

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. helpline B. empathize C. embarrassed D. depressed

Question 2. A. marinate B. drain C. punctual D. fluent

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 following questions.

Question 3. A. candidate B. experience C. company D. interview

Question 4. A. important B. romantic C. popular D. attractive

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. Good _____ habits include brushing your teeth twice a day and flossing.

A. study B. hygiene C. travel D. cooking

Question 6. Before she goes to bed, she always _____ a book.

A. read B. reads C. will read D. always reads

Question 7. The Pacific Ocean is _____ than the Atlantic.

A. larger B. the largest C. more large D. the larger

Question 8. If she _____ all her work by the afternoon, she _____ free time to relax and read.

A. finishes/will have B. finish/having C. finishing/will has D. will finish/have

Question 9. Tung is talking to Mai about her new job.

- Tung: "You have just got your dream job. Congratulations!"

- Mai: "_____"

A. Thank you!

B. Yes, I'd love to.

C. No problem! We're friends.

D. Of course, here you are.

Question 10. Beethoven, _____ compositions are masterpieces, was a German composer.

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

Question 11. I feel so _____ now because my parents do not want me to become a designer.

A. interested B. depressed C. excited D. addicted

Question 12. The art gallery features _____ works from both established and emerging artists.

A. a diverse range of B. few C. many D. much

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 from 13 to 16.

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Question 13: A. attend B. attending C. attended D. attendance

Question 14: A. a B. the C. an D. Ø (no article)

Question 15: A. Help B. Connect C. Take D. Support

Question 16: A. at B. in C. on D. with

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.

Question 17: Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

LEARNING ONLINE

It offers flexibility and convenience. _____.

- a. At first, some students found it difficult to adapt to online classes.
- b. Nowadays, almost all students prefer to study at home and arrange their own schedule.
- c. However, with practice, students have become more comfortable with online tools and platforms.

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

Question 18: Choose the sentence that best fits as the opening sentence for the text (in Question 17).

- A. Many students find online learning challenging at first.
- B. Learning online has become very common.
- C. Online learning only works well for people with strong internet connections.
- D. Students need to practice more to get used to online classes.

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 from 19 to 24.

The Eiffel Tower is a very famous tower in Paris, France. It was named after the engineer (19) _____, Alexandre Eiffel. Alexandre Eiffel was asked to build the tower when France decided to have a big fair to exhibit its goods and wares. The tower (20) _____ in the middle of the fair as a special attraction. When the structure first started to take shape, the people of France did not like it. They thought it looked like a giant skeleton and (21) _____ at all. (22) _____, when the tower was finally completed and lighted up at night, the people quickly changed their minds. It was an (23) _____ sight and now looked like a tower made of lace. The Eiffel Tower is sometimes considered one of the seven man-made wonders of the modern world. (24) _____ visitors come to see the Eiffel Tower every year. It is 300 meters high and people can take elevator all the way to the top. From the tower, they can get a marvelous view of the city and the river Seine which runs through it.

Question 19: A. which it designed B. who it designed C. which designed it D. who designed it

Question 20: A. located B. were surrounded C. was located D. surrounded

Question 21: A. was attractive B. attractive was not C. wasn't attractive D. was attractive not

Question 22: A. Although B. However C. Because D. Despite

Question 23: A. enchanting B. enchantment C. enchanted D. enchant

Question 24: A. Any B. A lot of C. Much D. Little

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: I couldn't finish the marathon because I got injured.

- A. If I hadn't gotten injured, I would have finished the marathon.
- B. I would have finished the marathon even if I got injured.
- C. I wouldn't have finished the marathon if I hadn't trained hard.
- D. If I hadn't gotten injured, I might not have finished the marathon.

Question 26: The teacher couldn't finish the lesson because the class was too noisy.

- A. If the class hadn't been so noisy, the teacher would have finished the lesson.
- B. If the class was noisy, the teacher would finish the lesson.
- C. The teacher would have finished the lesson even if the class was noisy.
- D. If the class hadn't been noisy, the teacher still wouldn't have finished the lesson.

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 man/ you/ see/ yesterday/ be/ my secretary

- A. The man whom you saw yesterday is my secretary.
- B. The man which you saw yesterday is my secretary
- C. The man who you see yesterday is my secretary.
- D. The man whom you see yesterday is my secretary.

Question 28: My brother/use/ride/bike/ school/ when/ secondary school.

- A. My brother use to ride his bike to school when he was in secondary school.

- B. My brother used to ride his bike to school when he was in secondary school.
C. My brother used to ride his bike to school when he is in secondary school.
D. My brother uses to ride his bike to school when he is in secondary school.

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 do you think about it?



- A. I allow myself to make noise.
B. I should keep quiet.
C. I shouldn't point my finger to the nose.
D. I can talk as much as possible.

Question 30: Look at this message. What does it mean?

Message	
From: Pedro	
To: Nick	
<p>Hi Nick, I'd like to help with the concert. I like jazz and if you need hand, I can play the piano. I have a time this afternoon. Can I meet you at 1.30 at school hall? Bye, Pedro</p>	

- A. Pedro is offering to help with the concert.
B. Pedro likes disco music and cannot play an instrument.
C. Pedro can help with the concert and play the guitar.
D. Pedro does not want to help with the concert.

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 following questions from 31 to 36.

Leonardo da Vinci began painting the Mona Lisa, one of the most **famous** paintings of all time, in 1503. He was working on a special painting for a church at the time, but it was not going well. The woman who can be seen in the Mona Lisa is said to be Madonna Lisa del Giocondo. She was the wife of an Italian businessman who asked da Vinci to paint a portrait of her.

After Leonardo da Vinci finished the painting in 1506, he was invited by the French King, Francois I, to visit France, and he took the painting with him. Today, the Mona Lisa is kept in the Louvre, an art museum in Paris, and **it** is seen by about six million visitors a year.

The painting measures only 77 centimeters by 53 centimeters and is painted with oil on wood. In 1911, it was stolen by a worker at the Louvre, Vincenzo Peruggia, who took it out of the museum by **hiding** it under his coat. Two years later, police found the painting under Peruggia's bed after he tried to sell it.

In 1962, the Mona Lisa was taken to Washington and New York for an exhibition. For the journey, it was insured for 100 million dollars, making it the most valuable painting ever!

Question 31: What is the best title for this passage?

- A. Leonardo da Vinci - A Famous Painter
B. The Louvre - An Art Museum

C. Vincenzo Peruggia - the Man Who Stole the Mona Lisa

D. The Mona Lisa - the Valuable Painting of All Time

Question 32: The word "famous" in paragraph 1 is **CLOSEST** in meaning to _____.

A. well-known

B. unknown

C. ordinary

D. difficult

Question 33: The word "**hiding**" in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. revealing

B. taking

C. covering

D. showing

Question 34: According to the passage, Leonardo da Vinci _____.

A. painted the portrait of his wife

B. painted the Mona Lisa for a church

C. spent 3 years completing the Mona Lisa

D. sold the Mona Lisa to the French King.

Question 35: What is **NOT** true about Vincenzo Peruggia?

A. He worked in an art museum.

B. He sold the painting.

C. He stole the Mona Lisa.

D. He hid the painting under his bed

Question 36: Which event is NOT mentioned in the text?

A. The painting was stolen.

B. The painting was given as a gift.

C. The painting was displayed in Washington.

D. The painting was painted in 1503.

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 from 37 to 40.

Ocean Travel

Ocean travel is an (37) _____. There are many fun activities you can do while traveling on the ocean. First, taking a cruise is a popular choice. Cruises have comfortable rooms, tasty food, and fun activities. You can visit different islands, enjoy shows, and relax by the pool. Cruises often stop at beautiful ports where you can explore new cultures. Second, sailing is another great way to enjoy the ocean. You can rent a sailboat or join a sailing trip. Sailing lets you feel the wind and see amazing views of the sea. (38) _____. Third, snorkeling and scuba diving are wonderful activities for ocean lovers. These activities allow you to see underwater life, like colorful fish and coral. You can (39) _____. Finally, beach vacations are a classic way to enjoy the ocean. You can relax on the sandy beach, swim in the sea, or try fun water sports like surfing or paddleboarding. Beaches are perfect for fun and relaxation. In summary, ocean travel offers many experiences, from cruises and sailing to snorkeling and relaxing on the beach. (40) _____.

A. Exploring the ocean can create great memories and a love for nature

B. It's a nice way to connect with nature and learn how to sail

C. experience the beauty of the ocean up close

D. exciting way to see the beauty of the sea and visit new places

Question 37. _____. **Question 38.** _____. **Question 39.** _____. **Question 40.** _____.