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PRACTICE 2

You will hear five short conversations. You will hear each conversation twice. There is one question for each conversation. Listen and choose the right answer.

Question 1. What is the man going to take to the repair shop?
A. CD player B. Television C. Lamp

Question 2. How will Nancy and Joe get to the sports center?
A. by bus B. by car C. by walking

Question 3. How much is the price for the competition?
A. £100 B. £200 C. £300

Question 4. What will the weather be like tomorrow lunchtime?
A. rainy B. humid C. windy

Question 5. What time will they leave home?
A. 7:30 B. 7:50 C. 8:15

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 6. A. c<u>a</u>rrier **B.** <u>a</u>ccount **C.** inst<u>a</u>nt **D**. telep<u>a</u>thy

Question 7. A. <u>ch</u>arge **B.** ma<u>ch</u>ine **C.** smartwat<u>ch</u> **D**. arm<u>ch</u>air

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 8. A. employee **B.** Japanese **C.** Taiwanese **D.** absentee

Question 9. A. seasonal **B.** official **C.** violent **D.** technical

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

Question 10. There are mainly two _____ of water pollution: man-made and natural.
A. way B. results C. reasons D. causes

Question 11. We use face _____ systems to identify people in photos, videos, and in real time.
A. identification B. recognition C. reminder D. confirmation

Question 12. It's always _____ to prevent harm to the environment than to repair it.
A. easier B. easy C. easily D. more easily

Question 13. We have no idea about the dangers of tsunamis _____ we saw the film.
A. as soon as B. while C. until D. when

Question 14. The teacher _____ me that I should spend more time studying English.
A. spoke B. asked C. said D. told

Question 15. - A: "Can you do me a favor please?" - B: "_____."
A. No, thanks B. Yes, you can
C. Certainly D. What can you do?

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 16 to 19.

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SAVE THE EARTH!

We are all slowly **(16)** _____ the Earth. The situation is becoming increasingly urgent. Please take note of the following issues:

The seas and rivers are too dirty to swim in.

There is so much smoke in the air that it is unhealthy to live in many of the world's cities.

In one well-known city, poisonous gases **(17)** _____ cars pollute the air so much that traffic policemen have to wear oxygen masks.

We have cut down **(18)** _____ trees that there are now vast areas of wasteland across the globe.

As a result, farmers in parts of Africa cannot grow enough food.

In certain countries in Asia, there is too little rice.

Moreover, we do not take enough care of the countryside, leading to the rapid disappearance of wild animals.

For instance, tigers are rare in India now due to excessive hunting.

However, it isn't enough simply to talk about the problem. We must act now before it is too late to do **(19)** ____ about it.

Join us now. Save the Earth!

Question 16. A. destroying B. destroyed C. destroy D. be destroyed
Question 17. A. to B. for C. in D. from
Question 18. A. so many B. so much C. so little D. so few
Question 19. A. anything B. anybody C. nothing D. someone

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 20 to 21.

Question 20. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.
Today, computer companies sell many different programs for computers.
a. And finally, there are programs for fun.
b. Second, some programs are like fancy typewriters.
c. First, there are programs for doing math problems.
A. b - c - a B. b - a - c C. a - c - b D. c - b - a

Question 21. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 13) most appropriately.
A. In conclusion, computers are practical tools for work and study.
B. They include word games and puzzles for children and adults.
C. They are often used by writers and businesspeople.
D. Therefore, computers even seem to have personalities.

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 22 to 25.

When violent events happen outside the control of humans, they are called natural disasters. Natural forces are the causes of these events. There are many kinds of natural disasters, and they can (22) _____loss of life, injury, and damage to property.

So, can we predict natural disasters? The answer is a definite 'yes' for (23) _____kinds of natural disasters. Scientists understand the factors that lead to storms, tornadoes, and floods. (24) _____, it is much more difficult to predict earthquakes and volcanic eruptions. Some volcanoes (25) _____leak gases or pour out lava before erupting, but others do not give any warnings at all. It is also difficult to predict earthquakes although scientists are aware of the regions where earthquakes are most likely to happen.

Question 22: A. take in B. come in C. get in D. result in
Question 23: A. some B. few C. lots D. little
Question 24: A. Therefore B. Otherwise C. However D. Moreover
Question 25: A. should B. may C. must D. ought to

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 26. If we want to save the environment, we need to stop using so much energy.

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A. We won't save the environment unless we stop using so much energy.
B. We want to save the environment if we need to stop using so much energy.
C. Using so much energy, we want to save the environment.
D. We need to stop using so much energy when we can save the environment.

Question 27. It was not until midnight that Mike stopped practising.
A. Mike stopped practising before it was midnight.
B. Mike only stopped practising at midnight.
C. Mike stopped practising after midnight.
D. I wanted Mike to stop practising before midnight.

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 28. All / natural disaster/ cause / damage / and destruction / humans.
A. All natural disasters cause damage and destruction for humans.
B. All natural disaster cause damage and destruction to humans.
C. All natural disasters cause damage and destruction to humans.
D. All natural disasters cause damage and destruction with humans.

Question 29. I/ interested/ hang out/ chat/ browse/ shopping malls.
A. I am interested in hang out, chat and browse through shopping malls
B. I am interested in hanging out, chatting and browsing through shopping malls.
C. I am interested of hanging out, chatting and browsing through shopping malls
D. I am interested in hanging out, chat and browse through shopping malls.

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 30. What does the sign say?

A. You don't have to wear shoes in this place.
B. Please take off your shoes when entering this place.
C. Please put on your shoes when entering this place.
D. You can't buy any shoes in this place.

Question 31. What does the notice say?

A. The IT course starts on 1st October.
B. The IT course covers hardware, software, networking, and security.
C. The IT course is for advanced learners.
D. The IT course does not provide a certificate.

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.

Smartphones have changed the way we communicate and get information. They provide us with a lot of benefits that make our lives easier and more **convenient**. Firstly, smartphones allow us to stay connected with friends and family through calls, texts, and social media. This is especially useful for people who live far away from their loved ones. Secondly, smartphones are equipped with many applications, such as maps and shopping apps to make daily tasks simpler and more effective. Thirdly, smartphones can provide us with instant access to the Internet and allow us to read about news and current events, find information for work or school, and entertain ourselves with games, music and videos. Furthermore, many smartphones are equipped with cameras, allowing us to capture and share memories with others. In conclusion, smartphones have many benefits that greatly improve our lives.

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Question 32: What is the main idea of the passage?
A. The benefits of smartphones
B. The history of smartphone development
C. The negative effects of smartphones on society
D. The comparison of different types of smartphones
Question 33: Which word has the CLOSEST meaning to the word **convenient** in the passage?
A. effortless B. uncomfortable C. handy D. simple
Question 34: What can be inferred from the passage about the use of smartphones?
A. Smartphones are not useful for people who live far away from their loved ones.
B. Smartphones can help people capture and share memories with others.
C. Smartphones are not equipped with cameras.
D. Smartphones only have negative effects on our lives.
Question 35: According to the passage, how useful are smartphones?
A. Smartphones make our communication with friends and family more convenient.
B. Smartphones make our communication with friends and family more difficult.
C. Smartphones have no effect on our communication with friends and family.
D. Smartphones have a negative effect on our communication with friends and family.
Question 36: What is the role of applications in the benefits of smartphones mentioned in the passage?
A. Applications play no role in the benefits of smartphones.
B. Applications play a significant role in the benefits of smartphones.
C. Applications have a negative effect on the benefits of smartphones.
D. Applications have a limited effect on the benefits of smartphones.

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.
Some speciality shops are now in danger of disappearing. Here are some examples.
The butcher shop
Butcher shops sell all kinds of meat. They usually employ people who are trained in the meat industry. They know how to cut the meat the right way, (37) _____. However, it is hard nowadays to find a traditional butcher shop. More people are buying meat from large supermarkets (38) _____.
(39) _____. Years ago, it was easy to find bookshops in any town or city. Then, larger bookshop chains gradually took over and the smaller shops died out. Two examples of large bookshop chains are Waterstones in the UK and Barnes & Noble in the USA.
But now, (40) _____ because more people are buying books from Amazon as well as digital books.

A - even the large bookshop chains are facing difficulty
B - because it is more convenient, and the price is lower.
C - and they often advise customers on the different types of meat.
D - Bookshops are becoming quite rare these days

Question 37. _____ Question 38. _____ Question 39. _____ Question 40. _____

Write complete sentences, use the given words as cues. You can change the forms of the words if necessary.
Question 41. When/ the school year/ start/,/ students/ take part/ many activities/.
◊ _____.
Question 42. These products/ not be/ usually/ sell/ summer/.
◊ _____.
Question 43. The manager said to the staff, "We are launching a new project next month."
◊ The manager told _____.

Rewrite the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions, use the given words as cues.
Question 44. I met one of my father's friends at the meeting yesterday.
◊ A _____.
Question 45. She finished her homework. Then she went out with her friends.
◊ After _____.

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