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**Unit 8: SCIENCE**

**I. VOCABULARY**

**- access** something /'ækses/ (v) :truy cập

*Example: Many kinds of locks are available to prevent people from accessing your computer hard drive. (Nhiều loại khóa có sẵn để ngăn mọi người truy cập vào ổ cứng máy tính của bạn.)*

**- access** (to something) (n) : việc truy cập vào

**- adapt** (to something) /ə'dæpt/ (v) : thích ứng, thích nghi

= adjust (to sth)

**- adjust** (to something) /ə'dʒʌst/ (v) : điều chỉnh; thích nghi

*Example: If your employment status changes, your tax code will be adjusted accordingly. (Nếu tình trạng việc làm của bạn thay đổi, mã số thuế của bạn sẽ được điều chỉnh tương ứng.)*

**- all in all:** nói chung

**- appeal** (to s.o for s.th)/ə'pi:l/ (v) : hấp dẫn, lôi cuốn, kêu gọi

*Example: The idea of living on the island clearly appeals to a lot of people. (Ý tưởng về việc sống trên đảo rõ ràng hấp dẫn rất nhiều người.)*

**- aluminium** /,æljə'mɪniəm/, /,ælə'mɪniəm/ (n): nhôm

*Example: We have just bought some aluminium window frames. (Chúng tôi vừa mua một số khung cửa sổ bằng nhôm.)*

**- antibiotic** /,æntibaɪ 'ɒtɪk/ (n) : thuốc/chất kháng sinh

**- base** /beɪs/ (n) : cái bệ, bệ đỡ

**- blink** /blɪŋk/ (v) : nháy mắt

**- broadcast** /'brɔ:dkɑ:st/ /'brɒ:dkæst/ (v) : phát sóng

**- cardboard** /'kɑ:dbɔ:d/ (n) : bìa cứng

**- celluloid film** /'seljəlɔɪd film/ (n) : phim nhựa

**- ceramic** /sə'ræmɪk/ (n) : gốm

**- charger /** 'tʃɑ:ʤə/ (n) : dụng cụ sạc pin

*Example: This charger is dealing with two batteries at once.*

*(Bộ sạc này sạc hai pin cùng một lúc.)*

**- circular** /' sɜ:kjələ(r)/ (adj) : có hình tròn

**- concrete** /'kɒŋkri:t//'kɑ:nkrɪ:t/ (n) : bê tông

**- conduct** /kən'dʌkt/ (v) : tiến hành

*Example: The search for the missing men was conducted in poor weather conditions. (Cuộc tìm kiếm những người đàn ông mất tích được tiến hành trong điều kiện thời tiết xấu.)*

*-* **copper** /'kɒpə(r)//'kɑ:pər/ (n) : kim loại đồng

*-* **cordless** /'kɔ:dləs/ (adj) : không dây

*Example: My father gave me this cordless phone yesterday.*

*(Hôm qua bố tôi đã tặng tôi chiếc điện thoại không dây này.)*

*-* **credit note** /'kredɪt nəʊt/ (n) : phiếu đổi hàng

*Example: If damaged items have to be returned, the manufacturer may issue a credit note. (Nếu các mặt hàng bị hư hỏng phải được trả lại, nhà sản xuất có thế phát hành một phiếu đổi hàng.)*

*-* **curved** /kɜ:vd/ (adj) : cong

*-* **digital** /'dɪʤɪtl/ (adj) : kĩ thuật số

*Example: This is a digital camera. (Đây là một máy ảnh kỹ thuật số.)*

*-* **economy class** /ɪ'kɒnəmi kla:s / (n) : hạng phổ thông (vé máy bay)

*-* **establish** /ɪ'stæblɪʃ/ (v) : thành lập (= **found/set up)**

*-* **gadget** /'gæʤɪt/ (n) : dụng cụ; thiết bị

*Example : He showed me several electronic gadgets, such as a watch that you can use as a phone. (Anh ay đã cho tôi xem một một vài thiết bị điện từ, chẳng hạn như một chiếc đồng hồ mà bạn có thế sử dụng như một chiếc điện thoại.)*

*-* **games console** /'geɪmz kɒnsəʊl/ (n) : thiết bị điều khiển trò chơi điện tử trên màn hình máy tính hoặc màn hình tivi.

*-* **generation** /,dʒenə'reɪʃn/, (n) : thế hệ

*-* **handle** /'hændl/ (n) : tay cầm, quai cầm

*-* **heritage** /'herɪtɪʤ/ (n) : di sản

*Example: The building is part of our national heritage.*

*(Tòa nhà là một phần di sản quốc gia của chúng tôi.)*

*-* **leather** /'leðə(r)/ (n) : da thuộc

*-* **mains** /meɪnz/ (n) : các nguồn (nước/ điện / khí)

*Example: You can run the torch off batteries or plug it into the mains.*

*(Bạn có thể dùng mỏ hàn bằng pin hoặc cắm nó vào nguồn điện.)*

*-* **mains gas/ mains water/ mains electricity** (n): nguồn gas/ nước điện/ chính

*-* **mostly** /'məʊstli/ (adv) : hầu hết = mainly; generally

*Example: In the smaller villages, it is mostly very quiet at nights.*

*(Trong các ngôi làng nhỏ hơn, hầu như rất yên tĩnh vào ban đêm.)*

*-* **nylon /** 'naɪlɒn//'naɪlɑ:n/ (n) : ni lông

*-* **object** (to) /əb'ʤekt/ (v) : phản đối

*-* ***have (no) objection to*** : phản đối

**-** *on balance* /'bæləns/ (idiom) : sau khi cân nhắc

*Example: I would say that, on balance, you have come up with the best plan. (Sau khi cân nhắc, tôi có thể nói rằng bạn đã nghĩ ra một kế hoạch hay nhất.)*

**- overall** /,əʊvər'ɔ:l/ (adv) : nói chung

**- pandemic** /pæn'demɪk/ (n) : đại dịch

*Example: The COVID-19 pandemic has become one of the most serious health crises in human history. (Đại dịch COVID-19 đã trở thành một trong những cuộc khủng hoảng sức khỏe nghiêm trọng nhất trong lịch sử nhân loại.)*

**- prevent** /prɪ'vent/ (v) : ngăn cản, ngăn ngừa

**- rechargeable** /,ri: 'tʃɑ:ʤəbl/ (adj) : có thể sạc được

*Example: You should use rechargeable batteries. (Bạn nên sử dụng pin sạc.)*

**- rectangular** /rek'tæŋgjələ(r)/ (adj) : có hình chữ nhật

**- rival** /'raɪvl/ (n) : đối thủ

*Example: In France and England, a new king often had to fight rivals for the succession to the throne. (Ở Pháp và Anh, một vị vua mới thường phải chiến đấu với các đối thủ đế tranh giành ngai vàng.)*

**- rubber** /'rʌbə(r)/ (n) : cao su

**- spherical** /'sferɪkl/'sfɪrɪkl/ (adj) : (thuộc) hình cầu

**- square** /skweə(r)/ (adj) (n) : vuông / hình vuông

**- steel** /sti:l/ (n) : thép

**- strap** /stræp/ (n) : dây đeo

**- terracotta** /,terə'kɒtə/ /,terə'kɑ:tə/(n): đất nung, màu nâu đỏ

*Example: There are two terracotta pots in the kitchen. (Có hai cải nồi đất nung trong bếp.)*

**- triangular** /traɪ'æŋgjələ(r)/ (adj) : có dạng hình tam giác

**- upload** /,ʌp'ləʊd/ (v) : tải lên (≠ **download)**

*Example: The data was uploaded on Sunday October 8 at 11:30.*

*(Dữ liệu được tải lên vào Chủ nhật ngày 8 tháng 10 lúc 11:30.)*

**- virtual** /'vɜ:tʃuəl/ (adj) : ảo **virtual reality** /,vɜ:tʃuəl ri'æləti/ (n) : thực tế ảo

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***WORD FORM***

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|  | **NOUN** | **VERB** | **ADJECTIVE** | **ADVERB** |
| **1** | apology: lời xin lỗi | apologize (to s.b for s.th/doing s.th): xin lỗi | apologetic (about/for sth): cảm thấy hối tiếc | apologetically: hối tiếc, xin lỗi |
| **2** | arrangement: sự sắp xếp  arranger: người sắp xếp | arrange: sắp xếp | arranged: được sắp xếp |  |
| **3** | complaint: lời phàn nàn | complain (to s.b about/of s.th): phàn nàn |  |  |
| **4** | discovery: sự khám phá  discoverer: người khám phá | discover: khám phá |  |  |
| **5** | invention: sự phát minh  inventor: người phát minh | invent: phát minh | inventive: có tài phát minh | inventively |
| **6** | movement: sự chuyển động | move: chuyển động | movable: có thể di chuyển được |  |
| **7** | reconstruction: sự tái xây dựng  construction: sự xây dựng  constructor: người xây dụng, kỹ sư xây dựng | reconstruct: tái xây dựng  construct: xây dựng | reconstructive: tái tạo  constructive: mang tính xây dựng | constructively: có tính cách xây dựng |
| **8** | record: hồ sơ, kỷ lục  recorder: máy ghi âm  recording: sự ghi âm, âm thanh đã được ghi âm | record: ghi âm | recorded: đã ghi âm ≠ unrecorded |  |
| **9** | science: khoa học, ngành khoa học  scientist: nhà khoa học |  | scientific: thuộc về khoa học ≠ unscientific | scientifically: một cách có khoa học, về mặt khoa học |
| **10** | technology: công nghệ  technologist: kỹ sư công nghệ, chuyên gia công nghệ học |  | technological: thuộc về công nghệ | technologically: về mặt công nghệ |

***VOCABULARY PRACTICE***

**Exercise 1. Fill in the blank in the following sentences with one word from the box.**

***Part A:***

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| *base - generations - curved - blink –* economy  *objection - ceramic - virtual - dreamed - cardboard* |

1. Video game makers were the first mainstream users of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ reality.

2. Instead of travelling \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ class, I will travel first class.

3. The ball followed a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ path through the air.

4. There were at least three \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - grandparents, parents and children - at the wedding.

5. The robot is made of metal, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , and other materials.

6. There is a door at the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the tower.

7. How do you manage not to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when you're putting makeup on your eyes?

8. I’ve often \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of flying to the moon.

9. The boy was living on the streets and his home was a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ box.

10. I have no \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to staying here.

***Part B:***

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| *circular - upload - heritage - gadget - square*  *digital - transformed - power - antibiotic - terracotta* |

1. When she smiled, her face was completely \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .

2. These monuments are a vital part of the cultural \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of South America.

3. There are no highways, roads or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ lines linking it to the state's larger population centres.

4. My kitchen tiles are made from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .

5. Coins are usually in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shape.

6. The first \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to be discovered was penicillin.

7. The interior angles of a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are right angles or angles of 90 degrees.

8. Have you seen this handy little \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - it's for separating egg yolks from whites.

9. If you want to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ big files, you need a quicker modem.

10. The business has invested heavily in the latest \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ technology.

**Exercise 2. Choose the word which is CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word in each of the following questions.**

1. Since you are unable to answer, perhaps we should ask someone else.

A. When B. After C. Because D. Before

2. There is little chance that we will succeed in changing the law. Nevertheless, it is important that we try.

A. Nonetheless B. So that C. Then D. For that reason

3. The internet only came into widespread public use in the 1990s.

A. movable B. narrow C. main D. common

4. The hospital has a commitment to provide the best possible medical care.

A. supply B. send C. transform D. transfer

5. He was one minute faster than his nearest rival.

A. enemy B. competitor C. classmate D. partner

**Exercise 3. Choose the word which is OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word in each of the following questions.**

1. We believe in investing in scientific research.

A. unscientific B. further C. inventive D. creative

2. This is the first time I have seen such a teddy bear with movable arms and legs.

A. unmoved B. immovable C. removal D. moving

3. Last night the thief broke into his house because he forgot to lock the door.

A. appeared B. demonstrate C. broadcast D. remembered

4. Be careful not to touch the cooker. It’s hot.

A. careless B. uncaring C. forgetful D. lazy

5. We feel a deep and mutual respect for each other.

A. self-respect B. disrespect

C. looking up to D. looking down

**Exercise 4. Complete each sentence with the correct form of the word given in the parentheses.**

1. The world changed rapidly after the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the phone.(invent)

2. I was the lucky \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of a very valuable painting, (discover)

3. We searched all morning for the missing papers and finally \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ them in a drawer, (discover)

4. The steam engine was the greatest \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ advance of the 19th century, (technology)

5. A great deal of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ research is being performed in this area, (science)

6. The company has developed an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ different game, (invent)

7. He started his scientific career as an amateur \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . (science)

8. The robbery was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on a concealed security camera, (record)

9. She took her Panasonic tape \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ out of her bag and placed it down, (record)

10. They were very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about everything yesterday, (apology)

11. We ought to deal \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with the problems, (construct)

12. The company produces kits for amateur car \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . (construct)

13. She criticized my writing, but in a way that was very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . (construct)

14. Alfred Nobel was the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of dynamite, (invent)

15. The labs use advanced \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to study the function of various cells, (technological)

**Exercise 5. Complete each of the following sentences with one preposition from the box.**

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| *of- about — with - to - from - on - into - for -at-to* |

1. Yuri Alekseyevich Gagarin is the first human to fly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ space.

2. Is there life \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Mars?

3. Have you prepared \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your interview?

4. I don't want to argue \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you—-just do it!

5. My mother shouted \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ me because I broke her ancient vase.

6. What did you think \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the film?

7. It took my cousin five months to recover \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the operation.

8. She writes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her parents once a month.

9. My sister always cares very much \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her appearance.

10. He shouted \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ me to throw down the rope.

**II. GRAMMAR**

**1. The Passive voice**

**2. Verbs + preposition**

**1. The Passive (Câu bị động)**

**1.1. Câu bị động (Passive) và câu chủ động (Active)**

Câu bị động (passive) là câu trong đó chủ ngữ chịu tác động của động từ. Trái với câu chủ động (active) trong đó chủ ngữ gây ra hành động. Hãy so sánh các cặp câu sau đây:

Active: Miss Huong **corrects** her students’ papers every day.

(Miss Huong does the job.)

Passive: Students’ papers **are corrected** by Miss Huong every day.

(Students’ papers get the job done by Miss Huong.)

Active: The judge **will discover** the truth.

Passive: The truth **will be discovered** by the judge.

**1.2. Những trường hợp dùng câu bị động:**

1.2.1. Khi người nói không biết ai gây ra hành động. Ví dụ:

- *My house* ***was broken in*** *while we were on holiday.*

1.2.2. Khi người nói chỉ chú trọng đến hành động và không quan tâm ai gây ra. Ví dụ:

- *All the classrooms of my school* ***are cleaned*** *twice a day.*

1.2.3. Khi người nói muốn người nghe chú ý vật được làm ra, hơn là người làm ra nó. Ví dụ:

- *The telephone was invented by Graham Bell.*

**1.3. Những thay đổi cần làm khi chuyển câu chủ động (active) sang câu bị động (passive)**

- Dùng tân ngữ (object) của câu chủ động làm chủ ngữ (subject) của câu bị động.

- Động từ chính (main verb) luôn ở hình thức quá khứ phân từ (past participle).

- Luôn dùng trợ động từ “Be” và thay đổi theo thì của câu nói.

- Chủ ngữ của câu chủ động có thể dùng làm tác nhân câu bị động sau giới từ “by” (by + agent).

CHÚ Ý: Chúng ta không cần dùng tác nhân (by + agent) trong câu bị động nếu chủ ngữ của câu chủ động là: “someone, people” và một số đại từ nhân xưng. Chúng ta dùng “by + agent” trong câu bị động khi tác nhân (agent) là tên riêng hoặc một danh từ. Ví dụ:

Active: Someone collects the rubbish every morning.

Passive: The rubbish is collected very morning (~~by someone~~).

Active: People import these products from abroad.

Passive: These products are imported from abroad (~~by people~~).

Active: Picasso painted this picture in Paris.

Passive: This picture was painted by Picasso in Paris. (by + name)

Active: The police are investigating the accident.

Passive: The accident is being investigated **by the police.** (by + noun)

**1.4. Những hình thức thay đổi của trợ động từ “Be” qua các thì khác nhau**

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| **Tenses (Thì)** | **“Be + past participle”** | **Examples** |
| Present simple | “am, is, are + p.p.” | A: He washes the car at the weekend. P: The car **is washed** at the weekend. |
| Present continuous | “am, is, are + being + p.p.” | A: He is washing the car now.  P: The car **is being washed** now. |
| Present perfect | “have/ has + been + p.p.” | A: He has just washed the car. P: The car **has just been washed.** |
| Past simple | “was/ were + p.p.” | A: He washed the car yesterday. P: The car **was washed** yesterday. |
| Past continuous | “was/ were + being + p.p.” | A: He was washing the car then. P: The car **was being washed** then. |
| Past perfect | “had + been + p.p.” | A: He had washed the car by 5:00 p.m. P: The car **had been washed** by 5:00 p.m. |
| Future: “will” | “will + be + p.p.” | A: Someone will break the world record. P: The world record **will be broken**. |
| Future: “Be going to” | “am/ is/ are going to + be + p.p.” | A: Someone is going to break the world record.  P: The world record **is going to be broken.** |
| Modals: can/ must/ may/ should | “can/ must/ may/ should + be + p.p.” | A: Someone can/ must/ may/ should break the world record.  P: The world record **can/ must/ may/ should be broken.** |

**2. Verbs + preposition**

Nhiều động từ trong Tiếng Anh được theo sau bằng giới từ và cho ý nghĩa khác nhau. Những giới từ thường được dùng sau các động từ gồm có: “about, at, in, on, for, to, up, down, with, etc.”

Sau đây là một số động từ thường dùng với giới từ:

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| **Verbs + preposition** | **Meaning in Vietnamese** | **Examples** |
| Adjust to sth | Thích nghi với việc gì | It’ll take me a while to adjust to the new lifestyle. |
| Agree to sth | Đồng ý về việc gì | Both sides have agreed to the terms of the new contract. |
| Agree with | Đồng ý với ai | I agree with you on this issue. |
| Appeal to sb for sth | Kêu gọi ai về việc gì | The police are appealing to the public for any information about the missing girl. |
| Apologize to sb for (doing) sth | Xin lỗi ai về việc gì | You must apologize to her for your rudeness. |
| Argue with sb | Tranh cãi với ai | Will you stop arguing with each other? |
| Ask (sb) about sth | Hỏi (ai) về việc gì | The interviewer asked me about my future plans. |
| Ask (sb) for sth | Yêu cầu ai về việc gì | Don't be afraid to ask for help. |
| Care about | Quan tâm | She buys everything she wants and doesn’t care about how much they cost. |
| Care for | Chăm sóc | They cared for their senile mother for 15 years before her death. |
| Complain to sb about sth | Phàn nàn với ai về việc gì | Shoppers have complained to the manager about the lack of toilet facilities. |
| Deal with | Xử lý, đối phó với | She's very good at dealing with difficult customers. |
| Dream about | Nằm mơ thấy | What did you dream about last night? |
| Dream of/ about sth | ước mơ về | It was the kind of trip most of us only dream of/ about. |
| Hear about | Nghe nói về | I was sorry to hear about your accident. |
| Hear of | Biết về ai/ điều gì | I’d never heard of him before he won the prize. |
| Hear from sb | Nhận được tin của ai | Have you heard from David recently? |
| Help sb with sth | Giúp ai về việc gì | He always helps his wife with the housework. |
| Laugh at sb | Cười nhạo ai | She thinks people will laugh at her if she sings. |
| Prepare for | Chuẩn bị cho | The students are busy preparing for their final tests. |
| Search for | Tìm kiếm | They searched the woods for the missing girl. |
| Set up | Tạo nên; thiết lập | He started to set up his business in 2002. |
| Recover from | Bình phục; hồi phục | Have you fully recovered from your illness? |
| Shout at sb | La mắng, la lớn với ai | His mother never shouted at him. |
| Shout to sb | La lớn cho ai nghe | I shouted to Rita, but she couldn’t hear me because there was a lot of noise. |
| Take part in | Tham dự | All of the students took part in the project. |
| Think about/ of | Nghĩ về | Jane is thinking about/ of changing her job. |
| Think of | Suy nghĩ, cân nhắc về | Have you thought of a name for the baby yet? |
| Write about sth | Viết về | This writer often writes about her native Korea. |
| Write to sb | Viết cho ai | She hasn't written to me recently.  Or: She hasn't written me recently. |
| Work on sth | Làm việc về gì | You need to work on your pronunciation if you want to pass the exam. |
| Work for sb | Làm việc cho ai | Miss Lam has a lot of experience of working with children who have learning difficulties. |
| Work with sb | Làm việc với ai | Paul works for a company that makes software. |
| Worry about | Lo lắng về | Some teenagers often worry about their future. |

***GRAMMAR EXERCISES***

**Exercise 1. Choose the correct form of the verbs in bold type in each of the following sentences. The first one has been done for you.**

1. The boy **~~has sent~~/ has been sent** out of the classroom by the teacher.

2. A lot of trees **cut/ are cut** down every year.

3. They **kill/ are killed** elephants for ivory.

4. A new bridge **is building/ is being built** at the moment.

5. An important speech **will make/ will be made** by the president next Monday.

6. The government **will introduce/ will be introduced** new measures against crime.

7. Scientists **might discover/ might be discovered** a new cure for cancer.

8. Has the rubbish **collected/ been collected** yet?

9. Someone **should help/ should be helped** the old woman across the street.

10. This product **has not tested/ has not been tested** on animals.

**Exercise 2. Rewrite the following sentences in the passive voice.**

1. The host offered me a cup of tea.

I

2. Many parents influence their children strongly.

Children

3. The director has to sign all the documents.

All the documents

4. Someone has broken into Anne’s house.

Ann’s house

5. Has the news surprised you?

Have you

6. The boys could have broken the window.

The window

7. Someone had found my wallet and left it at the reception.

My wallet

8. They were pulling down the building when I walked by.

The building

9. The police caught the suspect near the French border.

The suspect

10. We have made some mistakes, but we’re working on a solution now.

Some mistakes

**Exercise 3: Complete each sentence with the correct form of the passive of the verb in parentheses. Use the verb in the tense suggested at the end of the sentence.**

1. The cat \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (feed) twice a day. (Present simple)

2. The novel \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (write) a hundred years ago. (Past simple)

3. The new supermarket \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (open) next month. (Future simple: will)

4. The food \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (put) into the fridge. (Modal: must)

5. The ceremony \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (carry out) when we came . (Past continuous)

6. That house \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (not paint) since I was a child. (Present perfect)

7. Smoking \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (not allow) in this hotel. (Present simple)

8. All homework \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (hand in) by next Friday. (Modal: should)

9. After all the flights \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (cancel) the tourists checked in at the airport hotel. (Past perfect)

10. The Earth \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (can/ save) if all people tried hard enough to do something. (Second conditional)

**Exercise 4. Rewrite the following sentences in the passive voice.**

1. People have wasted a lot of time on pointless meetings in this company.

A lot of time

2. The tourist guide is going to give the tourists a map.

The tourists

3. They were painting the room when the roof fell in.

The room

4. The student had cleaned the board before the teacher came in.

The board

5. They will serve dinner after the chairman makes a speech.

Dinner \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ after a speech

6. The news seemed to have shocked him.

He seemed

7. You should take these tablets before meals.

These tablets

8. The mayor will open the new sports centre they have finished work on it.

The new sports centre \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when the work on it

9. Workers were setting up a road block when I passed through.

A road block

10. They do not allow taking pictures here.

Taking pictures

**Exercise 5. Choose the correct word in bold type in each of the following sentences. The first one has been done for you.**

1. I'm not wearing that hat - people will laugh **at/ ~~with~~** me.

2. She can't go out to work because she has to stay at home to care **about/ for** her baby.

3. These scientists care deeply **about/ for** environmental issues.

4. I dreamed **about/ of** falling from a cliff. It was a nightmare!

5. The government appealed **for/ to** the British people for help.

6. We haven't heard **of/ from** my aunt Lucy for ages.

7. It's a tiny country that most people have never heard **of/ from.**

8. The college now has a counsellor to help students **for/ with** both personal and work problems.

9. They are unlikely to agree **to/ with** these plans unless the cost is reduced.

10. My mother never takes sides when my brother and I argue **to/ with** each other.

**Exercise 6. Choose the correct word in bold type in each of the following sentences. The first one has been done for you.**

1. She's very adept at **~~searching for~~/ dealing with** the media.

2. I **dream of/ hear of** one day working for myself and not having a boss.

3. Wait until you **work with/ hear from** the boss before making a decision.

4. It seems that she can't **adjust to/ care about** living on her own.

5. I am writing to **agree with/ ask for** some information about courses.

6. The robbers were dragged from their car and **searched for/ worked for** weapons.

7. Although she **set up/ recovered from** her illness, her rate of progress was quite slow.

8. The coach had to **shout/ tell** instructions to players on the pitch.

9. How many countries **took part in/ came up with** the last World Cup?

10. She hopes to **think/ write** a book about her experiences o.ne day.

**III. SPEAKING**

***Part A: Choose the response A, B, C or D that best completes each of the following conversations.***

1. Paul: “Thanks for all the information, Katie.”

Katie: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. None of my business. B. There’s nothing.

C. That would be helpful, thanks. D. No problem. See you soon.

2. Brian: “You are pretty as a picture.”

Susan: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. It’s nice of you to say so. B. Thanks. Me too.

C. I don’t mind you saying so. D. No problem!

3. Ann: “I think there will be life on the Moon.”

Wendy:” \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. That would be fun. B. That’s a good idea.

C. I’m not sure. D. I think not.

4. Kevin: “Do you know the surgery can be carried out by robots?”

Cindy: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. Yes, it can. B. No, I’m not. C. Yes, you do. D. Really?

***Part B:* Fill in each blank with the correct phrases from the box.**

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| *Have you got the receipt - What’s wrong - will it take - Can I help you*  *here it is - Could you please - There’s a problem - repair it, please*  *When did you buy - over a month* |

Assistant: (1) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ?

Customer: Yes, (2) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with this mobile phone.

Assistant: (3) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it?

Customer: Two months ago.

Assistant: (4) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with it?

Customer: I can’t make a phone call and send a message.

Assistant: Let me have a look. Yes, You’re right. (5) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ?

Customer: Yes, (6) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . Can I have my money back, please?

Assistant: I’m afraid that will be impossible because it’s (7) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ old.

Customer: (8) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ repair it for me?

Assistant: Yes, of course.

Customer: How long (9) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ?

Assistant: About two days.

Customer: Ok. (10) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .

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**IV. PRONUNCIATION**

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| **/tʃ/** | **/ʤ/** |
| change  choke  chump  lunch  rich | change  joke  jump  lunge  ridge |

**⮚ Cách phát âm** /tʃ/

*Bước 1:* Căng và tròn môi: đưa môi về phía trước và căng ra để tạo âm.

*Bước 2:* Khép hai răng.

*Bước* 3: Nâng đầu lưỡi lên chạm phía sau hàm răng trên.

CHÚ Ý: /tʃ/ trong tiếng Anh là âm vô thanh, khi bật hơi thì cổ sẽ không rung.

**⮚ Cách phát âm** /ʤ/

Các bước phát âm của /ʤ/ tương tự như cách phát âm /tʃ/, nhưng /ʤ/ là âm hữu thanh nên khi bật hơi thì cổ chúng ta sẽ rung.

**Exercise: *Put the following words in the correct column depending on the underlined sound.***

virtual gad**g**et object coach adjust punctual century

schedule major mana**g**ement nature educate **g**enerous teacher

July cello suggestion package soldier gymnastic di**g**ital

search question furniture

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| /tʃ/ | /ʤ/ |
|  |  |

**PRACTICE TEST 17**

*❖* ***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.***

I moved to a new apartment right across the street (1) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my old one. I thought it would be simple to get my phone and DSL line (2) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . The technician from the phone company came to install my telephone line. He said that I would be able to use the internet on the same line. After he had left, I discovered that the phone worked (3) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the DSL connection for the internet didn’t. So I called the phone company. Of course, I didn’t get to talk to a real person. While I was on hold, every few minutes a (4) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ said, “Remember, you can use our convenient website to solve (5) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your problems.”

1. A. to B. from C. with D. near

2. A. started B. starting C. to start D. start

3. A. and B. so C. if D. but

4. A. record B. recorder C. recording D. recorded

5. A. most B. most of C. the most D. a lot

***❖ Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.***

6. A. question B. virtual C. suggestion D. reconstruction

7. A. access B. adapt C. pandemic D. gadget

***❖ Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.***

8. A. rival B. satnav C. complaint D. rubber

9. A. ability B. aluminium C. generation D. exploration

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

10. You need time to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to a new situation.

A. adjust B. destroy C. discover D. invent

11. The council has succeeded in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the problem of homelessness in the city.

A. caring for B. thinking of C. dealing with D. arguing with

12. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is a soft red-brown metal used for making electric wires, pipes and coins.

A. Steel B. Gold C. Plastic D. Copper

13. I objected to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to rewrite the report.

A. having B. have C. had D. having been

14. The effects of cigarette smoking \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to be very harmful recently.

A. have been proved B. proved

C. were proved D. has been proved

15. I don’t think that you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to show your passport.

A. will ask B. are being asked

C. will be asked D. are asking

16. When \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the first BBC TV programmes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the UK?

A. did / made B. were / made

C. have / been made D. will / be made

17. This report must \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ all the employees as soon as possible.

A. have to send B. have to be sent C. send D. be sent

18. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I think it would be better to cancel the arrangements.

A. According to B. It may seem C. Although D. On balance

19. I’ve decided \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my car after all.

A. not to sell B. don’t sell C. not selling D. sold

20. That is the boy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sister sits next to me at school.

A. who B. whom C. whose D. that

21. You won’t get paid for time off \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you have a doctor’s note.

A. if B. unless C. when D. as long as

22. Lots of people have complained \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ me \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the noise.

A. with / about B. to / to C. to / about D. with / by

23. Can I have my money back, please?

A. Can you lend me some money, please?

B. Could you pay in cash?

C. Would you please get my money back?

D. Can you give me a refund, please?

24. Although I was tired, I tried to finish my homework.

A. Despite being tired, but I tried to finish my homework.

B. In spite of trying to finish my homework, I was tired.

C. Tired as I was , I tried to finish my homework.

D. Despite being tired, so I tried to finish my homework.

25. Customer: “I’d like to make a complaint about the food.”

- Waiter: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.” Could you tell me a little more about why you say that?

A. Pleased to meet you

B. I’m sorry to hear that

C. All the food was awful

D. I can give you a credit note

26. Administrator: “Hello, Have you come to enrol for your course or pay your fees?”

- Student: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. Um, both actually. B. Yes, I do.

C. Forget it. D. I’m not happy about that.

***❖ Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

27. Why didn't you ask for help, rather than trying to do it on your own?

A. in spite of B. instead of C. more than D. less than

***❖ Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

28. I was in the shower when Aida brought me the cordless telephone.

A. cord B. cordial C. corded D. recorded

***❖ Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.***

29. If there is a significant improvement to the internet reliability and speed in the area, the students in our city won’t be able to attend online classes.

A. If B. the internet C. be able to D. online classes

30. Without stable internet connectivity, it is more and more difficulty for us to follow the class.

A. Without B. connectivity C. it is D. difficulty

***❖ Complete each sentence with the correct form of the word in parentheses.***

31. Researchers in this field have made some important new \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . (discover)

32. Clothes should not be so tight that they restrict your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . (move)

33. He is learning how to think \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . (science)

34. If you don't have anything \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to say, it's better to say nothing. (construct)

35. I've already \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with her to meet at the airport. (arrange)

***❖ Finish the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one.***

36. “I left my raincoat here two days ago,” Ann said to them.

Ann told .

37. Yesterday they appointed a new sales manager.

A new sales .

38. It’s pointless telling her to clean her room - she’ll never do it.

There’s no .

39. It’s time for us to do something to save the environment.

It’s time we .

40. No one has seen John and Alice since last month.

John and Alice .

**PRACTICE TEST 18**

***❖ Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.***

When I was young, I always dreamed of becoming a famous scientist. When I was at school, I **decided** to study engineering, and then become a millionaire by inventing a wonderful new product which would make the world a better place. Unfortunately, I wasn’t very good at technical subjects. Any time I operate any kind of equipment, something terrible happens. Machines which use electricity, such as computers or televisions, always seem to give me a powerful shock. The instruction booklets are always useless. **They** never help me at all. Nowadays you need to have specialized knowledge just to use the DVD. To my great embarrassment it is always a child of six who helps me out of my difficulties.

1. Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

A. The writer became a famous scientist.

B. The writer became a millionaire.

C. The writer invented a wonderful new product which would make the world a better place.

D. The writer’s dream didn’t come true.

2. When the writer was a student, he decided to study \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. chemical engineering B. engineering

C. nuclear power D. science

3. The word **“decided”** in the passage is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. made a decision B. did a decision

C. intended D. tried

4. The word **“they”** in the passage refers to\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. computers B. televisions

C. The instruction booklets D. machines

5. According to the passage, the writer is embarrassed because \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A. he got a power shock.

B. a six-year-old child helps him through.

C. he wasn’t very good at technical subjects.

D. a boy of six helps him out of his difficulties.

***❖ Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.***

6. A. challen**g**e B. **g**adget C. herita**g**e D. di**g**ital

7. A. float B. road C. broadcast D. upload

***❖ Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.***

8. A. access B. appeal C. adjust D. transform

9. A. revolution B. terracotta C. reconstruction D. reality

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

10. This electric fan is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ made of iron and plastic.

A. mostly B. the most C. most D. most of

11. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, I think it has been a very successful contest.

A. In all B. As a total C. All in all D. As a result

12. We live in a world filled with high-tech \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. paper B. gadgets C. stone D. leather

13. The water company appealed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ everyone to reduce the amount of water used.

A. for B. with C. up D. to

14. The new apartment is not yet connected to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. mains B. square C. virtual museum D. world

15. My children are used to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ after school.

A. picking up B. be picked up

C. pick up D. being picked up

16. I couldn’t remember what \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to me the previous day.

A. was happening B. had happened

C. has happened D. happened

17. The computer provides \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to all the information.

A. power B. news C. access D. programs

18. Have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by these gadgets?

A. been traditional celluloid films replaced

B. been replaced traditional celluloid films

C. traditional celluloid films replaced

D. traditional celluloid films been replaced

19. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ bad behavior is unacceptable in this school.

A. Such B. These C. So D. Like

20. Everyone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the dangers of using digital devices before bedtime lately.

A. have been warned B. has been warned

C. are warned D. will be warned

21. Tony broke his arm \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ he was playing volleyball.

A. because B. as soon as C. while D. although

22. The teacher asked us \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A. which of our parents did we feel closer to?

B. who of our parents we felt closer to.

C. who of our parents we feel closer to.

D. which of our parents we felt closer to.

23. Humans will control the weather in the future.

A. The weather will control humans in the future.

B. The weather will be controlled in the future by humans.

C. The weather will been controlled by humans in the future.

D. The weather will be controlled by humans in the future.

24. Mark knows how to cook well.

A. Mark is known for cooking well.

B. Mark is good at cooking.

C. How to cook well is Mark’s hobby.

D. Mark is well at cooking

25. Tom: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

Mary: “It has stopped working.”

A. What’s the problem with your laptop?

B. What a nice laptop!

C. Where did you buy your laptop?

D. How often do you use your laptop?

26. Ryan “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ does the festival take place?”

George: “Once a year.”

A. How B. When C. How often D. Where

***❖ Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

27. The business is in a dangerous financial position.

A. harmful B. damaged C. risky D. safe

***❖ Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

28. In 1901, parts of an ancient machine were discovered on a ship near the Greek Island of Antikythera.

A. priceless B. precious C. old D. modem

***❖ Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.***

29. I got into trouble but my father gave me some good advices.

A. into B. trouble C. some D. advices

30. Although it was raining heavy, we still went swimming.

A. Although B. heavy C. still D. swimming

***❖ Complete each sentence with the correct form of the word in parentheses.***

31. We have had some serious \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from parents. (complain)

32. The waiter \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ asked if we could move to a different table. (apology)

33. The first safety razor was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by company founder King C. Gillette in 1903. (invent)

34. The project has attracted considerable criticism from the community. (science)

35. I called his office but just got a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . (record)

***❖ Finish the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one.***

36. Someone painted my house two months ago.

I had my .

37. My mother reads a lot of poetry to me every night.

A lot of poetry .

38. It would be nice to be able to fly a plane.

I wish I .

39. Can you help me with my English homework?

Can you give ?

40. Tom finds driving on the left rather difficult.

Tom isn’t .

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