

MIDTERM TEST N01

PART I: LISTENING (10 points)

PICTURE DESCRIPTION (4 questions)

Questions 1-4:

Directions: For each question in this part, you will hear four statements about a picture in your test book. When you hear the statements, you must select the one statement that best describes what you see in the picture. Then find the number of the question on your answer sheet and mark your answer. The statements will not be printed in your test book and will be spoken only one time.

Look at the sample below.



Now listen to the four statements.

Statement (B), "The woman is typing on a computer," best describes what you see in the picture. Therefore, you should choose answer (B).

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(A) (B) (C) (D)

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(A) (B) (C) (D)

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(A) (B) (C) (D)

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(A) (B) (C) (D)

QUESTIONS AND RESPONSES (4 questions)

Questions 5-8:

Directions: You will hear a question or statement and three responses spoken in English. They will be spoken only one time and will not be printed in your test book. Select the best response to the question or statement and mark the letter (A), (B), or (C) on your answer sheet.

Now listen to the four statements.

You will hear: How are you?

You will also hear:

(A) I'm fine, thank you.

(B) I'm Dave.

(C) I'm a police officer.

The best response to the question "How are you?" is choice (A), "I'm fine, thank you." Therefore, you should choose answer (A).

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| 5. | A | B | C |
| 6. | A | B | C |
| 7. | A | B | C |
| 8. | A | B | C |

SHORT CONVERSATIONS (6 questions)

Questions 9-14:

Directions: You will hear some conversations between two people. You will be asked to answer three questions about what the speakers say in each conversation. Select the best response to each question and mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet.

The conversations will not be printed in your test book and will be spoken only one time.

Questions 9 to 11 refer to the following conversation.

9. What is NOT true about the man?

- (A) He is driving to the store.
- (B) He is leaving in ten minutes.
- (C) He will get the food.
- (D) He will bring his wife with him.

10. Which of the following does the woman NOT need?

- (A) Cheese
- (B) Milk
- (C) Pasta
- (D) Tomatoes

11. What did the man do wrong last time?

- (A) He bought cheese that was green.
 - (B) He bought fruit that was too ripe.
 - (C) He bought tomatoes that were not ripe.
 - (D) He forgot to buy tomatoes.
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Questions 12 to 14 refer to the following conversation.

12. Where are the speakers?

- (A) In a department store
- (B) In a supermarket
- (C) At an airport
- (D) At a post office

13. Which bag will the man check?

- (A) The black suitcase
- (B) He'll only carry his computer.
- (C) His green bag
- (D) The green bag and the black suitcase

14. How many items will the man carry on to the plane?

- (A) One
 - (B) Two
 - (C) Three
 - (D) Four
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SHORT TALKS (6 questions)

Questions 15 - 20:

Directions: You will hear some talks given by a single speaker. You will be asked to answer three questions about what the speaker says in each short talk. Select the best response to each question and mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet.

The talks will not be printed in your test book and will be spoken only one time.

Questions 15 to 17 refer to the following talk.

15. Which part of the body did the person injure?

- (A) Her elbow
- (B) Her wrist
- (C) Her foot
- (D) Her ankle

16. What treatment did the doctor suggest?

- (A) Take two tablets of medicine a day and go to bed
- (B) Take two tablets of medicine a day and wrap the ankle
- (C) Wrap the ankle for one week and then have an operation
- (D) Play more basketball

17. How did she injure herself?

- (A) She kicked the ball too hard.
 - (B) She was hit in the leg with a basketball.
 - (C) She fell down.
 - (D) A little dog bit her.
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Questions 18 to 20 refer to the following talk.

18. Who is Carol Draper?

- (A) A popular novelist
- (B) A magazine editor
- (C) An investment banker
- (D) A famous politician

19. How long has Carol Draper held her current position?

- (A) 6 months
- (B) 1 year
- (C) 2 years
- (D) This evening

20. What will Carol Draper do after her speech?

- (A) She will answer questions.
 - (B) She will sign her book.
 - (C) She will have dinner.
 - (D) She will show a film.
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PART II: READING (10 points)

INCOMPLETE SENTENCES

Questions 21 – 35: Choose the word or phrase that best completes the sentence. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

21. Tai-Chi fans say it is an excellent way of getting _____ stress.
A. away from B. rid of C. from D. out of
22. _____ means completely new.
A. Branch-new B. Brand-new C. Brunch-new D. Blend-new
23. The state of being physically healthy and strong is called _____.
A. strength B. power C. fitness D. healthiness
24. Paul and I are _____ to the movies.
A. go B. going C. goes D. gone
25. I eat lunch _____ school every day.
A. once B. now C. twice D. at
26. We _____ to London three times a week.
A. going B. go C. have been D. have went
27. The bus _____ every twenty minutes.
A. run B. runs C. are running D. running
28. The government wants to accelerate the _____ of Internet commerce.
A. grow B. grows C. growing D. growth
29. I would be very interested in _____ for that job.
A. entering B. working C. applying D. writing
30. I am sorry but I can't _____ your opinion on that.
A. take B. share C. give D. find
31. Two weeks ago, Mr. Uto _____ his reservations.
A. makes B. was made C. made D. has made
32. It is a nice building, _____ the neighborhood is too quiet. We need to locate our business in a busier part of town.
A. and B. but C. or D. so
33. I didn't read the report, _____ I can't answer your questions.
A. for B. but C. or D. so

34. People _____ always willing to switch to a better product.

- A. is B. are C. be D. being

35. Effective staff members _____ to instructions.

- A. always listen carefully B. carefully always listen
C. carefully listen always D. listen always carefully

INCOMPLETE TEXT

Questions 36 - 39: Choose the word or phrase that best completes the statement. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Dear Sally,

I am going to (36) _____ grandmother's house this afternoon. I will be out when

- A. the B. our
C. your D. yours

you get home from school, so you will need to get your own dinner. Help yourself (37) _____ anything in the refrigerator. There is some cheese and plenty of

- A. with B. to
C. by D. over

vegetables. There is bread, too. You can pick (38) _____ apples from the tree in

- A. any B. some
C. all D. almost

the garden if you want. As a special treat, I have brought some chocolate fudge ice cream. Don't eat too much – I want (39) _____ some, too! Do your homework, ok?

- A. to try B. try
C. trying D. tries

I'll be home about eight o'clock. See you later!

Mom

READING COMPREHENSION

Questions 40 - 42: Choose the best answer to the question. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Always tired? No energy?

Do you need a little extra strength to get through that tough workday?

If you answered “yes”, then try Vitagetic, the new energy drink.

Vitagetic has all the vitamins that your body needs to maintain a high level of energy all day long. It is an easy way to get all your vitamins. You don't have to take lots of vitamin pills. It comes in three fantastic flavors: Lemon, Orange, and Apple, and tastes great.

Have one bottle at breakfast and you will feel healthy and energetic until quitting time. You can find it at all good supermarkets.

40. Who should drink Vitagetic?

- A. People who are often tired
- B. People who have a lot of energy
- C. People who are bored
- D. People who can't sleep

41. Why is Vitagetic good for you?

- A. Because it has oranges and apples
- B. Because it has vitamins
- C. Because it comes in a bottle
- D. Because you drink it at breakfast

42. Which of the following is NOT true?

- A. You have to take vitamin pills with Vitagetic.
- B. You can buy Vitagetic at supermarkets.
- C. Vitagetic is a good breakfast drink.
- D. Vitagetic is delicious.

Questions 43 - 45: Choose the best answer to the question. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Department Store Directory

- 6th Floor Italian Restaurant and Coffee Shop
- 5th Floor Antique and Modern Furniture
- 4th Floor Books, Magazines, and Children's Clothing
- 3rd Floor Men's Clothing
- 2nd Floor Women's Clothing
- 1st Floor Computers and Home Electronics

Today's Value Club Cardholder's Specials: 40% off all his-and-hers cardigans (10:30-11:30), 2-for-1 spaghetti lunch set (11:30-13:30), 20% off all Pentium 5 desktop computers (all day).

Hours of operation: 9:30 a.m- 10:30 p.m

To: Club Cardholders club0223@laceys.co>

From: Laceys Department Store

Subject: Check out our changes

Date: January 30th

Dear Club Cardholder,

Here at Laceys, we've been trying to make our store even better. We have made a lot of changes and we would like to invite you to take a closer look. We have moved some of items, so take a look at the new directory. It will make your shopping easier the next time you visit.

Sincerely,

M.Morgan

Manager, Laceys Department Store

43. What can you buy on the 1st floor?

- A. A belt
- B. A sweater
- C. A DVD player
- D. A cup of coffee

44. When can a Value Club cardholder buy a sweater on sale?

- A. In the morning
- B. In the afternoon
- C. In the evening
- D. All day

45. Why did the manager of Laceys send this email?

- A. To tell customers about changes
- B. To say hello
- C. To answer a complaint
- D. To tell customers that the store is closing