

TEST 1

I. Choose the word which is stressed differently from the rest:

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| 1. A. polite | B. hopeful | C. authority | D. priority |
| 2. A. unintelligent | B. creativity | C. capability | D. stability |
| 3. A. thoughtful | B. unattractive | C. negative | D. positive |
| 4. A. battery | B. complexity | C. unhealthy | D. impatient |
| 5. A. electricity | B. unacceptable | C. gravity | D. unbelievable |

II. Choose the correct answer for each sentence:

6. Tom wondered how we _____ without technology.
A. will live B. live
C. can live D. could live
7. Harry wanted _____ the latest technology, so he decided _____ the first iPhone 7.
A. to use/ to buy B. using/ buying
C. to use/ buying D. using/ to buy.
8. Amy told me that time the next day, she _____ to Mars
A. will be travelling B. would travel
C. was travelling D. would be travelling
9. You _____ leave the exam room if you _____ the speaking test.
A. may/ will have finished B. might/ have finished
C. might/ will be finishing D. may/ have finished
10. Zedd wanted to know _____ trees on Venus.
A. which can we grow B. how we could grow
C. what we could grow D. why could we grow

6. Mary said she _____ in NASA, so she _____ her best.
 A. intends working/ will try B. intended to work/ would try
 C. intends to work/ had tried D. intended working/ was trying
12. When we were young, we usually wondered _____ aliens _____ like monsters.
 A. whether/ looked B. how/ had looked
 C. what/ looked D. if/ looking
13. When I _____ enough money to buy an Iphone 6, an Iphone 10 _____
 A. save/ will have being invented B. save/ will have been invented
 C. will have saved/ will be invented D. will save/ has been invented
14. In 50 years, we _____ telegraphy to communicate.
 A. will have been using B. will be using
 C. will be used D. use
15. My mother said by 2050, we _____ in flying cars.
 A. would travel B. will be travelling
 C. would have travelled D. will have travelled

III. Choose the correct answer for each sentence:

16. Peter has always dreamt of becoming a _____ because he loves
 A. chemist/ chemistry B. chemist/ chemist
 C. chemistry/ chemist D. chemistry/ chemistry
17. The teacher said a/ an cultural _____ breakdown might happen due to
 A. chat/ similarities B. communication/ differences
 C. mission/ differently D. invention/ similarly
18. In the future, we may use _____ saucers to travel to other planets.
 A. chatting B. flying C. texting D. discovering

19. I think _____ sites such as Facebook or Twitter are changing the way people communicate, work, and study in negative ways.
- A. non-verbal communication B. body language
C. social media D. communication channel
20. She was the only _____ to the UFO, so she was interviewed a lot.
- A. messenger B. terrorist C. alien D. witness
21. A _____ is a heat engine that runs on steam.
- A. steam engine B. technical engine
C. steam bulb D. steam discovery
22. The space _____ started to shake, but the astronaut managed to control it later.
- A. buggy/ uncontrollably B. car/ controllable
C. bike/ controllably D. plane/⁷ uncontrollable
23. When I was young, I usually called my friends on the _____ instead of using advanced technology like today.
- A. website B. chat room C. landline D. snail mail
24. We need to encourage students to feel free to _____ ideas and information.
- A. trace B. transform C. change D. exchange
25. _____ in the field of telecommunications has developed greatly over the last 10 years.
- A. Technology B. Medicine C. Development D. Conservation

IV. Read the passage and answer the questions:

Martin Cooper (born December 26, 1928) is an American engineer. He is a pioneer and visionary in the wireless communications industry. With eleven patents in the field, he is recognized as an innovator in radio spectrum management.

While at Motorola in the 1970s, Cooper conceived the first handheld mobile phone (distinct from the car phone) in 1973 and led the team that developed it and brought it to market in 1983. He is considered the “father of the cell phone” and is also cited as the first person in history to make a handheld cellular phone call in public.

Cooper is co-founder of numerous communications companies with his wife and business partner Arlene Harris; also known as the “first lady of wireless.” He is co-founder and current Chairman of Dyna LLC, in Del Mar, California. Cooper also sits on committees supporting the U.S. Federal Communications Commission and the United States Department of Commerce.

22. *Cooper had 11 patents in which of the following fields?*

- A. Radio spectrum management B. Wireless communications
- C. Engineering D. Business

23. *When was the first handheld phone brought to market?*

- A. 111 1983 B. 1111970s C. In 1973 D. In 1928

24. *Cooper is considered as _____.*

- A. the father of American engineering B. the first lady of wireless
- C. the father of the cell phone D. the first man of wireless

25. *Which of the following statements is true?*

- A. Cooper didn't get married.
- B. Cooper comes from America.
- C. Cooper was driving a car when he conceived the mobile phone.
- D. He is the only founder of Dyna LLC.

26. *Which of the following statements is not true?*

- A. Cooper and his wife founded many companies together.
- B. Cooper conceived the first handheld mobile phone in the 1970s
- C. Cooper worked with a team to develop the first mobile phone.
- D. Cooper's mobile phone is the same as the car phone

TEST 2

I. Choose the word which is stressed differently from the rest:

1. A. unfamiliar B. unsuitable C. unfortunate D. illogical
2. A. repetitive B. creative C. astronaut D. astronomy
3. A. exploration B. conservationist C. immature D. persuasive
4. A. relative B. informative C. inaccurate D. untold
5. a communicative B. negative C. unpromising D. irrelevant

II Rearrange the words to form complete sentences:

6. said/ all/ Milky/ my/ it/ Way/ the/ teacher/ count/ to/ important/ stars/ said/ was/ the/ in/.
- _____

7. the/ Jupiter/ look/ Dung/ asked/ of/ Jupiter/ inhabitants/ might/ like/ what/.
- _____

8. will/ Venus/ this/ I/ be/ to/ time/ flying/ tomorrow/.
- _____

9. all/ replaced/ ones/ by/ books/ will/ 2050/ have/ electronic/ paper/ been/ ones/.
- _____

10. become/ save/ doctor/ many/ I/ a/ to/ lives/ of/ people/ will/ great/ the/.
- _____

III. Rewrite the following sentences in reported speech.

11. Linh said: "I prefer texting to sending letters."
- _____

12. My mother said: "I hope there won't be traffic jams in 20 years' time.

13. The teacher asked: "What is a language barrier?"

14. Tom wondered: "Will robots replace teachers in class?"

15. Jerry said: "Last night, I dreamt of flying to Venus.

V. Read the passage and answer the questions:

Mars is the fourth planet from the Sun and the second-smallest planet in the Solar System, after Mercury. Named after the Roman god of war, it is often referred to as the "Red Planet" because the iron oxide prevalent on its surface gives it a reddish appearance. Mars is a terrestrial planet with a thin atmosphere, having surface features reminiscent both of the impact craters of the Moon and the valleys, deserts, and polar ice caps of Earth.

The rotational period and seasonal cycles of Mars are likewise similar to those of Earth, as is the tilt that produces the seasons. Mars is the site of Olympus Mons, the largest volcano and second-highest known mountain in the Solar System, and of Valles Marineris, one of the largest canyons in the Solar System. The smooth Borealis basin in the northern hemisphere covers 40% of the planet and may be a giant impact feature. Mars has two moons, Phobos and Deimos, which are small and irregularly shaped. These may be captured asteroids, similar to 5261 Eureka, a Mars trojan.

(<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mars>)

16. *Which planet is the smallest in the Solar System?*

A. Earth B. Phobos C. Mars D. Mercury

17. *Why Mars is often referred to as the "Red Planet"?*

- A. Because of its reddish appearance
- B. Because of the Roman god of war
- C. Because of its thin atmosphere
- D. Because of two moons, Phobos and Deimos

18. *What feature covers 40% of Mars?*

- A. Olympus Mons
- B. Valles Marineris
- C. Phobos
- D. Borealis basin

19. *Which of the following statements is not true?*

- A. Mars is a terrestrial planet with a thick atmosphere
- B. Mars is the fourth planet from the Sun
- C. The rotational period and seasonal cycles of Mars are similar to those of Earth
- D. Olympus Mons is the largest volcano in the Solar System.

20. *Which of the following statements is true?*

- A. Olympus Mons is the highest known mountain in the Solar System.
- B. Mars is the second planet from the sun.
- C. Martian surface features are reminiscent both of the impact craters of the Moon and the valleys, deserts, and polar ice caps of Earth.
- D. Phobos and Deimos are two small and regularly shaped moons.

SEMESTER TEST 2

I. Choose the word which is stressed differently from the rest:

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| 1. A. billboard | B. rescue | C. oversleep | D. galaxy |
| 2. A. scenic | B. Chinese | C. volcanic | D. addictive |
| 3. A. explorer | B. engineer | C. supportive | D. biology |
| 4. A. iconic | B. airless | C. thoughtful | D. |
| 5. A. geology | B. unchanged | C. technology | D. referee |

II. Put the verbs in brackets in the correct form:

6. John said he (stay)_____ in the public shelter during the disaster time.
7. Look at the boy! He (fall) _____.
8. By the time I arrived in the class, every student (divide) _____into three teams.
9. If I were richer, I (travel) _____to the Moon.
10. By 10 A.M tomorrow, the first astronaut (step) _____ on Venus.
11. Nancy asked me why I (attend) _____the summer camp in New York a year ago.
12. My grandmother said in that region, the local language (speak) _____for a hundred years.
13. The lady said the train (depart) _____at 8 A.M the following day.
14. We plan (leave) _____tomorrow afternoon.
15. If we (invest) _____more in space science, we (get) _____ a lot more benefits.

III. Choose the correct answer for each question:

17. In 1995 he was granted a_____ for his invention.
A. patent B. state C. technique D. barrier
18. The media play an important _____in connecting people.
A. messenger B. cause C. parade D. role
19. Factories should stop _____waste into rivers.
A. erupting B. burying C. dumping D. exploring
20. The spacecraft disappeared without a_____.
A. trace B. puzzle C. sewage D. surface
21. I could tell from her_____ language that she was angry although she

said nothing.

- A. eye B. body C. text D. netiquette

21. At the moment it is difficult to measure the extent of the _____ caused by the earthquake.

- A. injury B. collapse C. billboard D. damage

22. Many trees have died due to the _____ soil.

- A. injured B. contaminated C. raged D. transformed

23. Three hundred people were left _____ by the storm. They had nowhere to stay.

- A. homeless B. weightless C. airless D. uncontrollable

24. The Huong River is _____ of my hometown.

- A. icon B. symbolic C. permanent D. precise

25. The country _____ language is Spanish.

- A. accurate B. snail C. official D. shorthand

iv. Read the passage and answer the questions:

Body language is a kind of nonverbal communication, where thoughts, intentions, or feelings are expressed by physical behaviors, such as facial expressions, body posture, gestures, eye movement, touch and the use of space. Body language exists in both animals and humans, but this article focuses on interpretations of human body language.

Body language must not be confused with sign language, as sign languages are full languages like spoken languages and have their own complex grammar systems, as well as being able to exhibit the fundamental properties that exist in all languages.

Body language, on the other hand, does not have a grammar and must be interpreted broadly, instead of having an absolute meaning corresponding with a certain movement, so it is not a language like sign language, and is simply termed as a "language" due to popular culture.

(https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Body_language)

26. *Facial expressions, body posture, gestures, and eye movement are examples of_____.*

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|---------------------|------------------|
| A. culture language | B. sign language |
| C. verbal language | D. body language |

27. *Why body language is different from sign languages?*

- A. Because sign languages have their own complex grammar systems.
- B. Because body language is like spoken language.
- C. Because body language has a grammar.
- D. Because body language has an absolute meaning.

28. *Body language exists in_____.*

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|----------------------------|-----------------|
| A. humans only | B. animals only |
| C. both humans and animals | D. plants |

29. *Which of the following statements is true?*

- A. Sign languages must be confused with body language.
- B. Body language must be interpreted broadly.
- C. Because it became the official language in 2006.
- D. The article focuses on interpretations of animal body language.

30. *Which of the following statements is not true?*

- A. Body language is simply termed as a "language" due to popular culture.
- B. Body language exists in both animals and humans.
- C. In body language, thoughts, intentions, or feelings are expressed by words.
- D. Sign languages are full languages like spoken languages.

v. Rewriting the sentence in such a way that it is similar to the previous one:

31. I haven't seen such a strange creature before.

-> It's _____.

32. "How do you like your new smart phone?" his mother asked.

-> His mother asked him how _____.

33. You can't visit NASA unless you have an invitation letter.

—> If you _____.

34. I'm going to attend a summer camp next week.

—> I plan _____.

35. They will have to repaint the house.

-> The house _____.