PART 1 (GRAMMAR) CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER A, B, OR C FOR EACH QUESTIONS (20PTS)

1. Most university students……on campus in their first year.
   A. lives
   B. live
   C. are living
2. From this graph we can see that the economy…….at the moment.
   A. improves
   B. improve
   C. is improving
3. They…….. personal computers when my father was a student.
   A. hadn't
   B. didn't have
   C. weren't having
4. I ……. want to be a practicing doctor but now I'm more interested in research.
   A. was used to
   B. used to
   C. would
5. The teacher……us how to do the experiment when the fire bell rang
   A. showed
   B. shown
   C. was showing
6. I finished my essay yesterday but…….it in to the tutor yet.
   A. I've given
   B. I haven't given
   C. I didn't give
7. ……the experiment three times now with different results each time!
   A. We've done
   B. We did
   C. We've been doing
8. When I arrived the lecture……so I didn't find it easy to follow.
   A. started
   B. had started
   C. had been starting
9. She…… well at school but that changed when she became friends with a different group of girls.
   A. Did

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B. Had done
C. Had been doing

10. ……. the doctor at 2.00 this afternoon so I can't go to the lecture.
A. I'm seeing
B. I see
C. I will see

11. My sister……..economics and politics when she goes to university.
A. is going to study
B. studies
C. will study

12. While we're working on the project our boss……on a beach in Greece!
A. will sit
B. will have sat
C. will be sitting

13. You can base your geography assignment on…….. country – it doesn't matter which.
A. a
B. some
C. any

14. If the trend continues, the average income……by 107% by 2020.
A. will increase
B. will have increased
C. will be increasing

15. There aren't ……places left on the course so you'd better apply soon.
A. much
B. many
C. lots of

16. I don't know whether to accept the job offer. It's…….
A. a difficult decision
B. the difficult decision
C. difficult decision

17. For those of you new to the company, this leaflet if full of…….
A. a valuable information
B. the valuable information
C. valuable information

18. the manger interviewed…… candidates in turn
A. each of the
B. each
C. every

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19. You really should go to Namibia. The scenery is…….. stunning and the people are very friendly.
A. very
B. fairly
C. absolutely

20. You should visit Bath. It's …… city
A. a historical and interesting
B. a historical interesting
C. an interesting historical

PART 2: READING (20PTS)

I. Read the instant messaging conversions. Circle True (T) False (F) or Not in the text (N) (10 pts)

Tiffany writes:
Saturday 7th April - 10.43 am
Are you free this afternoon? Do you want to go out?

Jack writes:
Saturday 7th April - 10.45 am
I just have to finish my homework, but I think I can finish it this morning. What do you want to do?

Tiffany writes:
Saturday 7th April - 10.48 am
Let's go into town. We can go shopping and then get a coffee. We can go to the new cafe near the library. The cakes look great there.

Jack writes:
Saturday 7th April - 10.50 am
You know I hate shopping. Why don't we go to the park? Kev and Rob will be there skateboarding. We can have meet up with them.

Tiffany writes:
Saturday 7th April - 10.52 am
I don't want to spend my Saturday afternoon watching boys skateboarding! That's so boring! But we can go to the park for a game of tennis if you like.

Jack writes:
Saturday 7th April - 10.55 am
I'm not really in the mood for tennis. I don't want to do anything too active. I want to just relax. You could come to my house, and we could watch a movie. We've got lots of good food.

Tiffany writes:
Saturday 7th April - 10.56 am

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I could watch a film on my own. Why don't I bring some board games round? That'll be a bit more fun.

Jack writes:
Saturday 7th April - 10.57 am
Okay, that sounds alright, but my little brother will probably want to play too. Is that okay with you?

Tiffany writes:
Saturday 7th April - 10.58 am
Sure. Shall I invite anyone else? I think Sophie is free this afternoon.

Jack writes:
Saturday 7th April - 11.00 am
Okay, you can invite her, but no-one else. I don't want too many people round.

Tiffany writes:
Saturday 7th April - 11.01 am
Fine. I'll come round after lunch. Is one o'clock okay?

Jack writes:
Saturday 7th April - 11.02 am
Make it half past. I have to write a few emails first. See you l8r.

1.	Jack is doing his homework this morning.	**T**	**F**	**N**
2.	Jack and Tiffany went shopping together last Saturday.	**T**	**F**	**N**
3.	Tiffany wants to go to the library. .	**T**	**F**	**N**
4.	Jack wants to take his skateboard to the park. .	**T**	**F**	**N**
5.	Tiffany wants to play tennis, but Jack doesn't. .	**T**	**F**	**N**
6.	Tiffany has already watched a film today. .	**T**	**F**	**N**
7.	They decide to play board games at the new cafe this afternoon.	**T**	**F**	**N**
8.	Four people will play board games this afternoon. .	**T**	**F**	**N**
9.	Jack's brother is younger than Jack. .	**T**	**F**	**N**
10.	Tiffany will meet Jack at half past twelve. .	T	F	N

II. Read the information about Paula and answer questions by choosing A, B or C (10pts)

A day in the life of Paula Radcliffe - Marathon Runner
8.30am
Sometimes, my daughter Isla wakes me and my husband, Gary, up, or, more often, we wake her up. After I get up, I always check my pulse. It's usually 38-40 beats per minute. If it is too high, I rest for the day. It's so important to listen to my body. I have a drink and a snack while giving Isla her breakfast.

9.30am
We take Isla to nursery and then I start my training. I run, and Gary rides his bike next to

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me and gives me drinks. Four times a week, I have a cold bath or go for a swim in a lake after training.

12.30pm
I pick up Isla from nursery and we go home and I eat a big lunch of cereal and fruit. Then I have rice and salmon, or toast and peanut butter. I try to eat as soon as possible after training. After lunch, I play with my daughter.

2pm
I have a nap in the afternoon, and Gary usually takes Isla out while I sleep. When I wake up, I have a drink and a snack while Isla has milk. I eat a lot during the day, especially bananas and dark chocolate.

5pm
I go running again. In total, I run about 145 miles every week. I write about all my runs in my training journal. I record everything, including how I feel and what the weather is like. I train hard every other day, go on an extra long run every four days and rest every eighth day.

7pm
In the evening, I do my exercises. These keep me strong during long runs. Isla likes to climb on me while I stretch. Gary gives Isla her tea and cooks mine while I finish my exercises. Then I finish cooking dinner while Gary gives Isla her bath.

7.30pm
Gary and I eat our dinner. I have red meat four times a week with rice, pasta or potatoes, and lots of vegetables. We also eat a lot of stir-fries, because they're quick and healthy.

8pm
We put Isla to bed and relax. I check my emails and watch TV or chat with Gary. I love police and hospital dramas!

10.30pm
Time for bed. As I brush my teeth, I stand on one leg and then the other. This keeps my legs strong. I enjoy reading, but I haven't read much since Isla was born.

1. Usually,…
   A. Paula and Gary wake up Isla.
   B. Gary wakes up Paula and Isla.
   C. Isla wakes up Paula and Gary.
2. While Paula has her morning run, Gary…
   A. takes Isla to nursery.
   B. cycles next to her.
   C. goes to work
3. After training, Paula…
   A. has lunch, bathes, then collects her daughter.
   B. bathes, collects her daughter, then has lunch

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C. collects her daughter, bathes, then has lunch.

4. After lunch, Gary looks after Isla while Paula…
   A. trains.
   B. sleeps.
   C. eats
5. Paula…
   A. eats large meals but never eats snacks.
   B. eats large meals and often eats snacks
   C. eats small meals but often eats snacks.
6. Every two days, Paula
   A. goes for a long run.
   B. runs 145 miles.
   C. trains extra hard.
7. While Paula does her exercises, her daughter…
   A. has dinner.
   B. climbs on her.
   C. plays with Gary.
8. In the evening,…
   A. Gary bathes Isla, then Gary and Paula eat, then Isla goes to bed.
   B. Gary bathes Isla, then Isla goes to bed, then Gary and Paula eat.
   C. Gary and Paul eat, then Gary bathes Isla, then Isla goes to bed
9. Paula does exercises to strengthen her legs while she…
   A. cooks dinner.
   B. brushes her teeth.
   C. watches TV.
10. Now Paula has a daughter, she rarely…
    A. reads
    B. watches TV
    C. spends time with Gary.

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