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A. MULTIPLE CHOICE:

- How much time do you spend _____ leisure activities?
A on B in C for D with
- The farmers loaded the rice straw _____ buffalo drawn carts.
A. into B. with C onto D on
- The Dao in the Sapa area is famous _____ its "love market"
A for B. in C with D to
- Teenagers enjoy _____ to music and hanging out with friends.
A. listen B listens C listened D listening
- I really regret _____ this computer. – It's useless.
A buy B to buy C buying D. for buying
- I would love _____ to your party! Thank you for inviting me.
A come B coming C. to come D came
- It usually rains _____ in Central Viet Nam than in other regions.
A. more heavv B heavv C heavier D more heavily
- Mongolian children learn to ride when they are _____ as three years old.
A as young B younger C younger than D so young
- Nowadays, people dress _____, so it's difficult to say which country they are from.
A. less traditionally B more traditionally
C. less traditional D. more traditional
- My sister enjoys _____. She usually walks around the mall, but not buying anything.
A. going shopping B. hanging out C window shopping - D. doing DIY
- You can raise a _____ pet like a Neopet if you aren't allowed to own a real pet.
A. domestic B virtual C. weird D. beloved
- The Viet people have many _____ customs and crafts.
A tradition B traditional C. culture D. customary
- On the farm, uncle Duong showed us how to _____ cucumbers.
A. plough B. produce C pick D. put up
- The Muong in Hoa Binh and Thanh Hoa are well-known for their _____ folk literature and their traditional songs.
A rich B. simple C. basic D. poor
- Many teens are _____ on social networks like Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.
A addicted B hooked C. satisfied D. weird
- Children in my village often fly their kites in dry rice fields.' _____'
A. It's right up my street! B. That's awesome.
C Exactly what I want. D How interesting!

17. 'In some ethnic groups, women play the leading role in the family' '_____'
- A Well, of course. B I don't think so.
 C Wow, that's surprising! D. It's all right
18. A: 'I have two tickets to a gong performance. Would you like to go?'
 B: '_____ What time?'
- A. Sorry, I can't. B. Not very good.
 C. Yes, I'd like that. D. Never mind.
19. What colour is _____ symbol of good luck for the Hoa?
- A a B. an C. Ø D. some
20. It is typical of the cultural life of _____ Thai people
- A some B a C the D Ø
21. S'tieng is _____ ethnic group living mostly in the southern provinces of Vietnam.
- A. a B an C. the D. Ø
22. Facebook _____ in 2004 by Mark Zuckerberg and Eduardo Saverin.
- A. found B. was found C. was founded D. has founded
23. I've just bought a new CD of folk songs. I _____ to it tonight.
- A. listens B will listen C. listened D. have listened
24. Nick _____ a buffalo drawn cart before
- A. hasn't rode B. haven't ridden C hasn't ridden D. has rode
- 25 This book is more _____ than I think.
- A interesting B. interested C. good D. gooder
26. That song gave me a _____ feeling.
- A. peace B peaceful C. peacefulness D. peacefully
27. They live a _____ life.
- A. abnormally B normally C nomad D nomadic
28. He feels more happily there than in a crowded and noisy city.
- A B C D
29. When spring comes, we enjoy to pick flowers on the hill near our house.
- A B C D
30. I think nomad life isn't easy because people have to move very often.
- A B C D

B. READING:

I. Read the passage and then choose the best option to fill in the blank

The end of December and the beginning of January are the (1) _____ times for the Japanese post offices. The Japanese have a custom of (2) _____ New Years Day postcards to their friends and relatives, similar (3) _____ the Western custom of sending Christmas cards. Their original purpose was (4) _____ your faraway friends and relatives tidings of yourself and your immediate family. In other words, (5) _____ custom existed for people to tell others whom they did not often meet that they were alive and well.

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| 1. A. busiest | B. busier | C. most busy | D. more busy |
| 2. A. send | B. sending | C. to send | D. sent |
| 3. A. as | B. with | C. for | D. to |
| 4. A. of giving | B. gives | C. to give | D. for giving |
| 5. A. these | B. a | C. its | D. this |

II/ Choose the option A, B, C or D to complete the passage

Spring is a time when there are many festivals in our country. Among them, Hoa Ban Festival is the most beautiful and interesting and it takes place in Lai Chau. It is typical of the (1).....life of the Thai people. In the second lunar month of the year, when it (2)warmer and *hoa ban* - a kind of beautiful flower in the northwest mountainous area - blossoms, Hoa Ban Festival is (3)..... This is a great time for everyone, (4) for boys and girls. The boy picks the most beautiful flower and gives it to his girlfriend. This is not only a time for love but also for the Thai people to (5).....for good crops, for happiness, and express their special thanks to the Gods and ancestors. The festival is always full of songs and prayers.

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| 1. A. minor | B. cultural | C. custom | D. festival |
| 2. A. gets | B. goes | C. comes | D. runs |
| 3. A. seen | B. arranged | C. observed | D. celebrated |
| 4. A. largely | B. especially | C. generally | D. typically |
| 5. A. ask | B. look | C. pray | D. call |

III/ Choose the item among A, B, C or D that best answers the question about the passage.

The country is more beautiful than a town and more pleasant to live in. Many people think so, and go to the country for the summer holidays though they cannot live there all the year around. Some have a cottage built in a village so that they can go there whenever they have time.

English villages are not all like, but in some ways they are not different from one another. Almost every village has a church, the round or square tower of which can be seen from many miles around. Surrounding the church is the churchyard where people are buried.

The village green is a wide stretch of grass, and houses or cottages built round it. Country life is now fairly comfortable and many villages have running water brought through pipes into each house. Most villages are so close to some small towns that people can go there to buy what they can't find in the village shops.

1. When do city people often go to the country?
A. At the weekends. B. All the year around.
C. At Christmas. D. The summer holidays.
2. What is the advantage for city people when they have a cottage built in the village?
A. They can have their houses rented. B. They can go to the country at weekends.
C. They can go to the country whenever they have time. D. All are correct
3. What is the common feature of English villages?
A. They have a church.
B. They have a church with a tall tower and a village green.
C. They have a village green. D. They have running water.
4. What is *NOT* mentioned in the life of English villages?
A. The village green B. The church
C. Running water D. The Internet
5. What can villagers do when their villages are close to small towns?
A. They can go there to buy whatever they want.
B. They can go there to buy cheaper things.
C. They can go there to buy what is not found in the village shops.
D. They can go there to buy luxury goods.

IV/ Read the passage and choose the correct answer.

Most people watch TV in their leisure time. A television is considered essential in very household. It can be the source of entertainment for all members in the family. There are always programs suitable for different ages, genders and interests, ... Watching TV is a great way to spend time and bond with your family. Besides the entertainment value, TV shows can also be educational with cooking programs, documentaries,... TV is also a way to expand your mind and see places you couldn't in real life. However, spending too much time in front of TV makes you a couch potato, a lazy person who watches TV a lot. It can negatively affect your physical health because you are less likely to exercise. Your creativity and imagination can also be limited because of television.

1. Which of the following would be the best title of the passage?
A. Television and Household. B. Entertainment for Family Members.
C. Advantages and Disadvantages of Watching TV.
D. Imagination from Television.
2. What proves that television serves all members in the family?
A. TV programs are designed for different genders.
B. TV programs are designed for different ages.
C. TV programs are designed for various interests.
D. All are correct.

3. According to the writer, what are the advantages of watching TV?
 A. Connecting family members. B. Providing knowledge.
 C. Opening your mind. D. All are correct.
4. According to the writer, what are the disadvantages of watching TV?
 A. Improving your physical health. B. Encouraging your imagination.
 C. A and B are incorrect. D. A and B are correct.
5. Which of the following is *NOT* mentioned in the passage?
 A. It costs much money to own a television. B. People watch TV for entertaining.
 C. A couch potato may have bad physical health.
 D. There are cooking programs and documentaries on TV.

D. DO AS DIRECTED

Write the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one:

1. Tea is cheaper than coffee.
Coffee is.
2. Mary likes to read comic books.
Mary adores
3. Mai's singing is more beautiful than Nga's.
Mai sings
4. Listening to music is more interesting than watching TV.
I prefer
5. Peter really loves to hang out with friends.
Peter really enjoys
6. He can not play tennis as well as Jack. Jack
Jack can play...
7. My sister did not cook as badly as me.
I cooked.
8. We enjoy playing football very much.
We are interested.
9. Could you help me with this box?
Would you ..?
10. How about going fishing this afternoon?

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Shall

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II/ Rearrange:

1/ Peter/ better/ Math/ than/ at/ is/ John.

2/ in/ Pasture/ is/ that/ area/ than/ richer/ is/ area.

3/ How far/ it/ your house/ to/ the local school/ is/ from?

4/ I/ mind/ housework/ helping/ with / my mum / the / don't

5/ Tony / eating/ food/ was / when/ he/ a/ child/ detested/ since

III/ MAKE THE SENTENCES USING THE WORDS AND PHRASES GIVEN.

1/ The Australian athlete/ run/ slowly/ the Korean athlete

2/ The teacher/ not/ mind/ help/ you/ with difficult exercises.

3/ How many/ groups of people/ there/ in your country?

4/ How much/ money/ you/ spend/ on clothes/ last month?

5/ Jane/ not/ fancy/ read/ science books.