

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. thankful B. father C. cattle D. paddy

Question 2. A. fry B. food C. fitness D. of

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 primary stress in each of the following questions.

Question 3. A. people B. parade C. lantern D. fancy

Question 4. A. physical B. historic C. performance D. impression

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. I cooked dinner as soon as I _____ home.

A. got B. was getting C. have got D. might get

Question 6. In the lecture, the professor mentioned _____ to Africa to collect a rare species of butterfly.

A. travel B. to travel C. to traveling D. traveling

Question 7. Were you successful _____ finding a(n) _____ apartment?

A. to/ reasonable B. of/ pricey C. in/ affordable D. in/ expensive

Question 8. Today it's raining _____ than it was yesterday.

A. heavier B. more heavily C. less heavy D. as heavily

Question 9. Phuong: "Will you join the field trip next week?" - Megan: "_____"

A. I hope I will. B. Of course, why not?

C. Thanks for your compliment. D. Let's organize the trip.

Question 10. The more you _____ your smoking, the healthier you get.

A. come down with B. look forward to C. carry out D. cut down on

Question 11. We prefer living in a quiet neighborhood away from the _____ traffic of the city center.

A. bustling B. dusty C. noisy D. lovely

Question 12. There was hardly _____ food left by the time we got there.

A. any B. some C. many D. a few

Read the following 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 13 to 16.

GARDENING DAY PLAN

To make the most out of your gardening day, follow these steps:

1. Make (13) _____ list of plants you want to grow in your garden.

2. Make sure you have all the tools you need (14) _____ starting.

3. Water the plants either in the morning or late afternoon (15) _____ evaporation.

4. Remove any weeds you see to help your plants grow (16) _____.

Question 13. A. a B. an C. the D. x (no article)

Question 14. A. after B. before C. during D. while

Question 15. A. avoid B. to avoid C. to increase D. increase

Question 16. A. better B. good C. goodly D. worse

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.

Question 17. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

We had an interesting workshop on artificial intelligence (AI) last week. However, things didn't go as smoothly as we had hoped. _____.

Question 18. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. We eventually managed to get the projector fixed and continued the workshop successfully.
- B. It turned out that the AI software was too advanced for our current level of knowledge.
- C. Despite the issues, we learned a lot about AI and its applications.
- D. We had to cancel the workshop and reschedule for another day.

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 19 to 24.

Many teenagers admire sports heroes and display their posters in their bedrooms. However, there are concerns about whether these teenagers (19) _____ the athletes' healthy examples. British parents worry that today's youth are not as fit and healthy as previous generations. (20) _____ could be the reason for this? According to the British Heart Foundation, teenagers from 13 to 15 are (21) _____ a great amount of time watching TV or playing video games. A special report describes this generation (22) _____ "couch potatoes" spending their time indoors, growing up in their bedrooms, relying on cars, and facing potential heart disease risks as they get older. Is this their fault? Are young people simply lazy? Many parents don't (23) _____ their children play outside or walk to school alone. Because they think it is unsafe. Some teenagers blame their overprotective parents for their lack of fitness. Encouraging an active (24) _____ and protecting their hearts is increasingly challenging for young people. Schools have also reduced the time for sports in recent years. Many students don't have time for sports due to exam preparations.

Question 19. A. manage B. follow C. set D. give
Question 20. A. Which B. Who C. What D. Why
Question 21. A. spending B. using C. killing D. saving
Question 22. A. in B. as C. at D. with
Question 23. A. allow B. make C. let D. take
Question 24. A. mood B. health C. lifestyle D. feeling

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.

Question 25. "Should I invite Ben to our house-warming party tonight?", he asked his father.

- A. He asked his father to invite Ben to their house-warming party that night.
- B. He asked his father if to invite Ben to their house-warming party that night.
- C. He asked his father whether to invite Ben to their house-warming party that night.
- D. He asked his father if he invited Ben to their house-warming party that night.

Question 26. That song reminds me of our first date.

- A. I heard that song on our first date.
- B. I composed a song on my first date.
- C. Our first date brings back the memory of that song.
- D. That song makes me remember our first date.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.

Question 27. I/ not/ mind/ have/ a dog/ house/ as long as/ it/ be/ clean

- A. I am not mind having a dog in the house as long as it's clean.
- B. I don't mind to have a dog in the house as long as it's clean.
- C. I don't mind having a dog in a house as long as it's clean.
- D. I don't mind having a dog in the house as long as it's clean.

Question 28. This/ the/ challenging/ task/ I/ have/ so far

- A. This is the most challenging task I have had so far.
- B. This is the more challenging task I had so far.
- C. This was the most challenging task I have had so far.
- D. This was the most challenging task I am having so far.

Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 29. This sign is meant to read by _____.

- A. policemen
- B. burglars
- C. postmen
- D. firefighters

**Beware
guard dog!**

Question 30. What does the notice say?

The library_____.

- A. is open 5 days a week
- B. closes later on Saturday
- C. is not open on Sunday
- D. closes early on Sunday

LIBRARY HOURS
OPEN
9.AM TILL 5.30 WEEKDAYS
9.30 A.M TILL 1 P.M SATURDAY

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.

Today, I want to share my thoughts about my dream job. I've always dreamed of having a well-paid and creative job that challenges me. I want to wake up every morning excited to go to work.

In my dream job, I imagine myself working as a graphic designer. I love creating visually appealing designs and using my imagination to bring ideas to life. I want to work in a dynamic and fast-paced environment where I can constantly learn and grow. Although I know it will be demanding, I believe that the challenges will push me to become better and more innovative. I want to work with a team that shares my passion for creativity and collaborates to create outstanding designs. My dream job will allow me to express my artistic side while also providing financial stability. I envision myself working on exciting projects, designing logos, websites, and advertisements for various clients.

I'm aware that achieving this dream job will require dedication, hard work, and continuous learning. I'm determined to pursue it and make my dream a reality.

Question 31. What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. A person's new job
- B. The advantages of having a dream job

Question 32. What's the author's dream job?

A. graphic designer B. doctor C. engineer D. fashion designer

Question 33. What does the author want her team to have?

- A. Passion for imagination
- B. A lot of creative projects
- C. Dynamic personalities
- D. Passion for creativity

Question 34. The word “appealing” is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

Question 35. What does she need to achieve her dream job?

- A. Luck and chance
- B. Connections and networking
- C. Dedication, hard work, and continuous learning
- D. A lot of money

Question 36. The pronoun “it” refers to

A. team B. dream job C. dedication D. hard work

Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, 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 37 to 40.

- A. There are many ways to bond
- B. trust is important for every family
- C. a family is where we find love, comfort, and guidance
- D. Families play a big role in shaping who we are

Family, the foundation of a person's life, plays an important role to our values, beliefs, and behaviors from a very young age. It is where we learn our first lessons, share happy moments, and find support in difficult times. (37) _____. Each family is different, but most families teach children how to be kind, respectful, and responsible. Spending time together as a family is also very important. (38) _____. Some families like to have meals together, go on trips, or simply talk about their day. These activities help family members understand each other better and feel closer. Building (39) _____. When problems happen, it is important to talk and find solutions together. Good communication is the key to keeping a family strong and happy. In the end, (40) _____.

Question 37.

Question 38.

Question 39.

Question 40.