Mid-term test 2

II. LANGUAGE USE

Questions 9-11: Choose the word (A, B, C, or D) which is pronounced differently in the part underlined.

9. A. applic<u>ant</u>	B. dist<u>ant</u>	C. eleph<u>ant</u>	D. ench<u>ant</u>
10. A. par<u>ent</u>	B. mom<u>ent</u>	C. rec<u>ent</u>	D. prev<u>ent</u>
11. A. entertainm<u>ent</u>	B. independ<u>ent</u>	C. differ<u>ent</u>	D. complim<u>ent</u>

Questions 12-14: Match the utterance in column A with its appropriate response in column B.

A	B
12. I drink fruit juice every day.	A. Like losing the soccer match yesterday?
13. There are things I really don't want to forget.	B. That's right.
14. Is Alzheimer the disease that affects your memory?	C. That's good, it helps keep your body in better conditions.

Questions 15-18: Choose the best option A, B, C, or D for each question.

15. Jenny _____ a beautiful dress on her birthday.

A. gave B. will give C. is giving D. was given

16. The concert was exciting at the beginning, _____ it became boring at the end.

A. so B. for C. and D. but

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17. Jane has an appointment with her doctor this week. She _____ the doctor tomorrow as planned.

A. will be seeing B. is going to see C. will see D. is seeing

18. I'm too tired to walk home. I think I _____ a taxi.

A. will get B. am getting C. am going to get D. get

Questions 19-22: Choose the best options (A, B, or C) to complete the sentences.

19. Minh enjoys meeting and talking with other people. He is very _____.

A. shy B. sociable C. smart

20. The function of the heart is to _____ blood.

A. pull B. push C. pump

21. Her first album sold more than one million copies, so she was given the _____ certification.

A. platinum B. gold C. silver

22. Last week, I had a(n) _____ with a music company that hires trainers.

A. competition B. contest C. audition

III. READING

Questions 11-18: Read the text about Adele and answer the questions that follow.

Adele has been one of the world's most well-known singers and songwriters in recent years. Born in North London in 1988, Adele started singing at a

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young age and she was mostly influenced by the Spice Girls. At the age of 16, Adele composed her first hit song, "Hometown Glory".

When she was a student at the British School for Performing Arts and Technology, she recorded three songs for a class project. All these songs later were posted on MySpace.com and became very popular. As a result, she was offered a record deal from XL Recordings after her graduation. Her first album "19" debuted at number one on the British charts in 2008.

In March 2008, she did a short tour in America and soon her international career began. In 2011, her second album, "21", came out. The music on this album was different from the soul music of "19". It was influenced by American country music, which Adele was listening to during her tour.

In 2012, she wrote and recorded "Skyfall" for the James Bond film of the same name. The song sold more than two million copies worldwide and for it Adele won the Academy Award for Best Original Song.

Since 2012, Adele has won many more awards. She has many fans including other famous singers because they admire her unique voice and her passion for music.

(Adapted from "Adele" by Learning Resource Network, 2016)

Circle the best answer A, B, C, or D for each of the following questions.

11. Adele's first song _____.

A. was recorded at her art school

B. was influenced by the Spice Girls' music

C. was written when she was a teenager

D. was written for her class project

12. The second paragraph is mainly about _____.

A. the songs Adele wrote for XL Recordings

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B. what Adele did when she was a student

C. how Adele made her songs popular

D. how Adele began her professional music career

13. After Adele graduated from her art school, _____.

A. she posted her songs on MySpace

B. she started singing and writing songs

C. she got a contract with a recording label

D. she started her career in America

14. The word "came out" in paragraph 3 can be replaced by _____.

A. be composed B. be released C. be offered D. be recorded

15. The word "it" in paragraph 4 refers to _____.

A. the song "Skyfall" B. the Academy Award

C. Adele's best song D. the 2012 James Bond film

Fill in each blank with NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS from the text.

16. While her second album was influenced by American country music, Adele's debut album featured _____ music.

17. More than _____ of the song "Skyfall" were sold all over the world.

18. People love Adele for her voice and her _____.

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IV. WRITING

Questions 31-34: Complete the new sentence so that it means the same as the given one, using NO MORE THAN FIVE words. Write the missing words in the given spaces.

31. Many people in Viet Nam know singer My Tam.

Singer My Tam is _____ in Viet Nam.

32. In a human body, the brain controls all the organs.

All the organs in a human body _____ by the brain.

33. Khoa has a strong desire for painting.

Khoa is _____ painting.

34. Did the technician repair your laptop for you?

Did you _____ by the technician?

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