UNIT 7: EDUCATION OPTIONS FOR SCHOOL-LEAVERS

VOCABULARY

1. Academic /,ækə'demik/(a):	có tính chất học thuật, liên quan tới
→ Academy /ə'kædəmi/ (n): học viện, Viện Hàn Lâm	học tập
2. Apprenticeship /ə'prentisʃip/(n):	thời gian học việc, thời gian học
	nghề
3. Baccalaureate /bækə'lɔ:riət/ (n):	thi tú tài
4. Higher education: = tertiary education	giáo dục đại học
5. Bachelor's degree /'bætʃələ[r]di'gri:/:	bằng cử nhân
6. Master's degree /ˈmɑːstə[r] diˈgriː/:	bằng thạc sĩ
7. Doctorate /'doktərət/(n):	học vị tiến sĩ
8. Vocational school (n):	trường dạy nghề
9. Technical college:	Đại học kĩ thuật
10. Entrance exam (np):	kì thi đầu vào
11. Graduation /grædʒu'ei∫n/(n):	lễ tốt nghiệp, khi tốt nghiệp
12. Degree /di'gri:/ (n):	Học vị, bằng
13. Diploma /di'pləʊmə/(n):	Bằng cấp
14. Major /'meidʒər/ (n):	Chuyên ngành
15. Campus/'kæmpəs/ (n):	Khu viên
16. Scholarship /'skɔ:ləʃip/(n):	Học bổng
17. Formal /'fɔ:ml/ (a):	chính quy, có hệ thống
18. Undergraduate /^ndə'grædʒʊət/(n):	sinh viên chưa tốt nghiệp
→ graduate /grædʒʊət/(n): sinh viên đã tốt nghiệp	
→ graduate /ˈgrædʒuət/ from: tốt nghiệp từ	
→ postgraduate(n): nghiên cứu sinh (người đang học sau đại	
học)	
19. Brochure /'brəʊ∫ə[r]/(n):	ấn phẩm quảng cáo, giới thiệu
20. Institution /,insti'tju:∫n/(n):	cơ sở, viện(đào tạo)
→ institute /'institju:t/(n): học viện, viện	
21. Manage /ˈmænidʒ/ (v):	cố gắng (làm việc gì đó)
→ manage+ to Vb	
22. Mechanic /mi'kænik/(n):	thợ máy

→ Mechanical /mi'kænikl/(a): [thuộc] máy móc, [thuộc] cơ	
khí	
24. Qualification /kwɒlifi'kei∫n/ (n):	trình độ chuyên môn, văn bằng
25. School-leaver (n):	học sinh tốt nghiệp trung học phổ
	thông
26. Specific skills:	kỹ năng đặc biệt
27. Hands-on /'hændspn/(a):	[về] thực hành
28. Mandatory/'mændətəri/(a) =required (a) = obligatory (a) =	Bắt buộc
compulsory (a)	
29. Eligible/'elidʒəbl/(a) for:	Đủ tư cách
30. Enroll/in'rอซl/(v):	Ghi danh
31. CV /sivi/(n):	Lí lịch
32. Accommodation/ə'kəmə'deiʃn/(n):	Chỗ ở
33. Transcript /'trænskrip/(n):	Học bạ
34. Tuition /'tjʊ:iʃn/(n):	Học phí
35. Tutor /'tjʊ:tər/(n):	Gia sur
36. Formality /fɔ:'mæləti/(n):	Sự đúng quy cách, sự đúng thủ tục
# informal /in'fɔ:ml/ (a): Không chính thức	
→informality /,infɔ:'mæləti/(n): Sự không chính thức	
37. Sixth-form college (n):	Trường dành cho học sinh từ 16-19
	tuổi và tạp trung vào các trình độ A-
	levels nhằm chuẩn bị cho sinh viên
	vào các trường đại học
38. education fair / ed3.v ker. Jən feər/(n)	hội chợ giáo dục
39.sensible /'sensəbl/ (adj)	hợp lý
40. pursue /pəˈsjuː/(v)	theo đuổi
41. independently / in.dr pen.dent.li/(adv)	độc lập
42. practical skill /'præk.tı.kəl skıl/ (n)	kỹ năng thực tế

GRAMMAR

- 1. Chức năng:
- → Là chủ ngữ của câu: Dancing bored him.
- → Bổ ngữ của động từ: Her hobby is painting.
- → Là bổ ngữ: Seeing is believing.
- → Sau giới từ: He is interested in watching films on TV.

→ Sau một vài động từ: avoid, mind, enjoy......

2. Một số cách dùng đặc biệt:

A. Verb + V-ing: Danh động từ theo sau một số động từ:

Admit: thú nhận Anticipate: trông mong, mong đợi Avoid: tránh Consider: xem xét Appreciate: tán thành Delay: hoãn lai Defer: trì hoãn Deny: từ chối Detest: ghét Dislike: không thích Dread: so Enjoy: thích thú Escape: trốn thoát Excuse: thứ lỗi Fancy: đam mê Forgive: tha thứ Finish: hoàn thành Like: thích Imagine: tưởng tương Love: yêu thích Involve: dính líu, liên quan Keep: giữ, tiếp Mind: phiền Miss: lõ, nhớ Mention: đề câp Pardon: tha thứ, tha lỗi Prefer: thích Prevent: ngăn ngừa Postpone: hoãn lại Practice: thuc hành Ouit: từ bỏ Recollect: nhớ lai Propose Resent: căm thù Recall: goi nhó/ recollect Resume: cho ràng

Remember/ forget

Understand: hiểu

Discuss: thảo luận Hate: ghét

Ex: He admitted taking the money.

He detests writing letters.

Resist: kháng cự, ngăn cản

Suggest: gợi ý

He didn't want to risk getting wet.

I can't understand his/ him leaving his wife.

Chú ý: excuse, forgive, pardon, prevent không trực tiếp theo sau bởi danh động từ mà theo sau bởi:

Possessive adjective/ pronoun + danh động từ hoặc pronoun + preposition + danh động từ Appreciate thường theo sau bởi tính từ sở hữu hoặc danh động từ ở dạng bị động

Risk: mao hiểm

Stop/ begin/ start

Ex: Forgive my/ me ringing you up so early.

Forgive me for ringing you up so early.

You can't prevent his/ him spending his own money.

You can't prevent him from spending his own money.

I appreciate your giving me o much of your time./ I appreciate being given this opportunity.

B. Common phrasal verbs + V-ing: (sau một số cụm động từ)

carry on,	end up,	give up,	go round,	keep on,	put off,	set about
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C. Expression + V-ing: Một số thành ngữ theo sau bởi V-ing

- have fun/ a good time + V-ing: vui vẻ \dots
- have trouble/ difficulty + V-ing:

- have a hard time/ difficult time + V-ing	
- spend + time/ money + V-ing (present participle)	
E.x: He spends 3 hours studying English every day.	
- waste + time/money + V-ing:	
- sit + Danh từ nơi chốn + V-ing: →she sat at her desk writing a letter	
- stand + danh từ nơi chốn + V-ing	
- lie + danh từ nơi chốn + Ving	
- can't help = can't bear = can't stand = can't resist (không thể chịu được)	
E.x: 1. I can't bear hearing his lies.	
2. I can't stand seeing him here.	
- It is no good / It is no use (vô ích / không có ích)	
– There's no point in	
– What's the point of	
– to be busy: bận rộn	
- to be worth	
E.X: My mother is busy cooking in the kitchen.	
E.x: This book is worth reading.	
– be used to = get used to = be accustomed to: quen với	
- S + prefer + V-ing + to + V-ing: thích làm gì hơn làm gì	
= S + would rather Vinf than Vinf	
D. Go + gerund để chỉ một hoạt động đặc biệt nào đó: (Present participle)	
* Cụm giới từ theo sau bởi V-ing:	
* Preposition +gerund (giới từ +gerund):	
be interested in (thích thú) think about (nghĩ về)	apologize for (xin lỗi về)
insist on (khăng khăng về) talk about (nói về)	instead of (thay vì)
be accustomed to= be / get used to= be familiar with : quen /thích nghi với	forward to (mong đợi)
PRACTICE	
1. Nam suggested (talk) the children to school yesterday.	
2. Before (go) to bed, my mother turned off the lights.	
3. Minh is interested in (listen) to music before (go) to	bed.
4. This robber admitted (steal) the red mobile phone last week.	
5. Shyn spends a lot of money (repair) her car.	
6. Don't waste her time(complain) about her salary.	
7. That questions need (reply).	
8. Viet is used to (cry) when he faces his difficulties.	

9. It's time they stopped (work) here.
10. Jim forgot (send) this message last night.
11. Can you imagine (live) without internet?
12. I anticipate (arrive) on Saturday.
13. He denies (steal) the purse.
14. Do you recall (meet) her at the party last night?
15. She mentioned (go) to the cinema, but I don't know what she decided to do in the end
16. There's no sense in (visit) him. He's not at home.
17. Jack is good at (paint) ceilings.
18. (Swim) is good for your health. (swim)
19. Would you mind (pass) me the sugar.
20. It was a good holiday. I enjoyed (be) by the sea.
THEORY OF GERUND AND PRESENT PARTICIPLE (Danh động từ và Hiện tại phân từ)
I. Gerund (Danh động tử)
1. Hình thức: V-ing
2. Chức năng: Danh động từ có thể làm:
- Chủ từ (Subject)
e.g: Collecting stamps is my hobby. (Sưu tầm tem là sở thích của tôi.)
-Túc từ của động từ
e.g: She enjoys watching cartoons. (Cô ấy rất thích xem phim hoạt hình.)
 Túc từ của giới từ
e.g: He is interested in learning English. (Anh quan tâm đến việc học tiếng Anh.)
 Bổ ngữ cho chủ từ (Subject Complement)
e.g: Her joy is helping the homeless people.
(Niềm vui của cô ấy là giúp đỡ những người vô gia cư.)
 Ngữ đồng vị (Appositive)
e.g: My hobby, playing table tennis, makes me feel happy.
(Sở thích của mình, chơi bóng bàn, khiến mình cảm thấy hạnh phúc.)
 Cấu tạo danh từ ghép
gerund + noun
e.g: cooking-oil (dầu ăn), sleeping-pill (thuốc ngủ)
noun + gerund
e.g: child-bearing (việc sinh con)
II. Present participle (Hiện tại phân từ)
1. Hình thức: V-ing

2. Chức năng

- Dùng trong các thì tiếp diễn: be + Present participle (V-ing)
- e.g: + It is raining now. (Present progressive) (Tròi đang mua.)
- + We will be studying Englisli at this time tomorrow. (Future progressive) (Chúng tôi sẽ được học tiếng Anh vào thời gian này ngày mai.)
- Dùng như một tình từ (mang nghĩa chủ động và thường miêu tả vật)
- e.g: + The film is interesting. (Đây là bộ phim thú vị.)
- + It's an exciting journey. (Đây là một chuyển đi thú vị.)
- Thay cho một mệnh đề
- * Mệnh đề độc lập trong câu ghép:

Hai sự kiện xảy ra đồng thời cùng một chủ từ thì một trong hai mệnh đề có thể được thay bằng hiện tại phân từ.

e.g: He washed his car and sang happily.

(Ông ấy đã rửa chiếc xe của mình và hát vui vẻ.)

- —> Washing his car, he sang happily. (Rửa xe của mình, ông ấy hát vui vẻ.)
- —> He washed his car, singing happily. (Ông ấy đã rửa chiếc xe của mình, ca hát vui vẻ.)

Hai sự kiện xảy ra kể tiếp nhau: sự kiện xảy ra trước được thay bằng hiện tại phân từ.

- e.g: She put on her coat and went out. (Cô ấy mặc áo khoác vào và rồi ra ngoài.)
- --> Putting on her coat, she went out. (Mặc áo khoác vào, cô ấy đi ra ngoài)

Mệnh đề phụ trong câu:

- + Mệnh đề quan hệ: khi đại từ quan hệ làm chủ từ và mệnh đề quan hệ là mệnh đề chủ động thì được thay bằng hiện tại phân từ.
- e.g: The girl who lent me this book is my best friend.
- (Cô gái đã cho tôi mượn cuốn sách này là người bạn tốt nhất của tỏi)
- —> The girl lending me this book is my best friend.
- (Cô gái cho tôi mượn cuốn sách này là người bạn tốt nhất của tôi.)
- + Mệnh đề trạng ngữ chỉ thời gian:
- e.g: Since he left school, he has worked in a restaurant.
- (Kể từ khi ông rời trường học, ông đã làm việc trong nhà hàng.)
- —> Leaving school, he has worked in a restaurant.

(Rời trường học, ông đi làm việc trong nhà hàng.)

- + Mệnh đề trạng ngữ chỉ lý do: hai mệnh đề phải cùng chủ từ
- e.g: Because he drove carelessly, he had an accident.

(Bởi vì anh ta lái xe bất cẩn, anh ta đã bị tai nạn.)

—> Driving carelessly, he had an accident.

(Lái xe bất cẩn, anh ta đã bị tai nạn.)

Cấu trúc câu: S + sit/stand/lie /come/ run (cụm từ chi nơi chốn) + present participle.

e.g: He sat on the chair reading a book.

(Ông ta ngồi trên ghế đọc quyển sách.)

Cấu trúc: There + be + Noun + present participle.

e.g: There are many people waiting for Tom who is writing Global Success 11 book.

(Có rất nhiều người đang đợi Tom người đang viết sách global success 11.)

THEORY OF PERFECT GERUND AND PERFECT PARTICIPLE (Danh động từ hoàn thành và Phân từ hoàn thành)

1. Perfect gerund (Danh động từ hoàn thành)

Danh động từ hoàn thành được thành lập bởi *having* + *past participle*. Danh động từ hoàn thành được dùng thay cho hình thức hiện tại của danh động từ khi chúng ta đề cập đến một hành động trong quá khứ.

Ex: He was accused of <u>deserting</u> his ship/. He was accused of <u>having deserted</u> his ship. (Ông ta bị cáo buộc đã rời bỏ tàu)

She apologized for <u>not having finished</u> the project.

Lưu ý: Perfect gerund giữ chức năng như danh động từ hoặc cụm danh từ

Danh động từ hoàn thành thường được dùng sau deny.

Ex: He <u>denied having</u> been there. (Anh ta phủ nhận đã có mặt ở đấy.)

1. Perfect participle (Phân từ hoàn thành)

Phân từ hoàn thành được thành lập bởi having + past participle.

Phân từ hoàn thành có thể được dùng thay cho hiện tại phân từ trong câu có hai hành động ngắn xảy ra liên tiếp nhau của cùng một chủ từ (hành động trong mệnh đề phân từ hoàn tất trước khi hành động trong mệnh đề chính bắt đầu) hay nói cách khác khi một hành động xảy ra trước một hành động khác hoặc nhấn mạnh sự hoàn thành của một hành động, chúng ta dùng *perfect participle* cho hành động đầu tiên

Ex: <u>Having tied/ Tying</u> one end of the rope to his bed, he threw the other end out of the window. (Cột một đầu dây thừng vào giường, anh ta ném đầu còn lại qua cửa sổ)

Having taken off/ Taking off his shoes, Ray walked into the house. (Cổi giày ra, Ray đi vào nhà.) Finishing my homework, I went to bed: Sau khi làm bài xong bài tập tôi đi ngủ.

<u>Having finished</u> my homework, I went to bed: Sau khi đã làm xong bài tập tôi đi ngủ.

Câu thứ hai nhấn mạnh việc đi ngủ chỉ xảy ra sau khi <u>đã làm xong bài tập</u>.

I approve of helping the poor. Tôi đồng ý với việc giúp đỡ người nghèo.

I approve of *having helped* the poor. Tôi đồng ý với việc (chúng ta/ các bạn) đã giúp đỡ người nghèo.

Câu thứ hai diễn tả ý giúp đỡ người nghèo này <u>đã xảy ra rồi</u>

- Tuy nhiên chúng ta thường dùng phân từ hoàn thành khi
- hành động trong mệnh đề chính là kết quả của sự kiện trong mệnh đề phân từ

Ex: <u>Having broken</u> her leg the last time she went, Brenda decided not to go on the school skiing trip this year. (Bị gãy chân trong chuyến đi trượt tuyết lần trước, Brenda quyết định không tham gia chuyến đi trượt tuyết năm nay của trường.) or [*After breaking* her leg...; **NOT** Breaking her leg...]

M Luu ý: chúng ta có thể dùng After v-ing thay cho have + participle trong cấu trúc trên

Ex: *Having broken* her leg the last time she went = *After breaking* her leg ...

- hành động đầu tiên kéo dài trong một khoảng thời gian.

Ex: <u>Having repaired</u> the car, Tom took it out for a road test. (Sửa xe xong, Tom đánh xe ra đường chạy thử.) [NOT Repairing the car...]

- việc dùng hiện tại phân từ có thể gây nhầm lẫn.

Ex: <u>Reading</u> the instructions, he snatched up the fire extinguisher. (Đọc chỉ dẫn, anh ta chụp lấy bình chữa cháy.) → có thể làm cho người đọc hiểu rằng hai hành động này xảy ra đồng thời. Trường hợp này, chúng ta nên dùng phân từ hoàn thành.

Ex: *Having read* the instructions, he snatched up the fire extinguisher. (Đọc xong chỉ dẫn, anh ta chụp lấy bình chữa cháy.)

- Nếu một hành động xảy ra gần như cùng một lúc (*ranh giới thời gian không rõ rệt*), thay vì dùng *Perfect gerund* thì chúng ta có thể dùng *Present participle* cho hành động đầu tiên.

Ex: <u>Taking</u> a key out of his pocket, he opened the door

VERB + OBJECT + PREPOSITION + PERFECT GERUND (Danh động từ hoàn thành)

: xin lỗi về... -apologise for -accuse someone of : buôc tôi ai về... : ngưỡng mô ai về... -admire someone for -blame someone/something for : đổ lỗi cho ai, cái gì về... : chúc mừng ai về... -congratulate someone on -criticise someone/something for : phê bình/chỉ trích ai/cái gì ... : phạt ai về... -punish someone for : khen ngơi ai về... -praise someone for : cảm ơn ai về... -thank someone for : nghi ngờ ai về... -suspect someone of

Ex: He blamed me for not having cooked dinner.

He apologised for having made us wait so long.

VERB + PERFECT GERUND (Danh động từ hoàn thành)

Admit	Deny	Forget	Mention	
Remember	Recall	Regret		

Ex: 1. I regret not having met him earlier in my life.

2. She denied having broken the flower vase.

PRACTICE

Giving the correct for	orm of PERFECT GERUND	AND PERFECT PARTI	CIPLE
1. Tom hated	(climb) the mountain becau	use there was nothing to se	ee there.
2. I remember	(watch) that movie before		
3. The murderer admi	tted (kill) the old lac	ly.	
4. Sally regretted	(forget) their wedding	annivesary.	
5. One of the security	guards was accused of	(help) the robbers duri	ng the robbery.
6. Why don't you apo	logized to me for (re	ead) my diary?	
7. My son recalled	(hide) his toy under his	s bed.	
8. He didn't mention	(change) the meeting	ng dates to the manager.	
9. I couldn't bear	(hear) the terrible noise	e coming upstairs.	
10. This job necessita	tes (graduate) from	ELT Department.	
11. She regrets	(marry) too early.		
12. He is accused of _	(offer) a bride for his	fault in the accident.	
13. Gina remembers _	(travel) Disneyland v	when she was 7.	
14. He enjoyed	(eat) the chocolate cake.		
15. He denied	(steal) the car.		
GIVING THE COR	RECT FORM OF PERFECT	GERUND AND PERFI	ECT PARTICIPLE
1. I object to him	(make) private calls on	the office phone.	
2(be) his	own boss for such a long time,	he found it hard to accept	t orders from another.
3. They denied	(be) there.		
4 (tie) one	e end of the rope to his bed, he	threw the other end out of	the window.
5 (read)	the instruction, he snatched up	the fire extinguisher.	
6. The children admitt	ted(take) the mone	ey.	
7(typ	be) by the secretary, the letter w	vas signed by the boss.	
8(into	errupt) several times, she was r	rather annoyed.	
MORE PRACTICE			
Mark the letter A, B	, C, or D to indicate the word	whose underlined part	differs from the othe
three in pronunciation	on in each of the following qu	estions.	
1. A. <u>d</u> egree	B. <u>d</u> octorate	C. gra <u>d</u> uate	D. kindergarten
2. A. ba <u>ch</u> elor	B. <u>ch</u> apter	C. <u>ch</u> emistry	D. tea <u>ch</u> er
3. A. c <u>u</u> lture	B. st <u>u</u> dent	C. institution	D. <u>u</u> niversity
4. A. appreciate	B. <u>p</u> sychology	C. <u>programme</u>	D. respectively
5. A. academic	B. apply	C. apology	D. achieve

6. A. distance	B. mandatory	C. doctorate	D. major
7. A. coll <u>eg</u> e	B. credit	C. degree	D. respective
8. A. passion	B. collaboration	C. <u>a</u> nalyse	D. exchange
9. A. bas <u>ed</u>	B. pursu <u>ed</u>	C. appli <u>ed</u>	D. arranged
10. A. mod <u>es</u>	B. colleges	C. distanc <u>es</u>	D. enrich <u>es</u>
Mark the letter A, B, C, or	D to indicate the word that d	liffers from the other	three in the position of
primary stress in each of th	e following questions.		
1. A. internship	B. applicant	C. bachelor	D. admission
2. A. studious	B. dependent	C. critical	D. cultural
3. A. psychology	B. achievement	C. academy	D. kindergarten
4. A. admission	B. history	C. nursery	D. difference
5. A. mechanic	B. chemistry	C. cinema	D. faculty
6. A. biology	B. geography	C. education	D. relationship
7. A. broaden	B. provide	C. pursue	D. succeed
8. A. college	B. degree	C. language	D. subject
9. A. undergraduate	B. opportunity	C. qualification	D. university
10. A. bachelor	B. diploma	C. internship	D. scholarship
VOCABULARY			
Mark the letter A, B, C, or	D to indicate the word(s) CL	OSEST in meaning to	o the underlined
word(s) in each of the follow	ving questions.		
1. Don't <u>play down</u> John's co	ontribution to the development	of country's education	1.
A. pretend	B. estimate	C. undervalue	D. cooperate
2. If the examiner can't make	e sense of what your essay is a	bout, you'll get the low	mark.
A. declare	B. estimate	C. communicate	D. understand
3. If you want to get a high n	nark on a test, review the mate	erial carefully beforeha	nd.
A. performance	B. score	C. figure	D. note
4. Some students only cram	for tests when there is little tin	ne left, so their results	are not satisfactory.
A. prepare in a short period		B. prepare in a long ti	me
C. prepare well		D. prepare badly	
5. My application for the scho	olarship was <u>turned down</u> bed	cause the grade transcr	ipt was insufficient.
A. cancelled	B. postponed	C. reduced	D. rejected
6. School uniform is compul	sory in most of Vietnamese sc	hools.	
A. depended	B. required	C. divided	D. paid
7. In Scotland, students trans	sfer from primary to secondary	education at approxir	nately age 12.
A. compound	B. base	C. change	D. move

8. At the time, I didn't b	pelieve his remarks rega	arding our pupils' employn	nent options were really
appropriate.			
A. correct	B. right	C. exact	D. suitable
9. Primary in the U.S is <u>rec</u>	uired for all children reg	gardless of race, religion, sex	, or family background.
A. obligatory	B. excellent	C. free of charge	D. easy
10. A woman can never be	respected if she has no e	education or a good job.	
A. looked up to	B. looked down on	C. kept up with	D. come up with
Mark the letter A, B, C, o	r D to indicate the word	l(s) OPPOSITE in meanin	the underlined word(s)
in each of the following qu	iestions.		
A. benefit2. I thought you could chanA. applicable	B. drawback ge the world when I was B. energetic	C. practical	D. danger D. thoughtless
know.	edoack from friends, so i	f you have any questions or s	suggestions, please let us
 A. depress 4. There are no unique entry A. exit 5. Overall, continuing educy A. Typically 	B. score	C. disregard elective courses. C. academic cial to the development of an C. Basically	-
	_	a wide range of optional co	1 2
A. mandatory B. se	elective	C. free D. lin	nited
3		C. free D. lin a shock to everyone in the c	
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7. Tom <u>did miserably on</u> th	e final test, which caused B. sat for	a shock to everyone in the c	class.
7. Tom <u>did miserably on</u> th A. took	e final test, which caused B. sat for	a shock to everyone in the c	class.
7. Tom <u>did miserably on</u> th A. took 8. Schools today are less <u>to</u> A. accurate	e final test, which caused B. sat for ugh about discipline than B. severe	a shock to everyone in the c C. failed they were in the past.	D. passed D. loose
7. Tom <u>did miserably on</u> th A. took 8. Schools today are less <u>to</u> A. accurate	e final test, which caused B. sat for ugh about discipline than B. severe	a shock to everyone in the c C. failed they were in the past. C. strict	D. passed D. loose
7. Tom <u>did miserably on</u> th A. took 8. Schools today are less <u>to</u> A. accurate 9. Well, Mrs Baker, you'll be	e final test, which caused B. sat for ugh about discipline than B. severe	a shock to everyone in the c C. failed they were in the past. C. strict	D. loose nprovement in
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A. academic	B. social	C. great	D. favourite
4. At the	level, you can join three-year or	r four-year colleges.	
A. primary	B. secondary	C. postgraduate	D. undergraduate
5. Hugh is quite worri	ied because he hasn't fo	or the end-of-term test.	
A. examined	B. researched	C. studied	D. read
6. Any pupil caught _	was made to stand at the	ne front of the class.	
A. misbehave	B. misbehaved	C. misbehaviour	D. misbehaving
7. They sa	acrifices so that their only child	could have a good educat	ion.
A. made	B. did	C. provided	D. lent
8. He did not do well	at school and left with few	qualifications.	
A. academic	B. academy	C. academician	D. academically
9. You have to be high	hly to do well in the	se subjects.	
A. competitive	B. competitor	C. competition	D. competing
10. Last night, to	his new strategy, the m	inister of the Department	t of Education and Training
appeared on television	n.		
A. public	B. publicly	C. publicize	D. publicizing
11. He owed his succe	ess not to privilege but to self-ed	lucation and a driving des	sire for
A. achieve	B. achiever	C. achievement	D. achievable
12 and p	professional qualifications are av	vailable from the institution	on of higher learning.
A. Government	B. Experience	C. Requirement	D. Academic
13. Fee-paying school	ls, often called "independent sch	ools", "private schools" o	or "schools".
A. college	B. primary	C. secondary	D. public
14. You'll find plenty	of books on the of bu	siness studies in the libra	nry.
A. lesson	B. subject	C. curriculum	D. schedule
15. I wonder if you co	ould tell me who was awarded th	ne	
A. scholar	B. scholastic	C. scholarship	D. scholarly
16. Although	education is compulsory in E	ngland; parents are not re	equired to send their
children to state school	ols.		
A. higher	B. further	C. secondary	D. formal
17. Journalists someti	mes wear clothes to f	it in well with the situation	on in which they are
working.			
A. ordinary	B. common	C. habitual	D. casual
18. My job now is not	t to what I was major	red in at university.	
A. devoted	B. related	C. supposed	D. belonging
19. My dad said that I	d'd better spend more time on my	<i></i> .	
A. student	B. studied	C. studious	D. studies

20. There are not many	courses in the last two	years at university. M	ost of them are
compulsory.			
A. required	B. optional	C. preferred	D. additional
21. It is to wear u	niform to most high school no	owadays.	
A. obliged	B. obliging	C. obligational	D. obligatory
22. When it comes to children	n's schooling problems, both p	parents have to	responsibility.
A. get	B. respond	C. compel	D. take
23. Students who want to con	tinue their educat	ion in the UK are expe	cted to take A-level
course.			
A. high	B. tertiary	C. secondary	D. post-graduate
24.He was so ill that he could	l not his final exam	ination and cancelled i	t to the next year.
A. make	B. do	C. take	D. gain
25. In Vietnamese schools, E	nglish, mathematics, and litera	ature are three	_ subjects, which are
compulsory in many importan	nt national examinations.		
A. core	B. part	C. center	D. middle
26. My dad wants me to go to	o university, but I'm in	minds about it.	
A. different	B. my	C. some	D. two
27. In England schooling is c	ompulsory all chil	dren from the age of 5	to 16.
A. with	B. for	C. to	D. over
28. In Vietnam a school year	lasts for nine months and is di	ividedtwo	terms.
A. into	B. to	C. from	D. on
29. To Vietnamese students,	the examination to	university is very diff	icult.
A. require	B. requirement	C. requiring	D. required
30. Despite many recent	advances, there are part	s where schools are no	t equipped with
computers.			
A. technology	B. technological	C. technologically	D. technologist
31. There is a wide range of _	in the education sys	tem of the USA.	
A. select	B. selective	C. selected	D. selection
32. If you need to	the teacher's attention, just pu	ut up your hand.	
A. attract	B. pay	C. take	D. pull
33. The functional skills such	as fundamentals of agricultur	e, health and hygiene a	and population
education have also been inco	orporated in the primary school	ol	
A. curriculum	B. project	C. plan	D. schedule
34. I did six hours of	for the test, but I still failed	badly.	
A. education	B. survey	C. revision	D. training

35. Australians and N	New Zealanders often have a/an	year before go	ing to college or after
finishing high school	to travel overseas independently.		
A. gap	B. new	C. busy	D. graduation
36. It's my	_ ceremony next week; I think my	parents are looking for	rward to it more than I am.
A. graduation	B. graduate	C. graduating	D. graduates
37. Although Tom ha	as not got necessary experience, he	used to take a	_ in business
administration.			
A. curriculum	B. course	C. school	D. class
38. Going to university	ity is expensive because in addition	to the tuition	, there are expenses for
accommodation, boo	ks, living costs, etc.		
A. grants	B. fees	C. fares	D. scholarships
39. Peter is trying his	s best to study in hope that he will _	fame and fort	une in the near future.
A. lose	B. run	C. move	D. achieve
40 is th	ne study of the events of the past.		
A. Geography	B. History	C. Arts	D. Literature
41. She was the first	in her family to enjoy the privilege	of a university	,
A. schedule	B. education	C. science	D. technology
42. Next year, I have	to decide which area of medicine I	want to ir	1.
A. come	B. focus	C. hand	D. specialise
43. I got a diploma ir	business administration, but still se	ometimes wish I had b	been able to go to university
and get a			
A. certificate	B. diploma	C. degree	D. scholarship
44. In the UK,	schools refer to government-f	unded schools which	provide education free of
charge to pupils.			
A. state	B. secondary	C. independent	D. primary
45. He didn't get the	job he wanted because he didn't hav	e the right	·
A. knowledge	B. qualifications	C. relationship	D. fame
46. More and more y	oung people preferedu	cation because they li	ke to learn practical skills.
A. university	B. college	C. vocational	D. higher
47. Many young peop	ple find it hard to get a job immedia	tely after	
A. university	B. school	C. class	D. graduation
48. Higher education	is really for people who want form	al learning in order to	get andegree
A. academic	B. university	C. vocational	D. college
49. This type of train	ing not only provides students with	hands-on	, but also gives them wages
to cover their living of	costs.		
A. knowledge	B. practice	C. experience	D. salary

50. This month, Teen Talk m	agazine has received many le	etters from secondary sc	hool students asking
about the different	_ for school-leavers.		
A. questions	B. options	C. opinions	D. choices
51 only three	hours, I can hardly focus on r	ny work.	
A. Having slept	B. was slept	C. slept	D. sleeping
52 this movie	last week, I still wanted to se	e it again.	
A. Having seen	B. Had seen	C. Was seen	D. Seeing
53.Tom was accused	some top secret docum	nent.	
A. to steal	B. of having stolen	C. for stealing	D. to have stolen
54. But after it	over, I decided to laugh at m	yself and just join anyw	ay.
A. having thought	B. I have thought	C. thought	D. to have thought
55. Are you sure you told me	e? I don't recall	about it.	
A. having told	B. having been told	C. to have told	D. to have been told
56.Mary said, "I regret	him earlier in my life	e."	
A. to meet	B. not having met	C. to have met	D. at meeting
57. Tome made a bad mistak	e at work, but his boss didn't	fire him. He is happy al	bouta
second chance.			
A. giving	B. having been given	C. to have been given	D. to give
58 from the hor	rseback, he was taken to hosp	ital and had an operatio	n.
A. When falling	B. As he was fallen	C. After having faller	D. To fall
59 the bottles.	Mike poured the drinks for e	everyone.	
A. to open	B. To have opened	C. Being opened	D. Having opened
60. Mr. Lee was upset by	the truth.		
A. not having been told	B. us not to tell him	C. he hadn't been tolo	d D. being not told
61 the desalination	on plant, the company could o	offer an effective solution	on to the problem of
water scarcity.			
A. To build	B. Having built	C. Being built	D. Having been built
62. He forgot pro	mised to cut down on the car	bon dioxide emissions i	nto the atmosphere.
A. to promise	B. have	C. having	D. had
63for years, he d	lied because of lung cancer.		
A. Having been smoking	B. Having smoked	C. Have smoked	D. Being smoked
64. Having the in	nportant lesson, she couldn't f	finish her test.	
A. missed	B. passed	C. gone	D. taken
65. Even when arrested, he d	enied cut down th	nat tree.	
A. has	B. having	C. have	D. have had
66. I remembered having	off the lights after le	arning before leaving he	ome.

A. switched	B. swi	tch	(C. switching	D. switches
67. The public praised t	he local farm	ners for	millio	ns of trees on th	e surrounding hills.
A. plant	B. bei	ng planted	(C. being planting	g D. having planted
68. But after it over, I decided to laugh at myself and just join anyway.					
A. having thought	B. I ha	ive thought	(C. thought	D. to have thought
69. Mary said, "I regret	hi	m earlier in my	life."		
A. To meet	B. not	having met	(C. to have met	D. at meeting
70 from the	ne horseback	, he was taken to	o hospita	l and had an ope	eration.
A. When falling	B. As	he was fallen	(C. After having	fallen D. To fall
WORD FORM					
1. This month, Teen Ta	lk magazine	has received ma	any letter	s from secondar	y school students asking
about the different	for s	school-leavers. ((OPT)		
2. There are a lot of	o	pportunities for	school-l	eavers today. (E	EDUCATE)
3. Many school-leavers	choose to go	to university to	study _	subj	ects. (ACADEMY)
4. Many young people f	find it hard to	get a job		after graduation	ı. (IMMEDIATE)
5. Vocational education	is often refe	rred to as career	r education	on or	education. (TECHNIQUE)
6. It's possible that stude	ents may nee	d certain		_or prerequisite	s to apply for this course,
such as a high school di	ploma or pre	vious experienc	ce in cool	king. (QUALIFI	ED)
7. It ultimately depends	on the speci	fic	of the co	ourse and the ins	stitution offering it.
(REQUIRE)					
8, stude	ents may hop	e to gain hands-	on exper	ience in cooking	g and receive feedback on
their dishes from their is					
9. Students in this cours	se likely expe	ect to learn vario	ous cooki	ng techniques a	nd recipes, as well as gain a
deepero	of the culinar	y arts. (UNDER	RSTAND	ABLE)	
10. Having won several	biology com	petitions, I war	nt to stud	y biology and be	ecome a
(SCIENCE)					
Mark the letter A, B, C	, or D to indi	icate the underl	lined par	t that needs cor	rection in each of the
following questions.					
1. My brother has applied	ed for that sc	holarship <u>for m</u>	onths, bu	t he has never s	ucceeded <u>yet</u> .
A	В		C		D
2. I have found a lot of	informations	about the histor	ry <u>of</u> Eng	dish language te	eaching recently.
Α	В	C	D		
3. I have never been und	derstanding v	why <u>such</u> a lot o	f people	want to study al	proad.
A	1	В		C	D
4. <u>Due to</u> the geographi	<u>cal</u> barrier, h	e has been decid	ding to cl	noose <u>distance e</u>	ducation in order to get

A B	C	D	
his university degree.			
5. Lily <u>couldn't</u> answer <u>any</u>	questions in the end-of-	term examination this mornir	ng, <u>but</u> she thinks she
A	В		C
has failed.			
D			
6. Many teachers have dev	oted their lives to teaching	ng; therefore teaching is not a	well-paid job.
A	ВС	D	
7. This is the most embarra	assed problem that I have	e <u>ever</u> seen.	
A B C		D	
8. <u>Having lived</u> in city <u>for</u>	ten years, she is used to	stay up late.	
A B C		D	
9. <u>Having deciding</u> on the	topic of the presentation,	, <u>he started</u> finding relevant in	formation <u>for it</u> .
A	В	C	D
10. <u>Having identified</u> the n	nost urgent environmenta	al problems, they start workin	g out all possible
A	В	C D	
solutions.			
Mark the letter A, B, C,	or D to indicate the cor	rect response to each of the	following exchanges.
1. John and Mary are talking	ng to each other.		
John: "Could you just hand	d me that book, John?"		
Mary: ""			
A. Yes, of course.	B. I disagree, why?	C. In reality, I'm occupied.	D. You can start now.
2. John and Mary are talking	ng to each other.		
John: "If I were you, I'd ap	ply for the University of	Melbourne scholarship."	
Mary: "	,, 		
A. I don't feel afraid.	B. Never!	C. I suppose I ought to.	D. So, I hope.
3. John and Mary are talking	ng to each other.		
John: "I heard you passed	the examination. Congra	tulations!"	
Mary: "	,,,		
A. It's too bad!	B. I'm happy to help.	C. I'm doing fine.	D. Many thanks.
4. John and Mary are talking	ng to each other.		
John: "Why did you decide	e to major in French, Ma	ry?"	
Mary: ""			
A. Because it is very similar	ar to English.	B. Due of their friendliness.	
C. I truly don't care.		D. It's nice to say so.	
5. Lisa and Mary are talkir	ng to each other.		

Lisa: "Can I have a quick look at yo	ur lecture notes?"			
Mary: ""				
A. Of course not today.	B. So fa	ır, so good!		
C. No, I don't think so.	D. Sorr	y, I'm using them myself.		
6. John and Mary are talking to each	other.			
John: "Let's go to the Dr. Millet's se	minar on learning styles	this afternoon!"		
Mary: ""				
A. I wish I could but I'm busy then.	B. Lear	ning styles are really subject	ive.	
C. Thanks, I won't.	D. I wo	uld if I were you.		
7. David and his mom are talking to	each other.			
David: "Mom, I've received an offer	for a summer internship	o in Singapore!"		
David's mom: "	,, 			
A. Really? Good luck!	B. Oh, t	hat's great! Congratulations!	!	
C. I couldn't agree more.	D. Oh,	D. Oh, I'm sorry to hear that.		
8. Mathew and Mary are talking to 6	each other.			
Mathew: "Sorry, I'm late! May I cor	ne in, Ms Mary?"			
Mary: ""				
A. Yes, come in, please!	B. Not right now.	C. Let's do it!	D. I guess so.	
9. Tom and Mary are talking to each	other.			
Tom: "What an imaginative essay y	ou've written, Matt!"			
Mary: ""				
A. That's the least I could do.	B. Actu	ally, I don't mind.		
C. Thanks, it's nice of you to say so.	D. Sorr	y, just my luck!		
10. John and Mary are talking to each	ch other.			
John: "It was very kind of you to he	lp me with the difficult h	nomework!"		
Mary: "				
A. Oh, don't mention it.	B. Sorry, I don't know.	C. That sounds nice.	D. Thanks a lot.	
READING COMPREHESION				

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

One way of training for your future occupation in Germany is by pursuing a dual vocational training programme. Such programmes offer plenty of opportunity for on-the-job training and work experience. Programmes usually last between two and three and a half years and comprise theoretical as well as practical elements. You will spend one or two days a week, or several weeks at once, at a vocational school where you will acquire the theoretical knowledge that you will need in your future occupation. The rest of the time will be spent at a company. There you get to apply your newly acquired knowledge in

practice, for example by learning to operate machinery. You will get to know what your company does, learn how it operates and find out if you can see yourself working there after completing your training.

This combination of theory and practice gives you a real head start into your job: by the time you have completed your training, you will not only have the required technical knowledge, but you will also have hands-on experience in your job. There are around 350 officially recognised training programmes in Germany, so chances are good that one of them will suit your interests and talents. You can find out which one that might be by visiting one of the jobs and vocational training fairs which are organised in many German cities at different times in the year.

Employment prospects for students who have completed a dual vocational training programme are very good. This is one of the reasons why this kind of training is very popular with young Germans: around two thirds of all students leaving school go on to start a vocational training programme.

- 1. Which of the following is probably the best title of the passage?
- A. Employment Opportunities and Prospects in Germany
- B. Combination of Theory and Practice in Studying in Germany
- C. Dual Vocational Training System in Germany
- D. Higher Education System in Germany

A. company

2. The word "it" in the first paragraph refers to _____.

B. machinery

- 3. Which of the following statements best describes the dual vocational training programmes?
- A. These programmes consist of an intensive theoretical course of two and a half years at a vocational school.

C. knowledge

D. organisation

- B. These programmes require you to have only practical working time at a certain company.
- C. These programmes offer you some necessary technical skills to do your future job.
- D. These programmes provide you with both theoretical knowledge and practical working experience.
- 4. The word "hands-on" in the second paragraph is closest in meaning to ...

A. theoretical B. practical C. technical D. integral

5. How many German school leavers choose this vocational training programme?

A. well over 75% B. around one out of five

C. less than a third D. about 70%

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

Normally a student must attend a certain number of courses in order to graduate, and each course which he attends gives him a credit which he may count towards a degree. In many American universities the total work for a degree consists of thirty-six courses each lasting for one semester. A typical course consists of three classes per week for fifteen weeks, while attending a university a student will probably attend four or five courses during each semester. Normally a student would expect to take four years

attending two semesters each year. It is possible to spread the period of work for the degree over a longer period. It is also possible for a student to move between one university and another during his degree course, though this is not in fact done as a regular practice.

For every course that he follows a student is given a grade, which is recorded, and the record is available for the student to show to prospective employers. All this imposes a constant pressure and strain of work, but in spite of this some students still find time for great activity in student affairs. Elections to positions in student organizations arouse much enthusiasm. The effective word of maintaining discipline is usually performed by students who advise the academic authorities. Any student who is thought to have

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broken the rules, f	or		
example, by chear	ting has to appear before	a student court. With	the enormous numbers of studen
operation of the s	ystem does involve a cert	tain amount of activity	7. A student who has held one of
positions of author	rity is much respected and	it will be of benefit to	him later in his career.
1. How many clas	ses each week would a stu	ident normally attend a	at least?
A. 36	B. 20	C. 12	D. 15
2. According to pa	aragraph 1, an American s	tudent is allowed	·
A. to live i	n a different university.		
B. to take	a particular course in a dif	ferent university.	
C. to live a	at home and drive to classe	es.	
D. to get to	wo degrees from two diffe	erent universities.	
3. American unive	ersity students are usually	under pressure of worl	k because
A. their ac	ademic performance will a	affect their future caree	ers.
B. they are	heavily involved in stude	ent affairs.	
C. they have	ve to observe university di	iscipline.	
D. they wa	ant to run for positions of a	authority.	
4. Some students a	are enthusiastic for positio	ons in student organizat	tions probably because
A. they ha	te the constant pressure str	rain of their study.	
B. they wi	ll then be able to stay long	ger in the university.	
C. such po	sitions help them get bette	er jobs.	
D. such po	sitions are usually well pa	aid.	
5. The student org	anizations seem to be effe	ective in	
A. dealing	with the academic affairs	of the university.	
B. ensuring	g that the students observe	e university regulations	S.
C. evaluati	ing students' performance	by bringing them befo	re a court.
D. keeping	g up the students' enthusias	sm for social activities	

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

GAP YEAR

In the professional or	career world, a gap y	ear is a year before go	oing to college or university and
after finishing high school or (1) a year off before going into graduate school after completing a			
bachelor as an undergraduate. (2) this time, students may engage in advanced academic courses,			
			-college math courses, language
studies, learning a trade, art	studies, volunteer wor	k, travel, internships,	sports and more. Gap years are
sometimes considered a way	for students to becom	ne independent and le	arn a great deal of (3)
prior to engaging in universit			
Australians and New	Zealanders have a trad	ition of travelling over	rseas independently (4)
a young age. In New Zealand	d, this is known as "doi	ing an OE" (Overseas	Experience). Sometimes, an OE
			vill remain overseas for three to
five years, with many working			
1. A. calling	B. going	C. taking	D. turning
2. A. During	B. When	C. While	D. By
3. A. responsible	B. responsibility	C. irresponsible	D. irresponsibility
4. A. at	B. on	C. in	D. for
5. A. distributed	B. used	C. spent	D. limited
Read the following passage	and mark the letter A,	B, C, or D to indicate	the correct word or phrase
that best fits each of the nun	nbered blanks.		
	EXAM OR CONTIN	UOUS ASSESSMEN	T?
How do you feel whe	en you sit an exam? Do	you always succeed in	n getting all your ideas down on
paper, or do you sometimes	feel that you're (1)	a mess of it? A	apart from those lucky few who
sail through exams, most s	secondary school pupi	ls find them very st	ressful. Many teachers are (2)
of the problems th	eir students face and	use a different metho	d for measuring their progress:
continuous. With continuous	assessment, students a	are given (3)	tasks to do throughout the year.
All their marks are added tog	gether to produce a tota	ıl mark (4) th	e end of the year. Students have
to (5) more respons	sibility for their educat	tion because they can'	t rely on doing well on just one
day. Also, they have more tir	me to think over their w	vork, meaning that the	y are able to do their best.
1. A. doing	B. having	C. making	D. taking
2. A. aware	B. intelligent	C. recognisable	D. knowledgeable
3. A. variety	B. various	C. vary	D. variably
4. A. at	B. on	C. in	D. from
5. A. do	B. get	C. make	D. take
Fill in each numbered blan	k with one suitable w	ord or phrase.	
The General Certificate	of Secondary Education	on or the GCSE exami	inations for (1) are the

standard school-leaver qualifications taken by (2) _____ all UK students in the May and June following

the	eir 16th birthday. If you o	come to a UK (3) so	hool before you reach	the age of 16, you will
stı	udy towards GCSE examir	nations in up to 12 subjects. So	ome subjects are compu	ulsory, including English
an	d mathematics, and you o	ean select (4) such a	s music, drama, geogr	aphy and history from a
se	ries of options. GCSEs pro	ovide a good all-round educati	on (5) you ca	n build on at college and
ev	entually at university.			
1.	A. short	B. long	C. big	D. long
2.	A. similarly	B. fortunately	C. approximately	D. virtually
3.	A. dependence	B. independence	C. independent	D. independently
4.	A. other	B. each other	C. another	D. others
5	A what	R that	C where	D whose

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

- 1 It's only her second time in an international conference about further education.
- A. It was the second time she had been in an international conference about further education.
- B. She has only been in an international conference about further education once before.
- C. She has never been to any international conference about further education before.
- D. She has already got used to being in an international conference about further education.
- 2. I started writing this essay hours ago and it's still not right.
- A. I have been writing this essay for hours and it's still not right.
- B. It's hours ago since I last wrote this essay correctly.
- C. The last time I started writing this essay was hours ago, which is still not right.
- D. I didn't stop to write this essay hours ago and it's still not right.
- 3. "You'd better work harder if you don't want to retake the exam!" the teacher said to Jimmy.
- A. The teacher advised Jimmy to work harder if he didn't want to retake the exam.
- B. The teacher ordered Jimmy to work harder if he didn't want to retake the exam.
- C. The teacher reminded Jimmy to work harder if he didn't want to retake the exam.
- D. The teacher warned Jimmy to work harder if he didn't want to retake the exam.
- 4. Lisa has never studied abroad before.
- A. It's the first time Lisa has ever studied abroad.
- B. It's the last time since Lisa studied abroad.
- C. It was the first time Lisa had ever studied abroad.
- D. Never before Lisa has studied abroad.
- 5. The last time my friend wrote a letter to me was in February.
- A. I haven't never received a letter from my friend since February.
- B. I last received a letter from my friend in February.
- C. It was in February since I first received a letter from my friend.

- D. My friend last wrote a letter to me when in February.
- 6. We have decided that the work they do is unacceptable.
- A. As they do the work which we have decided is unacceptable.
- B. they have been decided that the work they do is unacceptable.
- C. It has been decided that the work being done is unacceptable.
- D. We have decided that we accept the work they do.
- 7. It is good exercise to walk a mile a day.
- A. For walking a mile a day is good exercise

 C. Good exercise is for walk a mile a day
- B. In order to walk a mile a day is good exercise D. Walking a mile a day is good exercise
- 8. After Louie had written his composition, he handed it to his teacher.
- A. Handed the composition to his teacher, Louie wrote it
- B. Having written his composition, Louie handed it to his teacher.
- C. Writing the composition. Louie handed it to his teacher.
- D. Handing the composition, Louie had written his composition.
- 9. While the director was guiding us through the museum, he gave us a special explanation.
- A. Guiding us through the museum, a special explanation was given by the director
- B. Guided us through the museum, the director gave us a special explanation
- C. A special explanation was given to us while guiding us through the museum
- D. Guiding us through the museum, the director gave us a special explanation.
- 10. Although we felt cold, we kept walking.
- A. Despite feeling cold, we kept walking b. however we felt cold, we kept walking
- C. Felt cold, but we kept walking d. we kept walking even though feeling cold

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

- 1. Marie prepared her homework carefully. She could answer all the questions and got good marks.
- A. Although she prepared her homework carefully, Marie could not answer all the questions and got good marks.
- B. Having prepared her homework carefully, Marie could answer all the questions and got good marks.
- C. If she had prepared her homework carefully, Marie could have answered all the questions and got good marks.
- D. It was because of her careful preparation for the homework, Marie couldn't answer all the questions and got good marks.
- 2. We have been trying to learn English for years. We haven't succeeded yet.
- A. Although we have been trying to learn English for years, we haven't succeeded yet.
- B. After we've been trying to learn English for years, we have succeeded.
- C. We haven't succeeded yet since we have been trying to learn English for years.

- D. We have been trying to learn English for years, so we haven't succeeded yet.
- 3. The teacher was giving the lesson. The lights went out.
- A. The lights went out as soon as the teacher started giving the lesson.
- B. If the teacher had been giving the lesson, the lights wouldn't have gone out.
- C. The teacher was giving the lesson, so the lights went out.
- D. While the teacher was giving the lesson, the lights went out.
- 4. Tom only started learning English last year. However, he can now speak it like a native.
- A. If he had started learning English last year, Tom could now speak it like a native.
- B. After starting learning English last year, Tom can now speak it like a native.
- C. Although he only started learning English last year, Tom can now speak it like a native.
- D. Tom, who has only started learning English since last year, can now speak it like a native.
- 5. The man jumped out of the boat. He was bitten by a shark.
- A. Bitten by a shark, the man jumping out of the boat.
- B. After jumping out of the boat, the man was bitten by a shark.
- C. After bitten, the shark jumping out of the boat.
- D. After jumping out of a boat, the shark bit the man
- 6. He is a rich man. He leads a simple life.
- A. If he were a rich man, he would lead a simple life.
- B. Although he is rich, he leads a simple life.
- C. As he is rich, he leads a simple life.
- D. Until he leads a simple life, he is a rich man.
- 7. Jack dropped out of school at the age of 15. He now regrets it.
- A. If only Jack had dropped out of school when he was 15.
- B. If Jack dropped out of school when he was 15, he would regret it.
- C. Jack wishes he hadn't dropped out of school when he was 15.
- D. Jack regrets not having dropped out of school when he was 15.
- 8. Our children look tired today. I guess they stayed up late last night.
- A. Our children should have stayed up late last night as they look tired today.
- B. Our children might have stayed up late last night as they look tired today.
- C. Our children must have stayed up late last night as they look tired today.
- D. Our children can't have stayed up late last night as they look tired today.
- 9. Tom was in secondary school. Then, he began to study English.
- A. Tom was studying English when he was in secondary school.
- B. Tom had studied English in secondary school.
- C. Tom hasnot studied English since he was in secondary school.
- D. Tom has been studying English since he was in secondary school.

- 10. He made a great discovery. He was very proud of it.
- A. He was very proud of what he made a great discovery.
- B. He took pride in making a great discovery.
- C. He was interested in a great discovery.
- D. He was very proud of he made a great discovery.

WRITING

Rewite the sentences, using perfect participles.

1. After I watched the documentary about wildlife, I made a donation to an environmental society.
→ Having
2. After I ate my evening meal, I decide to go for a walk.
→ Having
3. Because I had spent the entire day cleaning up my room, I needed to take a shower and have a rest.
→ Having
4. Since the authorities had managed water resources irresponsibly, they had to deal with water shortages
in the region.
→ Having
5. After we had read the stories about people who reduced their carbon footprint, we started to change our daily consumption.
→ Having
6.Because the farmers had been told about the dangers of chemical fertilisers, they turned to bio-
fertilisers.
→ Having
7. After I finished all my homework, I watched my favourite film on TV.
→ Having
8. After we made all necessary preparations, we put our plan into action.
→ Having
9. We switched off the lights before we went to bed.
→
10. After I ate my evening meal, I decided to go for a walk.
→ Having
Combine the sentences, using perfect gerunds.
1. Tonya had dumped a lot of rubbish on the beach. She was strongly criticised for that.
→ Tonya was strongly criticised for
2. He said that he would take responsibility for the project. But then he denied that.

→ He denied
3. He didn't keep his promise. He apologised for that.
→ He apologised for
4. He risked his own life to rescue the little boy. He was really admired for that.
→ He was really admired for
5. She raised \$20,000 for wildlife protection. She was praised for that.
→ She was praised for
6. I have advised you on how to cut down your energy use. I remember that.
→ I remember
7. Some scientists have not reported the effects of climate change. They were accused of that.
→ Some scientists were accused of
8. They have acted irrresponsibly towards the environment. They were criticised for that.
→ They were critcised for
9. The factory has dumped a huge amount of rubbish into the river. It was fined for that.
→ The factory was fined for
10. Christopher apologized. He'd forgotten to pay.
→ Christopher apologized for