

MIDTERM TEST 2 - GRADE 11 - FORM 2025

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 1: A. beak B. here C. pice D. people

Question 2: A. cooperation B. bowling C. aerobics D. solidity

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 stress in each of the following questions.

Question 3: A. necessary B. reliable C. desirable D. advisable

Question 4: A. archaeologist B. cosmopolitan C. appreciative D. architectural

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: Since I graduated from the eleventh grade, I _____ my time to assist pupils who attend a special school.

A. offered B. have offered C. had offered D. was offering

Question 6: To prevent diabetes, the dietitian says that kids _____ drink sugary drinks right before bed.

A. can B. may C. shouldn't D. have to

Question 7: You can usually get _____ deals on goods at the market than at the grocery store.

A. better B. the best C. more good D. gooder

Question 8: Martin and Louis _____ us last night, so I had to quickly defrost a pizza.

A. turned up B. came across C. went through D. dropped in on

Question 9: My parents don't let me get married until I graduate from university and they never _____ their mind about that.

A. keep B. change C. focus D. bring

Read the following advertisement/announcement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 10 to 15.

ARE YOU READY TO BECOME AN INTERNATIONAL UN VOLUNTEER?

* The minimum age to serve as an international UN Volunteer is 18 years old.

* You can contribute your time, skills and knowledge through volunteering with the UN. This is (10)_____ opportunity to create a positive impact and be a (11)_____ force for achieving peace and development. Make a difference to the lives of many!

* The registration process follows a few simple steps, all of which (12)_____ before you can apply for onsite or online volunteering assignments.

* In order to apply for assignments, candidates need to register in our Global Talent Pool.

Question 10: A. the B. an C. a D. Ø (no article)

Question 11: A. signify B. signification C. significant D. significantly

Question 12: A. must be completed B. must be complete C. must complete D. be completed

ANNOUNCEMENT OF TET EXPERIENCING FESTIVAL

The school Youth Union would like to announce:

All students ____ (13) ____ to be present at 7:30 on January 30.

Each class is to prepare materials for cooking traditional kinds of food at The Tet. Doing the cooking typical foods on this occasion lasts 5 hours.

Each class is to ____ (14) ____ one student to take part in the “King and Queen of Folk Dancing” event.

If you have any questions, please contact your head teacher and class monitor.

____ (15) ____ it to rain, the festival would be held in the meeting hall with 3 representatives from each class.

Question 13: A. supposed B. supposing C. have supposed D. are supposed

Question 14: A. appreciate B. activate C. nominate D. communicate

Question 15: A. Should B. Were C. Had D. Did

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions.

Question 16:

- a. In light of this restructuring, we will be contacting all employees individually to arrange a meeting with each of you to discuss your position and future plans.
- b. Although we have yet to finalise the details of these changes, we can guarantee that there will be no redundancies and we will try to match your skills with the most appropriate job.
- c. Dear colleagues, further to recent discussions with the management team, it has now been decided to restructure the company.
- d. As you know, over the past two years the company has grown considerably but, along with higher turnover, there has also been increased employee turnover.
- e. In fact, we expect these changes to offer more opportunities for you to utilise your skills more effectively and for personal development.
- f. It is therefore obvious that we need to make some major changes in order to retain our most valuable asset – our employees.
- g. Yours sincerely,

Mel Jackson

A. c - a - f - b - d - e - g

B. c - d - f - b - e - a - g

C. c - e - d - a - b - f - g.

D. c - d - b - e - f - a - g

Question 17:

- a. Firstly, by doing voluntary work people can contribute their enthusiasm and energy to the society, which also results in spending free time more usefully.

- b. Last but on least, voluntary work connects different people as it provides a chance for volunteers to meet up and establish new relationships.
- c. Besides, when doing voluntary tasks, volunteers can receive some significant skills.
- d. Volunteering is important for numerous reasons that benefit both the community and the volunteer themselves.
- e. To sum up, volunteers can not only give but also receive many useful experiences from voluntary activities.
- f. They may learn how to socialize with others, or learn how to cooperate in a diverse team, or with deal with problem in a logic way.

A. d-a-c-f-b-e B. d-f-e-c-a-b C. f-d-a-c-b-e D. d-a-c-f-e-b

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 23.

The tendency of young people to be critical of their parents and blame them for most of the misunderstandings between them is a natural and expected behavior. They have always complained, more or less justly, that their parents are traditional, possessive, and controlling; that they do not trust their children to deal with challenges; that they talk too much about particular issues; and (18)_____, at least in the context of those relationships between parents and children. It is my opinion that it is a common occurrence for parents to underestimate (19)_____ and to forget how they themselves felt (20)_____.

The decisions that young people make about their attire and hairstyles, as well as their musical and entertainment preferences, frequently anger their parents. Their motivation is not to do this. Their sense of isolation from the adult world stems from the fact that they have not yet been accepted into it. Therefore, they build their own civilization and culture from the ground up. If it turns out that their parents find their music, entertainment, vocabulary, attire, or (21)_____, this gives them even more satisfaction. They have the perception that they are superior, at least in a limited sense, and think they are also the leaders in terms of style and taste.

When you have the intention of (22)_____, cooperation might be a component of that plan. You have the ability to enchant other people, particularly parents, into doing things in the manner that you desire. You can also (23)_____ people with your sense of responsibility and initiative, which will result in their granting you the authority to do what you want to do.

Question 18:

- A. that do they not have a sense of humor
- B. which they have a sense of humor
- C. that they do not have a sense of humor
- D. that it not has a sense of humor

Question 19:

- A. our adolescents B. him adolescents C. her adolescents D. their adolescents

Question 20:

- A. when they were younger.

- B. when they are young.
- C. before they were young.
- D. after they are young.

Question 21:

- A. haircuts irritate
- B. haircuts irritating
- C. be irritated haircuts
- D. to irritates haircuts

Question 22:

- A. takes charge of your life
- B. to taking charge of your life
- C. taking charge of your life
- D. be taken charge of your life

Question 23:

- A. impress others
- B. impress the others
- C. impressing others
- D. impress other

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 24 to 28.

With all the options for entertainment available today, is reading books (24)_____worthwhile? (25)_____argue that library borrowing is out of reach for many people and that even paperback books are too pricey. Another thing they may say is that watching TV is more exciting and allows people to unwind at the same time. The fact is, though, that books continue to enjoy enormous popularity. As a first step, they ask the reader to utilize their imagination. A few pages or perhaps a chapter can be read before you decide to put the book down. Then, it could be so engrossing (26)_____you just can't put it down! A crime fiction, an autobiography, or an informative book are just a few examples of the many (27)_____available to you. If you're still having trouble deciding, try asking around or reading reviews. In contrast to my inability to live without books, I can (28)_____to live without television with relative ease. At bus stops, you are not allowed to watch television.

Question 24: A. but B. and C. still D. so

Question 25: A. Some B. Much C. Few D. Little

Question 26: A. when B. that C. whose D. who

Question 27: A. actions B. techniques C. troubles D. genres

Question 28: A. ignore B. restore C. protect D. manage

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 29 to 33.

National parks are very helpful for keeping track of climate change. Large areas of untouched wilderness have been used by researchers to gather information about species and ecosystems. At first, they did observational data collection on foot. Now, to get information about polar bears, they use more advanced

methods, such as monitoring from above with drones like those used in Northrop Grumman's Wildlife Challenge.

The effects of climate change on plants and animals can be seen in continuous observational data collection. According to Smithsonian Magazine, the pika is a great example of an animal that might need to be moved from parks because of climate change. This is very important to the Park Service. "It is openly talking about the idea of "assisted migration," which means moving some animals and plants by hand if it turns out they can't live in the park's changing environments.

The U.S. Geological Survey says that some ice fields have lost as much as 85 percent of their mass in the last 50 years, which is shown by a study done in national parks. It thinks that by 2030, Glacier Park might only be known as a historical name. And it's not just mountains that are melting. National Park data shows that climate change is also having an effect on trees: "Climate change is killing trees because of more drought, changes in wildfire patterns, and more bark beetle infestations." Following trees in National parks helped make a record that showed how climate change has killed twice as many trees in the western US since 1955.

The National Parks Service's original goal was to protect the parks and "leave them unimpaired for the enjoyment of future generations." This is something we should not forget.

Question 29: Which best serves as the title for the passage?

- A. The importance of research and science for the national parks.
- B. The importance of national parks is more than for scenery.
- C. Consider modernizing and privatizing national parks.
- D. The implications of climate change for biodiversity conservation.

Question 30: According to paragraph 1, what do NOT scientists capitalize on when keeping record of climate change?

- A. Tracts of pristine wilderness
- B. Observation information gathered when walking.
- C. Aerial surveillance with drones
- D. Reports of jungles turning into residential areas.

Question 31: The word "**they**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. migration
- B. researchers
- C. parks
- D. species

Question 32: The word "**melting**" in paragraph 3 is closet in meaning to_____.

- A. cooling
- B. warming
- C. searing
- D. making

Question 33: According to paragraph 3, in what way does climate change affect trees?

- A. It makes trees experience longer growing seasons.
- B. It creates a negative change of wood density.
- C. It increases death rates of trees through disturbances.
- D. It causes lumber from trees to be less durable.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 34 to 40

A lot of people think that huge cities are incredible examples of human creativity and innovation. They stand as a symbol of the progress that humanity has made in terms of building communities. Although urbanization brings many benefits, it also brings certain drawbacks. What does urbanization mean for people's physical health? This article will talk about it and give statistics on the subject.

The predicted negative impacts of urbanization on physical health are more pronounced in emerging nations compared to modern nations. China is one developing nation that is dealing with **these issues**. In the last thirty to forty years, China has transformed itself from an agrarian society into a major industrial power. More centralized cities are a result of industrialization; by "centralized," we mean cities with many jobs and housing units in close proximity to one another. Urbanization describes this phenomenon. China has seen unprecedented levels of internal migration in the last several decades, coinciding with the country's transition to an industrial-based economy. More than half as many cities now have populations of half a million or more. Those migrating to China's new cities usually hail from the countryside. Many potential health issues may arise among this urban population as a result of the massive influx of individuals living in cities.

Air pollution is one of the most prevalent and readily apparent negative aspects of densely populated cities. To put it simply, any dangerous **material** that floats around in the air is considered air pollution. Particulate matter, which is often thought of as waste from factories and refineries, and chemical substances like carbon dioxide and methane are also byproducts of these sources, along with vehicles and other forms of mobility. Air pollution is notoriously bad in these heavily populated cities because of all the people living there. Asthma, heart disease, and cancer are just a few of the many health complications that can develop from these illnesses (most commonly lung cancer). Additional negative health impacts, such as accelerated aging, **diminished** lung capacity and health, increased susceptibility to respiratory infections, and a reduced life span, can occur after extended exposure to these conditions.

Urbanization impacts the health of communities in various ways, one of which is the way they eat. Take, for example, the abundance of easily available, fast, and convenient food options found in most urban areas. In addition to having a lot of sugar and sodium, this dish is probably not very good quality. Many people consume more of this meal due to its easy accessibility. Numerous health problems, including diabetes, heart disease, obesity, and hypertension, can result from an increase in the consumption of low-quality food.

Question 34: Which of the following could be served as the best title for the passage?

- A. Urban cities - The new opportunity for community development
- B. Urbanization - Pros and cons
- C. Urbanization - How people's health is impacted?
- D. Developing countries - The fastest urbanization

Question 35: What does the phrase "**these issues**" in paragraph 2 refers to_____.

- A. immigrants
- B. negative physical health effects

C. lots of jobs and living spaces

D. industrialized countries

Question 36: The following are the air pollution sources mentioned in paragraph 3, **EXCEPT**

_____.

A. chemicals

B. industrial factories

C. sewage

D. refineries waste

Question 37: The word “**diminished**” in paragraph 3 is opposite in meaning to_____.

A. Decreased

B. Delighted

C. Increased

D. Insured

Question 38: Why are urban populations easy to get diseases from food, according to the last paragraph?

A. Because of the change in people's diet.

B. Because this food is so delicious that people have a tendency to eat more than normal.

C. Because the way people get this food is rather accessible, quick and easy.

D. Because of the low quality and the high proportion of sodium and sugar in this food.

Question 39: The word “**material**” in paragraph 3 is closet in meaning to_____.

A. matter

B. litter

C. depress

D. station

Question 40: What can be inferred from the passage?

A. One of the negative health effects comes from the overpopulation in industrialized countries.

B. People in developed countries suffer less harmful health effects from urbanization than those in developing nations.

C. The bad health effects from urbanization are not greater than the benefits it brings to people in urban cities.

D. Living in urban areas for a long time will make the life expectancy of inhabitants lengthen.