

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

Question 1. A. dream B. feature C. screen D. engineer

Question 2. A. hovered B. attended C. completed D. provided

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

Question 3. A. embroider B. musician C. director D. disappear

Question 4. A. common B. special C. perfect D. unique

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

Question 5. _____ Hmong women wear headscarves and _____ clothes with beautiful embroidery.

A. \emptyset / \emptyset B. The / \emptyset C. The / a D. A / \emptyset

Question 6. While the kids _____ soccer outside, they _____ a strange object in the sky.

A. were playing/ were seeing B. played/ were seeing

C. played/ saw D. were playing/ saw

Question 7. He has to work _____ than his brother because he has no certifications or degrees.

A. more hardly B. hardlier C. harder D. hardly

Question 8. Our family decided to rent a _____ in order to discover breath-taking islands and shores.

A. bus B. coach C. trolley D. yacht

Question 9. This will be my room and that will be _____.

A. yours B. yours room C. your D. your rooms

Question 10. Kevin's mom: *Robots can recognize people's voices and do what they say.*

Kevin: _____

A. How amazing! B. What a great robot!

C. I know. It's a new one. D. Don't worry! It's easy!

Question 11. Some teenagers volunteer to help the disabled _____ their household chores.

A. with B. on C. at D. for

Question 12. My dream is to be a _____ because I want to be popular and have lots of fans.

A. millionaire B. celebrity C. veterinarian D. pilot

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

KITCHEN SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

To keep the kitchen safe, follow these simple tips:

- Wash (13) _____ your hands before and after touching raw food.
- Make sure to keep knives and sharp tools away (14) _____ kids.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.

Question 25. "Pollution will endanger the wildlife here." said Tom.

- A. Tom said that pollution would endanger the wildlife there.
- B. Tom asked if pollution will endanger the wildlife there.
- C. Tom told me that pollution will endanger the wildlife there.
- D. Tom told that pollution would endanger the wildlife here.

Question 26. Their robot can't lift objects as high as mine.

- A. My robot can lift objects higher than theirs.
- B. My robot lifts objects more higher than theirs.
- C. My robot can't lift objects as high as theirs.
- D. Their robot lifts objects as high as mine.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.

Question 27. The teacher/ ask/ me/ I/ could/ submit/ my paper/ before the deadlines.

- A. The teacher asked me I could submit my paper before the deadlines.
- B. The teacher asked me whether could I submit my paper before the deadlines.
- C. The teacher told me if I could submit my paper before the deadlines.
- D. The teacher asked me if I could submit my paper before the deadlines.

Question 28. Alan / walk / school / see / alien / with / huge nose.

- A. Alan was walking to school when he saw alien with huge nose.
- B. Alan walked to school while he was seeing an alien with a huge nose.
- C. Alan was walking to school when he saw an alien with a huge nose.
- D. While Alan was walking to school, he was seeing an alien with huge nose.

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

Question 29.

What does the sign say?



- A. You mustn't be careful with drunk drivers.
- B. You shouldn't carry glasses in your car.
- C. You should be careful as there is a pub ahead.
- D. You mustn't drive if you drink alcohol.

Question 30.

What does the notice say?

**SEATS AT THE FRONT
RESERVED FOR CHILDREN**

- A. The front seats are only for children.

- B. Children are not allowed to sit here.
- C. Adults have to sit at the front.
- D. There is no more seat for adults.

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

Stilt houses are popular among different ethnic minority groups, from the Thai in the Northern Highlands to the Khmer in the Mekong Delta. The houses come in different sizes and styles, and show the **traditional** culture of their owners.

Stilt houses are made from natural materials like wood, bamboo, and leaves. **They** stand on strong posts, about two or three metres above the ground. This allows them to keep people safe from wild animals. People climb a seven- or nine-step staircase to enter the house. The most important place in the house is the kitchen. It has an open fire in the middle of the house. It is the place for family **gatherings** and receiving guests, which is why it plays a huge role.

The stilt houses of the Tay and Nung usually overlook a field. The stilt houses of the Thai, however, face mountains or a forest. The Bahnar and Ede have a communal house (called a Rong house) as the heart of their village. These communal houses are the largest and tallest ones in the village.

Question 31. What is the main idea of the reading passage?

- A. The different types of materials used to build stilt houses
- B. The cultural significance and features of stilt houses among ethnic minority groups**
- C. The dangers of wild animals and how stilt houses protect people
- D. The architectural styles of houses in different regions

Question 32. The word “**They**” in the second paragraph refers to _____.

- A. bamboo
- B. stilt houses**
- C. natural materials
- D. leaves

Question 33. The word “**traditional**” is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. conventional
- B. classical
- C. modern**
- D. regular

Question 34. What makes the kitchen significant in these stilt houses?

- A. It has an open fire.
- B. It is the largest room in the house.
- C. It serves as a place for family gatherings and receiving guests.**
- D. It has the most expensive furniture.

Question 35. The word “**gatherings**” is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

- A. reunions**
- B. societies
- C. crowds
- D. bands

Question 36. Which of the following statements is TRUE according to the text?

- A. The stilt houses stand about five to ten meters above the ground.
- B. English is learned as a second language in many countries.
- C. Stilt houses are typically small and simple in design.**
- D. Stilt houses are only popular among the Thai ethnic group.

Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

Recent studies show that getting enough sleep is crucial for overall health. (37) _____. Lack of sleep can lead to various health problems, (38) _____, and increased risk of chronic conditions like heart disease and diabetes. To improve sleep quality, experts recommend establishing a regular sleep schedule, (39) _____. Additionally, maintaining a comfortable sleep environment - like a

cool, dark room - can help enhance restfulness. (40) _____. By prioritizing sleep, individuals can boost their health, improve mood, and increase productivity throughout the day.

- A. creating a relaxing bedtime routine, and limiting screen time before bed
- B. such as weakened immune function, higher stress levels
- C. Taking these steps can have a significant positive impact on overall well-being
- D. Research from the National Sleep Foundation indicates that adults need 7 to 9 hours of sleep per night to function at their best

Question 37. D Question 38. B Question 39. A Question 40. C