

VSTEP LISTENING FINAL TEST

Time limit: 35 minutes

PART 1: There are eight questions in this part. For each question there are four options and a short recording. For each question, choose the correct answer A, B, C or D. You now have 48 seconds to look through the questions and the options in each question.

1. How much is the car?

- A. £1000 B. £2000 C. £3000 D. £4000

2. What's Elena going to take to the party?

- A. cola and pizza C. orange juice and biscuit
B. cola and chocolate D. orange juice and chocolate

3. Where will Susan buy her eggs?

- A. on the shelf C. in the supermarket
B. at the market or little shop D. on the farm

4. How does the man want his son to help him?

- A. clean the window C. carry the ladder back
B. drive him to town D. visit Mr. John

5. Which TV programme is on at nine o'clock tonight?

- A. football B. nature C. cartoon D. advertisement

6. What will the boy do first?

- A. go to the library C. put a new wheel on Ben's bike
B. play table tennis D. read some books

7. Where will the girls meet?

- A. by the entrance
- B. by the lake
- C. at the ice-cream booth
- D. behind the entrance

8. Which chair does the man want?

- A. with high a back and arms
- B. with wheels and arms
- C. with high legs
- D. with wheels andahighback .

PART 2:

Conversation 1. *You will hear a conversation between a girl, Jill and a boy, Guss, about an adventure park they have both visited.*

9.What is Guss' uncle uninterested in?

- A. the park
- B. saving money
- C. going rides
- D. Thunder Mountain

10. How many times has Jill gone on the Thunder Mountain?

- A. one
- B. two
- C. three
- D. four

11. In which weather condition is Jill going to go on Thunder Mountain?

- A. sunny
- B. windy
- C. cloudy
- D. rainy

12. Where may Guss visit in her next trip?

- A. Future World
- B. the Sea Life Center
- C. the walking road
- D. the new food court

Conversation 2: *You will hear an interview with a tour leader who works for an adventure company in Africa.*

13. What do most of Don's passengers do?

- A. They are unemployed
- B. They work in different fields
- C. They are working in schools
- D. They are working in conversation

14. What does Don do when he first meet a group?

- A. gives them blankets for the overnight trip
- B. shows them their seat in the truck
- C. checks they have right equipment
- D. asks them for the trip fee

15. When cooking pasta at night, what did his team put into it?

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| A. strawberry jam | C. too many staring fruits |
| B. potato paste | D. too much sausage |

16. Why does he oversee the domestic?

- A. He doesn't like to lose thing
- B. It has to be done within an hour
- C. People complain if things are dirty
- D. He wants to keep the place clean

Conversation 3: *John has applied to train as a teacher and is being interviewed. In this stage of the interview, the interview will discuss John's previous study and work experiences.*

17. What's John minor?

- A. French cinema B. Film Studies C. French film D. Only French

18. How long did John stay in Belgium as an exchange student?

- A. 12 months B. 11 months C. 10 months D. 9 months

19. What did John do in six months after he graduated?

- A. He took a post-graduated course
B. He worked as a volunteer
C. He was employed as a translator
D. He travelled to Belgium

20. What did the organization he worked for provide him with?

- A. chances of improving his French
B. a well-paid salary
C. food and housing
D. bricks, cement and window frames

PART 3: Talk/Lecture 1. You will hear a presentation about fashion at work.

21. The presenter doesn't wear a suit because ...

- A. He is not an important person.
- B. He wants to talk about different fashion trend.
- C. The presentation is not formal.
- D. He works for a fashion company.

22. According to the speaker, which statement is TRUE?

- A. It's important to look casually-dressed in public
- B. A suit is necessary when meeting clients
- C. Wearing shorts is OK, sometimes
- D. Nobody can describe the way he's dressed

23. What does the phrase "Dress-down Fridays" mean?

- A. Employees must wear fashionable clothes on Fridays.
- B. Employees can wear anything they want on Fridays.
- C. Employees are allowed to wear informally on Fridays.
- D. Employees are required to wear special clothes on Fridays.

24. According to the speaker, who may be the most informal dressers?

- A. People working in IT
- B. People working in banks
- C. People working in customer services
- D. People working with clients

25. What does a customer feel about a man in uniform?

- A. reliable
- B. recognised
- C. expertised
- D. reassured

Talk/Lecture 2. Listen to a man talking about sleeping habits.

26. How many hours of sleep do experts suggest for kids?

- A. Ten B. About fifteen C. 1,400 D. 70

27. According to the speaker, why is sleep important for the brain?

- A. Sleep generates dreams so brain can relax.
B. Brain can rest in a sleep.
C. Sleep can save energy for the brain.
D. Sleep improves the effectiveness of the brain.

28. Why don't the students learn well when they are tired?

- A. They can't finish their homework.
B. They can't deal with troubles in class.
C. They get very excited.
D. They can't pay attention very well

29. Which is NOT a reason for poor sleep?

- A. drinking soda C. staying up late
B. playing computer games D. exercising before sleep

30. What should students try to do each night?

- A. Watch a scary movie C. Go to bed at a regular time
B. Drink some hot tea D. relax with a TV show

Talk/Lecture 3. Listen to a woman talking about northern lights.

31. Which is NOT the shape of the northern lights?

- A. a straight line B. a curved line C. a round shape D. an oval shape

32. What does “aurora borealis” exactly mean?

- A. northern lights C. northern sky
B. northern dawn D. early morning lights

33. Where is the best place to see the northern lights?

- A. The northernmost point of Earth C. Anywhere in Scandinavian countries
B. The north of Poland D. Most parts of the world

34. What is one of the stories developed by people before modern science?

- A. The lights were caused by foxes.
B. The lights were the dance of animals.
C. The lights appeared when people.
D. The lights came from fires of northern gods.

35. Which of the following is NOT mentioned in this talk?

- A. A description of the lights
B. The scientific explanation for the lights
C. The discovery of the lights
D. Beliefs about the lights

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