

PRACTICE TEST 19

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 1. A. attract B. artisan C. handicraft D. bamboo

Question 2. A. social B. collect C. community D. product

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 3. A. follow B. create C. answer D. beauty

Question 4. A. dangerously B. personally C. development D. necessary

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

Question 5. The room was filled with the pleasant _____ of fresh flowers.

A. speciality B. preservation C. fragrance D. decoration

Question 6. The national park offers visitors the chance to _____ its beautiful landscapes.

A. exploration B. explore C. explorer D. explored

Question 7. I can't decide _____ for the weekend trip.

A. what to bring B. how to go C. what for bringing D. how for going

Question 8. If Sarah finishes her project before the deadline, she _____ enough time to prepare for her presentation next week.

A. would have B. will have C. is having D. has

Question 9. While Sarah _____ for her exam, her brother _____ video games in the living room.

A. studied/ was playing B. was studying/ was playing

C. is studying/ was studying D. was studying/ is playing

Question 10. Alex and Jordan are discussing their upcoming exams. Alex is worried about the maths exam.

Alex: I'm feeling really stressed about the maths exam. Could you help me, please?

Julia: Sure. _____

A. You shouldn't study harder. B. No way. You'll be fine.

C. Let's go over some practice problems together. D. Math is boring for me.

Question 11. She has a meeting _____ Friday afternoon to review the budget.

A. on B. at C. in D. during

Question 12. The new park _____ by the city council every year.

A. is maintained B. maintain C. maintained D. is maintain

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 13 to 16.

ANNOUNCEMENT FOR NEW STUDENTS

Welcome to our school! We are excited to have you join us and hope you make the most of your time here.

Please (13) _____ the orientation session on Friday morning. It will provide important information about the school and help you get familiar (14) _____ the campus.

Don't forget to bring (15) _____ notebook and a pen to take notes during the session.

We look forward to helping you start your new (16) _____ journey at our school!

Question 13. A. to attend B. attending C. attend D. attended

Question 14. A. with B. for C. of D. on

Question 15. A. some B. a C. an D. any

Question 16. A. excitement B. excitements C. exciting D. excited

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.

Question 17. Put the sentence (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical paragraph.

Last month, I attended a music festival in my city. _____

- a. I danced to my favourite bands and enjoyed the vibrant atmosphere.
- b. To start, I bought tickets and planned what to wear.
- c. I made new friends and shared great moments with them after the event.

A. a-b-c B. c-a-b C. c-b-a D. b-a-c

Question 18. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. The festival was an amazing experience I'll never forget.
- B. Firstly, I prepared for the music festival by gathering my friends and planning our outfits.
- C. I marked the festival date on my calendar and began counting down the days.
- D. After weeks of anticipation, the day of the music festival arrived, and I couldn't wait to experience it.

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 19 to 24.

Practising a new language regularly is crucial for (19) _____ fluency. To achieve this, it's important to integrate interactive activities (20) _____ your daily routine. For example, you can start by practising with a language partner or (21) _____ a conversation group to enhance your speaking skills. (22) _____, using language learning apps can provide valuable exercises that are both fun and educational. Moreover, immersing yourself in the culture related to the language can greatly expand your understanding and appreciation of it. Setting specific goals can help you (23) _____ focused and make steady progress in your language learning journey.

Finally, consistency and patience are key to long-term success. In addition, it's important to practise every day, even if just for a short time. Over time, with dedication and effort, you will see noticeable improvements in your fluency and confidence. Remember, the more you engage with the language, (24) _____ progress. Keep challenging yourself, and soon you'll reach your desired level of proficiency.

- Question 19.** A. winning B. developing C. making D. taking
Question 20. A. into B. to C. within D. by
Question 21. A. joining B. to joining C. to join D. join
Question 22. A. Consequently B. Additionally C. Oddly D. However
Question 23. A. wait B. stay C. stop D. delay
Question 24. A. the faster you will B. more faster you will
 C. the faster you will D. faster you will

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 25. Maria asked, "Do you want to join us for dinner?"

- A. Maria asked if I want to join them for dinner.
- B. Maria asked if I wanted to join them for dinner.
- C. Maria asked if I had wanted to join them for dinner.
- D. Maria asked whether I want to join them for dinner.

Question 26. The car belongs to my brother, and it is parked outside.

- A. The car which belongs to my brother, is parked outside.
- B. The car that belongs to my brother it is parked outside.
- C. The car, which belongs to my brother, is parked outside.
- D. The car that it belongs to my brother, is parked outside.

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 27. Students / advised / complete / their assignments / on time.

- A. Students are advised to complete their assignments on time.
- B. Students advise completing their assignments on time.
- C. Students were advising to complete their assignments on time.
- D. Students have advised complete their assignments on time.

Question 28. The weather / be / bad / they / go / hiking.

- A. Although the weather was bad, but they went hiking.
- B. Despite of the weather was bad, they went hiking.
- C. Even though the weather was bad, they went hiking.
- D. Although the weather was bad, they went hiking.

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 29. What does the sign say?

**Parking is reserved for
authorized vehicles only.**

- A. You can park your car here for free.
- B. Parking is allowed only for customers.
- C. This area is for vehicles with permission only.
- D. You must pay to park in this area.

Question 30. What does the notice say?



- A. It is required to wash your hands after visiting the restroom.
- B. Hand sanitiser is available in this area.
- C. There is no need to wash your hands.
- D. You can use the restroom without washing your hands.

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 from 31 to 36.

The effects of pollution on the environment are alarming. Air pollution, caused by emissions from vehicles and industrial activities, has led to poor air quality and health problems for many people. Water pollution, resulting from the discharge of harmful chemicals and waste into rivers and oceans, affects marine life and the ecosystems that depend on them. Soil pollution, caused by the contamination of soil with harmful substances, can lead to reduced crop yields, contaminated groundwater, and health risks for communities.

To **combat** these issues, various organisations and governments are implementing stricter regulations on waste disposal and emissions. Many cities are investing in public transportation systems to reduce the number of vehicles on the road, which can significantly decrease air pollution. Additionally, there is a growing trend towards using biodegradable materials to minimise waste and protect wildlife.

Individuals also play a vital role in environmental protection. Simple actions, such as using reusable bags, conserving water, and reducing energy usage at home, can make a **notable** difference. By working together, we can create a cleaner and healthier environment for ourselves and future generations.

Question 31. What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. Pollution has no impact on the environment.
- B. Pollution and its effects are major environmental concerns.
- C. Public transportation is the only solution to pollution.
- D. Individuals do not contribute to environmental problems.

Question 32. Which of the following types of pollution is NOT mentioned in the passage?

- A. Air pollution
- B. Water pollution
- C. Soil pollution
- D. Noise pollution

Question 33. The word **combat** in paragraph 2 is CLOSEST in meaning to

- A. fight against B. ignore C. increase D. support

Question 34. What action are many cities taking to reduce air pollution?

- A. Encouraging the use of private cars
B. Investing in public transportation systems
C. Promoting the use of fossil fuels
D. Reducing the number of parks

Question 35. According to the passage, what is one simple action individuals can take to protect the environment?

- A. Using disposable bags B. Wasting water
C. Conserving water D. Increasing energy usage

Question 36. The word **notable** in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. minor B. important C. considerable D. noticeable

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.

Thailand is a country known for its rich culture and stunning landscapes, where traditional culture meets modern life. From the vibrant city of Bangkok to peaceful countryside villages, visitors can experience diverse sights and activities. One of the most visited spots is Chiang Mai, (37) _____. The city is famous for its temples, night markets, and annual festivals. (38) _____. The southern region, in particular, is known for its crystal-clear waters and white sandy beaches. (39) _____. For adventure seekers, Thailand offers exciting opportunities. (40) _____. From snorkelling in coral reefs to hiking in lush jungles, there's no shortage of things to do.

- A. Thailand is also home to beautiful beaches and islands
B. offering a paradise for beach lovers and explorers
C. Visitors can enjoy many thrilling outdoor activities
D. which is often considered the cultural capital of Thailand

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