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Họ, tên thí sinh:.....

Số báo danh:.....

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.

Question 1: **A.** proof<u>s</u> **B.** book<u>s</u> **C.** point<u>s</u> **D.** day<u>s</u>

Question 2: **A.** <u>ch</u>emical **B.** approa<u>ch</u> **C.** a<u>ch</u>ieve **D.** <u>ch</u>allenge

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 ofprimary stress in each of the following questions.

Question 3: **A.** simple **B.** polite **C.** formal **D.** instant

Question 4: **A.** computer **B.** horizon **C.** obvious **D.** dependence

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

Question 5: Susan rarely stays up late,_____?

A.is she **B.** isn't she **C.**does she **D.** doesn't she

Question 6: If I _____, I would express my feelings.

A. were asked **B.** would ask **C.** had been asked **D.** asked

Question 7: He was writing to his friend when he _____a noise.

A. was hearing **B.** heard **C.** had heard **D.** hears

Question 8: _____he is tired, he can't work longer.

A. Because **B.** Even though **C.** Although **D.** Besides

Question 9: She still can't get _____the shock for her baby's death.

A. out **B.** on **C.** over **D.** away

Question 10: The chair ..... of wood has been broken.

A. made B. is made C. which made D. is making

Question 11: Next year, we are going to a place_____.

A. that lives in England **B.** where we can ski

C. which I read lastweek **D.** who they met in the canteen

Question 12: I observed a blue car _____very fast towards the motorway.

A. having driven **B.** driven **C.** driving **D.** to drive

Question 13: Oscar had eaten so much he had to_____his belt.

A. looseness **B.** loosen **C.** loosing **D.** loosely

Question 14: I wonder if you could _____me a small favour, Tom?

A. bring **B.** make **C.** give **D.** do

Question 15: "How was your exam?" "A couple of questions were tricky, but on the _____it was pretty easy."

A. spot **B.** general **C.** hand **D.** whole

Question 16: Jack and Linda_last week. They just weren't happy together.

A. ended up B. finished off C. broke into D. broke up

Question 17: He was given a medal in _____of his service to the country.

A. gratitude **B.** knowledge **C.** recognition **D.** response

Question 18: My brother left his job last week because he did not have any _____to travel.

A. position **B.** chance **C.** ability **D.** location

Question 19: Joe and I took _____ lunch together once _____ week, every Friday; unless he was out of_____town.

A. 0/a/0 B. a/a/the **C.** 0/a/the **D.** a/a/0

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.

Question 19: He sounded **panic-stricken** on the phone.

A. terrified **B.** troubled **C.** happy **D.** disappointed

Question 20: Few businesses are **flourishing** in the present economic climate.

A. taking off **B.** setting up **C.** growing well **D.** closing down

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.

Question 21: "Please speak up a bit more, Jack. You're hardly **loud enough to be heard** from the back", the teacher said.

A. visible **B.** edible **C.** eligible **D.** inaudible

Question 22: The funny story told by the man **amused** all the children.

A. pleased **B.** entertained **C.** saddened **D.** frightened

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

Question 23: John and Linda are talking about the public transfortation.

John: "Do you think that we should use public transportation to protect our environment?"

Linda: "_____"

A. Of course not. You bet **B.** There is no doubt about it

C. Well, that's very surprising **D.** Yes, it's an absurd idea

Question 24: Alice asks Mary's opinion about driving to the countryside at weekend.

Alice: "How about having a drive to the countryside this weekend?"

Mary: "_____"

A. That's a good idea **B.** Not at all

C. No, thanks **D.** Never mind

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 25 to 29.

Our classes take place for three hours every morning from Monday to Friday. The (25) _____class size is twelve and the average is ten. We use modern methods (26) _____teaching and learning, and the school has a language laboratory, a video camera and recorders. You will only be successful in improving your English; however, if you work hard and practise speaking English as much as you can. You will take a short (27) _____in English as soon as you arrive. In this way, we can put you in a (28) _____at the most suitable level.

The emphasis is on oral communication practice in a wide (29) _____of situations at the advanced knowledge. You will learn how to use language correctly and appropriately when you talk to native speakers. In addition, you will develop such study skills as reading efficiently, writing articles and reports, and note-taking from books and lectures.

Question 25: A. maximum	**B.** minimum	**C.** small	**D.** large
Question 26: A. in	**B.** of	**C.** on	**D.** to
Question 27: A. test	**B.** exam	**C.** course	**D.** lesson
Question 28: A. form	**B.** class	**C.** grade	**D.** course
Question 29: A. variety	**B.** amount	**C.** number	**D.** lot

Read the following 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 30 to 34.

THE FAMOUS CUP

It's only 36 centimeters tall, but to fans throughout the world, it represents the highest achievement in football. Every four years, teams from all over the globe compete to take home the FIFA World Cup Trophy, yet nobody ever does.

Do you know why? Nobody ever takes it home because the 18-carat gold trophy is kept under lock and key by FIFA (Federation Internationale de Football Association). The champions of each World Cup tournament receive only a replica. This is to protect the valuable prize from thieves, who have stolen the World Cup trophy twice in its 75-year history.

The little trophy has certainly had a troubled existence. The original trophy was made by a French sculptor, Abel LaFleur, and was called the "Jules Rimet Cup," in honor of the founder of the World Cup tournament. Sometime during the first three World Cup events (1930, '34 and '38), the name changed to simply the "World Cup." Then during World War II, not much was seen or heard of the trophy. It was being kept hidden in a shoe box under the bed of Dr. Ottorino Barassi, the Italian vice-president of FIFA, to prevent it from falling into the hands of the Nazi army.

Although the trophy made it safely through the war, it didn't fare so well during the turbulent 1960s. In 1966, the Cup was stolen during a public showing of the trophy prior to the World Cup tournament in England.

Luckily, it was found a short time later none the worse for wear in a trash container, by a little dog named Pickles. Four years later, Brazil earned permanent possession of the original trophy by winning its third World Cup title. Unfortunately, the trophy was stolen a second time, in 1983, and was never recovered. The Brazilian Football Association had to have a duplicate trophy made. After the first trophy became the possession of Brazil's football association, a new World Cup Trophy for FIFA was designed by an Italian artist, Silvio Gazazniga, in 1974. This trophy cannot be won outright, but remains in the possession of FIFA, and rest assured they are keeping a close eye on it. Today, World Cup winners are awarded a replica of the trophy that is gold-plated, rather than solid gold like the real one. Gazazniga's World Cup trophy weighs almost five kilograms. Its base contains two layers of a semi-precious stone called malachite, and has room for 17 small plaques bearing the names of the winning teams-enough space to honor all the World Cup champions up to the year 2038. After that, a new trophy will have to be made.

Question 30. This reading is mainly about_____.

A. the World Cup tournament **C.** the World Cup trophy

B. thieves **D.** World Cup stars

Question 31. Which question is NOT answered in the reading?

A. How much does the World Cup trophy weigh?

B. Who made the first trophy?

C. Where did the police find the stolen trophy?

D. How much money is the trophy worth?

Question 32. The first trophy was named the "Jules Rimet Cup" because Rimet_____.

A. made the trophy **B.** was a famous player

C. scored the final goal in 1930 **D.** came up with the idea of the World Cup

Question 33. Which is true about Gazazniga's World Cup trophy?

A. It is made of gold and silver. **B.** It is a replica of the first trophy.

C. It is in a museum in Brazil **D.** It will only be used until 2038.

Question 34. In which year did Brazil win the World Cup championship for the third time?

A. 1970 **B.** 1974 **C.** 1986 **D.** 2002

Read the following 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 35 to 42.

A Japanese construction company plans to create a huge independent city-state, **akin** to the legendary Atlantis, in the middle of the Pacific Ocean. The city, dubbed "Marinnation", would have about one million inhabitants, two airports, and possibly even a space port. Marinnation, if built, would be a separate country but could serve as a home for international organisations such as the United Nations and the World Bank.

Aside from the many political and social problems that would have to be solved, the engineering task envisaged is monumental. The initial stage requires the building of a circular dam eighteen miles in diameter attached to the sea bed in a relatively shallow place in international waters. Then, several hundred powerful pumps, operating for more than a year, would suck out the sea water trom within the dam. When empty and

dry, the area would have a city constructed on it. The actual land would be about 300 feet below the sea level. According to designers, the hardest task trom an engineering point of view would be to ensure that the dam is leak proof and earthquake proof.

It all goes well, it is hoped that Marinnation could be ready for habitation at the end of the second decade of the twenty-first century. Whether anyone would want to live in such an isolated and artificial community, however, will remain an open question until that time.

Question 35: According to the text, Marrination, when built, will be a(an) _____city.

A. underwater **B.** underground **C.** marine **D.** legendary

Question 36: The word 'akin' in paragraph 1 could be best replaced by _____.

A. likely **B.** close **C.** next **D.** similar

Question 37: Which of the following would NOT be a problem for the construction plan?

A. social **B.** political **C.** engineering **D.** financial

Question 38: Which of the following is NOT true according to the text?

A. Marinnation would have about one million inhabitants.

B. Marinnation will be built in a deep place in the Pacific Ocean.

C. Marinnation will be located in the middle of the Pacific Ocean.

D. Marinnation could be served as home for international organisations.

Question 39: What is going to be built first?

A. a city **B.** a dam **C.** a monument **D.** a sea bed

Question 40: The most difficult task is to protect the dam against _____and earthquake.

A. fire **B.** water **C.** sunlight **D.** weather

Question 41: According to the text, people could come to live in the future city in the year _____.

A. 2002 **B.** 2012 **C.** 2010 **D.** 2020

Question 42: What does the author imply in the last sentence of the passage?

A. People will ask an open question about living in Marinnation.

B. The construction of Marinnation could never be completed in time.

C. People might not want to live in an isolated and artificial community.

D. People will ask how they can live in such an isolated and artificial city.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the <u>underlined</u> part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

Question 43: It **<u>is said commonly</u>** that it is **<u>parents' responsibility</u>** to take **<u>good care</u>** of **<u>their</u>**
A **B** **C** **D**
children.

Question 44: **<u>Aside from</u>** the many political and social problems **<u>that</u>** would have to **<u>solve</u>**, the
A **B** **C**
engineering task envisaged **<u>is</u>** monumental.
D

Question 45: He **invented** that by keeping his right wrist **steady** **with** his left hand, he could
A B C
paint **and** draw.
D

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.

Question 46: Everest is the highest mountain in the world.

A. No other mountain is higher than Everest in the world.

B. No other mountain is lower than Everest in the world.

C. No other mountain is as high as Everest in the world.

D. Other mountain is not so high so Everest in the world.

Question 47: "Do you watch television every evening,Van?" – He asked

A. He asked Van if she had watched TV every evening

B. He asks Van if she watched TV every evening.

C. He asked me if Van watched TV every evening.

D. He asked Van if she watched TV every evening.

Question 48: It is possible that one of the men died on the mountain.

A. One of the men must have died on the mountain.

B. One of the men could have died on the mountain.

C. One of the men should have died on the mountain.

D. One of the men may have died on the mountain.

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.

Question 49: He was driving very fast because he didn't know the road was icy.

A. If he knew the road was icy, he wouldn't drive so fast.

B. He hadn't been driving very fast if he would have known the road was icy.

C. If he had known the road was icy, he wouldn't have been driving so fast.

D. He wasn't driving very fast if he would know the road was icy.

Question 50: As soon as they arrived on the beach, it started to rain.

A. Had it started to rain, they would have arrived on the beach.

B. Hardly had they arrived on the beach when it started to rain.

C. No sooner did they arrive on the beach than it started to rain.

D. Scarely did they arrive on the beach when it started to rain.

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