MOCK EXAM 15

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.

Join our exciting Summer Sports Camp!

- **Date:** 1st July - 31st July
- **Time:** 8:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.
- **Location:** City Sports Centre

This camp is perfect for students aged 5 to 16 years old. You can learn (1) ____ new sports such as volleyball and basketball. Our coaches will help you (2) _____ your skills. We provide all the necessary equipment, and snacks will be available (3) _____ breaks. The camp is a great way to stay (4) ____ during the summer.

Question 1: A. an	B. the	C. x (no article)	D. a
Question 2: A. improve	B. construct	C. create	D. make
Question 3: A. in	B. between	C. on	D. during
Question 4: A. active	B. action	C. activity	D. actively

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 5: What does the notice say?

A. You have to pay a fine if you park here for three hours.

B. It costs at least £50 to park here for two hours.

C. There are no parking charges after 2.00 p.m.

D. If you park for an hour, you have to pay £54.

Question 6: What does the sign say ?

A. Bicycles share lanes with cars.

B. Bicycles can enter the middle lane.

C. Cars are allowed to exceed the speeds of 60.

D. Motorcycles can be in the 2 outer right lanes.

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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.

Living a healthy life is becoming more popular around the world. (7) _____. In the past, people didn't pay as much attention to their diet and exercise. However, now more individuals are focusing on their health by eating balanced meals and staying active. Regular physical activity and healthy eating habits can prevent many diseases and improve overall well-being. For example, (8) _____. This not only helps them stay fit but also provides a social aspect that encourages consistency. Simple habits like walking instead of driving and eating more vegetables can make a big difference. While maintaining a healthy lifestyle can sometimes be challenging, (9) _____. People believe that even small changes can lead to big improvements over time. With better access to health information and fitness resources, it's easier than ever to make healthier choices. With continued effort, (10) _____.

A. many people are joining fitness classes or participating in sports.

B. it is believed that every step counts

C. People are now more aware of how to take care of their health

D. the future of public health looks promising

Question 7. ___ **Question 8. ___** **Question 9. ____** **Question 10. ___**

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.

On the outskirts of Hanoi, the ancient village of Dong Ngac has been **flourishing** for over 1,000 years. Hidden from the usual tourist routes and almost untouched by modern development, this village preserves a unique part of Vietnamese heritage. Dong Ngac, also often called the "village of scholars", is well-known for its long tradition of education. Visitors to the village would be greeted by friendly locals who offer traditional treats like lotus tea and Banh Gio (rice dumplings). The village has ancient stone gates and charming wooden houses lining its narrow streets. There is also the peaceful Tu Khanh Buddhist temple, which spans a large area. Inside the temple stands a special statue of a crane on a turtle, symbolizing long life and the village's historical **triumphs**. Dong Ngac has always been a center for learning. Many of its residents have become famous scholars and received royal honors since the Le Dynasty. Education has always been valued here, as shown by the book symbols carved into the village gates. Even today, families work hard to ensure their children's success in school.

Question 11: The word "triumphs" in paragraph 2 is CLOSEST in meaning to:

A. failures B. challenges C. victories D. defeats

Question 12: What is the relationship between Dong Ngac families and education today?

A. Families in Dong Ngac now focus on farming rather than education.

B. Families no longer care about the success of their children.

C. Families work hard to teach their children at home.

D. Families work hard to ensure their children do well in school.

Question 13: The word "flourishing" in paragraph 1 is OPPOSITE in meaning to:

A. improving B. growing C. developing D. declining

Question 14: What does the statue of the crane standing on the turtle in Tu Khanh temple symbolize?

A. A common animal found in Dong Ngac's fields and streets

B. The artistic style of the village and its architecture

C. The peaceful relationship between animals and humans

D. The long life and strength that the village represents

Question 15: What is the main point of the passage about Dong Ngac village?

A. Dong Ngac is a village with a long history of education.

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B. Dong Ngac is a modern village with new buildings and schools.

C. Dong Ngac is a famous tourist destination full of attractions.

D. Dong Ngac is a village known for its quiet and peaceful life.

Question 16: How is education shown in Dong Ngac's gates and architecture?

A. Pictures of famous teachers are found on the walls of the village houses.

B. The gates have symbols of books, showing the village's focus on learning.

C. Symbols of important people from the village are carved into the gates.

D. The villagers built their homes in the shape of schools and temples.

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 17: He wanted to know if I spoke any foreign languages.

A. "Did you speak any foreign languages?"

B. "Do you speak any foreign languages?"

C. "Do you want to speak any foreign languages?"

D. "If you speak any foreign languages, I want to know."

Question 18: They stayed at the Solaria Hotel. Our manager suggested it to them.

A. They stayed at the Solaria Hotel to which our manager suggested them.

B. They stayed at the Solaria Hotel that our manager suggested it to them.

C. They stayed at the Solaria Hotel, where our manager suggested to them.

D. They stayed at the Solaria Hotel, which our manager suggested to them.

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 19: Lucas and Mia / wish / they / settle down / in a small town / instead of / struggle / in the urban area.

A. Lucas and Mia wish they will settle down in a small town instead of struggling in the urban area.

B. Lucas and Mia wish they can settle down in a small town instead of struggling in the urban area.

C. Lucas and Mia wish they settled down in a small town instead of struggling in the urban area.

D. Lucas and Mia wish they settled down in a small town instead of struggle in the urban area.

Question 20: counselor / recommended / she / apply for / various internship positions / figure out / future / professional direction.

A. The counselor recommended she would apply for various internship positions to figure out a future professional direction.

B. The counselor recommended she applies for various internship positions to figure out future professional direction.

C. The counselor recommended she apply for various internship positions to figure out her future professional direction.

D. The counselor recommended she applying for various internship positions to figure out with future professional direction.

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.

Electronic devices have become an essential part of modern life. They (21) _____ items like smartphones,

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computers, tablets, and smartwatches. These devices help people communicate with others, access information quickly, and entertain (22) _____ with games and videos. In education, electronic devices are useful tools for learning. Students can use them to research topics, complete homework, and collaborate with classmates online. Teachers can also use electronic devices (23) _____ lessons in an interactive way. However, (24) _____use of electronic devices can lead to problems. Spending too much time on screens (25) _____affect health, for example, causing eye strain and reducing physical activity. It is important to use electronic devices suitably. Setting limits on screen time and taking regular breaks can help prevent negative effects. Parents and teachers can guide young people on (26) _____. Electronic devices offer many benefits, but it is important to balance their use with other activities. In conclusion, electronic devices play a significant role in today's world and understanding how to use them properly is important for everyone.

Question 21: A. make B. contain C. consist D. include

Question 22: A. themselves B. their C. they D. theirs

Question 23: A. to presenting B. to present C. present D. presenting

Question 24: A. sufficient B. excessive C. moderate D. appropriate

Question 25: A. may B. must C. mustn't D. should

Question 26: A. how to use these devices wisely B. how wisely for these devices to use

C. how these devices to use wisely D. how wisely to use these devices

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 27: A. metr**o** B. **o**cean C. **o**bserve D. l**o**cate

Question 28: A. contestant**s** B. festival**s** C. ancestor**s** D. differ**s**

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 29: A. atmosphere B. discipline C. determine D. confident

Question 30: A. education B. conditional C. community D. technology

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

Question 31: Tom _____his laundry when the lights in his apartment _____out.

A. was doing – went B. did – went C. had done – went D. has gone - had gone

Question 32: After school, Hoa is sharing the exciting news of her scholarship with Tom.

- Hoa: "I have just received a scholarship to study abroad."

- Tom: "_____"

A. No worries, it's just a scholarship.

B. Wow, congratulations on your achievement!

C. Thanks for letting me know. I must go now.

D. My pleasure. That's the least I can do.

Question 33: His performance was _____ than any of his previous shows, leaving the audience speechless.

A. lot better B. far better C. more better D. much best

Question 34: When you are an old age pensioner, you have to learn to _____a very small income.

A. take up B. live on C. turn down D. run out

Question 35: Living in a big city offers many _____ such as access to better education and

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healthcare.

A. challenges B. benefits C. risks D. disadvantages

Question 36: We only had two weeks before the school year; _____, we went on the last trip of summer.

A. however B. therefore C. though D. moreover

Question 37: We have cut down so _____trees that there are now vast areas of wasteland all over the world.

A. many B. much C. any D. lot of

Question 38: Julia has already completed her English courses _____.

A. success B. successfully C. succeed D. successful

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

(39) _____. It gives students more freedom to manage their study time and place. (40) _____. Because of these advantages, more and more people are turning to this modern way of education in today's world.

Question 39: Choose the TOPIC SENTENCE that can BEGIN the text most appropriately.

A. Many learners still prefer studying at school with teachers and classmates.

B. Online learning brings many useful advantages to students everywhere.

C. Teachers sometimes find it hard to control students during online lessons.

D. Using computers for a long time can cause eye strain and tiredness.

Question 40: Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

a. They can attend classes anywhere without needing to travel long distances to school.

b. Such flexibility makes learning more comfortable, enjoyable, and convenient for every learner.

c. This method also allows them to review lessons carefully whenever they have free time.

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

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