

*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 each of the following questions.*

- Question 1. A. accent                      B. mistake                      C. global                      D. rusty  
Question 2. A. satellite                      B. meteorite                      C. maintenance                      D. adventure

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

- Question 3. A. exotic                      B. erode                      C. checkout                      D. decision  
Question 4. A. sauce                      B. stew                      C. sugar                      D. steam

*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. Some of famous \_\_\_\_\_ in Southern Viet Nam are Hu Tieu Nam Vang, Bun Mam, fried rice, flour cake, and many kinds of puddings.  
A. foods                      B. dishes                      C. staples                      D. ingredients
- Question 6. \_\_\_\_\_ domestic and foreign tourism will create demand for additional hotels and motels.  
A. Increase                      B. Increased                      C. Increasing                      D. Increasingly
- Question 7. What do you think of \_\_\_\_\_ public transport in \_\_\_\_\_ Hanoi?  
A. Ø - Ø                      B. a - a                      C. a - Ø                      D. the - Ø
- Question 8. If I didn't have exams next week, I \_\_\_\_\_ camping with you this weekend.  
A. will go                      B. will have gone                      C. would have gone                      D. would go
- Question 9. Japan is the country \_\_\_\_\_ he spent the early years of his life.  
A. at which                      B. on which                      C. that                      D. where
- Question 10. I passed all my exams – I'm \_\_\_\_\_ !  
A. over the moon                      B. once in a blue moon                      C. out of this world                      D. the sky's the limit
- Question 11. Although he did his best, he had to be \_\_\_\_\_ with third place in the competition.  
A. content                      B. pleasant                      C. pleasing                      D. satisfying
- Question 12. Nam Dinh province, \_\_\_\_\_ my uncle lives, often has hurricanes.  
A. when                      B. where                      C. which                      D. that
- Question 13. Linda can't stand \_\_\_\_\_ in a room with all of the windows closed.

A. sleep

B. sleeping

C. slept

D. being slept

*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*

**Question 14.** If I am taller, I might be better at basketball.

A

B C D

**Question 15.** The force of a tornado can flatten anything that lie in its path.

A

B

C D

**Question 16.** The flight from Chicago never gets in on time, and neither does the flight from

A

B

C

Atlanta too.

D

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best completes each of the following exchanges.*

**Question 17.** Jimmy asked Lily about her friend.

Jimmy: "Would you mind telling me where Tom works?" Lily said " \_."

A. No, of course not.

B. Yes, I would

C. Never mind.

D. Well, he works in a hospital.

**Question 18.** Jack talked to his friend at cafe.

Jack: "Why don't you wear trainers to work?". His friend replied " \_."

A. We aren't allowed to.

B. My boss makes me not to.

C. We aren't let wear.

D. My boss doesn't want to.

*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.** Corona is one of the most lethal viruses known to medical science.

A. harmful

B. legal

C. harmless

D. unchecked

**Question 20.** Candy is full of artificial colors to make it attractive to children.

A. attractive

B. appealing

C. bright

D. natural

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

**Question 21:** The fumes from that chemical are highly toxic.

A. explosive

B. graded

C. beneficial

D. poisonous

**Question 22:** Leonardo da Vinci could draw with one hand, and write with the other simultaneously.

A. alternately

B. at the same time

C. afterwards

D. unanimously



*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 from 23 to 27.*

The survey of eating habits was (23) \_\_\_\_\_ in Ho Chi Minh city by a group of Japanese nutritionists in order to understand the changes of eating environments and habits accompanying with the economic growth after the war in Vietnam.

The surveys were made in 2002 and 2006. In the survey in 2002, the Vietnamese surely took three meals a day without (24) \_\_\_\_\_ any snacks. They mainly took staples like rice, bread, noodles and some vegetables. But the (25) \_\_\_\_\_ of oils and fats and milk products was rare. It is like that of Japan in several decades ago.

In the survey in 2006, the changes in eating habits were observed. (26) \_\_\_\_\_ the rising of their concern on eating, they rarely took food late at night. The variety and frequency of food was increased. The intake of snacks was also increased. These changes are considered to have been caused by the change in their (27) \_\_\_\_\_ towards eating due to the change in lifestyle and those changes had been observed in Japan. More rapidly, however, they were in Vietnam.

- Question 23:** A. behaved                      B. carried                      C. conducted                      D. made  
**Question 24:** A. taking                      B. making                      C. doing                      D. asking  
**Question 25:** A. processes                      B. intake                      C. production                      D. amount  
**Question 26:** A. Together with                      B. Because                      C. Despite                      D. Due to  
**Question 27:** A. confidence                      B. attitude                      C. impression                      D. effect.

*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 from 28 to 32.*

### **The Importance of English in Today's World**

English was originally the language of England, and soon it has become the primary or secondary language of many former British colonies such as the United States, Canada, Australia, and India. Nowadays, it is the most international language in the world. There are several factors that make the English language essential to communication in our current time.

First of all, it is the most common foreign language. This means that two people who come from different countries (for example, a Mexican and a Swede) usually use English as a common language to communicate. English is also essential to the field of education. In many countries, children are taught and encouraged to learn English as a second language. At the university level, students in many countries study almost all their subjects in English in order to make the material more accessible to international students. On the Internet, the majority of websites are written and created in English. Even sites in other languages often give you the option to translate the site. It is the primary language of the press: more newspapers and books are written in English than any other language, and no matter where in the world you are, you will find some of these books and newspapers available.

Although many people think that it is very difficult and confusing, English is actually the easiest language of the world to learn because there are so many resources available. As soon as you decide you want to learn, there are thousands of resources on the Internet and in bookstores. With good understanding and communication in English, you can travel around the globe. Because it is the international language for foreigners, it is easy to get assistance and help in every part of the world. You can test it by online travel. Any travel booking site you can find will have English as a booking option.

**Question 28.** When two people having different mother tongues meet each other, they will use \_\_\_\_\_

- A. their own mother tongues to communicate
- B. English as a means of communication
- C. the third language to communicate
- D. a second language as a means of communication

**Question 29.** The study material at universities is often written in English so that \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. all international students can follow it
- B. scientists can understand it easily
- C. it is the dominant language in England.
- D. all children from many countries understand English

**Question 30** All of the following about the role of English on the Internet are true EXCEPT that \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. most websites are written in English
- B. most programmers created websites in English
- C. websites offer you the option in other languages
- D. most websites have English version

**Question 31.** English is believed by many to be the easiest language of the world to learn because \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. you can decide you want to learn English
- B. there are thousands of bookstores available
- C. it is not very difficult and confusing
- D. it is easy to find resources to learn English

**Question 32.** We can infer from the passage that \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. English makes you travel around the globe
- B. you can use English to travel online

- C. international tourists must know English
- D. it is easy to get help to learn English all over the world

*Finish the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, beginning with the given words:*

**Question 33.** What a shame I can't speak French. I had to find an interpreter

⇒ If I.....

**Question 34.** His father made him study Latin at the age of three.

⇒ At the age of three, he .....

**Question 35.** The storm started at 2 o'clock this morning. It caused a lot of damage

⇒ The storm .....

**Question 36.** "Who has just left?" he asked us.

⇒ He asked .....

*Write new sentences as similar as possible in meaning to the original sentences, using the given words in brackets. Do not change the given words in any way.*

**Question 37.** This story is about a man called Aladdin. (NAME)

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**Question 38.** "You'd better look for another job" said Tom (ADVISED)

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**Question 39.** They wanted us to keep this story in secret (KEPT)

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**Question 40.** They started working in this factory in 2004 (BEEN)

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