



MOET 8 PLUS - GRADE 9
PRACTICE TEST 32

Name: _____

Class: _____

Exercise 1: Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the rest in the pronunciation of the underlined part in each of the following questions.

Question 1. A. astrononaut B. ongoing C. rocket D. chop

Question 2. A. imitate B. versatile C. satellite D. punctual

Exercise 2: 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 the following questions.

Question 3. A. virtual B. burden C. promote D. sector

Question 4. A. certificate B. operate C. facilitate D. affordable

Exercise 3: 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. A lot of people have come tonight to _____ the forum.

A. apply B. attend C. arrive D. concentrate

Question 6. The villagers are trying to learn English _____ they can communicate with foreign customers.

A. in order that B. even though C. however D. because of

Question 7. The doctor wanted to go _____ the test result with her patient.

A. over B. up C. down D. in

Question 8. The farmers in my home village _____ ride home on trucks; they used buffalo-driven carts.



A. didn't used to B. didn't use to C. not used to D. not use to

Question 9. They offered him a place at the company, but he turned it _____.

A. up B. down C. on D. off

Question 10. The new girl in our class, _____ name is Mina, is reasonably good at English.

A. whose B. who C. which D. that

Question 11. Our teacher asked us _____ in the previous examination.

A. how we did B. how did we
C. how had we done D. how we had done

Question 12. Women these days prefer to be _____ independent.

A. finance B. financial C. financially D. finalize

Question 13. I don't feel _____ at interviews because my English is not very good.

A. confidently B. confidence C. confidential D. confident

Question 14. He asked _____ to speak to.

A. who I wanted B. who I want C. who did I want D. I wanted who

Exercise 4: Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to each of the following exchanges.

Question 15. - Janet: "What a lovely house you have!"

- Jane: "_____"

A. No problem. C. Of course not, it's noy costly.
B. Thank you. Hope you will drop in. D. I think so.

Question 16. - Sam: "Did you enjoy the movie yesterday?"

- Mark: "_____"

A. Certainly, I'd be glad to. C. Not really. I couldn't follow the story.
B. Yes, it is warmer than today. D. No, I dislike moving.

Exercise 5: 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 17. They suggested their students learn English to collaborate with their foreign teammates.

- A. go out B. study abroad C. work together D. tell stories

Question 18. Vietnam used to be male-dominated, with men being the voice of the family and society.

- A. men doing house work C. men looking after children
B. men earning money D. men playing the leading role

Exercise 6: 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 19. My parents always disapproved of my smoking. They even told me once it would stop me growing taller.

- A. objected to B. supported C. denied D. refused

Question 20. Archaeologists are excavating the ruined temples of this ancient civilization.

- A. old B. fresh C. historic D. modern

Exercise 7: 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.

Just imagine a day without paper, reads one advertisement for a Finnish paper company. It adds, 'You almost certainly see our products every day.' And they're right. But in most industrial countries, people are so (21)_____ to paper - whether it's for holding their groceries, for drying their hands or for providing them with the daily news - that its (22)_____ in their daily lives passes largely unnoticed.

At one time paper was in short supply and was used mainly for important documents, but more recently, growing economies and new technologies have (23) _____ a dramatic increase in the amount of paper used. However, the costs (24) _____ in paper production, in terms of the world's land, water and air resources, are high. This (25) _____ some important questions. How much paper do we really need and how much is wasted?

Question 21. A. conscious B. acquainted C. familiar D. accustomed

Question 22. A. task B. operation C. service D. role

Question 23. A. called on B. came around C. brought about D. drawn

Question 24. A. involved B. contained C. held D. connected

Question 25. A. puts B. raised C. gets D. places

Exercise 8: 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.

Last weekend, six students from the Donoho School went on a fascinating trip back in time. These students accompanied Jacksonville State University professor William Bannister on a fossil hunt. The students, professor and three graduate assistants headed to a valley near Cheaha Mountain. The valley was not previously known to have any fossils in it. However, two months ago, some campers in the valley **stumbled upon** some bones sticking out from the ground. When they brought them to the museum, they were told that the bones were those of a brontosaurus, a species of dinosaur.

Thanks to a generous grant from the Damke Foundation, the students were able to accompany the professor on his dig. They spent most of both Saturday and Sunday carefully digging in the area.

"We found a few bones," said Wendy Jacobs, a Donoho senior. "We're not sure which animal they're from, but the professor assured us they were from a dinosaur."

The students, all of whom intend to major in science at college, are looking forward to returning this coming weekend. "There's enough money in the grant for the next month, so we should get to return at least three more times," said Donoho student Philip Peters.

Question 26. What would be the most appropriate headline for this article?

A. Dinosaur Fossils Found near Cheaha Mountain

B. Donoho students meet professor bannister

C. Local students go Fossil hunting

D. Dinosaurs: Did they live around here?

Question 27. In line 5, the phrase "stumbled upon" is closest in meaning to _____.

A. tripped on

C. dug up

B. accidentally found

D. conducted research on

Question 28. Why does the author mention the Damke Foundation?

A. To claim it has an interest in dinosaurs

B. To note a group that is financing the students

C. To focus on its relationship with the Donoho School

D. To claim that it sponsored many local digs

Question 29. Who is Wendy Jacobs?

A. A student at Jacksonville State University

B. One of professor bannister's graduate assistants

C. A fourth-year student at the Donoho school

D. A representative of the Damke Foundation

Question 30. According to the article, when will the students go back to the dig site?

A. within a week

C. during summer vacation

C. in two months

D. next autumn

Exercise 9: Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

Question 31. My father is very busy with his business; therefore, he is always willing to give a hand with the house work.

A. with

B. therefore

C. give

D. the

Question 32. I found my new contact lenses strangely at first, but I got used to them in the end.

A. my new

B. strangely

C. got used

D. in the end

Question 33. Rattan, a close relative of bamboo, is often used to make tables, chairs, and other furnitures.

- A. a close B. is often C. to make D. furnitures

Question 34. Why don't you congratulate our son about passing his final exam?

- A. don't B. about C. passing D. final

Exercise 10: Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.

Question 35. Charlie said, "I don't know what Fred is doing".

- A. Charlie said that he doesn't know what Fred is doing.
B. Charlie said that he didn't know what Fred is doing.
C. Charlie said that he doesn't know what Fred was doing.
D. Charlie said that he didn't know what Fred was doing.

Question 36. He said, "I hardly ever go out these days".

- A. He said that he hardly ever went out those days.
B. He said that I hardly ever go out those days.
C. He said that I hardly ever went out those days.
D. He said that he hardly ever goes out those days.

Question 37. I can't swim, so I'm not going scuba diving with Jack.

- A. If I could swim, I would go scuba diving with Jack.
B. Unless I could swim, I will not go scuba diving with Jack
C. If I could swim, I will go scuba diving with Jack.
D. Unless I can swim, I will go scuba diving with Jack.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the meaningful sentence from the cues given.

Question 38. He / say / he / be/ artisan / workshop / since 2010.



- A. He said he was an artisan of the workshop since 2010.
- B. He said he is an artisan at the workshop since 2010.
- C. He said he had been an artisan of the workshop since 2010.
- D. He said he has been an artisan at the workshop since 2010.

Question 39. I / look forward / make / own conical hat / Tay Ho village / Hue.

- A. I look forward to making my own conical hat in Tay Ho village in Hue.
- B. I look forward making my own conical hat in Tay Ho village in Hue.
- C. I look forward to make my own conical hat in Tay Ho village in Hue.
- D. I am looking forward to make my own conical hat in Tay Ho village in Hue.

Question 40. The little boy / pretend / sick / he / stay / home.

- A. The little boy pretended to be sick although he stayed at home.
- B. The little boy pretended to be sick because he would stay at home.
- C. The little boy pretended to be sick so that he could stay at home.
- D. The little boy pretended to be sick whereas he wanted to stay at home.