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Listen to a conversation between Sara and Lucy and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions. You will hear twice

Question 1. When do Sara and Lucy agree to go for a hike?

- A. on Sunday B. on Saturday C. on Friday D. on Monday

Question 2. Where will they meet?

- A. at the bus stop B. at the coach station
C. at the railway station D. at the school gate

Question 3. What hiking trail do Lucy and Sara decide to take?

- A. The trail at the Fox Hill B. The trail at Hyde Park
C. The trail at Fox Park D. The trail at Box Hill

Question 4. What will Sara bring?

- A. Snacks and soft drink B. Snacks and water
C. Water and fruit D. Biscuits and drink

Listen to a talk show about the main reasons the guest has chosen to live in the mountainous area and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to fill in each blank of the following questions. You will hear twice.

Question 5. Living in the countryside provides him with a sense of _____ and tranquility.

- A. community B. pride C. belonging D. peace

Question 6. Mr. Smith takes part in outdoor activities such as _____

- A. trekking and biking B. biking and jogging
C. trekking and rock climbing D. jogging and rock climbing

Question 7. _____ is / are one of the drawbacks of living on a mountain.

- A. Tough weather conditions B. Difficult healthcare system
C. No electricity D. Rough roads

Question 8. Mr. Smith thinks the advantages outweigh the challenges because he can be close to _____

- A. pleasure B. nature C. treasure D. mature

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

Question 9. Every morning, my uncle wakes up early to _____ the cows before the sun rises.

- A. milks B. ploughs C. catches D. picks

Question 10. Mai want to participate in the school music club; _____, she can't play any musical instruments.

- A. otherwise B. moreover C. therefore D. however

Question 11. Parents now have higher expectations of their children, so children are _____ more pressure than before.

- A. in B. on C. with D. under

Question 12. People in the city seem to react _____ to changes than those in the country.

- A. quicker B. quicklier C. more quick D. more quickly

Question 13. Tom and his brother enjoy _____ puzzles in their leisure time.

- A. do B. doing C. to do D. to doing

Question 14. My sister is _____ cooking. She wants to become a famous chef in the future.

- A. interested about B. keen at C. fond of D. crazy on

Question 15. Kate is complimenting Mary on her new dress.

Kate: "What a nice dress you have, Ann." - Ann: "_____"

A. Oh, you're right.

B. I like it, too.

C. Shall I? Thanks!

D. I'm glad you like it.

Question 16. How do you often _____ notifications on Facebook? – Twice a day.

A. communicate

B. browse

C. upload

D. check

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. *Do you fancy hanging out with your friends at weekends?*

A. Are you interested in hanging out with your friends at weekends?

B. Are you interested about hanging out with your friends at weekends?

C. Do you interested in hanging out with your friends at weekends?

D. Do you interested about hanging out with your friends at weekends?

Question 18. *Quang is a more skillful football player than Nam is.*

A. Nam doesn't play football as skillfull as Quang does.

B. Nam plays football more skillfully than Quang does.

C. Quang plays football more skillfully than Nam does.

D. Quang plays football more skillful than Nam does.

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. *People/ countryside/ work/ hard/ those/ city.*

A. People in the countryside work more hard than those in the city.

B. People in the countryside work more hardly than those in the city.

C. People in the countryside work hardlier than those in the city.

D. People in the countryside work harder than those in the city.

Question 20. *We / not cheat/ exams,/ it/ wrong thing/ do.*

A. We do not cheat on exams, for it is a wrong thing to do.

B. We do not cheat on exams, or it is a wrong thing to do.

C. We do not cheat on exams, yet it is a wrong thing to do.

D. We do not cheat on exams, so it is a wrong thing to do.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 21 to 22

Question 21. *Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text*

Last summer, I had a wonderful trip to my grandparents' hometown in the countryside. _____

a. I spent my days exploring the nearby fields and forests, and helping my grandparents with their farm work.

b. In the evenings, we would gather around the bonfire, sharing stories and roasting marshmallows.

c. The air was fresh and clean, and the scenery was breathtaking.

A. b – a – c

B. c – b – a

C. c – a – b

D. a – c – b

Question 22. *Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 21) most appropriately.*

A. It was a busy day, so I went to bed early.

B. I felt happy because I helped my grandparents a lot.

C. It was a truly unforgettable experience that allowed me to appreciate the simple joys of life.

D. It was such a fantastic holiday that I couldn't stay there anymore.

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 23. What does the cosmetic jar symbol mean?



- A. Do not use for more than 12 minutes.
- B. Use for at least a year after opening.
- C. Only use after opening 12 minutes.
- D. Use within a year after opening.

Question 24. What does the notice say?

Carlton Cinema
Seats available for 21:15 performance.

- A. There are tickets for this evening.
- B. You can sit outside the Carlton Cinema.
- C. The cinema is closed for renovation.
- D. You will have to wait to buy tickets.

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 25. A. ensure B. unsure C. pressure D. mature

Question 26. A. message B. media C. around D. orchard

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 27 to 29

Are you a fan of distant galaxies, time travel, and alien civilizations?

Then join (27) _____ *Science Fiction Book Club*!

Don't miss out on this exciting opportunity to:

* Discover new worlds

* Meet fellow sci-fi (28) _____

* (29) _____ your imagination

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Join us and let's explore the universe, one book at a time!

Question 27. A. x (no article) B. an C. a D. the

Question 28. A. enthusiasm B. enthusiasts C. enthusiastic D. enthuse

Question 29. A. Split B. Expand C. Limit D. Create

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 30 to 33.

Making craft is a delightful hobby that allows you (30) _____ your creativity and express yourself. It's a wonderful way to relax, unwind, and escape the stresses of daily life. Whether you enjoy painting vibrant landscapes, sculpting intricate figures, or knitting cozy scarves, crafting offers a multitude of opportunities to explore your artistic side.

The process of creating something with your own hands is (31) _____. It's a chance to experiment with different techniques, materials, and colors. As you work on your projects, you'll develop new skills and improve your hand-eye coordination. (32) _____, crafting can boost your mood and reduce stress levels. The rhythmic motions involved in many crafting activities can be meditative, promoting a sense of calm and focus.

Beyond the personal benefits, crafting can also strengthen your social connections. Joining a crafting club or workshop helps you to meet like-minded individuals, share your experiences, and (33) _____. By sharing your creations with friends and family, you can spread joy and foster a sense of community.

Question 30. A. to explore B. exploring C. explore D. to exploring

Question 31. A. incredibly satisfied B. incredible satisfied
C. incredibly satisfying D. incredible satisfying

Question 32. A. However B. Additionally C. As mentioned D. For example

Question 33. A. learn for others B. learn from others C. learn with other D. learn to other

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 34 to 38.

TikTok has become a popular platform among teenagers in recent years. TikTok is a social media app that allows users to create and share short, lip-sync, comedy, and talent videos. The app provides a fun and creative outlet for teenagers to express themselves and showcase their interests and talents. TikTok has also become a source of entertainment, with its endless stream of funny and relatable content.

However, it is important for teenagers to use TikTok responsibly and be aware of the potential risks. They should be mindful of the content they post and ensure it is appropriate and respectful to others. They should also be **cautious** of cyberbullying and be aware of their privacy settings.

Despite these concerns, TikTok remains a popular platform for teenagers to **connect** with others and express their creativity. By using TikTok wisely, teenagers can enjoy its many benefits while avoiding its potential drawbacks.

Question 34. The word "**cautious**" in the passage is CLOSEST in meaning to _____

- A. aware B. focused C. confused D. careful

Question 35. What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. TikTok offers a creative outlet for teenagers, but they should use it responsibly.
B. TikTok teaches teenagers how to be more famous.
C. TikTok is a platform for sharing funny videos with friends.
D. TikTok is only used by adults for entertainment.

Question 36. The word "**connect**" in the passage is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____

- A. communicate B. share C. separate D. associate

Question 37. Which of the following statements about TikTok is NOT true?

- A. TikTok is only popular among teenagers.
B. TikTok can be a platform for creative expression.
C. TikTok is a social media platform for creating and sharing short videos.
D. TikTok has raised concerns about privacy and safety.

Question 38. How can teenagers use TikTok responsibly?

- A. By ignoring privacy settings.
B. By being mindful of their online behavior.
C. By posting inappropriate content.
D. By spending excessive time on the app.

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 39. A. friendly B. website C. special D. connect

Question 40. A. badminton B. physical C. harvester D. together

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