## 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.** ------- your order is being processed, please call customer service with any questions.

(A) Still
(B) Either
(C) While
(D) Also

**102.** ABC Truck Supplies has the ------- selection of mufflers in the state.

(A) natural
(B) widest
(C) overall
(D) positive

**103.** Sharswood Landscaping has received dozens of five-star ------- for its work.

(A) reviews
(B) reviewer
(C) reviewed
(D) reviewing

**104.** Dr. Cho will visit the Teledarr Lab during the annual open house, since ------- may not have another chance to see it.

(A) hers
(B) she
(C) her
(D) herself

**105.** Dorn Department Store decided to ------- its already large selection of housewares.

(A) create
(B) enforce
(C) apply
(D) expand

**106.** We ------- that you bring a portfolio of work samples to the interview.

(A) was asking
(B) having asked
(C) ask
(D) asks

**107.** Members of the Bold Stone Farm Store receive ------- discounts on all purchases.

(A) depth
(B) deepen
(C) deep
(D) deeply

**108.** If your plans change, please contact us at least 24 hours before the time of your -------.

(A) reserved
(B) reservation
(C) reservable
(D) reserve



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**109.** Hold the tomato seedling gently by the stem in order to avoid harming ------- roots.

(A) its
(B) at
(C) that
(D) in

**110.** At the registration table, be sure to collect your name tag ------- entering the conference.

(A) very
(B) often
(C) always
(D) before

**111.** Maihama vehicles include an extended ------- to cover engine repairs.

(A) record
(B) operation
(C) budget
(D) warranty

**112.** The hotel's new Web site features an ------- collection of high-quality images.

(A) absolute
(B) efficient
(C) impressive
(D) undefeated

**113.** On behalf of everyone at Uniontown Bank, we ------- thank you for your continued patronage.

(A) deservedly
(B) commonly
(C) sincerely
(D) perfectly

**114.** Fragile equipment must be stored in a secure location so that nothing is ------- damaged.

(A) accident
(B) accidents
(C) accidental
(D) accidentally

**115.** Ms. Sampson will not arrive at the convention ------- after our team's presentation.

(A) until
(B) lately
(C) from
(D) when

**116.** The community picnic will be held ------- the park behind the Seltzer Public Library.

(A) in
(B) all
(C) for
(D) here

**117.** The new hires ------- for an orientation on May 10 at 9:00 A.M.

(A) to be gathering
(B) will gather
(C) gathering
(D) to gather

**118.** When Mr. Young approached the desk, the receptionist ------- offered him a seat in the waiting room.

(A) politely
(B) polite
(C) politeness
(D) politest

**119.** Members of the Marvale marketing team claimed that ------- was the best design for the new corporate logo.

(A) they
(B) them
(C) theirs
(D) their

**120.** The new Kitsuna video camera is currently on sale for $375, not ------- tax.

(A) excepting
(B) alongside
(C) within
(D) including



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**121.** All associates are ------- to follow the standard operating procedures outlined in the handbook.

(A) concerned
(B) tended
(C) maintained
(D) expected

**122.** This month Framley Publishing House is embarking on its ------- expansion so far.

(A) ambitiously
(B) most ambitiously
(C) ambition
(D) most ambitious

**123.** After months of collaboration, Matricks Technology's software developers ------- released a top-quality product.

(A) profoundly
(B) overly
(C) finally
(D) intensely

**124.** Tickets are valid for one-time access and do not allow for ------- into the venue.

(A) duplication
(B) reentry
(C) permission
(D) turnover

**125.** We hired Okafor Construction to do the renovation ------- it was not the lowest bidder on the project.

(A) if only
(B) alternatively
(C) whereas
(D) even though

**126.** The first ------- of the training will introduce staff to certain workplace responsibilities.

(A) part
(B) parted
(C) parting
(D) partial

**127.** According to industry -------, Ghira Company plans to relocate its headquarters to Australia.

(A) reported
(B) reportedly
(C) reporter
(D) reports

**128.** Next month, the Kneath House will host an exhibition of ------- furniture and clothing from the eighteenth century.

(A) authentic
(B) authentically
(C) authenticate
(D) authenticity

**129.** PKTM's regional managers serve ------- the direction of the vice president.

(A) among
(B) under
(C) behind
(D) opposite

**130.** ------- a recent surge in demand, Vanita's Catering is hiring four additional servers.

(A) Everywhere
(B) Possibly
(C) In total
(D) Owing to



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