

Bài tập 1: Điền dạng đúng của từ vào chỗ trống trong câu

1. Last night, Maggie (watch) _____ a movie while her sister (read) _____ a book.
2. While she (walk) _____ to the zoo, it (start) _____ to rain.
3. When Lucifer (arrive) _____ at the station, the train (already/leave) _____.
4. She (cook) _____ dinner when the power (go) _____ out.
5. We (play) _____ football when it (begin) _____ to snow.
6. Thomas _____ (not hear) the thunder during the storm last night because Tommy _____ (sleep)
7. It (be) _____ beautiful yesterday when we _____ (go) for a walk in the park. The sun _____ (shine). The birds _____ (sing).
8. My brother and sister _____ (talk) about something when I _____ (walk) into the room.
9. Tom _____ (go) to his friend's house, but the boys _____ (not be) there. They _____ (play) soccer in the vacant lot down the street.
10. Stewie's father _____ (attend) college in Ha Noi between the age of 19 and 21.

Bài tập 2: Hoàn thành các câu sau cho hoàn chỉnh.

1. was/ yesterday/ watching/ a movie/ I/ was/ my sister/ reading/ a book./while
2. started/ while/ walking/ Sam/ to/ park/ it/ was/ rain./the
3. the train/ the station/ when/ my brother/ arrived/ already/ had/ left./ at
4. out./ cooking/ when/ the power/ went/ Tina/ dinner/was
5. playing/ when/ to snow./ began/ football/ we/ it/ were

Bài tập 3: Sử dụng cùng một thì, quá khứ đơn hoặc quá khứ tiếp diễn, trong cả hai từ

add – taste	go off – light	not listen – explain	push – run	not watch – dream
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1. The smoke alarm.....when he.....a candle underneath it.
2. I can't remember how to answer this question. I must confess that I.....while the teacherit to us.
3. She.....more cheese to the new dish, and then it.....much better.
4. Although the television was on, I.....it. Instead I.....about my future job.
5. Sarah.....the door and.....into the room yesterday.

Bài tập 4: Chọn đáp án đúng nhất

1. When Mark _____ home, he realized that he had forgotten his bag in the coffee shop.
A. arrived B. was arriving C. had arrived D. have arrived
2. While I _____ the dishes, my little brother was watching films.

- A. wash B. was washing C. have washed D. had washed
3. My husband and I _____ a delicious dinner at a fancy restaurant yesterday.
- A. are having B. have had C. had D. were having
4. Harry _____ to the podcast on Tiktok when his mom called.
- A. was listening B. am listening C. have listened D. had listened
5. When the storm _____, we decided to go out for shopping.
- A. stops B. is stopping C. stopped D. has stopped
6. Last night at this time, they _____ the same thing. She _____ and he _____ the newspaper.
- A. are doing/ is cooking/ is reading B. were doing/ was cooking/ was reading
- C. was doing/ has cooked/ is reading D. had done/ was cooking/ read
7. At this time last year, they _____ this house.
- A. built B. was built C. was building D. were building
8. I _____ my car very fast when you called me.
- A. drove B. was driving C. was drive D. were driving
9. I _____ with my friends while my teacher _____ the lesson yesterday.
- A was chatting – teaching B was chatting – was teaching
- C was chatting – taught D chatted - taught
- 10 While Phong _____ a presentation, his laptop suddenly crashed.
- A. has given B. was giving C. is giving D. gives

EXTRA TEST

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

1. A. diagnose B. achievement C. talented D. anonymous
2. A. prosthetic B. reputation C. dededication D. respectable
3. A. distinguished B. result C. generosity D. inspire
4. A. waver B. reputation C. creativity D. character
5. A. perseverance B. gengrosity C. talented D. judgement
6. A. innovation B. organisation C. influential D. continent
7. A. soldier B. wrote C. hero D. adopt
8. A. mischief B. believe C. achievement D. niece

9. A. safe B. secure C. sure D. support

10. A. cook B. school C. roof D. noon

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.

1. A. enemy B. genius C. communist D. relation

2. A. resign B. dampen C. inspire D. obsess

3. A. misfortune B. strategist C. mystery D. charity

4. A. reveal B. create C. defeat D. battle

5. A. marriage B. poetry C. attack D. traffic

6. A. story B. defeat C. childhood D. poem

7. A. admiration B. experience C. dedication D. innovation

8. A. generosity B. hospitality C. difficulty D. creativity

9. A. advantageous B. charitable C. anonymous D.
respectable

10. A. overcome B. diagnose C. dedicate D. concentrate

VOCABULARY

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.

1. The speaker provided a highly fascinating talk on urban transport.

A. interesting B. elegant C. latest D. novel

2. She wavered between believing him and thinking that he was lying.

A. wasn't appropriate B. wasn't comfortable C. wasn't sure D. wasn't suitable

3. Tommy studied medicine in Ha Noi, and volunteered to join the army at the age of 24.

A. permit B. enlist C. forbid D. refuse

4. The diary contains personal accounts of her experiences during the war.

A. comprises B. boycotts C. punishes D. warns

5. Unfortunately, she was cloistered by the enemy while she was doing her duty in the jungle in Quang Ngai Province.

A. partner B. soulmate C. foe D. colleague

6. Now she is considered a national hero for devoting her youth and whole life to saving other people's lives in the war.

- A. arranging B. building C. contributing D. dedicating

7. Steven Paul found the classes boring and dropped out after six months.

- A. left B. entered C. escaped D. went

8. Apple products were not only designed to be cutting-edge technology but also to be stylish and easy to use.

- A. effective B. fashionable C. motivated D. envious

9. A big decline in exports will impact on the country's economy.

- A. engender B. motivate C. affect D. effect

10. Steve Jobs's work stimulates my creativity and innovation, while Michael Jackson's music inspired me to learn to play a musical instrument.

- A. encouraged B. composed C. involved D. revealed

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.

1. Hard-working and talented students should be given more opportunities to develop their skills.

- A. odourless B. talentless C. tasteless D. needless

2. Apple has lost a visionary and creative genius and the world has lost an amazing human being.

- A. fresh B. unimaginative C. novel D. unstable

3. Unfortunately, she was killed by the enemy while she was doing her duty in the jungle in Quang Ngai Province. She was only 27 then.

- A. counterpart B. partnership C. scholarship D. friendship

4. After my father got a well-paid job at an international company, we moved to a respectable neighbourhood.

- A. domestic B. national C. regional D. worldwide

5. Don't allow other people to take advantage of your generosity. You should learn to give wisely.

- A. liberality B. meanness C. faultless D. needless

6. Born in 1988, Le Thanh Thuy was awarded the title 'Ho Chi Minh City outstanding Young Citizen' in 2006.

- A. brilliant B. momentous C. notable D. ordinary

7. Queen Elizabeth I was admired for her strong determination and intelligence.

- A. hesitation B. movement C. collection D. resolution

8. Her dream was to initiate a fund to help young cancer patients.

- A. begin B. finish C. continue D. interrupt

9. Queen Elizabeth I could even translate **lengthy** texts into French, Italian and Latin.

- A. far-reaching B. gigantic C. short D. lofty

10. My friends joke that I'm a kind of walking encyclopedia because I can answer their questions about well-known historical figures such as Tran Hung Dao or Abraham Lincoln, and even **influential** composers like Beethoven or Mozart.

- A. disinterested B. discouraged C. unsupported D. not influenced

GRAMMAR

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

1. I don't hear the thunder during the storm last night because I was sleeping.

- A B C D

2. Doctor Drake said if I ate too much fat, I will suffer from obesity and other health problems.

- A B C D

3. Cindy lived in Chicago for five years when his company was transferring him to China.

- A B C D

4. She wanted to work for a bigger and more influence newspaper in the city center

- A B C D

5. Phill worked so careless that he left it half doing and went to the cinema with his lover.

- A B C D

6. Alexander Yersin, who had quite a distinguished career in medicine, devoted his life with the poor and sick

- A B C D

people in Viet Nam.

7. During Catherin II's time, there were also developments in architectural, trade and culture.

- A B C D

8. While I was surfing the net yesterday, I was finding a really interesting website.

- A B C D

9. The new album is one of his greatest achievement. It sold 50,000 copies just in the first week.

- A B C D

10. His father is a guitarist, but he isn't allowed to play any musical instruments until he was 15.

- A B C D

Mark the letter A, B, c, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

1. The boys broke a window when they _____ football.

A. played B. were playing C. half played D. are playing

2. When I last _____ her, she _____ with her boyfriend in Japan.

A. saw - has been living B. see - is living C. saw - was living D. have seen - lived

3. Unfortunately, she was cloistered by the enemy while she _____ her duty in the jungle in Quang Ngai Province.

A. was doing B. did C. do D. is doing

4. Kevin's father _____ his own business in his youth and became very successful.

A. starts B. started C. start D. was starting

5. Steven Paul _____ by Clara and Paul Jobs.

A. adopted B. was adopted C. adopts D. were adopted

6. After my father _____ a well-paid job at an international company, we _____ to a respectable neighbourhood.

A. got/moved B. gets/moves C. got/was moving D. was getting/was moving

7. _____ from a trip to Canada last night.

A. I come back B. I came back
C. I never came back D. I've just come back

8. Oil prices _____ in 2022 but then _____ in 2023.

A. rised / falled B. rose / fell C. rose / were falling D. rose / have fallen

9. We _____ to the doctor when we heard gunshots last night.

A. were talking B. was talking C. talked D. talk

10. Helen and Tricia _____ a new film on TV when they _____ a loud scream from the back yard.

A. were watching/hear B. watched/heard C. watched/hear D. were watching/heard

11. Carter _____ to school yesterday because he was busy.

A. didn't go B. doesn't go C. can't go D. hasn't gone

12. _____ to be a pilot when you were a kid, Jake?

A. Do you want B. Did you want C. Can you want D. Have you wanted

13. This morning when the alarm clock _____ off, I _____ a sweet dream.

A. went/had B. went/were having C. was going/had D. went/was having

14. While he _____ some plants in the garden, his wife was preparing dinner.

A. waters B. is watering C. would water D. was watering

15. Maria met her husband, Nate while she _____ in China Town.

A. travels B. was travelling C. traveled D. is traveling

16. Mickey _____ on my computer when there _____ a sudden power cut and all his power points _____.

- A. were working/was/was lost B. worked/was /lost
C. was working/were/was lost D. was working/was/were lost
17. When we _____ a room four years ago, Bruce _____ my things without asking.
A. shared/was always taking B. shared/always was taking
C. were sharing/was always taking D. were sharing/always was taking
18. When Elmer _____ last night, I _____ the clooking in the kitchen, so I _____ his phone.
A. was calling/ was doing/did not hear B. called/ were doing/did not hear
C. called/ did /did not hear D. called/ was doing/did not hear
19. Johnathan _____ for money last year when he _____..
A. was asking constantly /still was out of work B. was constantly asking/was still out of work
C. constantly was asking/still was out of work D. constantly was asking/was still out of work
20. Mark _____ complete silence when he _____ music.
A. requested/was composing B. was requesting/composed
C. requested/composed D. was requesting/was composing
21. For over 26 years, he _____ thousands of dollars every Christmas to the needy in public places - without ever revealing his identity.
A. hand out B. handed out C. hands out D. has handed out
22. Larry Stewart kept his identity hidden until 2006, when he _____ with cancer, which later claimed his life.
A. diagnoses B. diagnosed C. was diagnosed D. was being diagnosed
23. In 1986, Jobs _____ a small company which later became its owner.
A. has been becoming B. has become C. became D. will become
24. He _____ helping the less fortunate in 1979, and stories of “Secret Santa” _____ to emerge from the city.
A. began/started B. began/starts C. began/start D. begin/started
25. After winning the Master Chef competition, Christine Ha _____ a reputation as a first-class cook in America.
A. gain B. have gained C. gains D. gained
26. Which country _____ Luke Green _____ on the Tet holiday last year?
A. do - travel B. did - travel C. do - traveled D. did - traveled
27. Mrs Brown _____ in the garden when the murder _____.
A. is doing the gardening /happened B. was doing the gardening/happened
C. does the gardening/happens D. did the gardening/happened
28. We _____ our quality time when the unexpected guess _____.

A. had – came

B. were having - came

C. had been having – came

D. have had – would have come

29. I _____ an online class in Advanced Maths when the Wi-Fi got disconnected.

A. attends

B. have attended

C. was attending

D. had attended

30. The new food wasn't very good, so they _____ it very much.

A. enjoyed

B. wasn't enjoyed

C. enjoy

D. didn't enjoy

31. A big decline in exports will impact on the country's _____.

A. economy

B. life

C. potential

D. relation

32. The government plans to cut taxes in order to _____ the economy.

A. demolish

B. stimulate

C. recognize

D. control

33. His latest _____ is a theater company that will perform for schools.

A. resistance

B. experience

C. adoption

D. innovation

34. Shepherd _____ his students to do the best they could.

A. widened

B. handled

C. inspired

D. boycotted

35. The _____ of booking tickets in advance is that you get better seats.

A. achievement

B. advantage

C. surplus

D. density

36. The meeting needs to finish by 5, so we'd better _____.

A. take on

B. put on

C. hang on

D. crack on

37. My friends joke that I'm a kind of walking encyclopedia because I can answer - their questions about well-known historical _____ such as Tran Hung Dao or Abraham Lincoln, and even influential composers like Beethoven or Mozart.

A. faculty

B. feast

C. figures

D. features

38. No one can deny his hard work and _____ to the club.

A. acupuncture

B. reputation

C. dedication

D. prescription

39. Nguyen Trai had a _____ career as a skilled strategist and prominent scholar.

A. distinguished

B. attractive

C. smart

D. judicious

40. Larry kept his _____ hidden until 2006, when he was diagnosed with cancer, which later claimed his life.

A. contribution

B. identity

C. fame

D. image

41. For over 26 years, Larry handed out thousands of dollars every Christmas to _____ in public places - without ever revealing his identity.

A. the old

B. the rich

C. the needy

D. the young

42. As soon Sam started high school in 2003, she was _____ with bone cancer and doctors decided to amputate her leg to save her life.

- A. examined B. controlled C. operated D. diagnosed
43. Bonnie's dream was to _____ a fund to help young cancer patients.
- A. infect B. destroy C. initiate D. defend
44. Pruce _____ work was welcomed and supported by the community.
- A. meaningful B. valuable C. hilarious D. wealthy
45. The Tuoi Tre has continued to hold annual _____ to support her programme.
- A. trips B. events C. treks D. picnics
46. They had to _____ his foot to free him from the wreckage.
- A. shorten B. minimize C. amputate D. widen
47. I _____ about him when suddenly he came in.
- A. talk B. talked C. am talking D. was talking
48. Unfortunately, Dang Thuy Tram was cloistered by the enemy while she was doing her _____ in the jungle in Quang Ngai Province.
- A. duty B. profession C. experiment D. calmness
49. In 1971, Jobs met Steve Wozniak, who was five years older than him, but they _____ their love of electronics.
- A. went over B. bonded over C. handed over D. came over
50. Apple products were not only designed to be _____ technology, but also to be stylish and easy to use.
- A. cutting-edge B. weather-beaten C. high-spirited D. widely-recognized
51. The queen of ancient Egypt was most famous for her _____ and beauty.
- A. determination B. passion C. interest D. hobby
52. Elizabeth I _____ the powerful Spanish Navy in 1588 and encouraged the development of the arts.
- A. invaded B. adopted C. operated D. defeated
53. It took a lot of patience and _____ for all sides to reach an agreement.
- A. selection B. perseverance C. election D. collection
54. She suffered a good deal of _____ in her life over the years because of having no love from her parents.
- A. humiliation B. affection C. temptation D. misfortune
55. By making computers smaller, cheaper and _____ to everyday users, their company became a huge success and sales quickly increased.
- A. accessible B. stunning C. exorbitant D. influential
56. We have developed a new technique for _____ errors in the manufacturing process.
- A. replacing B. making C. changing D. detecting

57. Thomas Edison's impressive _____ in science include the invention of the phonograph and development of the light bulb.
- A. mistake B. victory C. failure D. achievements
58. In the hospital, most physicians and nurses are required to work on a _____ once or twice a week.
- A. join hand B. night shift C. domestic duty D. speciality dish
59. Maria got up very late this morning and _____ to his school.
- A. came into B. went leisurely C. went quickly D. stopped by
60. Daniel was waiting for recommendations while he looked at his parents _____.
- A. obediently B. occasionally C. obviously D. shortly
61. When I was having such issues, he was _____ and assured me that he would support me no matter what.
- A. encouraging B. intriguing C. preoccupied D. tedious
62. Belief in _____ families and the preservation of their customs is one of the traditions of Vietnam.
- A. strong B. secure C. close-knit D. dependable
63. Since my spouse and I both have jobs, we split the _____.
- A. contentment B. housework C. responsibilities D. employment
64. A fair distribution of home responsibilities contributes to _____.
- A. work satisfaction B. couple satisfaction
C. wedding satisfaction D. marital satisfaction
65. As a father, I have tried to provide my daughters with _____ love.
- A. insoluble B. unconditional C. unreliable D. insufficient
66. From 1950 to 1954, about 400 to 500 children were adopted from this _____ by domestic families.
- A. orphanage B. community C. faculty D. group
67. She used to _____ about her weight when she was a small girl.
- A. fight B. confess C. console D. obsess
68. Apparently in interviews, Nguyen Tommy refuses to talk about his _____.
- A. cultural diversity B. private life C. communication skills D. balanced diet
69. He would not _____ where he had hidden her chocolate eggs.
- A. reveal B. confess C. infer D. handle
70. Most of the forest fires this spring were caused by human _____.
- A. behaviour B. carelessness C. hobby D. thought
71. Dang Thuy Tram was born in Hue in 1942, _____?
- A. was she B. wasn't she C. is she D. isn't she
72. Her diary has also been translated into several other languages, _____?

- A. hasn't she B. has she C. has it D. hasn't it
73. Can you lend me the book when you finish reading it, _____?
- A. Don't you B. can't you C. can you D. do you
74. I'm reading a really good book in English called Last Night I Dreamed of Peace: The Diary of Dang Thuy Tram, _____?
- A. don't I B. can't I C. aren't I D. am I
75. The diary about Dang Thuy Tram was published in Viet Nam in 2005, _____?
- A. was it B. wasn't it C. were they D. did it
76. Version 2 about Dang Thi Tram _____ version 1.
- A. is better B. is more better C. is as better D. is better than
77. Dang Thuy Tram's diary is _____ than other works during that period.
- A. long B. as long C. longer D. longest
78. In 1971, Jobs met Steve Wozniak, who was five years _____ him, but they bonded over their love of electronics.
- A. older than B. as old C. older D. as old
79. Walt Disney's _____ legacy lies in his pioneering contributions to animation, theme parks, and entertainment.
- A. much impressive B. most impressive C. more impressive D. as impressive
80. Heroine Dang Thuy Tram is _____ any woman of her era.
- A. braver B. as braver C. braver as D. braver than

WORD FORM

1. EW measures have been introduced to try and ease traffic _____ in the city.
- A. congestive B. congests C. congestion D. congested
2. More than 30 years after Marky's _____, a copy was returned to her mother.
- A. death B. die C. deadly D. dead
3. Thomas Edison's invention in science the one of the phonograph and _____ of the light bulb.
- A. develop B. development C. developing D. developed
4. Uncle Ho was known as a person who has a _____ lifestyle.
- A. simple B. simply C. simplicity D. simplify
5. My father started his own business in his youth and became very _____.
- A. success B. successful C. successfully D. succeed
6. Jobs helped invent new _____ such as the iMac, the iBook for , the iPod music player and iTunes music software.