**ENGLISH PRACTICE 72**

**SECTION ONE: GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY**

**Question 1:** **Choose the best option.**

1. By the end of the next month, we…………our English course.

A. have completed B. will be completed C. will have completed D. completed

2. It was ………….we could not go out .

A. so cold that B. such cold that C. very so cold D. too cold that

3. ……………you have no keys, you ‘ll have to get back before I go out.

A. If B. Although C. Unless D. As

4. I really prefer just about anything …………..watching TV.

A. from B. or C. than D. to

5. Gold ……………..near San Francisco in 1848 and the gold rush started the following year.

A. has been discovered B. discovered C. was discovered D. is discovered

6. We have a party tonight and Daisy is worried about ………..

A. what to wear B. which wearing C.that she wears D. these wearing

7……..behalf of everyone working here, I would like to say thank you.

A. In B. On C. For D. From

8. The car burst into \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ but the driver managed to escape.

A. heat B. flames C. fire D. burning

9. I don't think that red dress \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her.

A. cheers B. goes C. suits D. agrees

10. Last summer, we had ……. holiday in Spain.

A. a two week’s B. a two – weeks C. two – week D. a two – week

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| 6. | 7. | 8. | 9. | 10. |

**Question 2: Use the correct form of the words given in brackets to fill in the blanks in each sentence.**

11. He is engrossed in doing ( SCIENCE) …………….. research.

12. They entered the areas without ( PERMIT) ……………..

13. He wants (WIDTH) ……………… his knowledge of the subject.

14. What makes the computer a (MIRACLE). ………….......device ?

15. The architecture in the downtown area is a successful (COMBINE) …………....of old and new.

16. I really don’t think he has the (ABLE)………........ ....to do this job.

17. Thank you for a very (ENJOY)……… ................evening.

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**Question 3: There is one mistake in each sentence. Find and correct them.**

18. She is very lazy. She almost never help her mother with the household chores.

19. Her father told her take the dog for a walk after breakfast.

20. What would happen if the temperature is warmer?

21. When it was first establish in 1973, it consisted of only two hectares of land.

22. It's difficult for me decide whether I should accept the job or not.

23. If he fails the final exam, he wouldn't be able to graduate.

24. Music plays an importance part in our life.

25. I am in grade 12 and I am below a lot of study pressure.

26. My close friend's responsibility is cook the meals for the whole family.

27. I don't know the name of the woman whom I spoke on the phone last night.

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# SECTION TWO: READING

**Question4: Read the following passage and fill each gap with ONE suitable word.**

**A DOCTOR**

A doctor who worked in a village was very annoyed because many people (28) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to stop him in the street and ask (29) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his advice. In this way, he was never paid for his services, and he never managed to earn much (30) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. He made up (31) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ mind to put an end to do this. One day, he (32)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ stopped by a young man (33) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ said to him, “Oh, doctor, I’m so happy to see you. I’ve got a severe pain in my left side”. The doctor pretended to be interested (34) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ said, “Shut your eyes and stick your tongue (35) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of your mouth”. Then he went away, leaving the man standing in the (36)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with his tongue hanging out and a large crowd of people laughing (37) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ him.

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| 33. | 34. | 35. | 36. | 37. |

**Question5: Read the passage bellow and then choose a suitable word A, B, C or D to fill in each blank.**

In 1903 the Wright brothers (38)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the first powered flight in history at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina. This (39)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_was chosen because of its (40)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, which would lift the plane like a kite. The first attempt lasted only twelve seconds and covered a (41)\_\_\_\_\_\_of less than a wing span of the largest airplanes of (42)\_\_\_\_\_aircraft. Soon the Wrights and other inventors and pilots were busy (43)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_the airplane. They made much longer flights and even put it into some (44), military plane (45)\_\_\_\_use. In 1909 the Wrights delivered the first,\_\_\_\_. the United States Army. As early as 1914, a plane had begun to carry (46) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on daily flights, and in 1918 regular (47)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_service was started between Washington and New York.

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| 38. A. do | B. did | C. made | D. make |
| 39. A. scene | B. site | C. area | D. space |
| 40. A. winds | B. air | C. atmosphere | D. steam |
| 41. A. length | B. distance | C. width | D. height |
| 42. A. new | B. now | C. modern | D. recent |
| 43. A. improving | B. increasing | C. progressing | D. advancing |
| 44. A. true | B. practical | C. realistic | D. theoretical |
| 45. A. by | B. with | C. for | D. to |
| 46. A. customers | B. passengers | C. clients | D. patients |
| 47. A. air-mail | B. flight-mail | C. plane-mail | D. helicopter-mail |

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| 43. | 44. | 45. | 46. | 47. |

**Question6: Read the passage and choose the best answer.**

They called New York “the Big Apple”. Maybe it is not exactly like an apple, it’s certainly very big. There are too many people, that’s the problem. The streets are always full of car and trucks, you can never find a place to park.

If you have enough money, you can take a taxi. New York cabs are yellow. They look all the same. But the drivers are very different. Some were born and raised in New York, but many are newcomers to the United States. A few drive slowly, but most go very very fast. Cab driving is difficult job. It can be dangerous too. Thieves often try to steal the drivers’ money. Drivers sometimes get hurt.

If you don’t want to take a taxi, you can go by bus or you can take the subway. The subway is quick and it’s cheap, but parts of it are old and dirty. Lights don’t always work and there are often fire on the ***track***. On some subway lines, there are new, clean, silver trains. But you can’t see the color of the old trains easily. There is too much dirt and too much graffiti, inside and out side.

48. What is the problem in New York ?

A. it has too many aples B. it is too big

C. it looked like an apple D. it is too crowded  
49. What does a cab mean ?  
A. a truck B. a bus C. a taxi D. It is too crowded  
50. Cab drivers in New York……………..  
A. can be dangerous B. look the same

C. can be attacked by thieves D. were all born in New York  
51. The world “track” can best be replaced by ………….  
A. roadway B. station C. light bulb D. train  
52. Subways in New York ………….  
A. are quick but dirty B. have no lights C. are clothes D. often cause fires

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| 48. | 49. | 50. | 51. | 52. |

**SECTION THREE: WRITING**

**Question7: Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means exactly the same as the sentence printed before it.**

53. “If I were you, I would help him to study better.”

🡪 *She advised*  ..........................

54. He prefers tea to coffee.

🡪 *He’d rather*  ..........................

55. When did you last ride a bike?

🡪 *How long* ......................................................................

56. The trip was so interesting that we couldn’t forget it.

🡪 *It* …………......................................................

57. John finds astronomy very interesting

🡪 *John is* .........................................................................................................................................

58. I’m quite happy to look after the baby for you.

🡪 *I don’t mind* ..................................................................................................................................

59. We haven’t seen one another for a long time

🡪 *We stopped* ……………………………………………………………........................................

60. Someone broke into John’s flat last week.

🡪 *John’s*………………………………………………....................................................................

**Question 8: *Write a paragraph to tell about your recent journey. (About 150 words***)

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**SECTION ONE: GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY.**

**Question 1**: **Choose the best options: (10đ) Chọn đúng mỗi câu (1đ)**

1. C 2. A 3. A 4. D 5. C

6. A 7. B 8. B 9. C 10. D

**Question 2**: **Use the correct form of the words in brackets. (7đ) Đúng mỗi từ (1đ)**

11. scientific 15. combination

12. permission 16. ability

13. to widen 17. enjoyable

14. miraculous

**Question 3: There is one mistake in each sentence. Find and correct them.**

**(10đ) Chọn đúng mỗi câu (1đ)**

18. **help > helps** 23. **wouldn't> won’t**

19. **take> to take** 24. **importance> important**

20. **would> will** 25. **below> under**

21. **establish> established** 26. **cook> to cook**

22. **decide> to decide** 27. **whom> to whom**

**SECTION II: READING COMPREHENSION**

**Question4: Read the following passage and fill each gap with ONE suitable word.**

**(10đ) Điền đúng mỗi từ (1đ)**

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| 28. used | 29. for | 30. money | 31. his | 32. was |
| 33. who / that | 34. and | 35. out | 36. street | 37. at |

**Question5: Read the passage bellow and then choose a suitable word A, B, C or D to fill in each blank.** **(10đ) Điền đúng mỗi từ (1đ)**

38. C 39. B 40. A 41. B 42. C 43. A 44. B 45. D 46. B 47. A

**Questions6: (10đ) Đúng mỗi câu (2đ)**

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| 48.D | 49.C | 50.C | 51.A | 52.A |

**SECTION III:**  **WRITING:**

**Question7:**   **Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means exactly the same as the sentence printed before it. (8đ) Đúng mỗi câu (1đ)**

50. She advised me to help him to study better.

51. He’d rather (drink) tea than coffee.

52. How long is it since you (last) rode the bike?

53. It was such an interesting trip that we couldn’t forget it.

54. John is interested in astronomy

55. I don’t mind looking after the baby for you

56. We stopped seeing each other/ one another a long time ago

57. John’s flat was broken into last week

**Question 8**: **Bài luận (15đ)**