

**Part 1. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

- Question 1:** A. turtle B. result C. study D. |under  
**Question 2:** A. visi|tor B. func|tion C. es|tate D. |typical

**Part 2. Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

- Question 3:** A. parking B. estate C. format D. measure  
**Question 4:** A. partially B. wilderness C. molecule D. impression

**Part 3. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 5:** He felt a surge of \_\_\_\_\_ as he crossed the finish line first, winning the race.  
A. boredom B. anxiety C. curiosity D. triumph
- Question 6:** That music sounds great! \_\_\_\_\_ over and see who it is.  
A. We went B. We go C. We are going D. Let's go
- Question 7:** The biography of Marie Curie was \_\_\_\_\_ than I expected.  
A. inspiring B. more inspiring C. as inspiring D. the most inspiring
- Question 8:** If they \_\_\_\_\_ trained harder, they \_\_\_\_\_ defeated the evil wizard.  
A. had - could have B. have - can C. have - could have D. had - can
- Question 9:** Lan is furious because her internet connection keeps dropping during her online English class. Lan: "This is ridiculous! I'm going to be late for my class because of this stupid internet!" Emily: "\_\_\_\_\_"  
A. Have you tried turning the router off and on again? B. That's so frustrating! I understand why you're upset. C. Maybe you should complain to the internet provider later. D. Just relax, it's not a big deal.
- Question 10:** Can you identify the artist \_\_\_\_\_ painting won the first prize?  
A. whom B. which C. who D. whose
- Question 11:** The yoga class was incredibly \_\_\_\_\_, leaving me feeling calm and centered.  
A. shocking B. confusing C. relaxing D. demanding
- Question 12:** She baked \_\_\_\_\_ batch of cookies for the party.  
A. a entire B. a whole C. whole D. an whole

**Part 4. Read the following instruction and choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

#### HOW TO START YOUR OWN BUSINESS

1. (13) \_\_\_\_\_ up with a business idea.

2. Write a business plan.
3. Find funding for your business.
4. Get all necessary (14) \_\_\_\_\_ and licenses.
5. Choose (15) \_\_\_\_\_ business location.
6. Promote your business (16) \_\_\_\_\_ the public.

- Question 13:**    A. Go                                      B. Come                                      C. Think                                      D. Develop
- Question 14:**    A. permits                                      B. documents                                      C. permissions                                      D. applications
- Question 15:**    A. the                                      B. a                                      C. x (no article)                                      D. some
- Question 16:**    A. at                                      B. with                                      C. for                                      D. to

**Part 5. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

- Question 17:**    *Choose the correct order of sentences a, b, and c.*

The Missing Textbook

I'm in trouble because I can't find my English textbook anywhere.

- a. Now, neither of us can remember who actually has the textbook.
- b. I lent it to my friend, Nam, before the last exam.
- c. He says he already returned it to me a week ago.

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

- Question 18:**    *Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text in Question 17.*

- A. Nam and I are good friends, so it's okay.
- B. I'm worried about losing the book and not being prepared for class.
- C. I hope I can find it before the next English exam.
- D. Maybe I should ask my classmates if they have seen it.

**Part 6. Choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

The Power of a Good Laugh

Laughter is truly the best medicine, offering numerous benefits for our physical and mental well-being. When we laugh, our brains release endorphins, (19) \_\_\_\_\_ act as natural painkillers and mood boosters. (20) \_\_\_\_\_, laughter strengthens our immune system, making us less susceptible to illness. It can even help lower blood pressure and protect our hearts!

Aside from the physical benefits, laughter also has (21) \_\_\_\_\_ positive impact on our social lives. Sharing a laugh with others is a great way to connect and build relationships. (22) \_\_\_\_\_ to laugh at ourselves helps us develop humility and cope with stressful situations. So, the next time you feel stressed or down, find (23) \_\_\_\_\_ funny to watch or spend time with loved ones who make you laugh. You'll be amazed by (24) \_\_\_\_\_ much better it makes you feel!

- Question 19:**    A. where                                      B. which                                      C. who                                      D. that
- Question 20:**    A. Moreover                                      B. Although                                      C. However                                      D. Because
- Question 21:**    A. a                                      B. an                                      C. (no article)                                      D. the
- Question 22:**    A. Learning                                      B. Learned                                      C. Learn                                      D. To learn
- Question 23:**    A. something                                      B. anything                                      C. nothing                                      D. everything
- Question 24:**    A. why                                      B. how                                      C. what                                      D. when

**Part 7. Choose the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.**

**Question 25:** "He was studying for his exams all day yesterday," his sister said.

- A. His sister said that I was studying for my exams all day yesterday.
- B. His sister said that he had been studying for his exams all day the previous day.
- C. His sister said that he was studying for his exams all day the previous day.
- D. His sister said that he had been studying for his exams all day yesterday.

**Question 26:** I need you to bring your textbooks tomorrow.

- A. You bring your textbooks tomorrow.
- B. How about you bring your textbooks tomorrow?
- C. Remember to bring your textbooks tomorrow.
- D. Why not bring your textbooks tomorrow?

**Part 8. Choose the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27:** We / talk / favorite / movies.

- A. We were talking about our favorite movies.
- B. We were talking with our favorite movies.
- C. We were talking along our favorite movies.
- D. We were talking to our favorite movies.

**Question 28:** He / apologize / late / class

- A. He apologized to be late to class.
- B. He apologized for be late to class.
- C. He apologized for being late to class.
- D. He apologized for being late on class.

**Part 9. Read the following sign or notice and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

**Question 29:** You are sorting your trash at school. Which of these items would you put in the bin with this sign?



- A. Paper bags
- B. Empty food cans
- C. Glass jars
- D. Plastic bottles

**Question 30:** Who can attend this event?

**This event is open to registered participants only.**

- A. Individuals with a special invitation.
- B. Only those who have signed up beforehand.
- C. Anyone interested in the event's theme.
- D. Members of a particular organization.

**Part 10. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.**

The development of the mechanical clock in the 14th century revolutionized timekeeping. Before this invention, people relied on imprecise methods like sundials and water clocks, which were affected by weather and required constant monitoring. Early mechanical clocks, while less accurate than modern ones, allowed for consistent time measurement, particularly in Europe.

This newfound accuracy had a [profound] impact on daily life. Work, religious practices, and social events could now be scheduled with greater precision, leading to increased productivity and a more structured society. The standardization of time also facilitated trade and communication, as agreements could be made with the understanding of a shared temporal framework.

However, the widespread adoption of mechanical clocks also had its downsides. It contributed to a more [rigid] and fast-paced lifestyle, emphasizing efficiency over leisure. The constant awareness of time created new anxieties, as individuals became increasingly concerned with measuring and maximizing their output.

In conclusion, the invention of the mechanical clock represents a pivotal moment in human history. It not only transformed the way we measure time but also fundamentally reshaped our relationship with it, impacting the rhythm of our lives, both for better and for worse.

**Question 31:** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. Mechanical clocks had no negative consequences for society.
- B. The invention of the mechanical clock revolutionized timekeeping and had a significant impact on society.
- C. Timekeeping was not important before the 14th century.
- D. Sundials and water clocks were more accurate than mechanical clocks.

**Question 32:** The word "profound" in paragraph 2 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. insignificant
- B. temporary
- C. superficial
- D. significant

**Question 33:** How did the standardization of time benefit trade and communication?

- A. It made people more concerned with efficiency.
- B. It had no impact on trade and communication.
- C. It led to the invention of new technologies.
- D. It allowed people to make agreements based on a shared understanding of time.

**Question 34:** Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a consequence of mechanical clocks?

- A. Increased productivity.
- B. A faster-paced lifestyle.
- C. A more structured society.
- D. Increased free time.

**Question 35:** What is the author's overall view of the impact of mechanical clocks?

- A. They had no real impact on society.
- B. They had both positive and negative consequences.
- C. They were entirely detrimental to society.
- D. They were entirely beneficial to society.

**Question 36:** The word "rigid" in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. unyielding
- B. strict
- C. inflexible
- D. flexible

**Part 11.** Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.

The evolution of language is a fascinating journey through time. From ancient cave paintings to modern emojis, humans have always sought new ways to communicate. One of the most significant developments in this evolution was the emergence of writing systems. (37) \_\_\_\_\_, allowing for the recording and transmission of knowledge across generations.

The earliest known writing systems, such as cuneiform and hieroglyphics, used pictographs and ideograms to represent words and concepts. These early scripts were complex and required years of training to master. (38) \_\_\_\_\_.

The invention of the alphabet by the Phoenicians around 1000 BCE revolutionized writing. With a limited set of symbols representing individual sounds, the alphabet was easier to learn and adapt to different languages. (39) \_\_\_\_\_.

Today, while we enjoy the benefits of a globalized written language, new forms of communication continue to emerge. Text messaging, for example, has spawned its own set of abbreviations and slang, (40) \_\_\_\_\_ and constantly evolving.

- A. demonstrating that language remains a dynamic and ever-changing aspect of human culture.
- B. Its simplicity and adaptability led to its widespread adoption and the flourishing of literacy.
- C. However, they laid the foundation for the development of more accessible writing systems.
- D. This innovation marked a pivotal moment in human history,

**Question 37:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 38:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 39:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 40:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Câu	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
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**Part 1. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

- Question 1:** A. hardware                      B. carry                      C. challenge                      D. impact
- Question 2:** A. disorder                      B. assistance                      C. position                      D. serious

**Part 2. Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

- Question 3:** A. laughter                      B. famous                      C. pattern                      D. explore
- Question 4:** A. recipe                      B. expected                      C. exactly                      D. sensation

**Part 3. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 5:** After the forest fire, the once lush landscape was a \_\_\_\_\_ wasteland.  
A. peaceful                      B. crowded                      C. desolate                      D. vibrant
- Question 6:** He \_\_\_\_\_ a bicycle for his birthday last year.  
A. got                      B. get                      C. gets                      D. was getting
- Question 7:** Da Nang is considered \_\_\_\_\_ modern as any other coastal city in Vietnam.  
A. so                      B. as                      C. more                      D. most
- Question 8:** If they \_\_\_\_\_ us about their culture, we \_\_\_\_\_ more understanding.  
A. taught - will have                      B. teach - will have                      C. taught - would have                      D. teach - would have
- Question 9:** Mai's host family gave her a lovely birthday present.  
Mai: "This is such a thoughtful gift! Thank you so much, Mrs. Smith."  
Mrs. Smith: " \_\_\_\_\_ "  
A. Oh, it was nothing special.                      B. Don't worry about it.                      C. You're very welcome, Mai. We're so glad you like it.                      D. It's just a small something.
- Question 10:** Do you remember the day \_\_\_\_\_ we first met?  
A. where                      B. that                      C. when                      D. which
- Question 11:** The smell of freshly baked bread was so \_\_\_\_\_ that I had to buy a loaf.  
A. valuable                      B. tempting                      C. enormous                      D. careful
- Question 12:** \_\_\_\_\_ dogs enjoy playing fetch in the park.  
A. Most                      B. Almost all of the                      C. The majority of the                      D. Many of

**Part 4. Read the following instruction and choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

#### HOW TO BUILD SELF-DISCIPLINE

1. Set clear and (13) \_\_\_\_\_ goals for yourself.

2. Break down large tasks (14) \_\_\_\_\_ smaller, manageable steps.
3. Eliminate distractions and create (15) \_\_\_\_\_ productive environment.
4. Practice self-control and resist the urge to (16) \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Track your progress and celebrate your successes.
6. Don't be afraid to ask for support from others.

- Question 13:**    A. achieved                      B. achieving                      C. achievable                      D. achieve
- Question 14:**    A. with                                  B. into                                  C. over                                  D. for
- Question 15:**    A. x (no article)                      B. the                                  C. a                                  D. an
- Question 16:**    A. procrastinate                      B. procrastinated                      C. procrastinating                      D. procrastination

**Part 5. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

**Question 17:**    *Choose the correct order of sentences a, b, and c.*

The Slurping Soup

Lunch at my friend's house was a learning experience, to say the least.

- a. His mother smiled and explained that in their culture, it was a sign of enjoyment.
- b. We sat down to a delicious-smelling bowl of noodle soup.
- c. My friend, unaware of my discomfort, began loudly slurping his soup.

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

**Question 18:**    *Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text in Question 17.*

- A. I politely asked for a spoon, hoping to avoid any further embarrassment.
- B. I realized that table manners can vary greatly around the world.
- C. The soup was indeed delicious, despite the unusual way of eating it.
- D. I tried it myself, feeling a little awkward but also understanding a new custom.

**Part 6. Choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

Understanding the Human Brain

The human brain is an incredibly complex organ responsible for everything we think, feel, and do. It controls our voluntary actions like walking and talking, (19) \_\_\_\_\_ also our involuntary actions like breathing and heartbeat. (20) \_\_\_\_\_ amazing fact about the brain is its ability to constantly adapt and change throughout our lives, a process known as neuroplasticity.

This means that we can learn new skills, form new memories, and even recover from (21) \_\_\_\_\_ brain injuries. Scientists are still working to understand the full potential of the brain, but one thing is clear: (22) \_\_\_\_\_ is no other organ quite like it. Learning about how our brains work can help us make better decisions, improve our memory, and even boost our creativity. (23) \_\_\_\_\_, understanding the brain can empower us to live healthier, happier, and more fulfilling lives. (24) \_\_\_\_\_ to learn more about this incredible organ?

- Question 19:**    A. and                                  B. so                                  C. but                                  D. because
- Question 20:**    A. Other                                  B. Another                                  C. One                                  D. Any
- Question 21:**    A. little                                  B. much                                  C. some                                  D. any
- Question 22:**    A. it                                  B. this                                  C. that                                  D. there
- Question 23:**    A. Ultimately                                  B. However                                  C. Because                                  D. Although



**Question 24:**    A. Ready are you                      B. Ready you are                      C. Are you ready                      D. You are ready

**Part 7. Choose the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.**

**Question 25:**    "I was studying English last night when you called," he said.

- A. He said that he had been studying English the previous night when I called.
- B. He said that I was studying English last night when he called.
- C. He said that he was studying English last night when I called.
- D. He said that I had been studying English the previous night when he called.

**Question 26:**    It's essential to get enough sleep before a big test.

- A. Before a big test, getting enough sleep is essential.
- B. Getting enough sleep before a big test, which is essential.
- C. Why is getting enough sleep before a big test essential?
- D. Ensure you are well-rested before taking an important exam.

**Part 8. Choose the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27:**    I / encourage / everyone / participate / upcoming event.

- A. I encourage everyone for participation in the upcoming event.
- B. I encourage everyone to participate in the upcoming event.
- C. I encourage everyone to participate on the upcoming event.
- D. I encourage everyone participating in the upcoming event.

**Question 28:**    Minh / love / play basketball / friends / school.

- A. Minh loves play basketball with his friend after school.
- B. Minh loving playing basketball to his friends after school.
- C. Minh loves playing basketball with his friends after school.
- D. Minh loves playing basketball with his friends at school.

**Part 9. Read the following sign or notice and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

**Question 29:**    You are driving down a residential street and see the sign below. What should you do?



- A. Drive slowly and be careful because children and animals might be playing near the road.
- B. Stop your car and wait for kids and pets to move.
- C. Honk your horn to warn the kids and pets.
- D. There are kids and pets crossing the road ahead.

**Question 30:**    When might you be charged a fee?

**We understand that emergencies happen.  
However, missing your appointment without  
prior notice may incur a charge.**

- A. If you forget to bring your insurance card.
- B. If you reschedule your appointment with short notice.
- C. If you don't show up and don't inform the office.
- D. If you arrive late to your appointment.

**Part 10. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.**

While the LEGO Group was founded in 1932, the [iconic] LEGO brick we know today wasn't introduced until 1958. This revolutionary design, featuring studs and tubes underneath, allowed for secure interlocking and endless building possibilities. This simple yet ingenious invention quickly gained popularity, captivating children and adults alike.

The success of the LEGO brick can be attributed to its versatility. Unlike traditional toys that limit play to specific scenarios, LEGO bricks offer open-ended play, encouraging creativity and imagination. Children can construct anything they envision, from houses and cars to spaceships and robots. This limitless potential for creativity is central to LEGO's enduring appeal.

LEGO's popularity extends far beyond simple building toys. The brand has successfully expanded into the digital world with video games, animated movies, and even educational software. These multimedia ventures often incorporate problem-solving elements and promote collaborative play, reflecting the core values found in traditional LEGO building.

Despite facing competition from digital entertainment, LEGO remains a beloved and [enduring] toy. Its ability to adapt to changing trends, embrace new technologies, and, most importantly, continue sparking creativity ensures that LEGO bricks will likely remain a staple in playrooms for generations to come.

**Question 31:** What is the main topic of the reading passage?

- A. The design and production of LEGO bricks.
- B. The history and continued popularity of LEGO.
- C. The differences between LEGO and other building toys.
- D. The various LEGO video games and movies available.

**Question 32:** The word "iconic" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. complex
- B. famous
- C. recent
- D. colorful

**Question 33:** What feature of LEGO bricks is highlighted as being key to their success?

- A. Their ability to be joined together in many ways.
- B. Their bright colors and attractive designs.
- C. Their connection to popular movies and characters.
- D. Their low cost and availability in stores.

**Question 34:** Which of these is NOT mentioned as a way LEGO has expanded its brand?

- A. Developing video games.
- B. Creating educational software.
- C. Producing animated movies.
- D. Creating LEGO themed clothing lines.

**Question 35:** What does the author believe about the future of LEGO?

- A. LEGO will soon be replaced by digital toys.
- B. LEGO should focus only on traditional building bricks.
- C. LEGO needs to change drastically to survive.
- D. LEGO will remain popular for many years.

**Question 36:** The word "enduring" in paragraph 4 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. temporary
- B. widespread
- C. lasting
- D. significant

**Part 11. Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

France is renowned worldwide for its exceptional cuisine, and at the heart of this culinary legacy lies its exquisite baking tradition. From crusty baguettes to delicate pastries, French baking (37) \_\_\_\_\_ that has captivated taste buds for centuries.

One of the cornerstones of French baking is the emphasis on using high-quality, fresh ingredients. (38) \_\_\_\_\_, flour, butter, and sugar are carefully selected to ensure optimal flavor and texture in every creation. French bakers believe that using the finest ingredients is crucial for achieving the desired taste and consistency.

The art of French baking extends far beyond simple bread and pastries. (39) \_\_\_\_\_, showcasing both sweet and savory flavors. From buttery croissants to elaborate fruit tarts and delicate macarons, French baking offers an extensive repertoire of treats to satisfy every palate.

(40) \_\_\_\_\_, French baking represents a true testament to the country's dedication to culinary excellence. It is a tradition that continues to inspire and delight food enthusiasts around the globe.

- A. It encompasses a wide variety of baked goods
- B. With its meticulous techniques and dedication to quality
- C. Whether it's traditional baguettes or delicate pastries
- D. is a time-honored art form

**Question 37:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 38:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 39:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 40:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Câu	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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Chọn	B	B	A	D	D	A	D	C	A	B

**Part 1. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

- Question 1:** A. construct                      B. |u|rban                      C. cl|u|ster                      D. c|u|lture
- Question 2:** A. a|g|enda                      B. |g|iven                      C. re|g|ional                      D. sur|g|ery

**Part 2. Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

- Question 3:** A. without                      B. second                      C. servant                      D. boring
- Question 4:** A. behavior                      B. courtesy                      C. attribute                      D. committee

**Part 3. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 5:** The restaurant's signature dish was a \_\_\_\_\_ combination of sweet and spicy flavors.  
A. simple                      B. bland                      C. ordinary                      D. tantalizing
- Question 6:** Look at the long queue! We \_\_\_\_\_ here for ages!  
A. are waiting                      B. wait                      C. will be waiting                      D. are going to be waiting
- Question 7:** I find reading books \_\_\_\_\_ than watching movies.  
A. relaxing                      B. as relaxing as                      C. more relaxing                      D. most relaxing
- Question 8:** My parents \_\_\_\_\_ disappointed if I \_\_\_\_\_ to do my homework.  
A. will be - forget                      B. are - forget                      C. would be - forgot                      D. would be - will forget
- Question 9:** Vy is inviting her friend Chloe to go shopping with her.  
Vy: "I'm going shopping for some new clothes later. Want to come?"  
Chloe: " \_\_\_\_\_ "  
A. I have to ask my parents first.                      B. Sure, I'd love to! What are you shopping for?  
C. I hate shopping.                      D. Can you lend me some money?
- Question 10:** The new restaurant, \_\_\_\_\_ specializes in seafood, has quickly become very popular.  
A. that                      B. which                      C. who                      D. where
- Question 11:** My sister is very \_\_\_\_\_; she can draw almost anything.  
A. previous                      B. talented                      C. enormous                      D. grateful
- Question 12:** There are \_\_\_\_\_ empty tables left in the restaurant.  
A. many                      B. much                      C. a few                      D. a little

**Part 4. Read the following instruction and choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

## HOW TO MANAGE YOUR EMAIL INBOX

1. Delete (13) \_\_\_\_\_ and unnecessary emails as soon as you see them.
2. Use folders to organize emails (14) \_\_\_\_\_ different categories.
3. (15) \_\_\_\_\_ from unwanted email lists.
4. Check your inbox two or three times (16) \_\_\_\_\_ day and respond to important emails promptly.

- Question 13:**    A. personal                      B. spam                      C. important                      D. work
- Question 14:**    A. to                      B. with                      C. for                      D. into
- Question 15:**    A. Subscribe                      B. Reply                      C. Unsubscribe                      D. Delete
- Question 16:**    A. per                      B. a                      C. each                      D. the

### *Part 5. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.*

- Question 17:**    *Choose the correct order of sentences a, b, and c.*

The New Student

Our class was surprised when a new student joined us in the middle of the semester.

- a. Mr. Tran introduced him as Minh, who had just moved from Hanoi.
- b. During recess, I noticed Minh was looking lost, so I decided to be brave.
- c. I felt awkward because I wasn't sure how to start a conversation with him.

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

- Question 18:**    *Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text in Question 17.*

- A. I said hello, and we ended up talking about our favorite comic books.
- B. I wondered if he would like to join our school's football team.
- C. The bell rang, and everyone went back to class quickly.
- D. He seemed nice, but I was too busy to talk to anyone then.

### *Part 6. Choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.*

The Invisible Force: Magnetism

Magnets are objects that can attract certain metals. This invisible force is called magnetism. (19) \_\_\_\_\_ magnet has two ends, called poles, where the magnetic force is strongest. One pole is called the north pole, and the other is called the south pole. Opposite poles attract each other, (20) \_\_\_\_\_ similar poles repel. This means that a north pole will attract a south pole, but it will repel another north pole.

We use magnets (21) \_\_\_\_\_ in our daily lives. They are found in many everyday objects, such as refrigerators, computers, and credit cards. (22) \_\_\_\_\_, magnets are used in electric motors, generators, and speakers. (23) \_\_\_\_\_ understanding how magnets work, we can create new technologies that use this amazing force. Magnets are (24) \_\_\_\_\_ example of how science can be used to improve our lives.

- Question 19:**    A. All                      B. Each of                      C. Every                      D. Some of
- Question 20:**    A. if                      B. while                      C. so                      D. because
- Question 21:**    A. for extensive                      B. extensively                      C. to extensive                      D. extensively to
- Question 22:**    A. However                      B. Furthermore                      C. Although                      D. Despite
- Question 23:**    A. For                      B. To                      C. With                      D. By

**Question 24:**    A. a fascinated                      B. fascinating a                      C. fascinated a                      D. a fascinating

**Part 7. Choose the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.**

**Question 25:**    "We might go to the beach tomorrow if the weather is nice," they said.

- A. They said they might have gone to the beach the next day if the weather was nice.
- B. They said they might go to the beach the next day if the weather was nice.
- C. They said they might be going to the beach the next day if the weather is nice.
- D. They said they might go to the beach tomorrow if the weather is nice.

**Question 26:**    How about listening to some music to relax?

- A. How about we listen to some music to relax?
- B. What about listen to some music to relax?
- C. Let's listening to some music to relax.
- D. Why not listen to some music to relax?

**Part 8. Choose the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27:**    We / start / basics / move / complex concepts.

- A. Let's start with the basics before moving on to more complex concepts.
- B. Let's start with the basics before moving at more complex concepts.
- C. Let's start for the basics before moving on to more complex concepts.
- D. Let's start with the basics before moving up more complex concepts.

**Question 28:**    I / use / drive / left side / road.

- A. I am not used to driving on the left side of the road.
- B. I am not use to driving in the left side of the road.
- C. I am not used to drive on the left of the road.
- D. I am not used to driving on the left side on the road.

**Part 9. Read the following sign or notice and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

**Question 29:**    You are at the park and see this sign. What does it mean?



- A. Do not throw trash on the ground.
- B. Do not touch anything red.
- C. Do not throw rocks.
- D. Do not stand in this area.

**Question 30:**    What benefit do customers get for spending a certain amount?

**Free delivery on orders over \$100 - Shop now!**

- A. They are automatically entered into a prize draw.
- B. They receive a discount on their entire purchase.
- C. They get to choose a free gift with their order.
- D. They qualify for free shipping on their order.

**Part 10. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.**

The exploration of Mars for signs of past or present life has captivated scientists and the public alike. While the Red Planet appears desolate today, evidence suggests that it once possessed conditions more [conducive] to life.

One compelling piece of evidence is the presence of ancient riverbeds and minerals that form in the presence of water. These findings suggest that liquid water, a key ingredient for life as we know it, once flowed on Mars's surface. Additionally, the discovery of methane in the Martian atmosphere has intrigued scientists, as methane can be a byproduct of biological activity.

However, the search for life on Mars is not without its challenges. The planet's thin atmosphere provides little protection from harmful radiation, and its surface temperatures are extreme. Moreover, the absence of a global magnetic field leaves Mars vulnerable to solar wind, which can strip away its atmosphere over time.

Despite these challenges, the search for life on Mars continues. Rovers and orbiters equipped with advanced instruments are meticulously examining the planet's surface and atmosphere, searching for any signs of past or present life, however small. The quest to determine if we are alone in the universe drives this exploration, and the answers we find on Mars may hold [profound] implications for our understanding of life itself.

**Question 31:** What is the main topic of the reading passage?

- A. The search for life on Mars and the challenges involved.
- B. The differences between Earth and Mars.
- C. The effects of solar wind on planets.
- D. The history of Mars exploration.

**Question 32:** The word "conducive" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. similar
- B. dangerous
- C. hostile
- D. favorable

**Question 33:** What evidence suggests that Mars might have once supported life?

- A. Ancient riverbeds and minerals that form in water.
- B. The red color of the planet's surface.
- C. The presence of a thin atmosphere.
- D. Extreme surface temperatures.

**Question 34:** Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a challenge for life on Mars?

- A. Volcanic eruptions.
- B. Harmful radiation.
- C. Thin atmosphere.
- D. Extreme temperatures.

**Question 35:** According to the passage, what is being used to search for life on Mars?

- A. Satellites orbiting Earth.
- B. Telescopes on Earth.
- C. Human missions to Mars.
- D. Rovers and orbiters with advanced instruments.

**Question 36:** The word "profound" in paragraph 4 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. insignificant
- B. significant
- C. deep
- D. meaningful

**Part 11.** Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.

Puppetry, a captivating form of live performance, utilizes inanimate objects to tell compelling stories. (37) \_\_\_\_\_, captivating audiences of all ages for centuries. From intricately crafted marionettes to simple shadow puppets, the art form transcends cultural boundaries with its universal appeal.

The origins of puppetry can be traced back to ancient civilizations, (38) \_\_\_\_\_. Evidence suggests that puppets were used for ritualistic purposes in Egypt as far back as 2000 BCE, while in India, puppetry traditions have been interwoven with storytelling and mythology for over two millennia.



The magic of puppetry lies in its ability to breathe life into the inanimate. (39) \_\_\_\_\_. A skilled puppeteer can convey a wide range of emotions, from joy and sorrow to anger and fear, through subtle manipulations of the puppet's movements and expressions.

Today, puppetry continues to thrive as (40) \_\_\_\_\_. Contemporary productions often blend traditional techniques with modern technology, incorporating multimedia elements, innovative puppet designs, and experimental narratives to push the boundaries of this ancient art form.

- A. A simple wooden figure can become a mischievous character or a wise old sage.
- B. a vibrant and evolving art form
- C. with roots spanning across the globe.
- D. This ancient art form has entertained

**Question 37:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 38:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 39:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 40:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Part 1. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

- Question 1:** A. h|a|ndle B. aw|a|rd C. ex|a|ct D. |a|nger  
**Question 2:** A. out|c|ome B. lo|c|ate C. |c|enter D. re|c|ommend

**Part 2. Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

- Question 3:** A. jealous B. accuse C. language D. living  
**Question 4:** A. architect B. arrangement C. criminal D. tendency

**Part 3. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 5:** The airline provided excellent \_\_\_\_\_ service, ensuring a comfortable and enjoyable flight.  
A. hotel B. cabin C. airport D. baggage
- Question 6:** This movie is boring. \_\_\_\_\_ something else to watch.  
A. We found B. We find C. We are finding D. Let's find
- Question 7:** This historical fiction book has \_\_\_\_\_ characters I've ever encountered.  
A. realistic B. the most realistic C. more realistic D. as realistic
- Question 8:** If I \_\_\_\_\_ more free time, I \_\_\_\_\_ my friends more often.  
A. had - visited B. will have - visit C. had - would visit D. have - will visit
- Question 9:** Linh is struggling to reach a book on a high shelf in the library. She notices a librarian, George, nearby.  
Linh: "Excuse me, \_\_\_\_\_"  
George: "Of course, which book do you need?"  
A. Could you help me reach that book? B. This is a tall bookshelf. C. Where is the librarian? D. Do you like that book?
- Question 10:** This is the best pho \_\_\_\_\_ I have eaten in Hanoi.  
A. who B. that C. where D. when
- Question 11:** The baby was so \_\_\_\_\_ with her big blue eyes and chubby cheeks.  
A. straight B. skinny C. long D. adorable
- Question 12:** \_\_\_\_\_ employees must wash their hands before returning to work.  
A. Each of the B. Every of the C. The all D. All

**Part 4. Read the following instruction and choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

#### HOW TO BE HONEST AND TRUSTWORTHY

1. Be truthful (13) \_\_\_\_\_ all times.

2. Keep your promises, even if it's hard.
3. Admit when you've made (14) \_\_\_\_\_ mistake.
4. Don't (15) \_\_\_\_\_ or steal.
5. (16) \_\_\_\_\_ up for what you believe in.
6. Be someone that others can rely on.

<b>Question 13:</b>	<b>A.</b> in	<b>B.</b> for	<b>C.</b> on	<b>D.</b> at
<b>Question 14:</b>	<b>A.</b> the	<b>B.</b> a	<b>C.</b> x (no article)	<b>D.</b> an
<b>Question 15:</b>	<b>A.</b> ignore	<b>B.</b> lie	<b>C.</b> cheat	<b>D.</b> hide
<b>Question 16:</b>	<b>A.</b> Believe	<b>B.</b> Stand	<b>C.</b> Fight	<b>D.</b> Speak

**Part 5. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

**Question 17:** *Choose the correct order of sentences a, b, and c.*

The Early Bird

My grandpa is a creature of habit and wakes up at 5 am every day.

- a. At breakfast, he grumbled to my grandma, "Well, this is a fine start to the day!"
- b. He missed his usual walk and morning coffee with his friends.
- c. One morning, he accidentally slept in until the late hour of 6 am.

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

**Question 18:** *Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text in Question 17.*

- A.** The day continued with unexpected events, further disrupting his mood.
- B.** He decided to stay home all day, feeling out of sorts from the change.
- C.** His sarcasm hinted at his unusual sleep schedule and how much he missed his routine.
- D.** Grandma chuckled and said, "Don't worry, you'll be back on track tomorrow."

**Part 6. Choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

The Beautiful Game: A History of Football

Football, known globally as soccer in some countries, has a long and rich history. (19) \_\_\_\_\_ believe the sport originated in ancient China, with a game called "cuju". However, it was in England during the 19th century that football began to resemble the game we know today. (20) \_\_\_\_\_, the Football Association, the sport's governing body, was established in England in 1863, and the first set of official rules were established.

Football quickly spread throughout the world, becoming (21) \_\_\_\_\_ popular sport by the early 20th century. The FIFA World Cup, first held in 1930, is now the most watched sporting event in the world. (22) \_\_\_\_\_ the decades, football has seen the rise of legendary players like Pelé, Maradona, and Messi, who have inspired generations with their incredible skill. (23) \_\_\_\_\_ its simplicity and accessibility, football continues to captivate millions, proving it truly is (24) \_\_\_\_\_ "the beautiful game".

<b>Question 19:</b>	<b>A.</b> Historians of many	<b>B.</b> Historians many	<b>C.</b> Many of historians	<b>D.</b> Many historians
<b>Question 20:</b>	<b>A.</b> Significant	<b>B.</b> Signify	<b>C.</b> Significance	<b>D.</b> Significantly
<b>Question 21:</b>	<b>A.</b> an incredibly	<b>B.</b> incredibly an	<b>C.</b> incredible	<b>D.</b> a incredible
<b>Question 22:</b>	<b>A.</b> During	<b>B.</b> While	<b>C.</b> Despite	<b>D.</b> Throughout
<b>Question 23:</b>	<b>A.</b> Due to	<b>B.</b> So	<b>C.</b> Although	<b>D.</b> Because

**Question 24:**    A. deserving call                      B. deservedly called                      C. deserve to call                      D. called deservedly

**Part 7. Choose the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.**

**Question 25:**    "The train leaves at 8 o'clock every morning," the station master said.

- A. The station master said that the train left at 8 o'clock that morning.
- B. The station master said that the train leaves at 8 o'clock every morning.
- C. The station master said that the train left at 8 o'clock every morning.
- D. The station master said that the train leaved at 8 o'clock every morning.

**Question 26:**    I need you to explain this grammar rule again.

- A. Explain this grammar rule again, please.
- B. Can you explaining this grammar rule again?
- C. Would you mind explaining this grammar rule again?
- D. I don't understand this grammar rule again.

**Part 8. Choose the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27:**    work / I / head / gym

- A. After work, I'm heading for the gym.
- B. After work, I'm heading up the gym.
- C. After work, I'm heading at the gym.
- D. After work, I'm heading on the gym.

**Question 28:**    I / look / hear / you / soon.

- A. I am looking forward hearing from you soonly.
- B. I look forward to hearing from your soon.
- C. I am looking forward to hearing from you soon.
- D. I am looking to hear from you soon.

**Part 9. Read the following sign or notice and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

**Question 29:**    You are at the supermarket looking for a snack. You see this sign on a package of cookies. What does this sign tell you about the cookies?



- A. The cookies are grown on a farm.
- B. The cookies are green in color.
- C. The cookies are made without any animal products.
- D. The cookies are shaped like leaves.

**Question 30:**    Where should you avoid storing the battery?

**Do not expose the battery to extreme temperatures.**

- A. In very hot or very cold places.
- B. In high or low altitudes.
- C. In dark or damp places.
- D. In areas with strong wifi signals.

**Part 10. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.**

Giant pandas are iconic bears known for their distinctive black and white fur. While their appearance is universally recognized, their diet remains a fascinating [paradox]. Despite belonging to the order Carnivora, these bears have evolved to rely almost entirely on bamboo for sustenance. This highly specialized diet presents unique challenges and plays a crucial role in their conservation.

Bamboo, a type of grass, constitutes over 99% of a panda's diet. They consume various parts of the plant, including shoots, stems, and leaves. However, digesting this fibrous food source is challenging for their digestive system, originally designed for a carnivorous lifestyle. To cope, pandas possess powerful jaws and teeth that can crush and grind bamboo effectively.

Nevertheless, their digestive tract remains relatively short, resembling that of carnivores rather than herbivores. This limits their ability to efficiently extract nutrients from bamboo, necessitating a high food intake. Pandas spend up to 14 hours daily foraging and consuming vast quantities of bamboo, up to 40 kg, to meet their nutritional needs.

This reliance on bamboo makes pandas vulnerable to habitat loss, a major threat to their survival. Deforestation and fragmentation of bamboo forests due to human activities significantly impact their ability to find sufficient food. As a result, conservation efforts often focus on protecting and restoring these [vital] bamboo habitats.

**Question 31:** What is the main topic of this reading passage?

- A. The unique challenges and importance of the giant panda's bamboo diet.
- B. The evolutionary history of giant pandas.
- C. The impact of human activities on giant pandas.
- D. The different types of bamboo consumed by giant pandas.

**Question 32:** The word "paradox" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. characteristic
- B. similarity
- C. contradiction
- D. problem

**Question 33:** What does the writer describe in paragraph 2?

- A. The nutritional content of bamboo.
- B. Adaptations pandas have for eating bamboo.
- C. The digestive system of carnivores.
- D. The different types of bamboo forests.

**Question 34:** Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a part of bamboo eaten by pandas?

- A. stems
- B. shoots
- C. leaves
- D. roots

**Question 35:** What does the writer say is a major threat to panda survival?

- A. Lack of genetic diversity
- B. Habitat loss and bamboo forest fragmentation
- C. Climate change
- D. Competition with other animals

**Question 36:** The word "vital" in paragraph 4 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. unimportant
- B. necessary
- C. crucial
- D. essential

**Part 11.** Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.

Food waste is a global issue with significant environmental and economic consequences. (37) \_\_\_\_\_ is the staggering amount of perfectly edible food that ends up in landfills each year. This waste occurs throughout the food supply chain, from farms to our own kitchens.

One of the primary reasons for food waste at the consumer level is the misunderstanding of date labels. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. "Best before" dates, on the other hand, indicate peak quality but don't necessarily mean the food is unsafe to eat after that date.

Another contributing factor is our tendency to overbuy and overprepare food. We often purchase more than we need, especially when enticed by supermarket deals, and end up discarding uneaten portions. (39) \_\_\_\_\_.

By adopting simple yet effective strategies like meal planning, understanding date labels, and storing food properly, we can drastically reduce food waste in our homes. (40) \_\_\_\_\_, saving money, and minimizing our environmental impact.

- A. Many people mistakenly believe that "use by" and "best before" dates have the same meaning.
- B. Additionally, improper storage can lead to premature spoilage, further contributing to the problem.
- C. These actions contribute to a more sustainable lifestyle
- D. A major concern

**Question 37:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 38:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 39:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 40:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Chọn	A	D	A	B	C	C	A	C	C	A
Câu	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
Chọn	A	C	B	D	B	A	D	A	B	C



**Part 1. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

- Question 1:** A. tour|i|st B. test|i|ng C. w|i|nter D. inv|i|te
- Question 2:** A. |t|opic B. con|t|act C. ac|t|ive D. atten|t|ion

**Part 2. Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

- Question 3:** A. compel B. yourself C. yellow D. command
- Question 4:** A. concentrate B. assemble C. comedy D. slavery

**Part 3. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 5:** The playful otter \_\_\_\_\_ in the river, its sleek body twisting and turning with ease.  
A. floated B. trembled C. slumbered D. frolicked
- Question 6:** She \_\_\_\_\_ a letter while he \_\_\_\_\_ the guitar.  
A. wrote, was playing B. was writing, played C. wrote, played D. was writing, was playing
- Question 7:** Spending time with family is \_\_\_\_\_ part of my week.  
A. happier B. the happiest C. happy D. as happy
- Question 8:** If she \_\_\_\_\_ a witch, she \_\_\_\_\_ a magic wand.  
A. were - has B. were - would have C. is - has D. is - would have
- Question 9:** Duc is thanking his friend's mom, Mrs. Wilson, for the delicious dinner.  
Duc: "Mrs. Wilson, thank you so much for the wonderful dinner. It was absolutely delicious."  
Mrs. Wilson: " \_\_\_\_\_ "  
A. You must be very hungry! B. Please, eat some more! C. Oh, it was nothing special. D. You're very welcome, Duc. I'm so glad you enjoyed it.
- Question 10:** This is the only book \_\_\_\_\_ he has written.  
A. that B. where C. which D. who
- Question 11:** He felt \_\_\_\_\_ by the constant noise from the construction site next door.  
A. fascinated B. soothed C. refreshed D. irritated
- Question 12:** \_\_\_\_\_ theories attempt to explain the origin of the universe.  
A. The number of B. One of C. Much D. Several

**Part 4. Read the following instruction and choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

1. Start by addressing your letter (13) \_\_\_\_\_ the hiring manager.
2. In the first paragraph, state (14) \_\_\_\_\_ position you're applying for.
3. (15) \_\_\_\_\_ your skills and experiences that are relevant to the job description.
4. At the end of your letter, express your (16) \_\_\_\_\_ for the opportunity.

- Question 13:**    A. for                                      B. at                                      C. to                                      D. with
- Question 14:**    A. x (no article)                      B. an                                      C. a                                      D. the
- Question 15:**    A. Minimize                              B. Downplay                              C. Highlight                              D. Hide
- Question 16:**    A. indifference                              B. enthusiasm                              C. disinterest                              D. apathy

**Part 5. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

- Question 17:**    *Choose the correct order of sentences a, b, and c.*

The Movie Night

We decided to have a movie night at home with popcorn and snacks.

- a. Halfway through the movie, the power went out in our neighborhood.
- b. We lit candles, told each other spooky stories, and had fun.
- c. We chose an exciting action movie and got cozy on the couch.

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

- Question 18:**    *Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text in Question 17.*

- A. We waited for hours, hoping the power would return.
- B. It turned into a memorable evening filled with laughter and imagination.
- C. It was frustrating, but we made the best of the situation.
- D. We couldn't finish the movie, which was disappointing.

**Part 6. Choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

The Magic of Imagination

Imagination is a powerful tool that helps us in many ways. It allows us to escape into (19) \_\_\_\_\_ worlds, explore new ideas, and solve problems creatively. When we imagine, we use our minds to create something new, whether it's a story, a piece of art, or a solution to (20) \_\_\_\_\_ challenge.

Some people might think that imagination is only for children, but that's not true! Adults can benefit from using their imagination too. For example, imagining yourself succeeding at a task can (21) \_\_\_\_\_ you feel more confident and motivated. (22) \_\_\_\_\_, it's important to remember that imagination is different from reality. We should enjoy the creative power of our minds, (23) \_\_\_\_\_ also stay grounded in the real world. Imagination is a wonderful gift, and it's up to us to use it wisely (24) \_\_\_\_\_ our lives.

- Question 19:**    A. fantastically                              B. fantastically                              C. fantastic                              D. a fantastic
- Question 20:**    A. any difficult                              B. the difficult                              C. a difficult                              D. difficult
- Question 21:**    A. to act                                      B. actually                                      C. actual                                      D. act
- Question 22:**    A. Therefore                                      B. Although                                      C. However                                      D. Because
- Question 23:**    A. so                                      B. for                                      C. but                                      D. because
- Question 24:**    A. enriching                                      B. enrich                                      C. for enrich                                      D. to enrich

**Part 7. Choose the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.**

**Question 25:** "The dog was barking all night last night," the neighbor grumbled.

- A. The neighbor grumbled that the dog had been barking all night the night before.
- B. The neighbor grumbled that the dog was barking all night the night before.
- C. The neighbor grumbled that the dog had been barking all night last night.
- D. The neighbor grumbled that the dog was barking all night last night.

**Question 26:** I prefer eating Vietnamese food.

- A. I am prefer eating Vietnamese food.
- B. I prefer to eat Vietnamese food than.
- C. I like eating Vietnamese food more than any other type of cuisine.
- D. I like eat Vietnamese food more than other food.

**Part 8. Choose the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27:** I / interest / learn / different cultures

- A. I'm interested to learn about different cultures.
- B. I'm interested in learn about different cultures.
- C. I'm interested in learning about different cultures.
- D. I'm interesting in learning about different cultures.

**Question 28:** I / accustomed / read / bed

- A. I accustomed to reading to bed.
- B. I am accustomed for reading before bed.
- C. I am accustomed to reading before bed.
- D. I am accustomed read before bed.

**Part 9. Read the following sign or notice and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

**Question 29:** You are on a school trip and one of your classmates suddenly feels unwell. You see this sign on the wall. What does it mean?



- A. This is the location of the first aid kit.
- B. This room is only for making phone calls.
- C. You can find a phone here to call for medical help.
- D. There is a doctor available if you pick up the phone.

**Question 30:** What can you infer from this website notice?

**This website is best viewed in Chrome or Firefox.**

- A. The website recommends using Chrome or Firefox for optimal speed.
- B. The website may not work properly in other browsers.
- C. Chrome and Firefox are the most secure browsers to use.
- D. The website only supports the Chrome and Firefox browsers.

**Part 10. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.**

The fountain pen, a writing instrument with a nib that channels liquid ink, has a rich history dating back to the 10th century. Early examples, like those used in ancient Egypt and China, were [rudimentary], often relying on gravity to feed ink to the nib. However, it was in the 19th century that the fountain pen saw significant advancements.

The invention of new manufacturing processes and materials, such as vulcanized rubber and ebonite, led to the production of more reliable and affordable pens. Companies like Waterman and Parker emerged, pioneering innovations like self-filling mechanisms and ink cartridges. These advancements propelled the fountain pen into mainstream use, replacing the messy dip pens that had dominated for centuries.

Despite facing competition from the ballpoint pen in the mid-20th century, the fountain pen has seen a [resurgence] in recent years. Many appreciate the smooth writing experience and the unique character of fountain pen ink. Today, fountain pens are viewed not just as writing tools, but also as objects of craftsmanship, with intricate designs and high-quality materials like gold and silver often used in their construction.

From ancient tools to mass-produced essentials and now, cherished writing instruments, the fountain pen's journey reflects evolving needs and a timeless appreciation for the art of writing.

**Question 31:** What is the main topic of the reading passage?

- A. The different types of fountain pen ink.
- B. The advantages of fountain pens over ballpoint pens.
- C. The history and evolution of fountain pens.
- D. The decline of the fountain pen industry.

**Question 32:** The word "rudimentary" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- |            |          |           |              |
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| A. complex | B. basic | C. modern | D. expensive |
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**Question 33:** What helped make fountain pens more affordable in the 19th century?

- |                                               |                                        |                                       |                                                  |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| A. New manufacturing processes and materials. | B. The invention of the ballpoint pen. | C. The discovery of new ink formulas. | D. A decrease in demand for writing instruments. |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|

**Question 34:** Which companies are mentioned as pioneers in fountain pen innovation?

- |                        |                   |                        |                         |
|------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| A. Montblanc and Lamy. | B. Bic and Pilot. | C. Sheaffer and Cross. | D. Waterman and Parker. |
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**Question 35:** According to the text, why are fountain pens popular today?

- A. They are cheaper than ballpoint pens.
- B. They are the only writing instrument that can use colored ink.
- C. They offer a smooth writing experience and are seen as objects of craftsmanship.
- D. They are more readily available than in the past.

**Question 36:** The word "resurgence" in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- |            |            |             |             |
|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| A. revival | B. decline | C. comeback | D. increase |
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**Part 11.** Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.

Solar energy is rapidly emerging as a key player in the global shift towards sustainable energy sources. Its abundance and (37) \_\_\_\_\_ make it an attractive alternative to fossil fuels, which are finite and environmentally damaging.

(38) \_\_\_\_\_. This means that once the initial investment in solar panels is made, the energy they produce is essentially free. Furthermore, solar energy can be harnessed in various geographical locations, making it accessible to a wide range of users, from individual homeowners to entire communities.

Another significant advantage of solar energy is its minimal environmental impact. (39) \_\_\_\_\_, reducing the emission of harmful greenhouse gases that contribute to climate change. This makes it a cleaner and more sustainable energy source compared to traditional fossil fuels.

As technology continues to advance, solar energy is becoming increasingly affordable and efficient. (40) \_\_\_\_\_ makes it a viable and promising solution for meeting the world's growing energy needs while mitigating the impacts of climate change.

- A. Unlike fossil fuels, solar energy production does not release pollutants into the atmosphere
- B. potential for reducing carbon emissions
- C. This combination of environmental and economic benefits
- D. One of the most compelling aspects of solar energy is its free and renewable nature.

**Question 37:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 38:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 39:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 40:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Part 1. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

- Question 1:** A. ex|a|ct B. aw|a|rd C. h|a|ndle D. |a|nger  
**Question 2:** A. |c|enter B. re|c|ommend C. out|c|ome D. lo|c|ate

**Part 2. Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

- Question 3:** A. accuse B. living C. language D. jealous  
**Question 4:** A. architect B. criminal C. arrangement D. tendency

**Part 3. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 5:** The airline provided excellent \_\_\_\_\_ service, ensuring a comfortable and enjoyable flight.  
A. airport B. baggage C. cabin D. hotel
- Question 6:** This movie is boring. \_\_\_\_\_ something else to watch.  
A. We are finding B. Let's find C. We found D. We find
- Question 7:** This historical fiction book has \_\_\_\_\_ characters I've ever encountered.  
A. more realistic B. realistic C. the most realistic D. as realistic
- Question 8:** If I \_\_\_\_\_ more free time, I \_\_\_\_\_ my friends more often.  
A. will have - visit B. had - visited C. had - would visit D. have - will visit
- Question 9:** Linh is struggling to reach a book on a high shelf in the library. She notices a librarian, George, nearby.  
Linh: "Excuse me, \_\_\_\_\_"  
George: "Of course, which book do you need?"  
A. This is a tall bookshelf. B. Where is the librarian? C. Do you like that book? D. Could you help me reach that book?
- Question 10:** This is the best pho \_\_\_\_\_ I have eaten in Hanoi.  
A. who B. when C. that D. where
- Question 11:** The baby was so \_\_\_\_\_ with her big blue eyes and chubby cheeks.  
A. long B. straight C. skinny D. adorable
- Question 12:** \_\_\_\_\_ employees must wash their hands before returning to work.  
A. Each of the B. All C. The all D. Every of the

**Part 4. Read the following instruction and choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

#### HOW TO BE HONEST AND TRUSTWORTHY

1. Be truthful (13) \_\_\_\_\_ all times.

2. Keep your promises, even if it's hard.
3. Admit when you've made (14) \_\_\_\_\_ mistake.
4. Don't (15) \_\_\_\_\_ or steal.
5. (16) \_\_\_\_\_ up for what you believe in.
6. Be someone that others can rely on.

- Question 13:**    A. on                                      B. at                                      C. in                                      D. for
- Question 14:**    A. a                                                  B. x (no article)                      C. an                                      D. the
- Question 15:**    A. lie                                                B. cheat                                      C. ignore                                      D. hide
- Question 16:**    A. Believe                                          B. Speak                                      C. Fight                                      D. Stand

**Part 5. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

- Question 17:**    *Choose the correct order of sentences a, b, and c.*

The Early Bird

My grandpa is a creature of habit and wakes up at 5 am every day.

- a. At breakfast, he grumbled to my grandma, "Well, this is a fine start to the day!"
- b. He missed his usual walk and morning coffee with his friends.
- c. One morning, he accidentally slept in until the late hour of 6 am.

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

- Question 18:**    *Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text in Question 17.*

- A. He decided to stay home all day, feeling out of sorts from the change.
- B. The day continued with unexpected events, further disrupting his mood.
- C. His sarcasm hinted at his unusual sleep schedule and how much he missed his routine.
- D. Grandma chuckled and said, "Don't worry, you'll be back on track tomorrow."

**Part 6. Choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

The Beautiful Game: A History of Football

Football, known globally as soccer in some countries, has a long and rich history. (19) \_\_\_\_\_ believe the sport originated in ancient China, with a game called "cuju". However, it was in England during the 19th century that football began to resemble the game we know today. (20) \_\_\_\_\_, the Football Association, the sport's governing body, was established in England in 1863, and the first set of official rules were established.

Football quickly spread throughout the world, becoming (21) \_\_\_\_\_ popular sport by the early 20th century. The FIFA World Cup, first held in 1930, is now the most watched sporting event in the world. (22) \_\_\_\_\_ the decades, football has seen the rise of legendary players like Pelé, Maradona, and Messi, who have inspired generations with their incredible skill. (23) \_\_\_\_\_ its simplicity and accessibility, football continues to captivate millions, proving it truly is (24) \_\_\_\_\_ "the beautiful game".

- Question 19:**    A. Historians of many                      B. Historians many                      C. Many historians                      D. Many of historians
- Question 20:**    A. Significant                                      B. Significance                                      C. Significantly                                      D. Signify
- Question 21:**    A. incredible                                      B. an incredibly                                      C. a incredible                                      D. incredibly an
- Question 22:**    A. Throughout                                      B. Despite                                      C. While                                      D. During
- Question 23:**    A. Although                                      B. Due to                                      C. So                                      D. Because



**Question 24:**    A. deserving call                      B. called deservedly                      C. deservedly called                      D. deserve to call

**Part 7. Choose the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.**

- Question 25:**    "The train leaves at 8 o'clock every morning," the station master said.
- A. The station master said that the train leaved at 8 o'clock every morning.
  - B. The station master said that the train leaves at 8 o'clock every morning.
  - C. The station master said that the train left at 8 o'clock that morning.
  - D. The station master said that the train left at 8 o'clock every morning.

- Question 26:**    I need you to explain this grammar rule again.
- A. Can you explaining this grammar rule again?
  - B. Would you mind explaining this grammar rule again?
  - C. I don't understand this grammar rule again.
  - D. Explain this grammar rule again, please.

**Part 8. Choose the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

- Question 27:**    work / I / head / gym
- A. After work, I'm heading up the gym.
  - B. After work, I'm heading at the gym.
  - C. After work, I'm heading on the gym.
  - D. After work, I'm heading for the gym.

- Question 28:**    I / look / hear / you / soon.
- A. I am looking to hear from you soon.
  - B. I am looking forward to hearing from you soon.
  - C. I look forward to hearing from your soon.
  - D. I am looking forward hearing from you soonly.

**Part 9. Read the following sign or notice and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 29:**    You are at the supermarket looking for a snack. You see this sign on a package of cookies. What does this sign tell you about the cookies?



- A. The cookies are grown on a farm.
- B. The cookies are made without any animal products.
- C. The cookies are green in color.
- D. The cookies are shaped like leaves.

- Question 30:**    Where should you avoid storing the battery?

**Do not expose the battery to extreme temperatures.**

- A. In dark or damp places.
- B. In very hot or very cold places.
- C. In high or low altitudes.
- D. In areas with strong wifi signals.

**Part 10. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.**

Giant pandas are iconic bears known for their distinctive black and white fur. While their appearance is universally recognized, their diet remains a fascinating [paradox]. Despite belonging to the order Carnivora, these bears have evolved to rely almost entirely on bamboo for sustenance. This highly specialized diet presents unique challenges and plays a crucial role in their conservation.

Bamboo, a type of grass, constitutes over 99% of a panda's diet. They consume various parts of the plant, including shoots, stems, and leaves. However, digesting this fibrous food source is challenging for their digestive system, originally designed for a carnivorous lifestyle. To cope, pandas possess powerful jaws and teeth that can crush and grind bamboo effectively.

Nevertheless, their digestive tract remains relatively short, resembling that of carnivores rather than herbivores. This limits their ability to efficiently extract nutrients from bamboo, necessitating a high food intake. Pandas spend up to 14 hours daily foraging and consuming vast quantities of bamboo, up to 40 kg, to meet their nutritional needs.

This reliance on bamboo makes pandas vulnerable to habitat loss, a major threat to their survival. Deforestation and fragmentation of bamboo forests due to human activities significantly impact their ability to find sufficient food. As a result, conservation efforts often focus on protecting and restoring these [vital] bamboo habitats.

**Question 31:** What is the main topic of this reading passage?

- A. The evolutionary history of giant pandas.
- B. The unique challenges and importance of the giant panda's bamboo diet.
- C. The different types of bamboo consumed by giant pandas.
- D. The impact of human activities on giant pandas.

**Question 32:** The word "paradox" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. problem
- B. similarity
- C. contradiction
- D. characteristic

**Question 33:** What does the writer describe in paragraph 2?

- A. The nutritional content of bamboo.
- B. The different types of bamboo forests.
- C. Adaptations pandas have for eating bamboo.
- D. The digestive system of carnivores.

**Question 34:** Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a part of bamboo eaten by pandas?

- A. roots
- B. stems
- C. leaves
- D. shoots

**Question 35:** What does the writer say is a major threat to panda survival?

- A. Lack of genetic diversity
- B. Climate change
- C. Competition with other animals
- D. Habitat loss and bamboo forest fragmentation

**Question 36:** The word "vital" in paragraph 4 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. unimportant
- B. necessary
- C. essential
- D. crucial

**Part 11.** Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.

Food waste is a global issue with significant environmental and economic consequences. (37) \_\_\_\_\_ is the staggering amount of perfectly edible food that ends up in landfills each year. This waste occurs throughout the food supply chain, from farms to our own kitchens.

One of the primary reasons for food waste at the consumer level is the misunderstanding of date labels. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. "Best before" dates, on the other hand, indicate peak quality but don't necessarily mean the food is unsafe to eat after that date.

Another contributing factor is our tendency to overbuy and overprepare food. We often purchase more than we need, especially when enticed by supermarket deals, and end up discarding uneaten portions. (39) \_\_\_\_\_.

By adopting simple yet effective strategies like meal planning, understanding date labels, and storing food properly, we can drastically reduce food waste in our homes. (40) \_\_\_\_\_, saving money, and minimizing our environmental impact.

- A. Many people mistakenly believe that "use by" and "best before" dates have the same meaning.
- B. Additionally, improper storage can lead to premature spoilage, further contributing to the problem.
- C. These actions contribute to a more sustainable lifestyle
- D. A major concern

**Question 37:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 38:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 39:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 40:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Chọn	B	C	C	A	D	A	D	A	B	C

**Part 1. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

- Question 1:** A. |a|head B. form|a|l C. dist|a|nt D. us|a|ge  
**Question 2:** A. fin|g|er B. le|g|al C. ar|g|ue D. sug|g|est

**Part 2. Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

- Question 3:** A. upgrade B. response C. access D. assume  
**Question 4:** A. enable B. hesitate C. serious D. chronicle

**Part 3. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 5:** The sudden downpour \_\_\_\_\_ the children playing in the park, forcing them to run for cover.  
A. soaked B. amused C. scattered D. gathered
- Question 6:** Someday, people \_\_\_\_\_ to the moon for vacations.  
A. travel B. will travel C. will travels D. traveled
- Question 7:** My little sister sings \_\_\_\_\_ my older brother. They are both terrible!  
A. bad B. as badly as C. worse than D. the worst
- Question 8:** If she \_\_\_\_\_ her homework, she \_\_\_\_\_ to the party.  
A. finishes - can go B. finished - could go C. finishes - could go D. will finish - can go
- Question 9:** Lan is lost trying to find the post office. She sees a woman, Sarah, and asks for directions.  
Lan: "Excuse me, could you please tell me how to get to the post office?"  
Sarah: " \_\_\_\_\_ "  
A. I'm not sure I understand your question. B. Do you need to send a letter? C. Of course. Turn left at the corner, then it's on your right. D. The post office is closed on Sundays.
- Question 10:** The manager, \_\_\_\_\_ I had spoken to on the phone, was very helpful.  
A. whose B. who C. whom D. which
- Question 11:** She felt \_\_\_\_\_ after a long hike in the mountains.  
A. blue B. circular C. silent D. tired
- Question 12:** \_\_\_\_\_ cultures have unique traditions and customs.  
A. Many B. Amount of C. Much D. Number

**Part 4. Read the following instruction and choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

#### HOW TO BUILD SELF-CONFIDENCE

1. Think about your strengths and write them (13) \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Be kind to yourself, especially when you make (14) \_\_\_\_\_ mistake.
3. (15) \_\_\_\_\_ realistic goals and work towards them step by step.
4. Celebrate your achievements, no matter how small they are. Don't be afraid to be (16) \_\_\_\_\_ of yourself!

- Question 13:**    A. out                                      B. down                                      C. up                                      D. off
- Question 14:**    A. the                                      B. x (no article)                                      C. an                                      D. a
- Question 15:**    A. Build                                      B. Set                                      C. Make                                      D. Fix
- Question 16:**    A. proudly                                      B. proud                                      C. prouder                                      D. pride

**Part 5. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

- Question 17:**    *Choose the correct order of sentences a, b, and c.*

The Gift of Time

My parents both work very hard, and we rarely have time together as a family.

- a. I knew material gifts wouldn't mean as much as quality time.
- b. For Father's Day, I wanted to give my dad something special.
- c. I planned a whole day of activities we could enjoy together, like fishing and hiking.

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

- Question 18:**    *Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text in Question 17.*

- A. We ended up having pizza delivered, which we both enjoyed.
- B. Next year, I hope we can go on a real vacation somewhere new.
- C. My father said it was the best Father's Day he could remember.
- D. It was a simple gift, but it meant the world to both of us.

**Part 6. Choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

The Genius of Leonardo

Leonardo da Vinci was (19) \_\_\_\_\_ artist, scientist, and inventor during the Italian Renaissance. He is best known for his paintings, (20) \_\_\_\_\_ the Mona Lisa and The Last Supper remain two of the most famous and admired artworks in the world. Leonardo possessed (21) \_\_\_\_\_ curiosity and a thirst for knowledge, leading him to study a wide range of subjects from anatomy and astronomy to engineering and botany.

He filled numerous notebooks with inventions, observations, and theories, (22) \_\_\_\_\_ demonstrated his belief that art and science were deeply interconnected. Although only a few of his inventions, like flying machines, were built during his lifetime, his detailed drawings and notes continued (23) \_\_\_\_\_ future generations of artists, thinkers, and creators. It is this unique blend of talent, curiosity, and forward-thinking that makes Leonardo da Vinci (24) \_\_\_\_\_ such an influential figure even today.

- Question 19:**    A. an exceptional                                      B. exceptional an                                      C. an exceptionally                                      D. exceptionally
- Question 20:**    A. which                                      B. of which                                      C. by which                                      D. from which
- Question 21:**    A. an insatiably                                      B. insatiable an                                      C. an insatiable                                      D. insatiable
- Question 22:**    A. , however,                                      B. which                                      C. that                                      D. and
- Question 23:**    A. inspiring                                      B. for inspiring                                      C. to inspire                                      D. to be inspired
- Question 24:**    A. remaining                                      B. remained                                      C. remain                                      D. to remain

**Part 7. Choose the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.**

**Question 25:** "Last time I checked, the door was locked," he reminded me.

- A. He reminded me that the last time he had checked, the door had been locked.
- B. He reminded me that the last time I had checked, the door had been locked.
- C. He reminded me that the last time he had checked, the door was locked.
- D. He reminded me that last time he checked, the door was locked.

**Question 26:** I'm not really into listening to rock music.

- A. I think rock music is too loud.
- B. Rock music isn't really my preferred genre.
- C. I don't listen to rock music very often.
- D. I'm not understanding rock music very well.

**Part 8. Choose the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27:** The police / work / tirelessly / track / the missing person.

- A. The police worked tirelessly to track for the missing person.
- B. The police worked tirelessly to track down the missing person.
- C. The police worked tirelessly to track on the missing person.
- D. The police worked tirelessly to track up the missing person.

**Question 28:** I / enjoy / cook / dinner / family.

- A. I enjoy cooking dinner of my family.
- B. I enjoy to cook dinner to my family.
- C. I enjoying cook dinner for my family.
- D. I enjoy cooking dinner for my family.

**Part 9. Read the following sign or notice and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

**Question 29:** You are sorting your trash. Which of these items should you put in a bin with this sign?



- A. Used paper and cardboard.
- B. Empty plastic bottles.
- C. Empty glass containers.
- D. Metal cans and tins.

**Question 30:** What does this notice encourage people to do?

**No littering. Keep our city clean.**

- A. Littering is allowed in designated areas.
- B. There are no consequences for littering.
- C. Dispose of their trash responsibly and maintain a clean environment.
- D. The city is responsible for cleaning up litter.

**Part 10. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.**

London and New York City, two of the world's most iconic metropolises, offer diverse experiences, particularly in their public transportation systems. While both cities |boast| extensive networks, they differ in their history, design, and overall feel.

London's Underground, affectionately nicknamed the "Tube", dates back to the 19th century, making it the oldest underground railway system globally. Its labyrinthine tunnels reflect the city's historical development, with some lines being narrow and congested. In contrast, New York City's subway system, though vast, is relatively newer. Its grid-like layout, reflecting the city's modern grid street plan, makes navigation comparatively straightforward.

Beyond their layouts, the two systems differ in their ambiance. London's Tube, with its deep tunnels and often dimly lit stations, can feel somewhat |somber|. Conversely, New York's subway, with its bustling stations adorned with colorful artwork and performances by local artists, exudes a vibrant, energetic atmosphere.

Despite their differences, both systems provide efficient and affordable transportation to millions of commuters daily. Whether navigating London's historical depths or experiencing the artistic energy of New York's subway, each system offers a unique perspective on city life.

**Question 31:** What is the main topic of the passage?

- A. The cultural differences between London and New York City.
- B. The history of London and New York City.
- C. The best way to travel in London and New York City.
- D. The differences and similarities between the public transportation systems of London and New York City.

**Question 32:** The word "boast" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. dislike
- B. need
- C. are proud to have
- D. exaggerate

**Question 33:** What makes navigating the New York City subway system easier?

- A. Its artwork
- B. Its age
- C. Its grid-like layout
- D. Its crowdedness

**Question 34:** Which aspect of the London Underground is NOT mentioned in the text?

- A. The tunnel size
- B. The age
- C. The lighting
- D. The ticket prices

**Question 35:** According to the text, what is a similarity between the London and New York City public transportation systems?

- A. They both have a similar atmosphere.
- B. They both feature historical artifacts.
- C. They both provide affordable transportation for many people.
- D. They both have the same layout.

**Question 36:** The word "somber" in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. lively
- B. dark
- C. deep
- D. quiet

**Part 11. Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

The Pyramids of Giza are among the most recognizable structures in the world. (37) \_\_\_\_\_, they stand as a testament to the ingenuity and architectural prowess of the ancient Egyptians. Built as elaborate tombs for the pharaohs, the pyramids were constructed over thousands of years, with each pyramid representing a different ruler.

The largest of the three main pyramids at Giza is the Great Pyramid of Khufu. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. Inside the pyramid, a complex network of chambers and passages leads to the King's Chamber, where Khufu's sarcophagus rests.



The pyramids were not only burial places, (39) \_\_\_\_\_. They were also massive construction projects that required the labor of thousands of skilled workers, demonstrating the pharaoh's power and influence.

Today, the Pyramids of Giza continue to fascinate and inspire awe in visitors from around the globe. (40) \_\_\_\_\_, they remain a testament to the enduring legacy of ancient Egypt and a source of endless wonder for generations to come.

- A. As one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World
- B. but also powerful symbols of religious belief
- C. It is believed to have been completed around 2560 BC.
- D. Constructed thousands of years ago

**Question 37:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 38:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 39:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 40:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Part 1. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

- Question 1:** A. actr|e|ss B. abs|e|nce C. paym|e|nt D. r|e|act  
**Question 2:** A. o|th|erwise B. |th|erefore C. no|th|ing D. ano|th|er

**Part 2. Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

- Question 3:** A. protect B. contract C. debate D. unfold  
**Question 4:** A. clinical B. satisfy C. consultant D. furniture

**Part 3. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 5:** The movie's tragic ending left the audience feeling deeply \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. indifferent B. saddened C. inspired D. amused
- Question 6:** The concert \_\_\_\_\_ at 7:00 PM and \_\_\_\_\_ at 10:00 PM.  
A. is starting, is finishing B. will start, will finish C. started, finished D. starts, finishes
- Question 7:** The Nile River is considered by many to be \_\_\_\_\_ river in the world.  
A. the longest B. long C. longer D. most long
- Question 8:** If he \_\_\_\_\_ to himself, he \_\_\_\_\_ the courage to follow his dreams.  
A. listened - would find B. listened - will have found C. had listened - would have found D. had listened - will find
- Question 9:** Nam is opening a birthday gift from his classmate, David.  
Nam: "Wow, this watch is amazing! Thank you so much, David!"  
David: "\_\_\_\_\_"  
A. Don't mention it. It was nothing. B. Yes, it's quite expensive. C. You're welcome, Nam. I'm glad you like it! D. Oh, you shouldn't have.
- Question 10:** We can go hiking or swimming. Which activity, \_\_\_\_\_ sounds more fun to you?  
A. that B. which C. who D. where
- Question 11:** The news of his scholarship brought a \_\_\_\_\_ smile to his face.  
A. sleepy B. radiant C. blank D. familiar
- Question 12:** The garden has \_\_\_\_\_ flowers in bloom.  
A. a wide variety of B. very beautiful C. many of D. a much

**Part 4. Read the following instruction and choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

## HOW TO CREATE A STRONG PASSWORD

1. A strong password should be (13) \_\_\_\_\_ least 12 characters long.
2. It's better if it's longer.
3. Include (14) \_\_\_\_\_ mix of upper and lowercase letters, numbers, and symbols.
4. Don't use personal information that could be easily (15) \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Avoid common words or phrases in your password.
6. And never share your password with (16) \_\_\_\_\_!

- Question 13:**    A. with                                      B. for                                      C. in                                      D. at
- Question 14:**    A. a                                                      B. an                                      C. x (no article)                      D. the
- Question 15:**    A. guess                                              B. to guess                              C. guessed                              D. guessing
- Question 16:**    A. everyone                                      B. anyone                              C. no one                              D. someone

### *Part 5. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.*

- Question 17:**    *Choose the correct order of sentences a, b, and c.*

The Wrong Order

I went to a new cafe near my house to buy a takeaway iced coffee.

- a. When I received my drink, it was a regular latte with regular milk.
- b. I politely pointed out the mistake to the barista, showing him my receipt.
- c. I clearly ordered a caramel macchiato with oat milk from the barista.

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

- Question 18:**    *Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text in Question 17.*

- A. He apologized for the mix-up and quickly prepared the correct order for me.
- B. He gave me a blank stare, seemingly confused by my complaint.
- C. He shrugged and said they were out of oat milk and caramel syrup.
- D. He insisted that I had ordered a latte and refused to change it.

### *Part 6. Choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.*

Travelling on a Shoestring

Traveling the world doesn't have to break the bank! There are many ways to explore new places on a budget. (19) \_\_\_\_\_ important tip is to be flexible with your travel dates. Sometimes, flying mid-week or during the off-season can save you (20) \_\_\_\_\_ money on flights and accommodation. (21) \_\_\_\_\_, consider staying in hostels or guesthouses instead of expensive hotels.

(22) \_\_\_\_\_ your meals can also help you save. Eating at local markets or trying street food is not only cheaper than restaurants but also a great way (23) \_\_\_\_\_ the local culture. (24) \_\_\_\_\_, walking or using public transportation instead of taxis can significantly reduce your expenses and give you a more authentic experience. Remember, with a little planning and creativity, you can have an amazing trip without spending a fortune.

- Question 19:**    A. One                                              B. The                                      C. An                                      D. A
- Question 20:**    A. many                                              B. much                                      C. a few                                      D. a lot of
- Question 21:**    A. Additionally                                      B. Because                              C. So                                      D. Although
- Question 22:**    A. Cooked                                              B. To cook                                      C. Cook                                      D. Cooking

- Question 23:** A. experiencing B. for experiencing C. experience D. to experience
- Question 24:** A. Despite B. Finally C. However D. Because

**Part 7. Choose the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.**

- Question 25:** "We'll be flying to Hanoi this time next week," they said.
- A. They said that they would be flying to Hanoi this time next week.  
 B. They said that we would be flying to Hanoi that time the following week.  
 C. They said that they will be flying to Hanoi this time next week.  
 D. They said that they would be flying to Hanoi that time the following week.
- Question 26:** I believe that hard work leads to success.
- A. Hard work, I believe, is leading to success.  
 B. To my mind, hard work leads to success.  
 C. I believe in working hard to lead to success.  
 D. To have success, I believe in hard work.

**Part 8. Choose the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

- Question 27:** I / look / some old photos / find / this one / us.
- A. I was looking through some old photos and found this one of us.  
 B. I was look through some old photos and found this one with us.  
 C. I was looking some old photos and find this one of us.  
 D. I looked through some old photos and finding this one of us.
- Question 28:** I / use / eat / rice / every day.
- A. I am use to eat rice every day.  
 B. I am used to eat rice everyday.  
 C. I am used to eating rice every day.  
 D. I used to eating rice every day.

**Part 9. Read the following sign or notice and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 29:** You are working at a construction site. You see the sign below on a door. What does this sign mean?



- A. Only workers who are allowed to enter can go through this door.  
 B. No one is allowed to enter this area.  
 C. Only people wearing safety gear can enter.  
 D. Everyone should prioritize safety when entering this area.

- Question 30:** What can you infer from this notice?

**Bake Sale - All proceeds go to the local animal shelter.**

- A. You can adopt animals at the bake sale.  
 B. All the money from the bake sale will be donated.  
 C. The animal shelter is selling baked goods.  
 D. Buying baked goods will help animals in need.

**Part 10. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.**

The mid-19th century saw the rise of portrait photography, a genre quickly |embraced| by the public. Before this innovation, painted portraits were the only way to capture a person's likeness, a luxury reserved for the wealthy. The daguerreotype, an early photographic process, offered a faster and more affordable alternative.

Introduced in 1839, the daguerreotype used a silver-plated copper sheet treated with chemical fumes to create a highly detailed, one-of-a-kind image. Although significantly cheaper than a painted portrait, the process was still relatively expensive for the average person. Studios emerged offering specialized services like posing chairs and flattering lighting to enhance these treasured keepsakes.

The introduction of the carte de visite in the 1850s revolutionized portrait photography. This process used paper prints, allowing for multiple copies from a single negative, making photography accessible to a wider audience. People began collecting and exchanging cartes de visite, and photographers started specializing in portraits of famous individuals, further increasing their popularity.

This surge in portrait photography's popularity wasn't without criticism. Some argued that the pursuit of a 'good likeness' overshadowed artistic expression. Others questioned the ethics of readily replicating images, potentially [diminishing] the value of the individual portrayed. However, the accessibility and affordability of photography solidified its place in society, forever changing the way we capture and perceive ourselves and each other.

**Question 31:** What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. The social impact of photographic portraiture on different classes.
- B. The technical aspects of the daguerreotype photographic process.
- C. The rise in popularity and evolution of portrait photography during the mid-19th century.
- D. The artistic merits of painted portraits versus photographic portraits.

**Question 32:** The word "embraced" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- |            |             |             |               |
|------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| A. ignored | B. welcomed | C. rejected | D. criticized |
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**Question 33:** What made the carte de visite different from the daguerreotype?

- |                                                              |                                                                    |                                                           |                                                                  |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
| A. It required specialized studios with elaborate equipment. | B. It used a silver-plated copper sheet for a more detailed image. | C. The ability to produce multiple prints from one image. | D. It was more expensive and catered exclusively to the wealthy. |
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**Question 34:** Which of these is NOT mentioned as a criticism of portrait photography?

- |                                                                    |                                               |                                                                    |                                                          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| A. The focus on realistic representation over artistic expression. | B. The use of artificial lighting techniques. | C. The potential devaluation of the individual being photographed. | D. The ethical implications of easily reproduced images. |
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**Question 35:** What was the main impact of the carte de visite on portrait photography?

- A. It led to the decline of painted portraits as a form of art.
- B. It created controversy about the use of chemicals in photography.
- C. It encouraged photographers to experiment with abstract techniques.
- D. It made photography affordable and accessible to a wider public.

**Question 36:** The word "diminishing" in paragraph 4 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- |             |              |             |               |
|-------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| A. lowering | B. weakening | C. reducing | D. increasing |
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**Part 11. Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

Imagine a future where traffic jams are a distant memory, and commuting involves soaring above congested roads. This is the promise of flying cars, a concept that has captivated futurists and entrepreneurs for decades. (37) \_\_\_\_\_, significant technological advancements are bringing this vision closer to reality.

One of the main challenges facing flying car development is battery technology. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. However, recent breakthroughs in battery energy density and charging infrastructure are paving the way for electric vertical take-off and landing (eVTOL) aircraft, essentially flying cars with multiple rotors.

(39) \_\_\_\_\_. These vehicles combine the convenience of personal automobiles with the speed and efficiency of air travel, potentially revolutionizing urban mobility. Imagine bypassing rush hour traffic by simply taking to the skies!

While challenges remain, such as regulatory hurdles and public acceptance, the rapid pace of innovation suggests that flying cars could become a viable transportation option in the not-too-distant future. (40) \_\_\_\_\_, reducing our dependence on traditional road networks.

- A. This would ease congestion and decrease travel times
- B. While still in its early stages
- C. Current batteries lack the power and range for extended flights.
- D. These eVTOLs offer a glimpse into a future of personalized air travel.

**Question 37:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 38:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 39:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 40:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Part 1. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

- Question 1:** A. refuse                      B. |u|nknown                      C. s|u|mmer                      D. st|u|mble
- Question 2:** A. thanks|g|iving                      B. tra|g|ic                      C. le|g|ally                      D. dra|g|on

**Part 2. Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

- Question 3:** A. permit                      B. instruct                      C. contact                      D. prepare
- Question 4:** A. sacrifice                      B. destruction                      C. restaurant                      D. classify

**Part 3. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 5:** He finds playing the guitar incredibly \_\_\_\_\_, especially after a long day at school.  
A. demanding                      B. tiresome                      C. therapeutic                      D. challenging
- Question 6:** We \_\_\_\_\_ to the beach tomorrow if the weather is nice.  
A. are going                      B. go                      C. went                      D. will go
- Question 7:** Autumn in Hanoi is often considered \_\_\_\_\_ season of the year.  
A. as pleasant                      B. the most pleasant                      C. pleasant                      D. more pleasant
- Question 8:** He \_\_\_\_\_ more friends if he \_\_\_\_\_ so shy.  
A. would have - weren't                      B. had - won't be                      C. will have - isn't                      D. has - wasn't
- Question 9:** It's Hoa's birthday, and she's invited her classmate, Charlotte, to her party.  
Hoa: "I'm having a small birthday get-together on Saturday. I'd love for you to come!"  
Charlotte: " \_\_\_\_\_ "  
A. A party? I'm not sure if I'm free then.                      B. Thanks for inviting me, but I have other plans.                      C. That's so kind of you! I wouldn't miss it.                      D. That sounds like fun, but I might be busy.
- Question 10:** He didn't tell me the reason \_\_\_\_\_ he was late for our meeting.  
A. why                      B. how                      C. where                      D. which
- Question 11:** Everyone was \_\_\_\_\_ by Minh's unexpected win at the talent show.  
A. enormous                      B. stunned                      C. blurry                      D. tired
- Question 12:** I need \_\_\_\_\_ reassurance that everything will be alright.  
A. few                      B. a bit of                      C. a little                      D. many

**Part 4. Read the following instruction and choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

#### HOW TO DEAL WITH NEGATIVE THOUGHTS

1. Acknowledge the thought without judgment. Don't push it (13) \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Challenge (14) \_\_\_\_\_ negative thought. Is it really true?
3. (15) \_\_\_\_\_ it with a positive or neutral thought.
4. Focus on your strengths and past successes.
5. Talk to someone you trust, like a friend or family member, about your (16) \_\_\_\_\_.

- Question 13:**    A. in                                      B. aside                                      C. down                                      D. away
- Question 14:**    A. x (no article)                                      B. a                                      C. the                                      D. an
- Question 15:**    A. Replace                                      B. Forget                                      C. Bury                                      D. Ignore
- Question 16:**    A. feelings                                      B. problems                                      C. issues                                      D. anxieties

**Part 5. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

- Question 17:**    *Choose the correct order of sentences a, b, and c.*

**Volunteer Activity Choice**

Our class was choosing between two volunteer activities: visiting an orphanage or cleaning a local park.

- a. I strongly felt cleaning the park would have a direct impact on our community.
- b. My friend, however, believed spending time with orphans was more meaningful.
- c. Both options were worthwhile, making the decision difficult.

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

- Question 18:**    *Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text in Question 17.*

- A. It was frustrating that we couldn't agree, wasting valuable class time.
- B. We eventually agreed to clean the park, since it required less time.
- C. We respectfully presented our reasoning, understanding the value of both perspectives.
- D. Ultimately, the teacher decided we would visit the orphanage that weekend.

**Part 6. Choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

**Harnessing the Wind**

The wind is a powerful force of nature. It can be destructive, like (19) \_\_\_\_\_ a hurricane, but it can also be (20) \_\_\_\_\_. For centuries, people have used windmills to harness the power of the wind. These structures use large blades (21) \_\_\_\_\_ the wind's energy into mechanical energy. This energy was traditionally used for tasks like grinding grain or pumping water, (22) \_\_\_\_\_ today, it is primarily used to generate electricity.

Wind energy offers (23) \_\_\_\_\_ benefits over traditional fossil fuels. First, it is a renewable resource, meaning it will never run out. Second, it is a clean source of energy that does not produce harmful emissions. (24) \_\_\_\_\_, it can be harnessed in various locations, from open plains to offshore areas, making it a versatile energy solution.

- Question 19:**    A. with                                      B. during                                      C. for                                      D. on
- Question 20:**    A. useful incredibly                                      B. incredibly useful                                      C. incredibly use                                      D. use incredibly
- Question 21:**    A. to capture                                      B. capture                                      C. capturing                                      D. for capture
- Question 22:**    A. and                                      B. so                                      C. but                                      D. because
- Question 23:**    A. little                                      B. much                                      C. several                                      D. any
- Question 24:**    A. Despite                                      B. However,                                      C. Furthermore,                                      D. Although

**Part 7. Choose the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.**

**Question 25:** "We were planning our vacation for next month," they announced.

- A. They announced that we had been planning our vacation for next month.
- B. They announced that they had been planning their vacation for the following month.
- C. They announced that they were planning their vacation for the following month.
- D. They announced that they had been planning their vacation for next month.

**Question 26:** I think you should study harder for the upcoming exam.

- A. How about study harder for the upcoming exam?
- B. You should consider studying harder for the upcoming exam.
- C. Why you not study harder for the upcoming exam?
- D. I think studying harder for the upcoming exam is good.

**Part 8. Choose the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27:** What / this symbol / stand

- A. What this symbol stand for?
- B. What is this symbol stand for?
- C. What does this symbol stand for?
- D. What do this symbol stand for?

**Question 28:** We / commit / improve / English skills.

- A. We are committed to improving our English skills.
- B. We are committed to improvement of English skills.
- C. We committing to improve our English skills.
- D. We are commit to improving our English skill.

**Part 9. Read the following sign or notice and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

**Question 29:** You are walking home from school and see the sign below posted on a fence. What does this sign tell you?



- A. This area is dangerous because there is construction work happening.
- B. This sign is black, red, and white with the words "Danger" and "Construction Zone."
- C. This sign shows there is a danger of falling tools.
- D. You should be careful when entering this zone because of the construction workers.

**Question 30:** What can you infer from this website notice?

**This website is currently under construction.**

- A. The website is undergoing a redesign process.
- B. The website is still being developed and may be incomplete.
- C. The website is experiencing technical difficulties.
- D. The website is unavailable for public access.

**Part 10. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.**

Nebulae, vast clouds of gas and dust scattered throughout our galaxy, are not only visually stunning but also play a | crucial| role in the lifecycle of stars. These celestial nurseries are broadly categorized into different types based on their formation and characteristics.

Emission nebulae, as their name suggests, emit their own light due to the ionization of gases within them. Typically red in color due to the abundance of hydrogen, they are often associated with regions of active star formation. In contrast, reflection

nebulae do not emit light themselves but rather reflect the light of nearby stars, often appearing blue due to the scattering of shorter wavelengths.

Another type, dark nebulae, are dense clouds of dust and gas that block light from background stars, appearing as dark patches against the brighter backdrop of the Milky Way. These regions are extremely cold and dense, making them ideal locations for the gravitational collapse that leads to star birth.

Understanding the characteristics of different nebulae types provides valuable |insights| into the processes of star formation and the evolution of galaxies. Further studies using advanced telescopes promise even deeper insights into these fascinating cosmic objects.

**Question 31:** What is the main topic of this reading passage?

- A. The composition of the Milky Way galaxy.
- B. Different types and characteristics of nebulae.
- C. The history of astronomical observations.
- D. The formation of stars and planets.

**Question 32:** The word "crucial" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. unimportant
- B. challenging
- C. essential
- D. complex

**Question 33:** Why do emission nebulae appear red?

- A. They reflect the light of nearby red stars.
- B. They are moving away from us at high speed.
- C. They absorb all other colors except red.
- D. They contain a large amount of hydrogen gas.

**Question 34:** Which type of nebulae is NOT directly mentioned in the text?

- A. Emission nebulae
- B. Planetary nebulae
- C. Reflection nebulae
- D. Dark nebulae

**Question 35:** According to the passage, what makes dark nebulae suitable for star formation?

- A. Their proximity to bright stars.
- B. Their ability to emit light.
- C. Their large size and irregular shape.
- D. Their low temperature and high density.

**Question 36:** The word "insights" in paragraph 4 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. observations
- B. discoveries
- C. misunderstandings
- D. knowledge

**Part 11. Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

The rise of cooking shows and food blogs in recent years is (37) \_\_\_\_\_ a shift in how we view food and cooking. What was once considered a mundane necessity has transformed into a source of entertainment, education, and inspiration.

Cooking shows, with their charismatic chefs and delectable dishes, have made the culinary world more accessible. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. Food blogs, on the other hand, offer a platform for both amateur and professional food enthusiasts to share their recipes, tips, and stories.

This increased visibility has fostered a sense of community around food. (39) \_\_\_\_\_, learning new techniques, and sharing culinary experiences with people from all walks of life. The internet has become a melting pot of flavours and ideas, dissolving geographical boundaries and bringing people together through their shared love of food.

Ultimately, this phenomenon signifies more than just a passing trend. (40) \_\_\_\_\_, encouraging culinary experimentation, and promoting healthier eating habits.

- A. They demystify complex cooking processes, making gourmet cuisine achievable even for beginners.
- B. It's about empowering individuals to become more confident cooks
- C. a testament to
- D. People connect online by exchanging recipes

**Question 37:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Question 38:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Question 39:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Question 40:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Chọn	A	C	C	C	B	B	C	A	A	B
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Chọn	B	C	D	B	D	C	C	A	D	B

**Part 1. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.**

- Question 1:** A. w|i|ndow B. |i|ntend C. ent|i|re D. read|i|ng  
**Question 2:** A. criti|c|al B. wel|c|ome C. |c|olor D. so|c|ially

**Part 2. Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.**

- Question 3:** A. update B. combat C. descend D. disclose  
**Question 4:** A. saturday B. halloween C. manager D. ignorance

**Part 3. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- Question 5:** The \_\_\_\_\_ conflict between the two countries lasted for decades and had a profound impact on the region's history.  
A. protracted B. transient C. ephemeral D. fleeting
- Question 6:** I \_\_\_\_\_ three whole pizzas by myself! I'm so full.  
A. am eating B. ate C. have eaten D. has eaten
- Question 7:** Blue whales are \_\_\_\_\_ animals on Earth.  
A. most large B. the largest C. larger D. large
- Question 8:** If she \_\_\_\_\_ more time with her family, she \_\_\_\_\_ happier.  
A. had spent - would have been B. spends - will be C. spent - would be D. will spend - is
- Question 9:** Ngoc is having trouble opening her locker at school. She sees her classmate, William.  
Ngoc: "This locker is stuck. \_\_\_\_\_"  
William: "Let me try. Maybe I can get it open."  
A. What's wrong with this locker? B. Could you give me a hand with it? C. Do you have a locker? D. I need to get my books.
- Question 10:** We were living in Hanoi \_\_\_\_\_ the pandemic started.  
A. when B. whose C. which D. who
- Question 11:** After missing the winning goal, Nam was \_\_\_\_\_ with himself for the rest of the game.  
A. angry B. eager C. delighted D. content
- Question 12:** We saw \_\_\_\_\_ interesting sights on our trip.  
A. lot B. a many C. a lot of D. much

**Part 4. Read the following instruction and choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.**

1. Carry a reusable water bottle with you (13) \_\_\_\_\_ the day.
2. Drink water before, during, and after physical activity.
3. (14) \_\_\_\_\_ water over sugary drinks like soda.
4. Eat fruits and vegetables, as they contain (15) \_\_\_\_\_ lot of water.
5. Drink water when you feel (16) \_\_\_\_\_, don't wait until you're dehydrated.
6. If you have any medical conditions, consult your doctor about proper hydration.

<b>Question 13:</b>	<b>A.</b> around	<b>B.</b> during	<b>C.</b> throughout	<b>D.</b> before
<b>Question 14:</b>	<b>A.</b> Choose	<b>B.</b> Avoid	<b>C.</b> Drink	<b>D.</b> Prefer
<b>Question 15:</b>	<b>A.</b> the	<b>B.</b> an	<b>C.</b> x (no article)	<b>D.</b> a
<b>Question 16:</b>	<b>A.</b> tired	<b>B.</b> thirsty	<b>C.</b> sleepy	<b>D.</b> hunger

**Part 5. Choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

**Question 17:** *Choose the correct order of sentences a, b, and c.*

The Unwanted Advice

My friend gave me unsolicited advice that really annoyed me.

- a. I felt my anger rising, but I decided to communicate calmly and honestly.
- b. Instead of listening, she kept interrupting with advice I didn't want.
- c. I was telling my friend about a personal problem I was facing.

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

**Question 18:** *Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the text in Question 17.*

- A.** My friend eventually understood and apologized for giving too much advice.
- B.** She got upset with me because I didn't appreciate her trying to help.
- C.** I decided it was best to avoid talking to her about my problems in the future.
- D.** I told her I appreciated her concern but needed to figure things out on my own.

**Part 6. Choose the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

A Day at the Art Gallery

Visiting an art museum can be (19) \_\_\_\_\_ rewarding experience. There are (20) \_\_\_\_\_ different styles of art to see, from ancient sculptures to modern paintings. You can learn about different cultures and time periods by observing the art created during those times. Many museums offer guided tours or audio guides, which can enhance your understanding and appreciation of the artworks.

However, there are (21) \_\_\_\_\_ things to keep in mind when you visit a museum. Remember (22) \_\_\_\_\_ photos without permission is often prohibited. It's important to be respectful of the art and other visitors by not touching the exhibits or talking loudly. Finally, take your time and don't try (23) \_\_\_\_\_ everything at once. Choose a few areas or artists that interest you and focus on those. This will make your visit (24) \_\_\_\_\_ enjoyable.

<b>Question 19:</b>	<b>A.</b> a truly	<b>B.</b> a truely	<b>C.</b> truly	<b>D.</b> truly a
<b>Question 20:</b>	<b>A.</b> many	<b>B.</b> much	<b>C.</b> any	<b>D.</b> a lot
<b>Question 21:</b>	<b>A.</b> few	<b>B.</b> little	<b>C.</b> a little	<b>D.</b> a few
<b>Question 22:</b>	<b>A.</b> taking	<b>B.</b> took	<b>C.</b> to take	<b>D.</b> take
<b>Question 23:</b>	<b>A.</b> see	<b>B.</b> saw	<b>C.</b> seeing	<b>D.</b> to see



**Question 24:**     A. more than                      B. most                      C. the most                      D. more

**Part 7. Choose the sentence that is CLOSEST in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.**

**Question 25:**     "I was just trying to help," he said, holding up these muddy gardening gloves.

- A. He said that I had just been trying to help, holding up these muddy gardening gloves.
- B. He said that he was just trying to help, holding up those muddy gardening gloves.
- C. He said that he had just been trying to help, holding up those muddy gardening gloves.
- D. He said that he was just trying to help, holding up these muddy gardening gloves.

**Question 26:**     I need you to help me with my homework.

- A. Could you please help me with my homework?
- B. Why don't you help me with my homework?
- C. How about you help me with my homework?
- D. Do you help me with my homework?

**Part 8. Choose the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27:**     You / count / me / be / there / you.

- A. You can count with me to be there for you.
- B. You can count of me to be there for you.
- C. You can count me to be there for you.
- D. You can count on me to be there for you.

**Question 28:**     I / accustomed / cook / dinner / family.

- A. I am accustomed cook dinner to my family.
- B. I am accustomed to cooking dinner for my family.
- C. I am accustomed to cooking dinner with for family.
- D. I accustomed to cooking dinner of my family.

**Part 9. Read the following sign or notice and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

**Question 29:**     You are working on a science project and need to dispose of some old chemicals. You see the sign below on a container. What does this sign tell you about the container?



- A. The container is empty and can be used for storage.
- B. The container has dangerous waste in it.
- C. The container is full of safe materials.
- D. The container is for storing food scraps.

**Question 30:**     What does this notice imply about the sneakers?

**Limited edition sneakers available now! First come, first served.**

- A. The sneakers are designed by a famous celebrity.
- B. You can only buy the sneakers online.
- C. There are not enough sneakers for everyone who wants them.
- D. The price of the sneakers will increase later.

**Part 10. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.**

Paris Saint-Germain, commonly known as PSG, is a [renowned] French football club based in Paris. Founded in 1970, the club quickly rose to prominence in French football, becoming a symbol of Parisian pride and ambition. Initially known for its passionate fans and distinctive blue and red kits, PSG struggled to achieve consistent success in its early years.

However, everything changed in the 21st century. In 2011, a Qatari investment group acquired the club, injecting significant financial resources. This takeover transformed PSG into one of the wealthiest clubs globally, enabling them to attract world-class players like Zlatan Ibrahimović, Neymar Jr., and Kylian Mbappé.

With these star players, PSG dominated French football, winning numerous Ligue 1 titles and domestic cups. Their success extended to European competitions, where they consistently reached the knockout stages of the UEFA Champions League. Though they haven't lifted the coveted Champions League trophy yet, their consistent presence among Europe's elite showcases their newfound status as a European powerhouse.

Despite criticisms regarding their financial dominance, PSG's impact on French football is undeniable. They elevated the league's global profile, attracted international fans, and inspired a new generation of young French players. Their journey, marked by early struggles and recent triumphs, embodies the club's motto: "Dream Bigger."

**Question 31:** What is the main topic of this reading passage?

- A. The history of the UEFA Champions League.
- B. The history and rise of Paris Saint-Germain football club.
- C. The life of famous PSG players.
- D. The rules of French football.

**Question 32:** The word "renowned" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. local
- B. small
- C. famous
- D. unknown

**Question 33:** What event marked a turning point in PSG's history according to the passage?

- A. The construction of their stadium.
- B. The acquisition by a Qatari investment group.
- C. The club's foundation in 1970.
- D. The signing of their first foreign player.

**Question 34:** Which of these statements about PSG is NOT mentioned in the text?

- A. PSG has won the UEFA Champions League multiple times.
- B. PSG has a large and passionate fan base.
- C. PSG has attracted some of the world's best players.
- D. PSG has faced criticism for its financial power.

**Question 35:** How has PSG impacted French football?

- A. Increased global attention and inspired young players.
- B. Led to financial instability in French football.
- C. Reduced the number of French players in the league.
- D. Decreased the popularity of other French teams.

**Question 36:** The word "coveted" in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. undesirable
- B. prestigious
- C. sought-after
- D. desired

**Part 11. Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

The Himalayas, home to the world's highest peaks, attract adventurers seeking challenging treks. (37) \_\_\_\_\_ is the Everest Base Camp Trek, a journey through breathtaking landscapes and unique Sherpa culture.

This trek, typically lasting around two weeks, begins in Lukhpla, a small town with an airstrip serving as the gateway to the Everest region. (38) \_\_\_\_\_. Along the way, trekkers encounter suspension bridges over rushing rivers, colorful prayer flags fluttering in the wind, and ancient monasteries offering glimpses into Tibetan Buddhism.

Acclimatizing to the altitude is crucial, as trekkers ascend to heights exceeding 5,000 meters. (39) \_\_\_\_\_, experiencing headaches, nausea, or fatigue. Proper hydration and pacing are essential for a safe and enjoyable trek.

Reaching Everest Base Camp is a truly remarkable achievement, offering unparalleled views of Mount Everest and surrounding peaks. (40) \_\_\_\_\_, the experience of trekking through the Himalayas, with its physical demands and cultural immersion, leaves a lasting impression on those fortunate enough to undertake it.

- A. From there, trekkers follow trails winding through rhododendron forests and across high-altitude deserts.
- B. Among the most popular options
- C. While not everyone reaches the summit
- D. It's common for trekkers to feel the effects of altitude sickness

**Question 37:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 38:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 39:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 40:** \_\_\_\_\_

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