

Actual Test

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READING TEST

In the Reading test, you will read a variety of texts and answer several different types of reading comprehension questions. The entire Reading test will last 75 minutes. There are three parts, and directions are given for each part. You are encouraged to answer as many questions as possible within the time allowed.

You must mark your answers on the separate answer sheet. Do not write your answers in your test book.

PART 5

Directions: A word or phrase is missing in each of the sentences below. Four answer choices are given below each sentence. Select the best answer to complete the sentence. Then mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet.

101. Not far _____ the train station lies Starlight Park, which is a popular destination for tourists and locals alike.
- (A) from
(B) with
(C) next
(D) until
102. The sales director will give a brief talk _____ the keynote speaker is introduced.
- (A) before
(B) opposite
(C) about
(D) between
103. The charity's new reading program is _____ to increase literacy rates in developing countries over the next ten years.
- (A) project
(B) projecting
(C) projected
(D) projects
104. Engaging in social _____, Ms. Mason quickly expanded her network after moving to a new city.
- (A) active
(B) activities
(C) activates
(D) activated
105. Artists wanting to participate in the contest should submit their work by the _____ of June 30.
- (A) admission
(B) possibility
(C) deadline
(D) output
106. Drake Pharmaceuticals is _____ to have world-renowned chemist Jonas Lund as its senior lab technician.
- (A) absent
(B) fortunate
(C) approximate
(D) respective

107. The Zans Corporation _____ manufacturing all of its luxury wallets and footwear domestically next year.
- (A) was starting
(B) started
(C) will start
(D) has started
108. Some voters have a clear _____ for candidates who have practiced law.
- (A) selection
(B) reflection
(C) component
(D) preference
109. The clerk said that _____ fifteen customers had been waiting outside the store for it to open.
- (A) rougher
(B) roughly
(C) rough
(D) roughness
110. The leaky faucet has been repaired, so visitors may _____ use the first-floor restroom.
- (A) however
(B) once
(C) now
(D) quite
111. The _____ of the disease can be significantly slowed by taking the medicine developed by Dr. Toft's team.
- (A) progressed
(B) progression
(C) progressive
(D) progressively
112. Unfortunately, when the hurricane hit the area, residents as well as public officials were _____ unprepared.
- (A) subsequently
(B) totally
(C) beneficially
(D) currently
113. The company plans on _____ the salespeople for the expenses they incurred while attending the conference.
- (A) reimbursement
(B) reimbursed
(C) reimburse
(D) reimbursing
114. Ms. Carlton felt comfortable crossing the road because there were no vehicles coming in her _____.
- (A) directly
(B) direction
(C) direct
(D) directs
115. _____ the television coverage of the general election, a number of high-profile candidates were interviewed live on air.
- (A) During
(B) About
(C) While
(D) Since
116. Mr. Hicks _____ seating near the stage in the concert hall for important clients.
- (A) cooperated
(B) entertained
(C) loosened
(D) reserved

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117. Fritz Center, the venue _____ hosts the film industry's awards banquet, is undergoing an ambitious expansion project.
- (A) that
(B) where
(C) what
(D) even
118. The monthly staff dinners give employees from different departments the chance to interact with _____ on a personal level.
- (A) other
(B) neither
(C) every
(D) each other
119. Landlords are required to _____ with the regulations set by the Regional Department of Safe Housing.
- (A) reinforce
(B) comply
(C) fulfill
(D) interfere
120. A sturdy support beam was added to the first story of the building for _____ reasons.
- (A) structures
(B) structurally
(C) structure
(D) structural
121. Eco Unite is a non-profit organization _____ to educating the public about environmental issues.
- (A) proposed
(B) deferred
(C) dedicated
(D) observed
122. It is essential that the logo for Prime Vitamins be integrated _____ all of its catalogs and mailings.
- (A) into
(B) of
(C) as
(D) than
123. Despite receiving rejections from several major publishers, Ian Wright _____ to become a world-famous novelist.
- (A) gave up
(B) figured out
(C) brought down
(D) went on
124. Mr. Burrows was praised for creating _____ user manuals which can be easily understood.
- (A) inform
(B) informant
(C) informs
(D) informative
125. Even though Ms. Garcia had a small account at the financial institution, the employee treated her _____ she were a major investor.
- (A) rather than
(B) in spite of
(C) as if
(D) provided that
126. When you return an item by mail, be sure the receipt is _____ to the request form to expedite processing.
- (A) attachment
(B) attached
(C) attaching
(D) attach

127. The witness saw only a _____ figure standing near the lamp post shortly before the crime was committed.

- (A) solitary
- (B) spare
- (C) previous
- (D) random

128. Ben Sanders _____ designed the suitcase to fold up easily for compact storage.

- (A) innovatively
- (B) innovate
- (C) innovative
- (D) innovation

129. Because the weather was warmer than usual this summer, the crops _____ a few weeks early.

- (A) have been harvesting
- (B) will have harvested
- (C) are harvesting
- (D) will be harvested

130. _____ auditing the financial records of Rockford Consulting, the accountant will submit an official report.

- (A) In addition
- (B) Given
- (C) For example
- (D) Upon

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