

REVIEW UNIT 8. OUR WORLD HERITAGE SITES

VOCABULARY REVISION

1. abundant (a): dồi dào, nhiều
2. acknowledge (v): chấp nhận, thừa nhận
3. archaeological (a): thuộc về khảo cổ học
4. authentic (a): thực
5. breathtaking (a): đẹp đến ngỡ ngàng
6. bury (v): chôn
7. cave (n): hang động
8. citadel (n): thành trì
9. complex (n): quần thể, tổ hợp
10. comprise (v): bao gồm
11. cruise (n): cuộc đi chơi biển
12. demolish (v): đánh sập
13. distinctive (a): nổi bật
14. dynasty (n): triều đại
15. emerge (v): nổi lên
16. excavation (n): việc khai quật
17. heritage (n): di sản
18. intact (adj): nguyên vẹn, không bị hư tổn
19. in ruins : bị phá hủy, đổ nát
20. relic (n): cổ vật

EXERCISES

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

- Question 1: A. tomb B. dome C. mosaic D. poetic
- Question 2: A. scholar B. technique C. archaeology D. achievement

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. nightlife B. intact C. complex D. relic
Question 4 : A. cultural B. heritage C. represent D. memory

VOCABULARY

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 : Most of the house remains _____ even after two hundred years.

- A. destroyed B. damaged C. intact D. complete

Question 6: In England, it is now _____ popular to take a gap year between school and university or university and work, and to spend it traveling.

- A. extreme B. extremely C. rare D. rarely

Question 7: The balance and harmonious blending of various elements contribute _____ Taj Mahal's unique beauty.

- A. for B. to C. by D. of

Question 8: She didn't enjoy the Mediterranean _____ at all; she was seasick most of the time.

- A. cruise B. tour C. voyage D. trip

Question 9: Ha Long Bay has attracted millions of visitors who come to enjoy its breathtaking views and experience other _____ activities.

- ~~A. an~~ ~~B. a~~ C. the D. no article

Question 10: – Mary: “ _____ ” – Anna: “I'd like to see a cultural one.”

- A. Would you like to visit a natural or a cultural world heritage site?
B. Which site is worth visiting in Hue? The Citadel or the Royal Tombs?
C. Would you like to go to Tomb of Minh Mang or the Citadel of the Ho Dynasty?
D. Do you prefer seeing the Citadel of the Ho Dynasty or Tomb of Minh Mang?

Mark the letter A, B, C, or 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 11: In addition to exploring the caves and grottos, and seeing its flora and fauna, visitors can also enjoy mountain climbing.

- A. flowers and plants B. plants and vegetation C. flowers and grass D. plants and animals

Question 12: Most of the Imperial Citadel of Thang Long was demolished in the early 20th century.

- A. rebuilt B. pulled down C. put up D. pulled up

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or 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 13: Though built almost five hundred years ago, the church remained practically intact.

- A. in perfection B. in chaos C. in ruins D. in completion

Question 14: The Imperial Citadel of Thang Long was first built during the Ly Dynasty and then expanded by subsequent dynasties.

- A. preceding B. following C. successive D. next

GRAMMAR

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

Question 15: The best way _____ London is by taking a guided tour.

- A. of which to see B. to see C. seeing D. in which you see

Question 16: With its thousands of rocks and caves _____ out of the water, Ha Long Bay has won international recognition.

- A. emerge B. to emerge C. emerging D. being emerged

Question 17: We can also see the stone dragons of Kinh Thien Palace and relics associated with many Vietnamese royal families, _____ during archaeological excavations.

- A. discovered B. being discovered C. to discover D. discovering

Question 18: John F. Kennedy was the last US president _____.

- A. to assassinate B. assassinated C. assassinating D. to be assassinated

Question 19: Situated on Cam Khe Hill, Tomb of Minh Mang is one of the most interesting royal tombs _____ in Hue.

- A. visited B. to visit C. visiting D. being visited

Question 20: Though _____ many centuries ago, the palace remains practically intact.

- A. building B. to build C. built D. people built

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

Question 21: Lived here for seven years, my friend volunteers to act as tour guide for us all on our city break.

- A. lived/ Living B. to act C. as D. city break

Question 22: Amy seems like a bright student. She's always the first to be finished her work.

- A. seems like B. bright C. the first D. to be finished/ to finish

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

Some markets in Ha Long Bay sell unusual relics and natural objects, such as coral pieces, sea shells, or unique stones, probably illegally removed (23)_____ the protected areas. Many of these items, converted into rings, key chains, and other souvenirs, are purchased by unsuspecting tourists. Buying these items creates a black market (24)_____ to further destruction of Ha Long Bay. As eco-tourists, we can help to protect to Ha Long Bay for future generations in several ways. (25)_____, by sailing and fishing with the fishermen, we can share the benefits of tourism with the local (26)_____.

Question 23: A. about B. in C. from D. at

Question 24: A. allowing B. leading C. appointing D. sending

Question 25: A. But B. If C. However D. For example

Question 26: A. society B. community C. human D. farmers

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.

One of the seven wonders of the ancient world, the Great Pyramid of Giza was a monument of wisdom and prophecy built as a tomb for Pharaoh Cheops in 2720 B.C. Despite its antiquity, certain aspects of its construction make it one of the truly great wonders of the world. The thirteen-acre structure near the Nile River is a solid mass of stone blocks covered with limestone. Inside are a number of hidden passageways and the burial chamber for the Pharaoh. It is the largest single structure in the world. The four sides of the pyramid are aligned almost exactly on true north, south, east, and west – an incredible engineering feat. The ancient Egyptians were sun worshipers and great astronomers, so computations for the Great Pyramid were based on astronomical observations. Explorations and detailed examinations of the base of the structure reveal many **intersecting** lines. Further scientific study indicates that these represent a type of timeline of events – past, present, and future. Many of the events have been interpreted and found to coincide with known facts of the past. Others are prophesied for future generations and are currently under investigation. Many believe that pyramids have supernatural powers, and this one is no exception. Some researchers even associate it

with extraterrestrial beings of the ancient past. Was this superstructure made by ordinary beings, or one built by a race far superior to any known today?

Question 27: The word “**intersecting**” in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to ____.

- A. crossing B. aligning C. observing D. cutting

Question 28: What do the intersecting lines in the base symbolise?

- A. Architects' plans for the hidden passages.
B. Pathways of the great solar bodies.
C. Astrological computations.
D. Dates of important events taking place throughout time.

Question 29: Extraterrestrial beings are ____.

- A. very strong workers B. astronomers in the ancient times
C. researchers in Egyptology D. living beings from other planets

Question 30: What is the best title for the passage?

- A. Symbolism of the Great Pyramid B. Problems with the Construction of the Great Pyramid
C. Wonders of the Great Pyramid of Giza D. Exploration of the Burial Chamber of Cheops

WRITING

I. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the sentence printed before it. Write your answers on your answer sheet. (0,5 point)

Question 1: English has an alphabet that consists of 26 letters.

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Question 2: Applications which were sent after 23rd will not be considered.

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Question 3: Maxicorp was the only company which replied my letter.

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II. Writing a paragraph

Write a paragraph (about 120 words) about a heritage site that you know.

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