

TEST 6H

Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently.

1. A. st(u)dy B. (u)niverse C. s(u)bject D. p(u)nctual
2. A. ques(tion) B. informa(tion) C. pronuncial(tion) D. inven(tion)

Choose the word that its main stress is placed differently from the others.

3. A. geography B. biology C. economics D. technology
4. A. solar B. English C. orbit D. translate

Choose the word (A, B, C or D) that best completes the sentence.

5. He's so brilliant and he can do anything. He is _____.
A. out of this world B. it's over the moon C. once in a blue D. the sky's the limit
6. If there _____ so many new words, it would be easier to master English.
A. aren't B. are C. were D. weren't
7. The picture reminds him of the time _____ he studied in New York.
A. when B. where C. which D. why
8. Christer Fuglesang said he enjoyed floating around in the _____ environment.
A. homesick B. heavy C. quiet D. weightless
9. Can you read and write well in English but cannot speak _____?
A. fluently B. fluency C. fluent D. more fluent
10. He is not exactly rich, but he certainly earns enough to _____.
A. get down B. get on C. get up D. get by
11. The launch of the Space Shuttle Endeavour _____ broadcast live this morning.
A. was being B. was C. is D. had been
12. This is the bicycle _____ I bought yesterday.
A. who B. whom C. where D. X
13. As soon as the spacecraft _____ into space, the crew started to observe the sun.
A. had travelled B. travelled C. was travelling D. has travelled

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

14. I can't find the book which Lan lent it to me last week.
A B C D
15. My friend George, (that) arrived (late), was not (permitted) (to enter) the class.
A B C D
16. If I were three inches taller, I will apply for that job.
A B C D

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct response to each of the following exchanges.

17. "Let's have some coffee." - " ____ "
- A. Sorry. B. Yes, spot on!
C. Once in a blue moon. D. I'd love to but I may be awake at night.
18. "Can you see anything from there? - " ____ "
- A. A small red house, a garden and a lake. B. Wow, it's beautiful!
C. No, thanks. D. You look so excited!

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

19. Unluckily, our flight was cancelled, and we had to spend one night at the airport.
A. Fortunately B. Unfortunately C. Seriously D. Dangerously
20. Mr. Smith's new neighbors appear to be very nice.
A. friendly B. kind-hearted C. unfriendly D. warm

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

21. What has been the most challenging experience in your life as an astronaut, Mr. Tuan?
A. difficult B. lucky C. easy D. dangerous
22. NASA has recently discovered something new about Mars.
A. lived on B. got into C. narrowed down D. found out

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.

Many books, newspapers, airports and air-traffic control, technology, sports, pop music and advertising have English as the (23) ____ language. In general, the universal language on the Internet is English. The majority of the electronically stored information around the world is in English. You can travel to any English-speaking country without the need of having a (24) _____. Usually, if you don't know the language your trip would be hard and maybe you wouldn't enjoy it. Nowadays in the competitive job market, it is necessary to speak English. So (25) _____ you learn English, you will have a better chance of getting a job that pays more. English is also helpful when you go to a different country because it is a global language. A lot of educational information is in English; therefore, to have access to this material or maybe communicate with (26) _____ students, it is necessary to have knowledge of English. It is necessary to learn English if you are (27) _____ to study at a foreign university or school. Usually many educational institutions will provide you preparatory courses to improve your English language skills, but you have to have at least a medium level of knowledge.

23. A. regional B. unofficial C. major D. local
24. A. specialist B. writer C. businessman D. translator

25. A. however B. although C. unless D. if
 26. A. enough B. most C. other D. only
 27. A. dreaming B. planning C. object. D. thinking

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.

When you hear how I learned a foreign language, you have to remember a few things. In 1993, when I started learning English, no one had heard of the Internet. I wasn't able to read websites on topics that I found interesting or follow blogs. And I have no idea how I decided which movies to see without my favourite movie review website.

My reading practice was limited. All I had were a few books on sale locally. For listening practice, I only had the news and cartoons on cable TV. People bought and rented videos but in Poland there was no spoken English on them. The only way to hear that was to visit the movies.

My dictionaries were all in book form until I received my first PC dictionary. It came on at least six disks and had unhelpful explanations and few example sentences. It doesn't sound very useful but I loved it because of its ability to work with other programs and find English words more quickly. Today, computerized dictionaries have simple explanations and lots of examples. Now I can spend hours on the web, reading about my favourite topics, downloading up-to-date movies, emailing English-speaking friends and posting comments on forums.

28. ***The word "up-to-date" means _____.***
 A. oldest B. daily C. latest D. longest
29. ***What is the writer trying to do in the text? _____.***
 A. Encourage people to start learning in a foreign language.
 B. Compare two different ways of teaching a language.
 C. Complain about the use of technology in language learning.
 D. Explain how language learning materials have changed.
30. ***To watch films in English, Polish people in the 1990s had to _____.***
 A. have cable television
 B. go to the cinema
 C. rent films on videotape
 D. watch TV for children
31. ***The writer says he doesn't know _____.***
 A. which topics he found interesting
 B. when he first heard about the internet
 C. how he used to choose films to watch
 D. where he bought English book online from
32. ***The writer liked his first computer dictionary because it _____.***
 A. found information at a faster speed
 B. came with other computer programs

C. was better than today's dictionaries

D. gave you useful example sentences

Choose the second sentence which has the same meaning as that of the root one.

33. **My father had gone home before we arrived.**

A. After my father arrived, we went home.

B. After my father had gone home, we arrived.

C. After my father had gone home, we arrive.

D. After my father had gone home, we had arrived.

34. **The children couldn't go swimming because the sea was too rough.**

A. The children couldn't go swimming because of the sea rough

B. The children couldn't go swimming due of the rough sea.

C. The children couldn't go swimming because of the rough sea.

D. The children couldn't go swim because of the rough sea.

35. **I think you should spend more time improving your pronunciation.**

A. If I were you, I would spend more time improving my pronunciation.

B. If I am you, I would spend more time improving my pronunciation.

C. If I am you, I will spend more time improving my pronunciation.

D. If I were you, I will spend more time improving my pronunciation.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

36. **The plants may develop differently. The plants live on that island.**

A. The plants live on that island may develop differently.

B. The plants that lives on that island may develop differently.

C. The plants that live on that island may develop differently.

D. The plants which lives on that island may develop differently.

37. **Quang plays the piano very well. He lives next door.**

A. Quang, whom lives next door plays the piano very well.

B. Quang, whose lives next door plays the piano very well.

C. Quang, that lives next door, plays the piano very well.

D. Quang, who lives next door, plays the piano very well.

38. **The book is interesting. It was bought last night.**

A. The book is interesting which was bought last night.

B. The book which was bought last night is interested.

C. The book which bought last night is interestingly.

- D. The book which was bought last night is interesting.
39. **I'm so excited. I'm going on vacation with my family tomorrow.**
- A. I'm not excited that I'm going on vacation with my family tomorrow.
- B. I'm excited that I'm going on vacation with my family tomorrow.
- C. I'm so excited so I can go on vacation with my family tomorrow.
- D. I'm so excited because I can't go on vacation with my family tomorrow.
40. **I used a credit card to buy a computer game. The game is called 'Mars Mystique Mission'.**
- A. I used a credit card to buy the computer game is called "Mars Mystique Mission".
- B. I used a credit card to buy the computer game which called "Mars Mystique Mission".
- C. I used a credit card to buy the computer game which is called "Mars Mystique Mission".
- D. I used a credit card to buy the computer game what is called "Mars Mystique Mission".