**PARCTICE 1 FOR UNIT 4 + 5 + 6**

**PART A: PHONETICS**

**Find the word which has a different sound in the underlined part.**

1. A. equipment B. experiment C. excellent D. expensive

2. A. centimeter B. corn C. city D. central

3. A. burst B. coast C. question D. suggest

4. A. celebrate B. federation C. market D. fed

5. A. chance B. chocolate C. chin D. backache

**II. Choose the word with the different stress pattern.**

1. A. pedestrian B. subway C. drugstore D. bakery

2. A. cathedral B. police C. antique D. noisy

3. A. fireworks B. festival C. dancer D. convenient

4. A. exciting B. polluted C. noisy D. expensive

5. A. incredible B. suburb C. backyard D. difficult

**PART B: VOCABULARY ANG GRAMMAR**

**I. Match the definition in column A with the phrase in column B.**

 **A B**

1. A person who lives next door. a. Relatives

2. It is a place where we buy stamps, envelopes or send letters. b. Neighbor

3. A person who travels around the world and visit interesting places. c. Fireworks

4. You visit them on Tet holiday. d. Post office

5. Something you see in the sky at night in festivals. e. Tourist

6. A large thick bag for sleeping in, especially when you are camping. f. desert

7. A feeling when you live in a modern house with modern appliances. g. sleeping bag

8. A place which is dry and camels live there. h. forest

9. People come there to worship for better things. i. cathedral

10. A place where there are a lot of green trees and wild animals. j. convenient

1………B…… 2………D…… 3……E……… 4……A……… 5………C…..………

6………g……. 7……j………. 8……f………. 9……i………. 10. ……h………….

**II. Find and correct the mistakes in the following sentences.**

1. The streets are very busy and noise every day because there are many shops. NOISY

 A B C D

2. He must makes his bed after he wakes up every day. MAKE

 A B C D

3. My new school is most modern than my old one. MORE

 A B C D

4. You must walk on grass when you see the sign "No walking" MUSN’T

 A B C D

5. Are there some art galleries in your neighborhood? ANY

 A B C D

6. Life in the countryside is so boring because there aren’t many things doing there. TO DO

 A B C D

7. Today is the last day, so I mustn’t give my teacher the mini project. MUST

 A B C D

**III. Choose the best answer to complete the sentences.**

1. You should bring a \_\_\_\_\_ with you when you walk into a forest because you may lose your way.

A. camera B. torch C. phone D. compass

2. You can buy fruits and vegetables in a\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A. cinema B. post office C. hospital D. grocery

5. Could you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ me the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to the nearest hotel?

A. tell/ road B. show/ way C. tell/ street D. show/ road.

6. Life in the city is more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_than that in the countryside.

A. convenient B. busier C. quitter D. boring

7. There are a lot of amusement parks \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ our neighborhood.

A. on B. in C. at D. in front of

8. You can improve your health by doing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ activities.

A. indoor B. outside C. outdoor D. inside

9. There is a theatre \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Nguyen Du Street. First go straight, then \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_left.

A. in/ take B. on/ turn C. at/ turn D. by/ take

10. When New Year comes, people in different countries always wear their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_clothes.

A. tradition B. normal C. ordinary D. traditional

11. He doesn’t understand English. He should \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ English more.

A. studies B. study C. studying D. to study

12. People believe that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ money in the New Year will be very lucky.

A. receive B. received C. receiving D. to receiving

13. It often rains in May \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ bring an umbrella with you.

A. and B. because C. but D. so

14. Which city is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ beautiful, Ha Noi or Ho Chi Minh?

A. most B. the most C. more D. the more

15. The map \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that the post office is in front of the art gallery.

A. speaks B. says C. talks D. asks

16. Mary is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ student. She can make a lot of toys with papers for her friends.

A. talkative B. shy C. bossy D. creative

17. It’s so \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to have a spring vacation in Sa Pa.

A. fantasy             B. fantastic        C. fantastically      D. fantasies

18. There are lots of interesting \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when you visit Hoi An Ancient Town.

A. active       B. actively    C. activities D. activity

19. They want their local environment to maintain\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ without people’s bad actions.

A. nature    B. naturalness C. natural          D. naturally

20. Tet is a busy time for house. People usually clean the house and buy flowers, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ kumquat trees or red envelopes.

A. decorate      B. decorative                      C.   decoration      D. decorations

21. The road is so crowded \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a lot of vehicles and people after working hours.

A. to                B. from          C. with        D. in

22. Throwing water \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ people is one of the traditions in during Thai New Year holiday.

A. for              B. at             C. of              D.  over

23. We are looking forward to seeing the clock \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_12 a.m. to watch firework displays on New Year’s Eve.

A. strike         B. touch       C. ring          D. visit

24. I wish to have a new year \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_of fun and wealth.

A. many         B.  much       C. large         D.  full

25. I think chocolate cake is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_than that butter one.

A. delicious                         B. the more delicious C. more delicious                D. the delicious

26.When you go camping in the mountain, you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_do as your leader’s advice and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ go alone in the forest.

A. mustn’t/should          B. must/should C. must/mustn’t          D. mustn’t/shouldn’t

27. You \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ behave impolitely with adults. Especially, you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ask them for lucky money during Tet holiday.

A. must/ should       B. mustn’t/ shouldn’t C. will/shouldn’t      D. shouldn’t/must

**IV.** **Put the verbs in brackets in the correct form.**

1. Everybody (cheer) …………CHEERS…….. and (sing) ……SINGS…………happily at New Year’s Eve.

2. ………DO……… (they/ play) ……PLAY………… football at weekend?

3. Most students (not go) ………DON’T GO…………. to school on Saturday.

3. You must (take) …………TAKE……… a boat ride around the island.

5. After (get) …GETTING….. up, children get dressed in new clothes and say wishes to their parents.

6. Vietnamese people (celebrate) ……CLELEBRATE…. the Lunar New Year every year.

7. You shouldn’t (wear) ………WEAR…….. white clothes on the first day of Tet.

8. People spend a few days (clean) …CLEANING…….. their house before Tet.

9. Tet (occur) …OCCURS…….. in late January or early February.

10. Phong loves (eat) ……EATING………. traditional food during Tet.

**IV. Write the comparative form of the adjective in brackets.**

1. It is ………MORE ENJOYABLE…………………..( enjoyable) to read the story than to see the film.

2. Which is ………HIGHER………..(high), Mount Everest of K2? \_\_\_ Mount Everest.

3. Buying thins from plastic is ……………WORSE……..(bad) than buying things from recycle paper.

4. This flat is nicer, but it’s ……………FARTHER…….. (far) from the city center than the other one.

5. Petronas Twin Towers in Kula Lumpur is ………TALLER…… (tall) than Seas Tower in Chicago

**V. Choose the best response (A, B, C or D) to complete each conversation.**

***1. “Excuse me. Can you tell me the way to the railway station?” \_\_\_\_”\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”***

A. Look at your map. It’s behind you.

B. Yes. First, turn left. Then go straight. It’s on your right.

C. OK. It’s next to the art gallery.

D.I wonder where we are now.

***2. “What’s your favourite experience of your visit to NhaTrang?” \_\_\_\_ ”\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”***

A. Enjoying its cuisine. All seafood is so delicious.

B. There’s nothing to say. It’s awesome.

C. I’ll take a boat ride around some islands there.

D. Oh. Maybe the next time I’ll try another one.

***3. “Don’t forget to clean your room, my dear!” \_\_\_\_ ”\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”***

A. No, I won’t, Mom. I’ll do it immediately.

B. I’m sorry, Mom. Let me do it now.

C. Yes, I won’t, Mom. Wait a moment.

D. No, I will, Mom. It’s not a problem.

**PART C: READING**

**I. Read the passage carefully and choose the best answer.**

 I live in a house near the sea. It is (1) ……………. old house, about 100 years old and it’s very small. There are two bed rooms upstairs but no bathroom. The bathroom is down stairs next to the kitchen and there (2) ……………. a living room where there is a lovely old fire place. There is a garden in the house. The garden (3) ……………. down to the beach and in spring and summer there are flowers everywhere. I like being alone (4) ……………. my dog, Rack, but we have a lot of visitors. My city friends often stay with me. I love my house for (5) ……………. reasons: the garden, the flowers in summer, but the best thing is the view from my bedroom window.

1. A. a B. an C. one D. the

2. A. is B. are C. be D. aren’t

3. A. goes B. going C. go D. in goes

4.A. with B. of C. for D. out

5. A. a lot B. many C. much D. any

**II. Read the text carefully. Then answer the questions.**

 Lunar New Year, or Tet, is the biggest and most important festival in Vietnam. Tet often falls between late January and early February.

 A great deal of excitement still builds up well before Tet. Streets are decorated with coloured lights and red banners. Shops are full of goods. People are busy buying gifts, cleaning and decorating their houses and cooking traditional foods.

 Homes are often decorated with plants and flowers at this time. Peach blossom is traditional at Tet in the North while apricot blossom is traditional in the South. One of Tet’s most special

foods is bank chung, which is made of sticky rice, green beans and fatty pork.

 On the days of Tet, people visit other family members or friends and they exchange New Year’s wishes. Children receive their “lucky money” inside red envelopes. Many people go to pagodas to pray for a happy new year for themselves and their families. Both children and adults take part in games and various forms of entertainment. Tet is really a time of fun and festivals throughout the country.

1. When does Tet occur?

=> …………… Tet often falls between late January and early February.…………..

2. What do people do to prepare for Tet?

=> ……………They decorate Streets with coloured lights and red banners, Homes are often decorated with plants and flowers ………………..

3. Where is apricot blossom the symbol of Tet?

=> …………They are in the South …………………..

4. What is Banh Chung made of?

=> ………………It is made of sticky rice, green beans and fatty pork.……………..

5. What do children receive during Tet?

=> ……………… Children receive their “lucky money” inside red envelopes …………………..

6. On the days of Tet, what do Vietnamese people go to pagodas for?

=> ………They go to pagodas to pray for a happy new year for themselves and their families ……..

**PART D: WRITING**

**I. Complete the second sentences so that it has the same meaning to the first one.**

1. It’s not good to spend a lot of time watching TV.

=> You ……shouldn’t spend a lot of time watching TV ……….

2. Nam is the tallest student in his class.

=> Nobody in Nam’s class ………………is taller than Nam…………..

3. Shall we go to Times Square to welcome the New Year?

=> Why don’t …………we go to Times Square to welcome the New Year?…………….

4. A bicycle is more convenient than a car in towns.

=> A car is ………less convenient as a bicycle in towns …………….

5. Turn right at the first turning.

=> Take ………the first turning on the right…………….

**II. Write sentences, using the words or phrases given**

1. Vietnamese people/ often/ clean/ decorate/ houses/ Tet.

=> ………… Vietnamese people often clean and decorate their houses at Tet ……..

2. The air / the city / polluted / the air / the countryside.

=> …… The air in the city is more polluted than the air in the countryside ………..

3. It/ very/ interesting/ take/ boat trip/ the Perfume River

=> ………… It is very interesting to take a boat trip in the Perfume River ………..

4. Nobody/ my class/ better/ Maths/ Minh.

=> ………… Nobody in my class is better at Maths than Minh.…………..

5. How often/ you/ go fishing/ your father?

=> ………… How often do you go fishing with your father?………..

**PRACTICE TEST 2 (REVIEW UNIT 4,5,6)**

**I. PHONETICS**

***Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the other three in each question.***

1. A. cathedral B. theatre **C. there** D. breath

2. A. interesting B. bake **C. expensive** D. outside

3. A. busy **B. Switzerland** C. noisy D. scissors

***Choose the word which has a different stress pattern from the other three in each question.***

4. **A. backyard** B. buildings C. seafood D. crowded

5. A. incredibly B. activities **C. information** D. encouragement

**II. VOCABULARY**

***Choose the word or phrase that best completes each sentence below****.*

6. They often got together with other students in the local \_\_\_\_\_\_.

**A. neighborhood** B. neighbor C. neighboring D. neighborly

7. The bus is their preferred mode of \_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. travelled B. traveler C. travelling **D. travel**

8. My family go to Son Tinh \_\_\_\_\_\_ site every weekend.

A. camped **B. camping** C. camper D. campaign

9. He's always \_\_\_ with his brother.

**A. fighting** B. fought C. fighter D. fight

10. He has won medals in both \_\_\_\_\_\_ and international competitions.

A. nation B. nationality **C. national** D. nationally

11. The streams were polluted \_\_\_\_\_\_ toxic waste from the local factories.

A. on B. for C. of **D. with**

12. That girl was named \_\_\_\_\_\_ a famous artist in Vietnam.

A. on **B. after** C. before D. with

13. The little boy was playing with a knife, so I took it \_\_\_\_\_\_ from him.

A. off **B. away** C. on D. after

14. We had **marvellous** weather all week. It was cool and breezy on Monday and Tuesday. Although it's sunny for the rest of the week, the temperature didn't exceed 25°C.

Marvellous means \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**A. extremely good** B. very bad C. average D. fine

15. The Grand **Canyon** with steep sides of rock in the U.S presents a splendid view of nature's work. Canyon means \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A. a river B. a mountain **C. a deep valley** D. an iceberg

16. Iceland is full hot springs and other natural wonders.

Wonder means \_\_\_\_\_\_

**A. something beautiful** C. something ugly

B. something causing questions D. something simple

***Choose the word or phrase that is CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined part in each of the following sentences.***

17. Try' to be **quick**! We're late already.

A. slow **B. fast** C. long D. short

18. Our city was **polluted** with the exhaust fumes emitted from vehicles.

A. clean B. populated C. popular **D. dirty**

***Choose the word or phrase that is OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined part in each of the following sentences.***

19. **Local** people in this national have a lot of strange customs and traditions.

A. regional **B. foreign** C. provincial D. native

20. **Natural** disasters cause devastating damages to humans' life.

A. innate B. instinctive **C. artificial** D. sudden

**III. GRAMMAR**

***Choose the word or phrase that best completes each sentence below.***

21. A movie is usually \_\_\_\_\_\_ than a book.

**A. more exciting** B. exciter C. excited D. exciting

22. Travel by air is \_\_\_\_\_\_ than a train. It only takes about 45 minutes to fly to Da Nang, whereas going by train could take several hours.

**A. more convenient** B. convenienter C. more expensive D. expensiver

23. The exam is getting \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ year by year. There are more tricky questions and less time to do it.

A. more exciting C. easier

B. slower **D. more difficult**

24. Mount Everest is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ mountain in the world. Nothing else is as high as Everest

A. higher B. the most high **C. the highest** D. high

25. The Nile is \_\_\_\_\_ river in the world. No rivers are longer than it.

A. longest **B. the longest** C. longer D. long

26. He is \_\_\_\_\_\_ athlete in this race. He runs the fastest.

A. good B. the goodest C. best **D. the best**

27. The temperature has never been up to almost 50oC before. It’s scorching.

This summer is \_\_\_\_\_ ever.

A. hot B. hotter C. the most hot **D. the hottest**

28. Her mother said to her, “You \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ review all the notes or you won’t pass the entrance exam to university.”

**A. must** B. mustn’t C. will D. won’t

29. The phone’s ringing. Everybody is busy so he says, “I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_answer it now.”

A. must **B. will** C. mustn’t D. won’t

30. The dentist advises Johnny that he \_\_\_\_\_\_ brush his teeth regularly to avoid cavity.

A. must **B. should** C. mustn't D. shouldn't

***Choose the underlined part that needs correcting in each sentence below****.*

31. Minh is 1.63 meters tall and Ha 1.7 meters tall. Ha is shorter than Minh.

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| A | B | C | **D** |

32. Antarctica, the South Pole is much more colder than India is.

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| A | B | **C** | D |

33. You must break the laws, or you will have to pay fines.

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| **A** | B | C | D |

34. There will be a storm tonight, so you don't need to go out or you may risk your life.

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| A | **B** | C | D |

35. That city is the most noisy one in the world.

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| A | B | **C** | D |

**Mistake correction:**

**31. shorter => taller**

**32. more => Ø**

**33. must => mustn’t**

**34. don’t need to => shouldn’t/mustn’t**

**35. most noisy => noisiest**

**IV. READING**

***Read the passage and decide whether the sentences are True (T) or False (F).***

**AN INDEPENDENT NATION**

 Before the United States was a country, it was a group of English colonies. Until 1763, England didn't really bother the American colonists. The people handled their business the way they wanted.

 However, England had a lot of war debts to pay. Some of the money was owed because England had defended the colonies in the French and Indian War. Citizens who were living in England wanted taxes to be lowered. The king decided to take more control over the colonies to get the money to pay off the debts. He started a new tax for the colonies.

 After being left to make their own decisions for so long, some of the colonists did not want to give up control. They did not want to pay high taxes. They did not want to follow rules that didn't make sense to them.

(Source: [www.k12reader.com](http://www.k12reader.com))

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|  | **T** | **F** |
| 36. The USA used to be a group of colonies. | **√** |  |
| 37. England controlled the American colonists strictly before 1763. |  | **√** |
| 38. England raised taxes in the colonies to take more control. |  | **√** |
| 39. England needed the taxes to pay their war debts. | **√** |  |
| 40. American colonists followed the king's order immediately. | **√** |  |

***Read the following passage and choose the option (A, B, C or D) that best answers each of the questions below.***

**A LETTER TO THE KING**

 American colonists were not given a chance to participate in government decisions in England.

 The colonists were divided. Loyalists wanted the colonies to stay part of England. Patriots wanted America to be **established** as an independent nation.

 The Patriots decided that it was time to send a letter to the king. They wanted to make an official declaration, or statement, of independence. Thomas Jefferson wrote the group's ideas into a letter to King George III. Jefferson explained why the colonists believed they no longer had to listen to his authority. By signing the Declaration of **independence**, the men were risking their lives if the colonies lost the war. They signed it anyway.

(Source: [www.k12reader.com](http://www.k12reader.com))

41. What is the passage mainly about?

 A. The American colonies

 B. King George III

C. The Loyalists

**D. The Patriots and their desire for independence**

42. Who wanted the colonies to belong to England?

 **A. The Loyalists** C. All the colonists

 B. The Patriots D. No one

43. What did the Patriots send to King George III?

 A. an order **C. a letter**

 B. an email D. a blackmail

44. What does the word "**established**'' mean?

 **A. founded** C. discovered

 B. developed D. destroyed

45. What does the word "**independent**' mean?

 A. oppression **C. freedom**

 B. prison D. war

**V. WRITING**

***Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) that is closest in meaning to the root sentence.***

46. He is the tallest man I've ever seen.

 **A. I've never seen a taller man than him.**

 B. I've ever seen that he is a tall man.

 C. I've seen the man who is tall.

 D. I've seen someone who is taller than him.

47. Korea is colder than Vietnam.

 A. Vietnam is colder than Korea. **C. Vietnam is not so cold as Korea.**

 B. Vietnam and Korea are cold. D. Korea is the coldest country.

48. The rule of this class is not speaking Vietnamese during the tasks.

 A. You should speak Vietnamese during the tasks.

 B. You shouldn't speak Vietnamese during the tasks.

 C. You must speak Vietnamese during the tasks.

 **D. You mustn't speak Vietnamese during the tasks.**

49. The Imperial City is Hue's greatest attraction.

 **A. in Hue the Imperial City attracts the most tourists.**

 B. The Imperial City is in Hue

 C. The Imperial City is an ancient ruin.

 D. Hue can't attract tourists without the Imperial City.

50. We shouldn't buy fireworks.

 A. Buying fireworks is fun.

 **B. It's a good idea not to buy fireworks.**

 C. It's important to buy fireworks.

 D. A lot of children like fireworks.

**\_\_\_\_\_The end\_\_\_\_\_**