

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.

1. A. mood B. flood C. spoon D. moon
2. A. classmate B. pressure C. embarrass D. missing

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.

3. A. decide B. enjoy C. rebel D. review
4. A. apartment B. loyalty C. resident D. confidence

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 stress in each of the following questions.

5. Lan doesn't mind _____ the midnight oil to revise for her final exam.
A. burning B. to burn C. to burning D. burn
6. At this time last week, we _____ a party in a luxurious restaurant.
A. will be having B. had had C. were having D. had
7. I'm particularly interested in the _____ development of young children.
A. linguist B. linguistically C. language D. linguistic
8. Located in Quang Binh Province, Son Doong Cave was _____ by a local man named Ho Khanh in 1991.
A. discovered B. invented C. investigated D. founded
9. My parents were _____ that I gained the scholarship to study at Stanford.
A. annoyed B. pleased C. afraid D. surprising
10. _____ the rain was heavy, I arrived on time.
A. Because B. Unless C. Despite D. Although
11. It shakes and rattles as the engine _____.
A. turns over B. knock over C. stress out D. sort out
12. The teacher didn't seem to be happy about our tasks, _____.
A. didn't they B. did they C. didn't he D. did he

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that is CLOSEST In meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following sentence.

13. I'm not going to put up with their smoking any longer because it makes me feel dizzy.

- A. encourage B. prohibit C. tolerate D. satisfy

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that is OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following sentence.

14. I hear Sarah is making a bundle with sales from her latest novel.

- A. making a lot of money B. earning little money
C. making a pile D. being a bag of nerves

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful dialogue in each of the following questions.

15.

- a. Lily: That sounds incredible! I'll be going there this summer.
b. Lily: Have you ever been to Japan? I've heard it's an amazing place to visit.
c. Mia: Yes, I went last year, and I absolutely loved it! The culture, food, and beautiful landscapes were unforgettable.

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

16.

- a. If you're in hurry, I can give you directions to the nearest one.
b. Absolutely! There's a fantastic one just a few blocks away.
c. Do you know where I can find a good coffee shop around here?
d. I'm actually on a tight schedule and need to head out soon.

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

17.

- a. Anna: That sounds lovely! Do you also have any traditions at home?
b. Anna: How does your family usually spend weekends together?
c. John: Yes, every Sunday, we cook a big family dinner together, and everyone helps out.
d. Anna: That's such a nice way to bond! It must be a lot of fun.

- e. John: We often go for walks in the park and have a picnic if the weather is nice.
A. d-b-a-e-c B. b-c-a-e-d C. c-b-a-e-d D. b-e-a-c-d

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best option that fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 20.

CALLING ALL MODELS

Think you could be a model? If so, we'd like to meet you!

Working as a successful fashion model isn't easy but it is very exciting and could be a great opportunity. Girls and boys should be over 16 with a minimum (18) _____ of 172 cm and 182 cm respectively. If you are (19) _____ 16 and do not yet have the required height, we will still be interested in meeting you, (20) _____ you must bring a parent.

18. A. height B. tall C. peak D. weight

19. A. below B. beneath C. under D. prior to

20. A. so B. and C. nor D. but

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best option that fits each of the numbered blanks from 21 to 25.

Air-travel is the most modern form of (21) _____ transport and it (22) _____ in the 20th century. Millions of people use airplanes for a variety of reasons. It is also extremely expensive to (23) _____ air-travel facilities. Some travel for business, others go on holiday by air and others use cargo planes to move their products from country to country very (24) _____. Some courier companies now have their own fleet of planes ready to carry parcels and post more efficiently. There are different types of passenger services - some are cheap and provide a 'no-frills' service which is good for short journeys. Other airlines provide passengers with a luxurious flying experience. Airports are getting busier and it is evident that (25) _____ passengers and businesses than ever are using airplanes to get to their destinations.

21. A. main B. private C. public D. personal

22. A. was developed B. is developed C. developed D. will developed

23. A. take off B. bring up C. set up D. look for

24. A. quick B. quickly C. quicker D. quickness

25. A. more B. less C. fewer D. much

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.

Air Travel

Air travel has revolutionized the way people move around the world, making long-distance journeys faster and more accessible. Over the past century, the aviation industry has expanded significantly, with advancements in technology leading to safer and more efficient flights. Airlines now operate globally, connecting major cities and remote destinations alike.

Despite its many benefits, air travel has some drawbacks. One major concern is its environmental impact, as airplanes contribute significantly to carbon emissions. Additionally, flight delays, security screenings, and cramped seating conditions can make the travel experience stressful for passengers. However, many airlines and researchers are working on solutions to reduce emissions and improve passenger comfort.

Another important aspect of air travel is its role in international business and tourism. Business professionals rely on flights to attend meetings, sign contracts, and establish global connections. At the same time, tourism has **flourished** due to the affordability and convenience of air travel, allowing people to explore new cultures and destinations more easily.

Looking ahead, the future of air travel is likely to include advancements in fuel efficiency, electric or hybrid aircraft, and improved airport services. With ongoing research and investment, the aviation industry aims to create a more sustainable and enjoyable travel experience for passengers worldwide.

Multiple-Choice Questions

26. What is the main topic of the passage?

- A. The environmental problems caused by air travel
- B. The history and future of air travel
- C. The benefits, challenges, and future of air travel
- D. The cost of international flights

27. The word "**flourished**" in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to ____.

- A. Declined B. Grew C. Stopped D. Weakened

28. Which of the following is NOT true according to the passage?

- A. Air travel has made long-distance journeys faster.
- B. The aviation industry has not improved its technology.
- C. Flights play a major role in international business.
- D. The aviation industry is working to reduce emissions.

29. Why is air travel important for business professionals?

- A. It allows them to attend meetings and establish global connections.
- B. It helps them avoid traffic congestion in big cities.

C. It provides them with leisure opportunities during flights.

D. It reduces the need for online communication.

30. What are some of the problems associated with air travel?

A. It is always expensive.

B. It causes stress due to delays and security procedures.

C. It has eliminated the need for train travel.

D. It is only used for tourism purposes.

31. What is one possible future advancement in air travel mentioned in the passage?

A. The elimination of airplanes

B. The introduction of teleportation

C. The development of electric or hybrid aircraft

D. The removal of airport security screenings

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph in the following question.

32.

a. In addition to eating well, regular exercise is key to boosting energy levels and maintaining a healthy weight.

b. A balanced diet, rich in whole foods like fruits, vegetables, and lean proteins, provides the essential nutrients our bodies need to function properly.

c. It's also important to stay hydrated throughout the day and ensure you're getting enough sleep to help your body recover.

d. By making these simple changes, we can greatly improve our overall well-being.

e. Adopting a healthy lifestyle is crucial for improving both physical and mental health in the long run.

A. c-a-b-e-d

B. e-b-a-c-d

C. c-d-b-e-a

D. e-d-b-

c-a

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

33. I'm very happy because my grandmother has bought me an new modern bicycle.

A. happy

B. because

C. has bought

D. an

34. We don't need to hurry because the train will leave at 10 a.m.

A. don't need

B. to hurry

C. will leave

D. at

35. I think he suggests to recycle things such as bags, cans, and bottles.

- A. I think B. to recycle C. such as D. and

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the given one.

36. The movie bears little resemblance to the original novel.

- A. The movie is very similar to the original novel.
B. The movie is quite different from the original novel.
C. The movie and the original novel resemble in many ways.
D. The movie and the original novel differ in some ways.

37. He started learning French six years ago.

- A. It is six years since he has learnt French.
B. He has learned French for six years.
C. He hasn't learnt French for six years.
D. It was six years ago did he start learning French.

38. "Why don't you meet to discuss how to organise the fair?"

- A. He suggested to meeting to discuss how to organise the fair.
B. He suggested that we shouldn't meet to discuss how to organise the fair.
C. He suggested that we should meet to discuss how to organise the fair.
D. He suggested to meet to discuss how to organise the fair.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines the two given ones.

39. The weather was very hot. The children continued playing football in the schoolyard.

- A. Because of the weather was hot, the children continued playing football in the schoolyard.
B. Because the hot weather, the children continued playing football in the schoolyard.
C. In spite of the hot weather, the children continued playing football in the schoolyard.
D. Despite the weather was hot, the children continued playing football in the schoolyard.

40. Ms. Minh is very happy. Her daughter won the first prize of the dancing contest.

- A. Ms. Minh is very happy, that is her daughter won the first prize of the dancing contest.

- B. Ms. Minh with her daughter won the first prize of the dancing contest, who is very happy.
- C. Ms. Minh, whose daughter won the first prize of the dancing contest, is very happy.
- D. Ms. Minh's daughter, who won the first prize of the dancing contest, is very happy.