

I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

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| 1. A. plays | B. cooks | C. helps | D. months |
| 2. A. wanted | B. parked | C. stopped | D. watched |
| 3. A. artisan | B. attraction | C. cast | D. craft |
| 4. A. capital | B. liberty | C. empire | D. mingle |
| 5. A. weave | B. treat | C. thread | D. team |

II. Choose the correct answer A, B, C or D to complete each of the following sentences.

6. Mai _____ in this town since she left school.
- A. lived B. has lived C. lives D. is living.
7. My father is a very _____ driver. He never has any accidents.
- A. careful B. carefully C. careless D. carelessly
8. I wish we _____ to a bigger house. I don't have my own room.
- A. moved B. moving C. won't move D. will move
9. "Can I try your new camera?" – " _____ "
- A. I'm sorry, I can't. Let's go now. B. I'm sorry. I'm home late.
- C. Sure. I'd love to. D. But please be careful with it.
10. Due to the bad weather, the flight to Manchester was _____
- A. taken off B. cut down C. turn down D. put off
11. My brother is very _____ in listening to rock music.

A. interested B. amused C. surprised D. amazed

12. If I were in charge, I _____ things differently.

A. will do B. had done C. would do D. would have done

13. I couldn't go to your party last night _____ I had a club meeting.

A. and B. but C. so D. because

14. Stern insisted that she come downtown so that he could explain this to her _____

A. face B. direct C. indirect D. face to face

15. Youngsters love to eat from street _____ for the cheap price.

A. vans B. vendors C. trucks D. business

III. Each of the following sentences has one mistake. Identify the mistake by circling A, B, C or D.

16. Let's to go to the theatre and see the latest play.

A B C D

17. My father asked me what I was doing now.

A B C D

18. A new school will build in my town next year.

A B C D

19. Million of people want to learn or improve their English.

____A B C D

20. I wish I have a chance to speak English with a native speaker.

A B C D

IV. Fill in each numbered blank in the passage with ONE suitable word from the box.

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The relationship (21)_____students and teachers is less formal in the USA than in many other countries. American students do not stand up (22)_____their teachers enter the room. Students are encouraged to (23)_____questions during class, to stop in the teacher's office for extra help, and to phone if they are absent. Most teachers (24)____students to

enter class late or leave early if necessary. (25)____the lack of formality, students are still expected to be polite to (26)_____teachers and fellow classmates.

When students want to ask questions, they usually (27)_____a hand and wait to be called on. When a test is being given, talking to a classmate is not only rude but also risky. Most American teachers consider that students who are talking to each other (28)_____a test are cheating.

V. Read the passage and choose the correct answer A, B, C or D for each of the following questions. Write your answers on the answer sheet.

When your mobile phone runs out of battery power, all you have to do to get it working again is to charge it up. Imagine if you could do the same thing with your car. Researchers at car companies are developing cars that plug into electric sockets. These vehicles might become the cars of the future.

The cars are called plug-in hybrids and they get most of their power from electricity, just like other electrical devices like mobile phones and laptops. This technology would significantly reduce the amount of petrol that people use. For countries that depend on other oil producing countries for their petrol supply this could be a great advantage.

Presently, most cars use petrol. Unfortunately, burning fossil fuels produces carbon dioxide gas, and when a large amount of this gas and other greenhouse gases are trapped in the Earth's atmosphere, they cause global warming. Hybrid vehicles have already been developed and are being driven. These cars get their power from both petrol and electricity; they are able to travel longer distances with less petrol. Plug-in hybrids will be even more advanced as they are designed to be powered mainly by electricity and use only a small amount of petrol. It might be some time before the cars will become available to the public but if **they** do, it will be a major breakthrough for transport.

29. What is the main idea of the passage?

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| A. Cars of the future. | B. I low to reduce gas. |
| C. Cars running on petrol. | D. How to develop hybrid cars. |

30. According to the passage, researchers are developing_____.

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| A. cars that never run out of battery power | B. electric cars whose battery can be recharged |
| C. cars that do not need a battery | D. electric car that don't need to be charged |

31. According to the passage, this new technology would be a great advantage for__.

- A. countries which do not produce oil B. people who don't use much petrol
C. companies which produce cars D. oil producing countries

32. According to the passage, hybrid cars_____.

- A. have not been developed B. use a combination of electricity and petrol
C. get their energy only from electricity D. use more petrol than cars running on petrol

33. The word "they" in line 13 refers to_____.

- A. greenhouse gases B. fossil fuels C. distances D. cars

VI. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one.

34. My father is not at home now. I miss him.

□ I wish _____

35. "Do you love music?" she asked.

□ She asked me _____

36. We started writing to each other six years ago.

□ We have _____

37. What time will you begin your journey to Da Lat?

□What time will you set _____

38. It is nobody's fault that the meeting was cancelled.

□ Nobody _____

VII. Use the following sets of words or phrases to write complete sentences.

39. Mr Bill/ used/ go /swimming/ when/ he/ young.

40. When / we / finish / each assignment / we / have / feeling/ accomplishment.

THE END

