

## UNIT 1.

**EX1. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.**

1. a. pottery	b. product	c. workshop	d. <u>conical</u>
2. a. surface	b. layer	c. <u>frame</u>	d. birthplace
3. a. <u>weather</u>	b. <u>thread</u>	c. <u>together</u>	d. rather
4. a. historical	b. system	c. landscape	d. business
5. a. carved	b. impressed	c. embroidered	d. weaved

**EX2. Choose the word that has the main stress placed differently from the others.**

1. a. craftsman	b. attraction	c. museum	d. department
2. a. embroider	b. lantern	c. impress	d. desire
3. a. workshop	b. remind	c. outskirts	d. village
4. a. competition	b. generation	c. conical	d. authenticity
5. a. family	b. typical	c. grandparents	d. embroider

**EX3: Circle the correct answer**

1. They have turned ( down / up ) Jim's application for the job.
2. You may have to deal( with / about ) many problem in the workplace.
3. Small birds mainly live (on/off) insects.
4. When does the plane take ( off/ up ) ?
5. Why did you decide to take (on/up) skiing ?
6. My husband has decided to set (up/down) a business on his own.
7. Do you think Jane will find (out/ up) the truth ?
8. Does Jim have many friends to count (on/off) in difficult time ?
9. Yesterday, my uncle dropped (to/by)my house to the surprise of everyone.
10. Were you brought (up/in) by your grandparents ?

**EX4: Choose the best answer**

Question 1: He works as a/ an ..... in his uncle's workshop.

A. attraction      B. artisan      C. embroider

Question 2: Vietnamese ..... is now available to purchase online.

A. lacquer      B. lacquers      C. lacquerware

Question 3: Those handicrafts may face the challenges of losing their .....

A. authenticity      B. sculpture      C. craft

Question 4: How many ..... of leaves does a Hue's conical hat have?

A. surface      B. layers      C. frames

Question 5: I know some interesting tourist ..... in the city that you would love to visit.

A. sculptures      B. attractions      C. handicrafts

Question 6: The car has been ..... in clay.

A. moulded      B. woven      C. embroidered

Question 7: The scarf embroidered with gold ..... is the most expensive one in our shop.

A. frame      B. layer      C. thread

**EX5. Choose the best option to complete the sentences.**

1. .... Pelly was tired, he went to bed.

A. Because      B. Because of

2. He passed the exam ..... he had a good teacher.

A. Because      B. Because of

3. We stayed in ..... the rain.

A. Because      B. Because of

4. He was able to go to university ..... his aunt's help.

A. Because      B. Because of

5. The price of oranges is high ..... frost damage.

A. Because      B. Because of

6. I went to see the play, ..... it had good reviews.  
A. Because B. Because of

7. I enjoy the course ..... the professor is a good teacher.  
A. Because B. Because of

8. We all felt tired ..... the hot weather.  
A. Because B. Because of

9. I left home early, ..... I had to do several errands.  
A. Because B. Because of

10. ..... their interest in comets, they decided to study astronomy.  
A. Because B. Because of

**EX6: Choose the best option to complete the sentences**

1. Tom wakes his parents up ..... playing the guitar very softly.  
A. because B. in spite of C. because of D. Although

2. ..... she was very hard working; she hardly earned enough to feed her family.  
A. In spite of B. Because C. Because of D. Although

3. I went to the club last Saturday ..... the heavy rain.  
A. because of B. because C. in spite of D. though

4. The boy can't reach the shelf ..... he's not tall enough.  
A. because B. although C. even though D. and

5. Nam failed the final exam ..... he was lazy.  
A. while B. though C. because D. but

6. We didn't go for a walk ..... it was very cold.  
A. though B. because C. but D. so

7. A: I'll pick you up at eight o'clock on my way to the airport.  
B: \_\_\_\_\_

a. For pleasure  
b. Great. I'll see you then.  
c. I have a phone.  
d. Would be.

8. A: Would you like to join us on the trip to La Khe Silk Village?  
B: \_\_\_\_\_

a. Sounds great.  
b. For now.  
c. Better things happened.  
d. I don't think so.

II. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following sentences.

1. They said the support service will be set up the next month.  
A B C D
2. Sarah wondered if to attend the life skills workshop that weekend.  
A B C D
3. Robert told me that his father had flown to Dallas last year.  
A B C D
4. He always feels left off when his friends talk about sports.  
A B C D
5. He asked his father where to cope with negative emotions.  
A B C D
6. Joan made the laundry, washing up, and housework holding her with one arm.  
A B C D
7. By mistake the candidate wrote all her answers on pencil despite the instructions.  
A B C D
8. The new manager wondered if to adopt a new technology from their partner in the UK.  
A B C D

## **UNIT 3**

### **I. Choose the best answer a, b, c or d to complete the sentence.**

1. In recent years, there has been thousands of victims of sexual and physical \_\_\_\_\_.  
a.sentence      b.crime      c.abuse      d.conduct
2. Harrison's greatest attribute is his ability to work \_\_\_\_ pressure.  
a.within      b.under      c.in      d. on
3. My parents always criticize me for not getting good grades at school. I wish they put themselves in my \_\_\_\_\_.  
a.pants      b.legs      c.hands      d. shoes
4. He wondered \_\_\_\_\_ to tell the news to his parents.  
a.why      b.how      c.what      d.which
5. He \_\_\_\_\_ a bachelor's degree in computer information systems in 1951.  
a.forced      b.sent      c.took      d.gained
6. "You must come to my party," she told me.  
a.She told me I come to her party.      b. She told me to come her party.  
c. She told me I had to come to her party.      d. She told me I came to her party.
7. "My life's got stuck these days. I am so depressed and unable to think of anything."  
" \_\_\_\_\_"  
a. You will be tired.      b. Stay stuck there,  
c. Stay calm. Everything will be alright.      d. No, thanks.
8. "Mom, I've got the first rank in class this semester!" " \_\_\_\_\_"  
a.Well done!      b. Thank you!      c. Never mind!      d. Let's go!

9. When the doctor came in, he went ..... all my test results and gave me a prescription.  
 A. out      B. over      C. in      D. of

10. A close friendship has grown..... between them. They help each other in the daily life.  
 A. in      B. out      C. of      D. up

11. When I turned up, the town hall was already ..... of teenagers.  
 A. full      B. packed      C. crowded      D. jammed

12. She turned ..... the new job in New York because she didn't want to move.  
 A. on      B. down      C. off      D. up

13. This city has one of the most ..... underground rail networks in the world.  
 A. efficient      B. fashionable      C. cosmopolitan      D. fascinated

14. This laptop is much more user-friendly, but it costs ..... the other one.  
 A. so much as      B. as many as      C. twice as much as      D. twice as many

15. Today's cities are ..... than cities in previous times.  
 A. lots larger      B. much larger      C. as large      D. the largest

16. After I found all the information I needed, I ..... the computer.  
 A. turned off      B. switched on      C. looked for      D. put off

17. Japan is the ..... developed country in the world.  
 A. most second      B. second in most      C. second most      D. two most

18. Factories and offices should be built in ..... areas only.  
 A. rural      B. coastal      C. cultural      D. urban

19. Every time I fly to the United States, I get really bad .....  
 a. asthma      b. jet lag      c. confusion      d. recreation

20. Leave the ironing ..... - I'll do it later.  
 a. for the time being      b. from time to time      c. in any time      d. in the nick of time

21. These factors contribute ..... making city life more difficult for its residents.  
 a. in      b. with      c. to      d. on

22. Tower blocks from the 60s and 70s could be ..... after Grenfell Tower fire.  
 a. got down      b. let down      c. turned down      d. pulled down

23. The trip to the National Gallery has been ..... until next Friday.  
 a. put off      b. looked into      c. turned up      d. found out

24. The street food in Hoi An is delicious and .....  
 a. available      b. fabulous      c. affordable      d. fascinating

25. "Thanks for giving me a ride to work today."  
 " ..... I was heading this direction anyway."  
 a. You don't need to. b. Yes, thanks.      c. No worries.      d. I'd love to.

26. " ..... ?" "Everything is fine. How about you?"  
 a. How old are you?      b. How's it going?  
 c. What's your life?      d. What's the matter?

27. Life in Ho Chi Minh City is ..... than we thought at first.  
 a. far the busier      b. the more busier      c. much more busy      d. much busier

28. Of the cities we surveyed, Singapore was ..... the worst rated by its residents for culture.  
 a. a bit      b. a lot      c. much      d. by far

## UNIT 2.

### I. Find the words which has a different sound in the part underlined.

1. A. attraction	B. artisan	C. frame	D. handicraft
2. A. drumhead	B. illustration	C. earplug	D. drugstore
3. A. strip	B. visual	C. artistic	D. remind
4. A. thread	B. treat	C. pleasure	D. deadline
5. A. embroider	B. preserve	C. benefit	D. effect

### II. Choose a word in each line that has different stress pattern.

1. A. Conduct	B. Ancient	C. Drawback	D. Feature
2. A. Determine	B. Pagoda	C. Fabulous	D. Convenient
3. A. Intelligence	B. Facility	C. Development	D. Education
4. A. Metropolitan	B. University	C. Organisation	D. Multicultural
5. A. Fascinate	B. Expensive	C. Restaurant	D. Difference

### III. Choose the correct option A, B, C or D to complete the sentences.

1. Osaka has become one of the ..... "livable" city in Asia.  
A. more      B. better      C. much      D. most

2. London is one of the largest cities in the world but its population is a lot ..... than Tokyo.  
A. small      B. few      C. smaller      D. fewer

3. London is probably most famous for its museums, galleries, palaces and other sights, but it also includes a ..... range of peoples, cultures and religions than any other places.  
A. greater      B. big      C. wide      D. wider

4. Ha Noi City now is ..... Than it was 10 years ago.  
A. as large      B. more large      C. much larger      D. the largest

5. This river now is much less ..... than before. People are aware of the environment and they try to keep the river clean.  
A. polluted      B. pollutes      C. polluting      D. pollution

6. When we were in Da Nang, we spent a lot of time ..... around and looking at the ancient temples, bridges and houses.  
A. wander      B. wandering      C. wandered      D. wanders

7. On children Festival, the zoo is always ..... with people mainly children.  
A. packed      B. had      C. contained      D. scored

8. You should take your shoes ..... when you go into the temples.  
A. up      B. in      C. off      D. on

**EX8. Mark the letter a, b, c or d to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences.**

**1. Elizabeth was writing a note to her friend. The train arrived.**

- a. Elizabeth was writing a note to her friend as soon as the train arrived.
- b. After the train arrived, Elizabeth was writing a note to her friend.
- c. The train arrived while Elizabeth was writing a note to her friend.
- d. Elizabeth was writing a note to her friend whenever the train arrived.

**2. The water is very cold in January. We go swimming anyway.**

- a. When the water is very cold in January, we go swimming anyway.
- b. As the water is very cold in January, we go swimming anyway.
- c. The water is very cold in January if we go swimming anyway.
- d. Although the water is very cold in January, we go swimming anyway.

**3. The water was very rough. The lifeguards made all of the swimmers leave the water.**

- a. Since the water was very rough, the lifeguards made all of the swimmers leave the water.
- b. The water was very rough so that the lifeguards made all of the swimmers leave the water.
- c. The water was very rough because the lifeguards made all of the swimmers leave
- d. The lifeguards made all of the swimmers leave the water though the water was very rough.

**4. Mike goes jogging two miles every morning. Then he gets ready for work.**

- a. Mike goes jogging two miles every morning after he gets ready for work.
- b. Mike goes jogging two miles every morning before he gets ready for work.
- c. Mike goes jogging two miles every morning as soon as he gets ready for work.
- d. Mike goes jogging two miles every morning when he gets ready for work.

**5. Ticket prices might be more expensive. Going to the movies is still much cheaper than going to a concert.**

- a. Ticket prices might be more expensive than going to the movies is still much cheaper than going to a concert.
- b. Ticket prices might be more expensive than going to the movies is still much cheaper than going to a concert.
- c. Going to the movies is still much cheaper than going to a concert since ticket prices might be more expensive.
- d. Going to the movies is still much cheaper than going to a concert although ticket prices might be more expensive.

**6. We went to Dong Xuan Market. We flew back to Ho Chi Mirth City at 7pm.**

- a. We went to Dong Xuan Market while we flew back to Ho Chi Minh City at 7pm.
- b. Before we flew back to Ho Chi Minh City at 7pm, we went to Dong Xuan Market.
- c. We went to Dong Xuan Market in order that we flew back to Ho Chi Minh City at 7pm.
- d. As we went to Dong Xuan Market, we flew back to Ho Chi Minh City at 7pm.

**7. You need to plan your trip to South America carefully. You don't spend all your money too quickly.**

- a. You need to plan your trip to America carefully so that you don't spend all your money too quickly.
- b. You need to plan your trip to America carefully although you don't spend all your money too quickly.
- c. You need to plan your trip to America carefully as you don't spend all your money too quickly.
- d. Even though you need to plan your trip to America carefully, you don't spend all your money too quickly.

**8. Richard is very wealthy. He can afford to buy almost anything he wants.**

- a. Although Richard is very wealthy, he can afford to buy almost anything he wants.
- b. Richard is so wealthy that he can afford to buy almost anything he wants.
- c. Richard is very wealthy so that he can afford to buy almost anything he wants.
- d. Richard can afford to buy almost anything he wants, but he is very wealthy.