E12- REVISION FOR THE MID-SECOND TERM TEST

A. MULTIPLE CHOICE

VOCABULARY & GRAMMAR

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 s.

1. A. compete B. maintain C. install D. swallow
2. A. finance B. reduce C. provided D. digest
3. A. robot B. human C. fiction D. machine
4. A. robotic B. industry C. futurist D. capable

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

5. Unlike some other books about_____, it is unlikely that this will become a key text for those at the forefront of conservation action.

A. atmosphere B. commercial C. occasion D. biodiversity

6. Endangered species_____ by the World Wildlife Fund.

A. are protected B. would protect C. be protected D. will protect

7. By cutting down trees, we _____the natural habitat of birds and animals.

A. damage B. hurt C. harm D. injure

8. Many plant and animal species are thought to be on the_____ of extinction.

A. verge B. way C. mood D. state

9. Despite the bad weather, he _____ get to the airport in time.

A. couldn't B. was able to C. could D. might

10. Learners can feel very_____ if an exercise is too difficult.

A. discouraged B. encouraging C. courageous D. encouraged

11. The factory was fined for_____ chemicals into the river.

A. dumping B. discharging C. producing D. exposing

12. Some_____ animals become tame if they get used to people.

A. wild B. domestic C. endangered D. rare

13._____ I study for these exams, _____ I will do.

A. The hardest/the best B. The more/the much

C. The harder/the better D. The more hard/the more good

14. My younger brother is _____.

A. more and more naughty B. much and much naughty

C. most and most naughty D. naughtier and naughtier

15. Many students think that ___ they graduate from university, ____ chance they have to find a good job.

A. The soon/the good B. soon/good C. The sooner/the better D. The more soon/the more good

16. Women's employment rate is getting _____.

A. higher and higher B. higher and the highest C. high and high D. high and higher

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17. _____ the test is, _____ it is to succeed.

A. The more difficult/the sweeter B. difficult/sweet

C. more difficult/sweeter D. The more difficult/the more sweeter

18. By the end of next year, George _____ English for two years.

A. will have learned B. will learn C. has learned D. would learn

19. They _____ table tennis when their father comes back home.

A. will play B. will be playing C. play D. would play

20. One of the popular ____ used in smartphones at present is voice recognition.

A. applicant B. applicable C. applications D. apply

21. If there are aliens out there, do you think they are much more ____ advanced than we are?

A. technological B. technologically C. technology D. technologies

22. ____ have announced that a major breakthrough has been made.

A. Research B. Researchers C. Researches D. Researching

23. I wish you would ____ the TV and go outside and get some exercise.

A. call off B. give off C. put off D. turn off

24. A.I. robots are ____ of having human emotions.

A. able B. capable C. efficient D. Fond

25. My sister ____ her laptop serviced last weekend.

A. did B. got C. made D. took

26. You should ____ a professional to check your house for earthquake damage.

A. have B. get C. make D. take

27. We ____ while we were on holiday.

A. had our alarm system stolen B. had stolen our alarm system

C. got stolen our alarm system D. were stolen our alarm system

28. The A.I. expert wanted to have his assistant ____ the newly made robot.

A. activate B. activated C. activating D. to activate

29. You'd better get someone ____ your house.

A. redecorate B. redecorated C. to be redecorated D. to redecorate

30. As soon as Dad ____, we can leave.

A. got the car to start B. has got the car started C. got started the car D. was got starting the car

31. My teeth were little yellow, so I ____ by the dentist.

A. had cleaned them B. had them cleaned C. have them cleaned D. was cleaned them

32. The computer corporation ____ malfunctioning products.

A. had their workers eliminate B. had their workers to eliminate

C. had their workers eliminating D. had their workers eliminated

33. My sister ____ her ear pierced last weekend.

A. did B. got C. made D. took

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34. The patient ____ his blood tested to find out the cause of his breakdown.

A. asked B. had C. ordered D. took

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSES T in meaning to the underlined word (s) in each of the following s.

35. There are several reasons why we should **protect** endangered species.

A. argue against B. disapprove C. guard from harm D. make known

36. The fire will **go out** unless we put some more wood on.

A. go off B. go in C. stop burning D. continue burning

37. Internet search engines can help to predict the weather as well as traffic jams in a city.

A. announce B. expect C. forecast D. reveal

38. A.I. techniques help medical doctors to discover subtle interactions between medications that put patience in jeopardy because of their serious side effect.

A. at risk B. in reality C. under control D. under pressure

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 s.

39. All visitors are **kept out of** the conservation area.

A. prevented from entering B. prevented from destroying C. allowed to enter D. allowed to take photos

40. We **run a very tight ship** here, and we expect all our employees to be at their desks by eight o'clock and take good care of their own business.

A. have a good voyage B. organize things inefficiently

C. run faster than others D. manage an inflexible system

41. Smart robots have replaced humans in stressful and hazardous jobs and in assembly lines.

A. dangerous B. risky C. safe D. perilous

42. Kurzweil believes that there could be tiny robots called nanobots implanted into our brains to improve our memory.

A. inserted in B. fixed in C. removed from D. replaced with

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

43. Nam. What do you think about killing animals like dogs and cats for food?

Lan. ____

A. It is really cruel. B. I prefer dogs to cats. C. Both of them are pets. D. Dogs are really faithful.

44. Hoa–"_____where the nearest post office is?"

Lan –"Turn left and then turn right."

A. Could you tell me B. Should you show me C. Do you tell me D. Will you say me

45. A. Guess what? I've been awarded a scholarship to study about information technology in the U.S.

B. Uh, really? ____

A. Take care of yourself! B. Congratulations! C. You are always lucky! D. Lucky as you are!

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46. A. I believe that modern robots will be more intelligent and replace humans in many dangerous jobs.

B. ____

A. That's just what I think of course. B. That sounds interesting.

C. That's a good idea. D. Why not? Believe me!

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 s.

47. It was not <u>until</u> I was <u>on my way</u> to the airport <u>did I realize</u> I had left my passport <u>at home</u>.

A. until B. on my way C. did I realize D. at home.

48. I am <u>surprising</u> <u>at</u> <u>how much</u> he smokes; I'm not <u>used to</u> it.

A. surprising B. at C. how much D. used to

49. The sign <u>says</u> that we <u>should</u> read <u>the constructions</u> carefully before <u>proceeding</u>.

A. says B. should C. the constructions D. proceeding.

50. Thanks to the first lawn mower which <u>was invented</u> in 1830, we don't have to <u>pay for</u> someone <u>to have</u> our grass <u>to be cut</u> any more.

A. was invented B. pay for C. to have our D. to be cut

51. In <u>his</u> Aston Martin DB5 car, Bond can <u>have the photos being printed</u> out <u>along with</u> the information <u>about</u> the people in them from a panel in a dashboard.

A. his B. have the photos being printed C. along with D. about

52. Before the cotton gin <u>had been invented</u> in 1794, American farmers <u>had</u> cheap <u>slaves</u> remove seeds <u>from</u> the cotton fiber.

A. had been invented B. had C. slaves D. from

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