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END-TERM TEST 2

Exercise 1: Find the word which has a different sound in the part underlined.

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| 1. A. prepares <u>s</u> | B. photographs <u>s</u> | C. stops <u>s</u> | D. erupts <u>s</u> |
| 2. A. typhoo <u>n</u> | B. go <u>o</u> se | C. fo <u>o</u> d | D. flo <u>o</u> d |
| 3. A. look <u>e</u> d | B. suggest <u>e</u> d | C. mind <u>e</u> d | D. decid <u>e</u> d |

Exercise 2: Choose the word which is stressed differently from the rest.

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| 4. A. domestic | B. possible | C. physical | D. musical |
| 5. A. refugee | B. trainee | C. Japanese | D. engineer |

Exercise 3: Circle the correct answer.

6. A powerful _____ off the coast of Indonesia sparked a three-metre-high and killed at least 113 people.

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| A. earthquake | B. tornado | C. tsunami | D. landslide |
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7. - How is your holiday in New Zealand? - _____.

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| A. Really | B. Awesome | C. Absolutely right | D. Sure |
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8. Mark's mother _____ him becoming an astronomer because she didn't think this job would suit him.

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| A. proposed | B. disposed | C. imposed | D. opposed |
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9. The famous sports programme was _____ live over the Internet.

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| A. permitted | B. admitted | C. transmitted | D. predicted |
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10. My flat started _____ when I was watching TV with my son. It scared us a lot.

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| A. frightening | B. trembling | C. strengthening | D. warning |
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11. _____ I have a new smartphone, I will pass my old one on to you.

A. Although B. As soon as C. While D. Therefore

12. Leon said he was having a math test _____, so he was very worried.

A. now B. then C. the next day D. tomorrow

13. Lisa looks like Susan and Naomi. She may be a cousin of _____.

A. their B. theirs C. her D. hers

14. Using reusable bags can help us reduce our carbon _____.

A. footprint B. blueprint C. newsprint D. handprint

15. As a _____, Jane loved looking for new clothes with her two daughters.

A. shopaholic B. shop assistant C. retailer D. shopkeeper

Exercise 4: Fill in each blank with the appropriate forms of the word in bracket.

16. WWF is committed to saving _____ animals such as black rhino, leatherback turtle and saola. (DANGER)

17. The Earth would be a happy planet if human beings, animals and plants (peace) _____ co-existed.

18. Our _____ resources are limited, so we should recycle all these used things. (nature)

19. Earth is the only _____ planet in our solar system. (habitat)

20. Do you know that the telephone, the television and penicillin are Scottish _____? (invent)

Exercise 5: Put the words in the blanks into the correct forms.

21. The pilot suddenly saw a volcanic eruption while he _____ (fly) across Stromboli, Italy.

22. We _____ (drive) home when it began to rain torrentially.

23. - What _____ you _____ (do) at 7 p.m. yesterday?

- I was eating out with some of my friends.

24. Ordering fast food, like pizza, via voice messages _____

(become) popular in three years.

25. You can't meet my boss now. He _____ (not be) in the head office until next Tuesday.

Exercise 6: Circle the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

26. I have taught English in this school for 2010.

A B C D

27. Both Linda and Nick detest to wait for their friends under the rain.

A B C D

28. "I have read a very interesting book about Artificial Intelligent yesterday", she said.

A B C
D

29. They met her while they crossed the street.

A B C D

30. When Andrew saw the question, he was knowing the answer immediately.

A B C
D

Exercise 7: Read the passage and choose the correct answer for each blank.

No more teachers? No more books? For today's kids, the Internet has all the answers.

Gadgets come and go and most of them don't have a very long life. The Internet, (31) _____, seems to be here to stay. The World Wide Web is now the

largest information (32) _____ in the world and teenagers can find more or less anything they want there. They can download music and films, watch TV, listen to the radio, send e-mails and even shop online.

In the United States for example, more than 78% of kids go online, according to a recent study. A lot of them are just surfing the Web and instant messaging their friends. But 94% of those online said they also used it (33) _____ schoolwork. This technology has allowed them to access a vast store of knowledge which was inaccessible before. With online tutoring and virtual schools, technology allows students to get specific help. It is also (34) _____ to be a part of a study group or discuss school projects with international e-mail pals. Perhaps more than anything, the Internet search engine Google has changed homework habits across the globe. But the problem is that it is so easy to "copy and paste" that teachers (35) _____ to change homework assignments or projects every year.

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| 31.A. moreover | B. because | C. however | D. although |
| 32. A. resource | B. technology | C. informatics | D. generation |
| 33. A. in | B. on | C. with | D. for |
| 34. A. possible | B. possibility | C. possibly | D. posset |
| 35.A. must | B. should | C. had | D. need |

Exercise 8: Read the following passage about tornadoes and choose the best answer.

Tornadoes

Did you ever see the movie The Wizard of Oz? A tornado sweeps up Dorothy and Toto, sending them to a new world where there are witches and talking lions! That entire story is fiction, but tornadoes are real and they are serious business. In fact, they can be the most dangerous storms of all.

Tornadoes are sometimes referred to as twisters or cyclones. They are shaped like a cylinder. They are born in thunderclouds. The winds inside a tornado swirl around and around and can be more than 300 miles per hour (mph). The winds are so strong that tornadoes can lift animals, cars, and even houses.

The United States has more tornadoes than any other country in the world. States such as Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, and Nebraska are hit hard by tornadoes. This part of the country is known as "Tornado Alley." Tornado season is during the springtime and summer. If the conditions are right, a tornado can happen any time of year.

36. Where do tornadoes begin?

- A. in the ocean
- B. underground
- C. in cyclones
- D. in thunderclouds

37. Why does the author mention The Wizard of Oz at the beginning of the passage?

- A. To give a famous example of a tornado.
- B. To give a history of tornadoes.
- C. To show that hurricanes are not real.
- D. To explain why tornadoes are dangerous.

38. Based on the passage, people who live in Tornado Alley should _____.

- A. expect tornadoes only during the summer.
- B. be very familiar with the movie The Wizard of Oz.
- C. be prepared for the dangers of tornadoes.
- D. think about moving to the United States.

39. The word conditions in the last paragraph means _____.

- A. preparations

- B. dangerous hazards
- C. the way things are
- D. lucky feelings

40. What is the main idea of this passage?

- A. Some states get tornadoes more than other states.
- B. Tornadoes are dangerous storms that affect the U.S.
- C. Tornadoes are different from how they are in movies.
- D. Many tornadoes do not cause a lot of damage.

Exercise 9: Rewrite the sentences, using the given words or phrases.

41. "Is your uncle working as a pilot for NASA?" Julia asked me.

=> Julia asked _____.

42. As soon as we got on the plane, the pilot told us to get off again.

=> We had just _____.

43. We wanted to know how they had returned to Earth.

=> "How _____?" we asked.

44. "I want to go skiing next week." Henry said.

=> Henry said _____.

45. "I am going to do a test tomorrow", he said.

=> He said _____.