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1. Many employees _____ coffee from the office pantry every morning before starting their shifts.

(Simple Present – habit)

(A) drinks

(B) is drinking

(C) drink

(D) drank

2. The marketing team _____ a new promotion strategy next week, so they are preparing presentation slides now.

(Present Continuous – scheduled future plan)

(A) launches

(B) is going to launch

(C) will have launched

(D) is launching

3. We expect sales _____ by 20% this quarter due to the upcoming product launch.

(Be going to – prediction based on plan)

(A) increase

(B) are going to increase

(C) will be increasing

(D) increases

4. After _____ the terms and conditions, the applicant signed the contract immediately.

(Gerund vs to-inf – correct form after "after")

(A) read

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(B) reading

(C) to read

(D) having read

5. The company _____ its annual financial report last month, as required by law.

(Past Simple – specific time)

(A) publishes

(B) published

(C) has published

(D) had published

6. This model is _____ efficient _____ the previous one, saving more energy.

(Comparisons – comparative)

(A) more … than

(B) most … than

(C) as … as

(D) so … as

7. Could you please tell me _____ employees have completed the training course already?

(How many – question form)

(A) How much

(B) How many

(C) How often

(D) How long

8. Guests _____ park in this area; violation will result in a fine.

(Modal – rules/permission)

(A) can't

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(B) may

(C) need

(D) shouldn't

9. Today, the receptionist _____ emails while simultaneously answering calls.

(Present Continuous – current action)

(A) types

(B) is typing

(C) has typed

(D) typed

10. This is the _____ service we have received from a customer support team in years.

(Superlative – of adverbs/adjectives)

(A) better

(B) most good

(C) more efficiently

(D) most efficient

11. Every morning, the receptionist _____ the daily visitor log before opening the main gate.

A. complete

B. completes

C. is completing

D. completed

12. At the moment, the software development team _____ a new feature that will improve user experience.

A. creates

B. is creating

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C. has created

D. will create

13. According to the plan, we _____ expand our customer service hotline to include weekend support next month.

A. are going to

B. will

C. have been going to

D. go

14. She promised _____ the financial report by Friday, even though her supervisor had warned her it would be difficult.

A. to submit

B. submitting

C. submit

D. have submitted

15. The warehouse manager _____ the inventory last week and found a discrepancy in the spare parts section.

A. audits

B. audited

C. has audited

D. had audited

16. Of all the proposals we received, the third was the _____ in terms of cost-effectiveness and reliability.

A. more favorable

B. favorably

C. most favorable

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D. the most favorably

17. The customer service team responded _____ quickly as they did during the holiday rush last year.

A. as

B. more

C. most

D. faster

18. Please indicate _____ training sessions you attended this quarter so we can refine our program schedule.

A. how many

B. how much

C. how

D. many

19. "You _____ withdraw money from your account once your request has been approved and processed." – advised my boss.

A. can

B. must

C. should

D. will

20. Some employees prefer _____ flexible working hours rather than strict schedules to suit their productivity habits.

A. having

B. to have

C. have

D. will have

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PART 6

Hoạt động 6: Chọn đáp án A, B, C hoặc D để hoàn thành đoạn văn.

SHOPPING FOR CLOTHES

When it comes to shopping for clothes, everyone has their own **(1)** _____ . Some people prefer to buy the latest trends, while others stick to classic pieces. However, it's essential to find clothes that **(2)** _____ your body shape and size. Before making a purchase, always make sure to try the item on in the store's fitting room. This way, you can see how it looks and if it **(3)** _____ other items you already own. Don't forget to check the price tag to see if the item is within your budget. Some clothes may be **(4)** _____, but you can still find **(5)** _____ options that look great without breaking the bank. When it comes to deciding between two items, think about which one fits **(6)** _____ and which one flatters your appearance more. Additionally, consider the price of each item. Sometimes, the higher price may not always mean better quality.

1. (A) sense of style	(B) taste of style	(C) smell of style	(D) sense of touch
2. (A) match	(B) fit	(C) try on	(D) go on
3. (A) checks	(B) matches	(C) goes on	(D) tries on
4. (A) more expensive	(B) expensiver	(C) the most expensive	(D) the more expensive
5. (A) cheapest	(B) the cheapest	(C) cheaper	(D) the cheaper
6. (A) gooder	(B) better	(C) goodest	(D) the best

Bài 7: Đọc đoạn văn và chọn đáp án thích hợp để điền vào chỗ trống.

Question 1 - 3: Complete the following sentences about an advertisement for renting a house by filling in the blanks with the correct answer.

Rent Your Dream House Today!

Are you looking for a perfect place to call home? Look no further! We have a fantastic house available for __1__ in a prime location. Features of the house include ___2___ rooms, fully- equipped kitchen, beautiful garden and a secure _____3_____. Don't miss out on this amazing opportunity to make this house your new home. Contact us today for more information by phoning us at (555) 123-4567.

1.	2.	3.
(A) rent	**(A)** small	**(A)** neighbor
(B) hire	**(B)** spacious	**(B)** surrounds
(C) see	**(C)** tiny	**(C)** neighborhood
(D) search	**(D)** extreme	**(D)** side

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Hoạt động 3: Chọn đáp án thích hợp để hoàn thành đoạn văn.

Get ready to groove and dance at the annual Groove Music Festival - the biggest festival that you don't want **(1)** _____. The **(2)** _____ is scheduled to take place at the picturesque Riverside Park on Friday, August 5th.

Prepare for a day of non-stop fun as top artists perform their hit songs on multiple stages. From rock bands to electronic DJs, you are going to enjoy a wide variety of music genres.

If you're going **(3)** _____ the festival, be sure to purchase your tickets in advance. Early bird tickets are available now. Grab your friends and make unforgettable memories at this must-attend event!

1. (A) miss
(B) misses
(C) missing
(D) to miss

2. (A) festival
(B) theater
(C) stadium
(D) competition

3. (A) to attend
(B) attending
(C) attends
(D) to attending

Hoạt động 4: Đọc và chọn đáp án thích hợp để điền vào chỗ trống.

Rachel and I are close friends. We (1) _____ like playing games and watching movies. Although we don't look (2) _____, we also have similar tastes in clothing, wearing the (3) _____ clothes such as matching T-shirts and sneakers. However, we have (4) _____ tastes in food. I like Western food such as pizza, (5) _____ Rachel loves Asian cuisine, noodles for example. Despite these differences, our friendship is strong. We always hang out with each other.

1. (A) often	(B) both	(C) does	(D) never
2. (A) alike	(B) different	(C) same	(D) unique
3. (A) same	(B) similar	(C) different	(D) like
4. (A) different	(B) unique	(C) same	(D) similar
5. (A) so	(B) because	(C) but	(D) also

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Hoạt động 3: Đọc và chọn đáp án đúng để hoàn thành đoạn văn.

Hi Mike,

I just wanted to let you know that I **[1]** _____ to a new home. It's a small apartment, but it's perfect for me. Right now, I am in the living room, unpacking things. The kitchen is a bit messy at the moment because I **[2]** _____ a big pot of soup for dinner. The smell is amazing.

I have some neighbors, and they are very friendly. They are **[3]** _____ us with a housewarming party next weekend.

I can't wait for you to come and visit me in my new place!

Take care,

1. (A) are moving
   (B) am moving
   (C) is moving
   (D) moving

2. (A) cook
   (B) cooking
   (C) cooks
   (D) am cooking

3. (A) greeting
   (B) seeing
   (C) having
   (D) talking

Exercise 7: Read the following passage and choose A, B, C or D to fill in the blank.

Passage 1. Inbox

A: Excuse me, do you have —[1]--- for the floral blazer?

B: Of course, let us check. This item runs from XS to 3XL.

A: Thank you. I'm also interested in the black skirt. How —[2]--- are the blazer and the skirt?

B: The blazer is $120, and the skirt is $65. They're our best sellers. You can —[3]--- at our stores nationwide.

1.
(A) a small size
(B) smaller size
(C) a smaller size
(D) a smallest size

2.
(A) expensive
(B) cheap
(C) many
(D) much

3.
(A) try them out
(B) try them with
(C) try them in
(D) try them on

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Hoạt động 6: Chọn đáp án A, B, C hoặc D để hoàn thành đoạn văn.

(1) _____ you like to dine in or dine out? Eating out (2) _____ be a great way to enjoy a change of place to have a meal. You (3) _____ feel like you (4) _____ cook at home, but sometimes it's important to give yourself a break and let someone else take care of all the shopping and cooking for you! You also (5) _____ do the washes after the meal. You (6) _____ try a new cuisine or restaurant, which (7) _____ broaden your horizons and expose you to dishes you (8) _____ have never heard before. Besides, eating out (9) _____ be a social experience, allowing you to have time with your family or friends together and enjoy a delicious meal. If you (10) _____ to increase communication between co-workers, a restaurant can be a good place to escape the workplace and have a talk about daily life.

1.	(A) Could	(B) Should	(C) Might	(D) Would
2.	(A) should	(B) can	(C) need	(D) ought to
3.	(A) might	(B) have to	(C) must	(D) able to
4.	(A) couldn't	(B) shall	(C) ought	(D) should
5.	(A) must	(B) had better	(C) shouldn't	(D) needn't
6.	(A) needn't	(B) can	(C) have	(D) shouldn't
7.	(A) should	(B) must	(C) may	(D) had better
8.	(A) needn't	(B) can	(C) should	(D) might
9.	(A) can	(B) must	(C) should	(D) have to
10.	(A) could	(B) had better	(C) need	(D) may

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Passage 2

Dear team,

I am pleased to inform you that we achieved great success last year, thanks to your hard work and dedication. I am proud of your efforts and the results we achieved together.

Therefore, I would like to organize a party next weekend to celebrate our accomplishments and to thank you for your hard work. This will be a great opportunity for us to relax.

I'm also looking for suggestions about the location and food for the party, so please let me know if you have any ideas. I look forward to seeing you all there.

Sincerely,

Daniel Newman

4. When will they organize the party?

(A) tomorrow

(B) next weekend

(C) last year

(D) next month

5. Why will they organize the party?

(A) To celebrate the team's accomplishments.

(B) To inform the retirement of their manager.

(C) To schedule a team meeting.

(D) To report the result of a survey.

6. What does Mr. Daniel need suggestions about?

(A) Time and date

(B) Food and time

(C) Location and date

(D) Food and location

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Exercise 7: Read the following email and answer the questions below. (Đọc email dưới đây và trả lời câu hỏi.)

Subject: Weekend Fun

Hi Alex!

I hope you're doing well. This weekend, I have some fun plans, and I thought you might like to join me. On Saturday, I'm going to the park for a picnic with my friends. We'll bring sandwiches, fruit, and drinks. It's going to be a great day out, and it would be fantastic if you could come too.

Meeting time: 12:30 PM
Location: Sunnydale Park
What to bring: A picnic blanket and your favorite snacks

After our picnic, we'll play some outdoor games like badminton and frisbee. It's going to be a blast, and everyone is welcome to join in. Let me know if you can make it. I hope to see you for some weekend fun!

Take care,
Lily

1. What is Lily's plan for Saturday?
(A) She is going to have a picnic in the park.
(B) She is going to watch a movie.
(C) She is going to stay at home.
(D) She is going to go for a ride in the park.

2. What time is the picnic on Saturday?
(A) 10:00 AM.
(B) 12:30 PM.
(C) 3:00 PM.
(D) 2:00 PM.

3. What should Alex bring on Saturday if he join Lily?
(A) A backpack
(B) A camera
(C) A picnic blanket
(D) A tent

Bài 6. Đọc và chọn câu trả lời thích hợp.
Read the passage and choose the appropriate answer.

Passage 1. A chat
Amy: Are you close to your extended family?
Ben: Yes, we have a very close-knit family. We often gather for holidays and special occasions.
Amy: That sounds wonderful. I wish I had a family like yours.

1. What kind of family does Ben have?
(A) A small family
(B) An extended family
(C) A nuclear family
(D) No family

2. How often does Ben's family gather?
(A) Never
(B) Everyday
(C) Only on weekends
(D) On holidays and special occasions

3. What does Amy wish for?
(A) She wishes for a close-knit family like Ben's.
(B) She wishes for more holidays and special occasions.
(C) She wishes to be close to her nuclear family members.
(D) She wishes to have a small family like Ben's.

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