

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

Câu 1. A. reached B. processed C. worked D. infested

Câu 2. A. attacks B. concerns C. fingers D. medals

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word which differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions.

Câu 3. A. reduce B. enter C. listen D. answer

Câu 4. A. important B. inflation C. hospital D. expression

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

Câu 5. It is imperative that this letter _____ immediately.

A. is sent B. was sent C. send D. be sent

Câu 6. Marilyn Monroe was _____ for Golden Globe Best Actress Award for *Bus Stop* (1956).

A. nominated B. rewarded C. awarded D. offered

Câu 7. Twenty civilians _____ in the bomb explosion recently.

A. have been killed B. was killed C. killed D. be killed

Câu 8. Music and television are forms of _____.

A. entertainment B. entertaining C. entertain D. entertained

Câu 9. I try remember Ann's phone number.

A. remember B. to remember C. remembering D. remembered

Câu 10. The anti-smoking campaign has had quite a/an _____ on young people.

A. impact B. usage C. power D. contribution

Câu 11. My father won't allow me to go to the theater _____.

A. when I finished doing my household chores B. until I have finished doing my household chores

C. after I had finished doing my household chores D. once I will finish doing my household chores

Câu 12. I _____ along the street when I suddenly heard footsteps behind me.

A. was walking B. am walking C. walk D. walked

Câu 13. Who is _____ girl over there with Jimmy?

A. the B. an C. Ø D. a

Câu 14. We often watch television after _____ dinner.

A. X B. the C. an D. a

Câu 15. I think mobile phones are _____ for people of all ages.

A. usage B. usefully C. use D. useful

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word in each of the following questions.

Câu 16. Mother Teresa was a Roman Catholic nun who devoted her life to serving the poor and destitute around the world.

A. dedicated B. attended C. helped D. committed

Câu 17. There was clear evidence that economic activities had fallen drastically and gradually recovered in COVID-19 pandemic.

A. quickly B. finally C. favorably D. slowly

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.

Câu 18. Joana and David, two lecturers, are talking about library skills.

- Joana: "I think we should teach our students how to use the library." - David: "_____."

A. You're absolutely wrong. B. That's not a good idea. C. You must be kidding. D. I couldn't agree more

Câu 19. David is apologising to his teacher for being late.

- David: "Sorry I'm late! The traffic is so heavy." - Teacher: "_____. Come in and sit down."

A. You're so kind B. Me neither C. It's alright D. Thank you

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks. (0.25 mark/ each question)

Especially for those coming from rural areas, urban areas can create an overall better quality of life in several ways. When urban areas become (20)_____ cities and towns, they become a society of culture that can facilitate financial and educational growth.

With industrialization comes the creation of jobs. Usually making a shift from an agricultural economy, industrialization paves the way for modern industries and will need more people to perform various jobs. (21) _____ jobs such as farming and mining may be labor-intensive, while urban employment opportunities -such as healthcare, business, and education -will need a considerable amount of people with a variety of skills to fill many jobs.

Modern technology provides for better city infrastructure. With modernization, cities can adapt to cultural needs and provide support systems for future development. (22) _____, modernization can make for a more sustainable city layout, with better housing/businesses, market centers, and public transit systems. For example, in advanced cities, mobile technology can assist large businesses in advanced mobility hubs for vehicles, (23) _____ significantly reduces the amount of traffic in growing cities. The very presence of the Internet and IoT technology can expand communication to nearly any corner of the globe, and has the capability to efficiently run utilities and (24) _____ for a whole city. These are just a few illustrations of how technology and modernization can provide efficient solutions to many facets of life, facilitating a better standard of living.

- Câu 20.** A. private B. crowded C. deep D. adventurous
Câu 21. A. Suburb B. Rural C. Urban D. Countryside
Câu 22. A. Additionally B. So C. Therefore D. However
Câu 23. A. what B. which C. that D. who
Câu 24. A. equipments B. lighting C. devices D. benefits

Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.(0.25 mark/ each question)

Rachel Carson was born in 1907 in Springsdale, Pennsylvania. She studied biology at college and zoology at Johns Hopkins University, where she received her master’s degree in 1933. In 1936, she was hired by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, where she worked most of her life.

Carson’s first book, “*Under the Sea Wind*”, was published in 1941. It received excellent reviews, but sales were poor until it was reissued in 1952. In that year she published “*The Sea Around Us*”, which provided a fascinating look beneath the ocean’s surface, emphasizing human history as well as geology and marine biology. Her imagery and language had a poetic quality. Carson consulted no less than 1,000 printed sources. She had voluminous correspondence and frequent discussions with experts in the field. However, she always realized the limitations of her nontechnical readers.

In 1962, Carson published “*Silent Spring*”, a book that sparked considerable controversy. It proved how much harm was done by the uncontrolled, **reckless** use of insecticides. She detailed how they poison the food supply of animals, kill birds and fish, and contaminate human food. At the time, spokesmen for the chemical industry mounted personal attacks against Carson and issued propaganda to indicate that her findings were flawed. However, her work was proved by a 1963 report of the President’s Science Advisory Committee.

Question 28. According to the passage, what did Rachel Carson primarily study at Johns Hopkins University?

- A. oceanography B. zoology C. literature D. biology

Question 29. When she published her first book, Carson was closest to the age of _____ .

- A. 26 B. 29 C. 34 D. 45

Question 30. It can be inferred from the passage that in 1952, Carson’s book “*Under the Sea Wind*” _____.

- A. was outdated B. became more popular than her other books C. was praised by critics D. sold many copies

Question 31. The word “**reckless**” in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. unnecessary B. limited C. continuous D. irresponsible

Question 32. Why does the author of the passage mention the report of the President’s Science Advisory Committee ?

- A. To support Carson’s ideas. B. To provide an example of government propaganda.
 C. To indicate a growing government concern with the environment. D. To validate the chemical industry’s claims.

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 questions.

Câu 30. Although the doctor may be able to diagnose a problem perfect, he still may not be able to find a drug to which the patient will respond

- A. to which B. perfect C. be able to D. to diagnose

Câu 31. I worked on the computer when the lights went out.

- A. when B. went out C. on D. worked

Câu 32. It was urgent that he called her immediately.

- A. called B. It was C. urgent D. immediately

Rewrite the sentence so that it is closest in meaning to the original one or do as directed. (0.5 mark/ each question)

Question 33: They had built the house. (Use **passive voice**)

- The house

Question 34: The last time I cooked was 3 days ago. (Use **present perfect tense**)

- I

Question 35: My brother cleans the room every day. (Use **passive voice**)

- The room

Question 36: Lan’s mother was sick. She stayed at home. (Use “**so that**”)

- She