been equipped with more _____ facilities.
A. modern B. modernize C. modernization D. modernist
10. Hoang is really proud of his recent _____ in study.
A. achieve B. achieving C. achievement D. achiever
11. I usually sit in the classroom at _____ time at school.
A. break B. cut C. interruption D. division
12. Tug of _____ is a common game among Vietnamese children.
A. struggle B. fight C. hit D. war
13. _____ morning exercise is good for health.
A. Getting B. Doing C. Making D. Using
14. The first modern Olympic Games took _____ in Athens in 1896.
A. site B. location C. place D. position
15. Pelé _____ 1,281 goals in his 22-year football career.
A. won B. got C. gained D. scored
16. I often _____ fishing with my father at the weekend.
A. do B. go C. play D. swim

Choose the word or phrase that is CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined part in each of the following sentences.

17. Playing sports regularly can bring many health benefits.
A. frequently B. rarely C. sometimes D. randomly
18. What happened at the football match yesterday?
A. played B. occurred C. mattered D. came

Choose the word or phrase that is OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined part in each of the following sentences.

19. My brother wants to become a professional swimmer, so he practices swimming every day.

- A. lazy B. poor C. bad D. amateurish
 20. Linh often wastes money in buying clothes that she just wears a few times.
 A. spends B. pays C. saves D. makes

III. GRAMMAR

Choose the word or phrase that best completes each sentence below.

21. Please _____ the dog while we are away, Peter!
 A. feed B. to feed C. feeding D. fed
 22. Mozart _____ more than 600 pieces of music.
 A. writes B. wrote C. writed D. was wrote
 23. Exercising is good for health, but _____ too hard.
 A. train B. training C. don't train D. not train
 24. It was cold, so I _____ all of the windows.
 A. shut B. was C. am shut D. shutted
 25. If you want to understand the lesson well, _____ carefully to the teacher!
 A. listen B. listening C. to listen D. listened
 26. I _____ to the gym four times last week.
 A. was go B. goed C. did go D. went
 27. How _____ do you do karate? - Twice a week.
 A. much B. many C. often D. long
 28. The police _____ the thief when he was trying to climb out of our house last night.
 A. was catch B. caught C. catches D. catching
 29. Children in Vietnam often start primary school _____ the age of six.
 A. in B. on C. at D. under
 30. When you listen to the radio early in the morning, you can always _____ sports news.
 A. hear B. to hear C. hearing D. heard

Choose the underlined part that needs correcting in each sentence below.

31. Neil Armstrong was the first man to step in the Moon.
 A. was B. first C. to step D. in
 32. Climbing Mount Fansipan were tiring, but very exciting.
 A. Climbing B. were C. but D. exciting
 33. Pele's father taught him play football at a very young age.
 A. taught B. play C. at D. age
 34. Sports and games play an essential role in our lives.
 A. Sports B. play C. essential D. in
 35. Television programmes about sports are very regular, but we can watch something interesting nearly every day.
 A. about B. regular C. but D. nearly

IV. READING

Read the passage and decide whether the sentences are True (T) or False (F).

Some people say free running isn't really a sport. You can't usually enter competitions or win medals or prizes, and most free runners aren't interested in diem. You can do free running in a town or city. It's a very dangerous activity because free runners run, jump and climb fast - over walls, roofs and buildings. They use their hands and feet and move like cats. They want to feel free!

Cave diving is a very dangerous underwater activity. Divers climb down into deep caves that have got water in them. They dive into the water and swim through the caves. The caves are

very dark and the divers wear a strong light on their heads. Sometimes the light breaks, so they can't get out of the caves easily if they have an accident

(Source: Solutions elementary, 2nd edition)

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36. Free running isn't considered a sport because there aren't usually competitions.		
37. Free runners can move around slowly to avoid obstacles.		
38. Cave diving can be practiced everywhere.		
39. Cave divers swim through dark caves with a light-on their heads.		
40. Cave divers are at risk of having accidents.		

Reading the following passage and choose the option (A, B, C or D) that best answers each of the questions below.

Cheerleading is a very popular activity for girls in the USA. Most American secondary schools have got a cheerleading team. They cheer at sports matches at their school, for example, American football and basketball matches. Some teams also enter competitions. But is it really a sport? Over 50 per cent of Americans don't think so.

Hannah: "No, I don't think cheerleading is a sport. In my opinion, it's just dancing. The cheerleaders entertain the crowd at school sports events, but they're just sports fans in uniforms. At my school, cheerleading is just for girls, and only the pretty girls join the team. In cheerleading competitions, the teams don't score goals or points, like in football or tennis. I think cheerleading is stupid."

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41. What do cheerleaders do?

- A. They sing to entertain the crowd.
- B. They cheer at sports matches at their school.
- C. They play American football and basketball.
- D. They form teams to practice sports.

42. Which of the following sentences is true about Americans' opinion of cheerleading?

- A. The majority of American people don't regard cheerleading as a sport.
- B. The minority of American people don't think cheerleading is a sport.
- C. Most Americans consider cheerleading as a sport.
- D. Americans want to make cheerleading a real sport.

43. What does the word "fans" mean?

- A. the people who go to see a sports event
- B. a group of people who do a sport together
- C. a person who loves a team, a singer, a band, and so on
- D. the people who join in a game

44. According to Hannah, who are likely to become cheerleaders?

- A. Everyone
- B. Beautiful girls
- C. Sports fans
- D. Dancers

45. How does Hannah seem to feel about cheerleading?

- A. It is interesting.
- C. It is difficult.

B. It is entertaining.

D. It is silly.

V. WRITING

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that is closest in meaning to the root sentence or best combines the two given sentences.

46. Will you come to the judo club with me on Sunday?

A. Do you often come to the judo club on Sunday?

B. Will you take me to the judo club on Sunday?

C. Would you like to come to the judo club with me on Sunday?

D. Do you prefer coming to the judo club with me on Sunday?

47. At the gym near my house, the equipment is modern, and the staff is friendly.

A. The gym near my house has modern equipment and friendly staff.

B. The gym is near my house, so the equipment is modern, and the staff is friendly.

C. Modern equipment and friendly make the gym near my house become well-known.

D. Near my house, the equipment is modern, and the staff is friendly.

48. It is very cold. Put on your coat.

A. It is very cold, but you should put on your coat.

B. Cold weather makes coats sell well.

C. You should put on your coat to protect yourself from the cold weather.

D. Put on your coat, or the weather will be cold.

49. During his career Pelé became well-known around the world as *The King of Football*.

A. Pelé became *The King of Football* because he was well known around the world.

B. Pelé had a successful career as he was *The King of Football*.

C. *The King of Football* was Pelé's nickname when he still played football.

D. Pelé was a famous footballer all over the world, and he was regarded as *The King of Football*.

50. Trung hopes he can create a new kind of computer game in the future.

A. In the future, Trung can create a new kind of computer game.

B. Trong's future dream is to invent a new computer game.

C. Making new computer games is Trung's hobby.

D. Trung hopes to create a new kind of computer game, so he can play it for free.

 The end