PRACTICE TEST 21

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.

1.	A. station	B. future	C. nature	D. question
2.	A. reply	B. beauty	C. pity	D. lady
3.	A. turns	B. bursts	C. laughs	D. works
4.	A. believed	B. expressed	C. enjoyed	D. damaged
5.	A. answer	B. washing	C. winter	D. between

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

6. I don't think she _____ part in the contest next week.

A. will take B. takes C. took D. is taking

7. A farmer claimed to see an alien on one of his farms, _____?

A. wasn't he B. doesn't he D. hasn't he D. didn't he

8. John is very busy with his work now. He wishes he _____ free time to play with his children.

A. had B. didn't have C. has D. doesn't have

9. Our children are looking forward _____ lucky money at Tet.

A. to receive B. to receiving C. receiving D. receive

10. Trung promised _____ harder this school year.

A. working B. to work C. work D. worked

11. Linh _____ better at school if she studied harder.

A. would be B. will be C. wouldn't be D. won't be

12. Eggs _____ on the farm by Mrs. Green twice a day.

A. collect B. are collecting C. are collected D. were collected

13. You _____ work harder in order to be greatly successful.

A. need B. should C. might D. will

14. Each of the students _____ responsible for his or her own work.

A. are B. is C. have D. has

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15. What are you _____ under the table, children?

A. looking for B. looking after C. making up D. turning off

16. This is _____ first time Mr. Parker has visited such a beautiful place.

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

17. The Browns often go fishing in the countryside _____ Sunday morning.

A. in B. on C. at D. of

18. Ellen is _____ with her job. She's looking for another one.

A. bored B. boring C. boringly D. boredom

19. Mary sent me a/an _____ postcard when she was on holiday.

A. square beautiful red C. red square beautiful

B. beautiful square red D. red beautiful square

20. Peter's parents bought him a gift _____ it was his birthday.

A. so B. although C. since D. until

21. She couldn't sleep _____.

A. because it was late C. so it was late

B. although it was late D. in spite of being late

22. The label on this washing machine tells us how much _____ efficiency it is.

A. energy B. energetic C. energize D. energetically

23. It was raining so _____ that the plane couldn't take off.

A. strongly B. hardly C. heavily D. slightly

24. According to the weather forecast, Thai Binh will _____ temperature between 17°C and 20°C next week.

A. receive B. experience C. remember D. reduce

25. Thanks to the television, _____ can travel all around the world through the flat screen.

A. spectators B. audiences C. witnesses D. viewers

26. Brian took photos of the village _____ is surrounded by the yellow paddy fields.

A. where B. who C. what D. which

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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.

27. Nowadays, people can get updated information and enjoy entertaining programs in an **inexpensive** way thanks to the Internet. They don't have to spend much money buying print newspaper.

A. costly B. popular C. cheap D. great

28. Do you have a smaller dress? This one is too **loose** for me.

A. baggy B. tight C. plain D. simple

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.

29. A baby was **asleep** in her baby carriage when she was lifted into the air by a tornado.

A. alone B. awake C. alike D. aware

30. Ha Long Bay is one of the most **favorite** destinations for tourists. Many people spend their summer holiday there.

A. preferred B. major C. unpopular D. final

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best completes each of the following exchanges.

31. Daisy wants to invite her classmate, Joe, to her birthday party.

- Daisy: "Listen, I am having a birthday party next Friday. Do you want to come?"

- Joe: "_____. What time does it start?"

A. Sure, I'd love to C. I can't agree with you

B. Sorry. I'm busy then D. I like a party

32. Minh has finished his homework; he asks his mom's permission to watch his favorite cartoon.

- Minh: "Mom. I'm done. Can I watch TV now?" - Minh's mom: "_____."

A. My pleasure B. Don't be late C. No problem. D. Sure

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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.

33. Sandra <u>has worked</u> <u>in this</u> company for five years <u>and</u> then she applied for another job.
A B C D

34. Joseph will buy <u>herself</u> a new <u>sports car</u> <u>when</u> he <u>has saved</u> enough money.
A B C D

35. <u>As</u> fossil fuels are <u>running out</u>, scientists are <u>searching for</u> new <u>dependent</u> sources of energy.
A B C D

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 numbered blanks from 36 to 40.

The countryside is the place where traditional customs hold full meaning, people spend (36)_____ time gathering with each other in a cozy atmosphere. They always cook traditional dishes for meals during the day by using fresh (37)_____. Although they are very busy during the day, they always spend time (38)_____ with their family and having dinner together to tell each other about how their day went.

On (39)_____ occasions such as the Tet holiday, the atmosphere even gets warmer thanks to family moments and traditional customs. They do everything together, from preparing the offerings trays to cleaning and decorating the house. These occasions are also the opportunities (40)_____ the young to come back home after a long time working and studying in other places

36. A. a lot of	B. a number of	C. a little	D. a few
37. A. recipes	B. ingredients	C. menus	D. materials
38. A. to chat	B. chat	C. chatting	D. chatted
39. A. speciality	B. specially	C. special	D. specialize
40. A. to	B. of	C. with	D. for

Read the passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 41 to 45.

Learning a new language is always an excellent idea. It provides you incredible benefits that come with the help of science! One of the most useful languages to learn is English.

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Learning a second language is one of the best ways to keep your brain active. Studies have shown that the brain experiences changes in electrical activity and even structure and size while learning a foreign language that do not occur when learning any other type of task or skill. Learning another language offers important benefits at any age, helping to keep the mind active and even reducing the **risk** of mental disease later in life.

When learning English as a second language, you approach new ways to think and express yourself through written and spoken words. Learning multiple languages can help you communicate more clearly in any language as you learn more about how language itself works and how to use it to promote ideas and reach out to others in a variety of social and work situations.

The world may not have a global language, but English is the option for countless forms of communication across the globe. That's why one of the benefits of learning English is that it significantly increases your job opportunities. In addition, it can offer you educational opportunities. If you wish to study at some of the best schools like Harvard, Stanford, Oxford, Cambridge or MIT, then knowing English provides you a great advantage. It's expected that around 2 billion people around the world will learn English over the next decade.

41. What might be the best title of the passage?

A. The advantages of learning English as a second language

B. The reasons for English to be a global language

C. The effect of learning English on our physical and mental health

D. English as a key to opening up the world

42. What does the word "**risk**" in the passage probably mean?

A. cause B. effect C. degree D. threat

43. Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the passage?

A. Cambridge B. Oxford C. RMIT D. Harvard

44. How can learning a new language help our brain?

A. It makes our brain work much harder

B. It changes the electrical activity of our brain.

C. It makes us think of new ideas

D. It increases our ability to remember things.

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45. What opportunities does leaning English offer?

A. education B. entertainment C. travel D. communication

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

46. It is believed that the man drank a lot at the party.

A. The man is believed that he drank a lot at the party.

B. People believed that the man drank a lot at the party.

C. The man is believed to have drunk a lot at the party.

D. The man is believed to drink a lot at the party.

47. "I wish I hadn't lent him my car," Alice said.

A. Alice regrets to have lent him her car.

B. Alice regrets lending him her car.

C. Alice regrets not lending him her car.

D. Alice regrets to lend him her car.

48. Your daughter is twelve years old and mine is six.

A. Your daughter is twice as old as mine.

B. Your daughter is as twice old as mine.

C. My daughter is twice as young as you.

D. Your daughter and mine are the same age.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

49. My bicycle is falling apart. I've had it for more than five years.

A. My bicycle, which I've had for more than five years, is falling apart.

B. My bicycle which I've had for more than five years is falling apart.

C. My bicycle, that I've had for more than five years, is falling apart.

D. The bicycle whose I've had for more than five years is falling apart.

50. Get out of bed immediately. You will be late for work.

A. Unless you get out of bed immediately, you will be late for work.

B. Unless you get out of bed immediately, you won't be late for work.

C. You would be late for work if you didn't get out of bed immediately.

D. You will be late for work if you get out of bed immediately.

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