

Tài liệu ôn thi đại học môn tiếng anh

Test 1

Pick out the word whose main stressed syllable is different from the rest.

- 1. A. village B. future C. device D. burden
- 2. A. happen B. attract C. discuss D. suppose
- 3. A. educate B. another C. government D. graduate
- 4. A. calendar B. thoroughly C. supportive D. primary
- 5. A. parent B. project C. special D. secure

II. Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to complete each of the following sentences.

- 6. We _____ the nearest village before sunset.
A. came B. arrived C. got D. reached
- 7. If only I _____ in the countryside right now.
A. were B. am C. can be D. would
- 8. He used to _____ his living by delivering vegetables to city hotels.
A. earn B. gain C. get D. make
- 9. I have known him _____ I entered the university.
A. when B. since C. during D. until
- 10. We'll play tennis and _____ we'll have lunch.
A. so B. so that C. then D. after
- 11. He can't afford to go on holiday _____ taking a job.
A. unless B. until C. if D. without
- 12. Long wishes he _____ have to clean all the windows.
A. wouldn't B. doesn't C. hadn't D. didn't
- 13. We met a lot of people _____ our holiday.
A. during B. while C. for D. at
- 14. They have never _____ any experience of living in the country.
A. had B. wished C. done D. made
- 15. Do you _____ my turning the television on now?
A. want B. object C. mind D. disapprove
- 16. She put _____ speaking to him as long as possible.
A. back B. up C. away D. off
- 17. Is it true _____ the law says there is no smoking in restaurants in this city?
A. that what B. what C. if D. that
- 18. _____ he had no money for a bus, he had to walk all the way home
A. For B. Thus C. So D. As
- 19. The hotel has been built _____ the edge of the lake.
A. on B. at C. in D. from
- 20. The headmaster _____ that we became more concerned about the environment around us,
A. suggests B. warns C. complains D. supposes
- 21. It is _____ unlikely that the President will agree to open the new airport.
A. mainly B. highly C. largely D. greatly
- 22. "Is Duong the best student in your group?"
- "Yes. Why don't you talk to him? He _____ able to help you."

- A. must be B. maybe C. is D. would be
- 23. "Do you think there _____ less conflict in the world if all people _____ the same language?"
A. would be / spoke B. were / would speak
C. were / spoke D. would be / would speak
- 24. If you can give me one good reason for your acting like this, _____ this incident again.
A. I will never mention B. I never mention
C. will I never mention D. I don't mention
- 25. You will become ill _____ you stop working so hard.
A. until B. when C. if D. unless
- 26. Bill Gates, _____ is the president of Microsoft Company, is a billionaire.
A. who B. whom C. that D. whose
- 27. One _____ of public transport is its unreliability.
A. disappointment B. disadvantage C. disorder D. dislike
- 28. Although it was raining heavily, _____.
A. he went out without a raincoat
B. but he went out without a raincoat
C. so he went out without a raincoat
D. however he went out without a raincoat
- 29. The child was _____ for getting his shoes and socks wet.
A. corrected B. suffered C. scolded D. complained
- 30. The dog went _____ him and knocked him down.
A. over B. toward C. onto D. for
- 31. I remember Mary as a spotty young girl but she's turned _____ beautiful woman.
A. to B. in C. into D. on
- 32. If you like skiing, there's a ski _____ under an hour drive from Madrid.
A. station B. resort C. place D. port
- 33. Tom _____ be so bad-tempered. I wonder if he's got problems.
A. wouldn't B. didn't used to C. isn't use to D. didn't use to
- 34. Sterling is a _____ town not far from Edinburgh.
A. medium B. middle-sized C. medium-sized D. medium-large
- 35. Most days we went for a walk _____ after lunch.
A. along the sea B. in the beach
C. in the sand D. along the shore
- 36. We're having terrible weather for our holiday. I just can't _____ it for much longer.
A. put up B. put on C. take up D. put up with
- 37. Her parents gave her everything she asked for. She's a completely _____ child.
A. wounded B. spoilt C. damaged D. destroyed
- 38. Paulo is the head _____ at the Buckingham Hotel. He's famous for his fish recipes.
A. cooker B. chief C. waiter D. chef
- 39. There's a new suspension bridge over _____ at Dartford.
A. Thames B. the Thames C. River Thames D. Thames River
- 40. My brother has always had a reputation _____ hard.
A. in working B. about working C. to work D. for working

What sort of job should you look for? Much depends (41).....your long-term aim. You need to ask (42).....whether you want to specialize in a particular field, work your (43).....up to higher levels of responsibility or (44).....of your current employment into a broader field.

This job will be studied very carefully when you send your letter of (45).....for your next job. It (46).....show evidence of serious career planning. (47).....important, it should extend you, develop you and give you increasing responsibility. Incidentally, if the travel bug is biting, (48).....is the time to pack up and go. You can do temporary work for a (49).....; when you return, pick up where you have (50).....off and get the second job.

- 41/ a. for b. on c. of d. with
- 42/ a. you b. if c. oneself d. yourself
- 43/ a. path b. road c. way d. street
- 44/ a. out b. off c. into d. over
- 45/ a. applicants b. application c. form d. employment
- 46/ a. will b. would c. should d. may
- 47/ a. less b. even c. almost d. most
- 48/ a. now b. then c. so d. such
- 49/ a. day b. time c. while d. ages
- 50/ a. came b. left c. taken d. paid

IV. Read the passage below and choose one correct answer for each question.

Last week I went to visit Atlantic College, an excellent private college in Wales. Unusually, it gives young people much needed experience of life outside the classroom as well as the opportunity to study for their exams. The students, who are aged between 16 and 18 and come from all over the world, spend the morning studying. In the afternoon they go out and do a really useful activity, such as helping on the farm, looking after people with learning difficulties, or checking for pollution in rivers.

One of the great things about Atlantic College, students is that they come from many different social backgrounds and countries. As few can afford the fees of £20,000 over two years, grants are available. A quarter of the students are British and many of those can only attend because they receive government's help.

"I really admire the college for trying to encourage international understandings among young people", as Barbara Molenkamp, a student from the Netherlands, said. "You learn to live with people and respect them, even the ones you don't like. During the summer holidays my mother couldn't believe how much less I argued with my sister."

To sum up, Atlantic College gives its students an excellent education, using methods which really seem to work.

- 51. What is the writer trying to do in the text?
 - A. give an opinion about a particular student.
 - B. give an opinion about a special type of education.
 - C. describe his own experience of education.
 - D. describe the activities the students do in their free time.
- 52. What can a reader find out from this text?

- A. how to become a student at Atlantic College.
 - B. what kind of program Atlantic College offers.
 - C. what the British education system is like.
 - D. how to get along better with other people.
 - 53. What is the writer's opinion of Atlantic College?
 - A. It doesn't allow students enough study time.
 - B. Its students are taught to like each other.
 - C. It doesn't give good value for money.
 - D. Its way of teaching is successful.
 - 54. How has Barbara changed since being at Atlantic College?
 - A. She knows a lot about other countries.
 - B. She is more confident than her sister now.
 - C. She finds it easier to get on with other people.
 - D. She prefers her new friends to her family.
 - 55. Which advertisement uses correct information about Atlantic College?
 - A. Study at Atlantic College. Courses for 16-18 year olds. Lessons all morning, sport in the afternoon
 - B. Study at Atlantic College. Courses for 16-18 year olds. Morning lessons and afternoon activities. Help with fees available
 - C. Study at Atlantic College. Learn English in a beautiful beach. Lots of weekend activities. Help with fees available
 - D. Study at Atlantic College. Classes on International topics. Many free places available students of all ages welcome.
- Read the passage and choose the best answer.**

An increasing number of people are now going on holiday to Egypt. Last year, for example, about one and a half million (56) _____ visited Egypt. The (57) _____ of Egypt is about fifty million and the (58) _____ is El Qahira (Cairo), a busy city of just under nine million people. Although the (59) _____ is hot and dry and most of the country is desert, the average (60) _____ from October to March is not too high. The most (61) _____ sights are pyramids at Giza. However, it is also pleasant to (62) _____ Alexandria, Port Said and several other places and do as much (63) _____ as possible in the time available. A (64) _____ to Luxor is an unforgettable experience, and there are frequent (65) _____ there from Cairo.

- 56. a. explorers b. voyagers c. tourists d. passengers
- 57. a. people b. town c. nation d. population
- 58. a. principal b. head c. state d. capital
- 59. a. temperature b. climate c. condition d. position
- 60. a. weather b. measure c. climate d. temperature
- 61. a. famous b. known c. visited d. asked
- 62. a. search b. require c. examine d. visit
- 63. a. viewing b. seeing c. sightseeing d. looking
- 64. a. picnic b. trip c. guided. entertainment
- 65. a. flights b. travels c. journeys d. trips

There is a mistake in the four underlined parts of each sentence. Find the mistake (A, B, C, or D).

- 66. (A) A new shop (B) was opening (C) on Main Street (D) last week.

67. (A) My family used to (B) be having dinner (C) at 7 o'clock in (D) the evening.
68. I (A) wish I (B) can go with you to (C) the countryside (D) next weekend.
69. (A) Your friends went to (B) your native village (C) last weekend, (D) weren't they?
70. Nam (A) asked Mai what (B) can he do (C) to help (D) her.

VII. Choose the correct option to complete each of the following sentences.

71. My sister has worn her new dress _____.
- A. only once since she bought it
B. only once since she has bought it
C. once only since she was buying it
D. once only since she has been buying it
72. Wearing uniform encourages students _____.
- A. feeling proud of their school B. to feel proud at its school
C. to feel proud of their school D. feeling proud at its school
73. I'd like to go out with you, but _____.
- A. I don't feel like to eat out tonight
B. I don't feel like eating out tonight
C. I wouldn't like eating out tonight
D. I wouldn't like to eating out tonight
74. If there will be too much exhaust fume in the air, _____.
- A. our breathing is badly affected
B. our breathing is affected bad
C. our breathing will be affected bad
D. our breathing will be badly affected
75. Having invented the light bulb, _____.
- A. Edison was going on to make new discoveries
B. new discoveries went on to be made by Edison
C. Edison went on to make new discoveries
D. new discoveries were gone on to make by Edison

VIII Choose one sentence that has the same meaning as the root one.

76. *If he had hurried, he would have caught the train.*
- A. He had to catch the train, so he was in a hurry.
B. He missed the train because he didn't hurry.
C. He doesn't hurry, so he won't catch the train.
D. The train was delayed, so he wouldn't have to hurry.
77. *He learned to drive when he was eighteen.*
- A. His father made him drive when he was eighteen.
B. He could drive when he was eighteen, but he didn't.
C. He has been using his car since he was eighteen.
D. He has driven since he was eighteen.
78. *It was only because his wife helped him that he was able to finish his book.*
- A. Without his wife's help, he couldn't have finished his book.
B. His wife was able to finish the book with his help.
C. If only he had been able to finish his book.
D. If his wife helped him, he would be able to finish his book.
79. *The robbers made the bank manager hand over the money.*
- A. The bank manager was allowed to hand over the money.
B. The robbers helped the bank manager hand over the money.
C. The bank manager was forced to hand over the money.

- D. The robbers noticed the bank manager hand over the money.
80. *"Sorry madam, looking after the garden is not my duty."*
- A. He apologized for not looking after the garden.
B. He said that he was not responsible for looking after the garden.
C. He promised to look after the garden.
D. He asked me if looking after the garden was his duty.

Test 2

A. Chọn phương án trả lời đúng (ứng với A hoặc B, C, D) cho mỗi câu sau:

1. Choose the word with the different stress pattern.
- A. describe B. feature C. cancer D. birthmark
A. adequate B. ambition C. admission D. umbrella
A. ceremony B. petroleum C. relationship D. astonishment
- Choose the word with the different pronunciation of the underlined part.**
- A. diabetes B. recipe C. degrade D. catastrophe
A. apparent B. nataral C. safaety D. accaident

Choose the best answer

6. I planned to go for a walk but the rain put me the idea.
A. of B. off C. against D. on
7. It isn't worrying about the traffic. We'll only be a few minutes late.
A. of value B. important C. worth D. necessary
8. I remembered up in that house with my brothers and sisters
A. to grow B. to growing C. grow D. growing
9. After running up the stairs I was quite breath.
A. beyond B. from C. out of D. without
10. Has Tony's book yet?
A. brought out B. come out C. drawn up D. published
11. The inspector to say whether there were any suspects.
A. avoided B. denied C. refused D. stopped
12. I regret that your application has been unsuccessful.
A. say B. saying C. have said D. to say
13. The hotel was terrible, but the wonderful beach our disappointment.
A. got over B. faced up to C. saw to D. made up for
14. Jack has decided to the time he spends watching TV.
A. come up with B. cut down on C. run out of D. see to
15. Helen is very excited going to work in Germany.
A. about B. for C. with D. to
16. did I realise that the burglar was still in the house.
A. Only after B. Only then C. Seldom D. Under no circumstances
17. In the old days it was not considered lady_... for a woman to smoke in public if at all.
A. like B. ful C. ish D. worthy
18. They haven't really been to China, they ?
A. were B. did C. have D. had
19. My husband, favourite hobby is stamp collecting, has many rare stamps
A. whom B. whose C. which D. that

20. I disagree. My ideas are entirely opposite yours.
A. to B. from C. of D. against
21. Some people never set to become rich and famous
A. up B. out C. off D. across
22. I didn't learn much Greek I was in Crete.
A. as B. during C. since D. while
23. The more we walk the longer it will take us to get home
A. slowly B. slower C. slowest D. slow
24. I'd rather you smoke in the office
A. couldn't B. mustn't C. shouldn't D. didn't
25. A certificate from Cambridge University is a valuable
A. examination B. qualification C. production D. paper
26. I'll go shopping with you I can get back in time for the lecture at 2 p.m.
A. in order that B. so that C. such that D. as long as
27. I'd strongly against staying up late the night before an important examination.
A. argue B. advise C. recommend D. suggest
28. He turned the offer of a new job and stayed with his present employer.
A. up B. down C. out D. off
29. You should take an umbrella. it rains and you get wet.
A. Although B. What C. Suppose D. In case
30. The food will be wonderful if you follow the carefully.
A. instructions B. plan C. receipt D. recipe

Đọc bài khóa sau và chọn từ đúng (ứng với A hoặc B, C, D) để điền vào chỗ trống:

The London Tea Trade Centre is on the north of the River Thames. It is the centre of an industry of (41) importance in the lives of the British. Tea is without doubt the British national drink: every man, woman and child over ten years of age has (42) average over four cups a day or some 1500 cups annually. Some thirty per cent of the world's exports of tea makes its way to London. Britain is (43) the largest importer of tea in the world. Samples of the vast amounts of tea brought into the country to (44) the national thirst go to the London Tea Trade Centre, where they are tasted by (45) professional tea tasters before being sold at each week's tea sale. It is fascinating to see them at work. Over a hundred samples are (46) in a line on long tables. Teas are generally tasted with milk, (47) that is how the majority in Britain drink their tea. The tasters move down the line with surprising speed, tasting each sample from a spoon and deciding what is a (48) price for each tea. The types of tea that are popular in Britain are (49) inexpensive but they are of a very high quality. The best are delicate (50) of numerous teas from different sources and countries of origin.

41. A. high B. wide C. great D. large
42. A. for B. by C. at D. on
43. A. considerably B. by far C. largely D. by much
44. A. satisfy B. match C. answer D. serve
45. A. effective B. skilled C. developed D. handy
46. A. composed B. put up C. settled D. laid out

47. A. out of B. since C. so D. owing to
48. A. fine B. right C. fair D. deserved
49. A. roughly B. comparatively C. slightly D. approximately
50. A. mixtures B. associations C. unions D. gatherings
- . Xác định từ hoặc cụm từ có gạch chân, cần phải sửa, để câu sau trở thành chính xác:**
71. Mr. Fogg suggested that they should wait until the nightfall before taking any action.
72. At half past twelve o'clock the train stopped at Burhampoor where I was able to purchase some Indian slippers, decorated with false pearls.
73. The travellers had a hasty breakfast and started off for the castle, after follow down the bank of a small river.
74. There has been a gradual decrease in the number of murder every year.
75. Maria needs retyping the report before she hands it in to the managing director.

G. Xác định câu (ứng với A hoặc B, C, D) diễn tả ý đúng nhất so với câu sau:

76. *I have not experienced such a hurricane as Chanchu since I was a child.*
A. Not since I was a child have I experienced such a hurricane as Chanchu.
B. It was not until a child that I experienced such a hurricane as Chanchu.
C. I hadn't experienced such a hurricane as Chanchu in my childhood.
D. Since I was a child have I experienced so terrible a hurricane as Chanchu.
77. *I did not know what she would say, and I did not care what she would say.*
A. I do not know or care what she would say either.
B. What she would say should not have been known nor cared.
C. What she would say I never know nor care.
D. I neither knew nor cared for what she would say.
78. *I am as happy as possible at the moment.*
A. I couldn't be happier at the moment.
B. I am happier than ever before right now.
C. I am as happy at the moment as before.
D. I used to be happier than at the moment.
79. *"You are not allowed to smoke in this room, Ben," said his sister.*
A. Ben's sister told him off smoking in that room.
B. Ben's sister told him that he wasn't allowed to smoke in that room.
C. Ben's sister told him that he had no allowances to smoke in that room.
D. Ben's sister allowed him not to smoke in that room.
80. *I'd prefer him not to have said all those embarrassing things about me.*
A. I'd not prefer his saying all those embarrassing things about me.
B. I'd prefer him not saying all those embarrassing things about me.

- C. His having said all those things about me is preferentially embarrassing.
 D. I'd sooner he hadn't said all those embarrassing things about me.

Test 3

Chọn phương án (A,B,C hoặc D) ứng với từ có phần nguyên âm được gạch chân có cách phát âm khác với ba từ còn lại trong mỗi câu

1. A. produced B. believed C. stopped D. laughed
 2. A. unless B. unique C. united D. union
 3. A. grow B. throw C. cow D. sew
 4. A. alien B. alloy C. alley D. anthem
 5. A. sugar B. solar C. super D. subside

Chọn phương án (A,B,C hoặc D) ứng với từ có trọng âm chính rơi vào âm tiết có vị trí khác với ba từ còn lại trong mỗi câu.

6. A. curious B. receptionist C. uinique D. achieve
 7. A. relationship B. equipment C. customer D. deliberate
 8. A. concentration B. satisfaction C. character D. realistic
 9. A. intimate B. literature C. participate D. powerful
 10. A. distinguish B. satisfy C. evidence D. readable

Chọn phương án (A,B,C hoặc D) để hoàn thành mỗi câu sau.

- Câu 11. You all look tired. Let's _____ a rest.
 A. have B. get C. take D. either A or C
 Câu 12. Our school _____ about 600 new students every year .
 A. admits B. accepts C. allows D. gets
 Câu 13. A week or two before New Year's Days, the markets are _____ people selling and buying things.
 A. filled with B. crowded C. ready for D. crowded with
 Câu 14. I'm allergic to most canned foods. That's why I always look for something fresh and _____.
 A. air-tight B. environment friendly
 C. chemical free D. home-brewed
 Câu 15. _____ fish can hear, they have neither external ears nor eardrums.
 A. Although B. But C. However D. Despite
 Câu 16. The kind-hearted woman _____ all her life to helping the disabled and the poor.
 A. wasted B. spent C. dedicated D. lived
 Câu 17. Smoking has been _____ from all offices.
 A. banned B. abandoned C. given up D. prevented
 Câu 18. Scientists can grow _____ that are not affected by disease.
 A. crops B. harvests C. animals D. things
 Câu 19. The job they offer _____ very interesting with a fashion house in the city centre.
 A. hears B. sounds C. appears D. looks
 Câu 20. Perhaps men _____ more from heart disease than women because they do not cry enough.
 A. are sick B. have C. trouble D. suffer
 Câu 21. The situation was _____ because of the economy.
 A. worsened B. removed C. devastated D. threatened
 Câu 22. I don't like that soup. It _____ horrible.

- A. touches B. feels C. sounds D. tastes
 Câu 23. Lucy was late for school this morning because the alarm didn't _____ as usual.
 A. ring off B. get off C. go off D. take off
 Câu 24. The _____ of the radio by Marconi played an important part in the development of communication.
 A. development B. discovery C. invention D. research
 Câu 25. Marie Curie was the first woman to _____ two Nobel prizes .
 A. win B. award C. reward D. achieve
 Câu 26. We _____ in persuading a lot of people to join our protest against low-quality products.
 A. managed B. succeeded C. achieved D. fulfilled
 Câu 27. I met Jim at college. It was the start of a _____ friendship .
 A. longlife B. prolonged C. lifelong D. lengthened
 Câu 28. Cold-blooded animals such as reptiles and fish do not dream, but _____ ones, including mammals and birds do.
 A. cool-blooded B. warm-blooded
 C. hot-blooded D. cold-blooded
 Câu 29. In the early 16th century, the geography of the globe still _____ a mystery.
 A. continued B. maintained C. was D. remained
 Câu 30. Thousands of antibiotics _____, but only about thirty are in common use today.
 A. have developed B. are developing
 C. have been developed D. have been developing
 Câu 31. You are not allowed to drive your car in the city centre at rush hour _____ there is too much traffic then.
 A. because of B. because C. although D. in spite of
 Câu 32. These days almost everybody _____ the dangers of smoking.
 A. know of B. are aware of C. is aware about D. is aware of
 Câu 33. The Internet makes it much easier _____ communicate with one another.
 A. to people for B. for people C. that people can D. for people to
 Câu 34. Because it was faster, Jim _____ on my taking the plane to London instead of the train
 A. resisted B. insisted C. refused D. reminded
 Câu 35. _____ places which attract so many visitors as Venice, Italy.
 A. Fewer B. As few C. There are few D. That fewer
 Câu 36. If you need more information, _____ this number.
 A. phone B. you will phone C. you would phone D. you phoned
 Câu 37. _____ the girls has turned in the papers to the the instructor yet.
 A. Neither of B. Both of C. None of D. All of
 Câu 38. Nha Trang, _____ last year, is excellent for holiday-makers.
 A. we visited B. which we visited C. that we visited D. visited
 Câu 39. Bats avoid _____ objects by emitting high-frequency sounds and listening for echoes.
 A. to run into B. running onto C. running into D. to run onto
 Câu 40. _____ Ann by phone, James decided to email her.
 A. Having failed to contact B. Having failed contacting
 C. He failed to contact D. That he failed contacting
 Everyone loves music, it seems. And there's little reason

to wonder why. There is so much music (1) from which to choose. and there is a category of music to appeal to every (2)..... The major groups of music are divided broadly (3) classical, popular, and jazz. Within these broad groups are many other subcategories. For example, (4)disparate types of music as movie sound tracks rhythm and blue, rock, and rap all fit within the category of popular music.

Another reason that music is so (5) is the variety of settings in which one can enjoy his or her (6) kind of music. You can go to the church to hear great religious music, or to the concert hall to hear a well-known classical (7) On another right, you might go to the small club to listen to an up- and-coming jazz group (8) you enjoy a rink. A few nights later. Ty might go with some friends to join thousands of other people in a (9)to hear your favorite rock band play in your city on a world tour. And, back your house or apartment, you can (10)..... while you put in a tape or CD and listen to your favorite artists again and again in your own home.

1. a. Convenient b. available c. accessible d. required
2. a. want b. desire c. interest d. taste
3. a. on b: in c. into d. up
4. a. so b. some c. any d. such
5. a. familiar b. popular c. famous d. cheerful
6. a. favorite b. best c. ideal d. selected
7. a. music b. symphony c. ballad d. category
8. a. during b. where c. while d. which
9. a. stadium b. theater c. stage d. discotheque
10. a. prefer b. appeal c. relax d. interest

Probably the most important factor governing the sererity of forest fires is weather. Hot, dry weather lowers the moisture content of fuels.once a fire has started,wind is extremely critical because it influences the oxygen supply and the rate of spread. Forest type and forest conditions are also important factors. For example, fire is more likely to occur in conifers than in hardwoods; slash-covered or brushy areas are especially hazardous because the rate at which combustion consumes fuels is proportional to fuel volume and surface area.

Some fies are caused by lightning; others are caused by people. Those caused by people may be accidental or intertional (incendiary). The causes of fire in the United States show large regional differences. In the Rocky Moutains more than 70 percent of the fires are caused by lightning, whereas incendiary fires amount to only about 1 percent. In contrast, more than 40 percent of the fires in the South are incendiary, whereas lightning causes only 1 percent.

Câu 61. In this passage the author's main purpose is to

- A. argue B. inform C. persuade D. entertain
- Câu 62.Which of the following best describes the organization of the passage?

A. A comparision and construct of the factors governing forest fires is followed by a list of causes.

B. A description of the conditions affecting forest fires is followed by a description of the causes.

C. An analysis of factors related to forest fires is followed by an argument the causes of fires.

D. Serval generalizations about forest fires are followed by a series of conclusions.

Câu 63. It can be concluded from this passage that

A. there are not many people living in the Rocky Mountian area

B. there are more fires in hardwood forests than in pine forests

C. winter is the worst season for fires

D. fire prevention techniques vary from region to region

Câu 64. The paragraph following this passage would most likely be about

A. the causes of hot, dry weather

B. the various uses of hardwoods

C.methods of controlling fires

D. the geographical differences between the Rocky Mountain area and the Shouthers states

Câu 65.The author of this passage would most likely be

A. a forest ranger

B.a meteorologist

C. a historian

D. a business person

Chọn phương án (A, B, C, hoặc D) ứng với cụm từ / từ có gạch chân cần phải sửa trong các câu sau.

Câu 66. New laws should be introduced to reduce the number of traffic in the city center.

Câu 67. Since fireworks are dangerous, many countries have laws preventing businesses to sell them.

Câu 68. A majority students in this university are from overseas.

Câu 69. You should stop to smoke because it is very harmful for your health.

Câu 70. One of the students who are being considered for the scholarship are from this university.

Chọn phương án (A, B, C, hoặc D) ứng với câu có nghĩa gần đúng nhất so với mỗi câu cho sẵn sau đây.

Câu 71. *It rained heavily, so the football match was cancelled.*

A. The match was cancelled because of the heavy rain.

B. If it didn't rain, the match would't be cancelled.

C.Despite the heavy rain the match was cancelled.

D.If it hadn't been for the heavy rain, the match wouldn't be cancelled.

Câu 72. *The newspaper reports that James was awarded the first prize.*

A. It is reported that James wins the fisrt prize.

B. It is reported that James to be awarded the fisrt prize.

C. James is reported to have been awarded the first prize.

D. The first prize is reported to award to James.

Câu 73. *It is possible that we won't have to take an entrance exam this year.*

A. Perhaps we don't have to take an entrance exam this year.

B. We mustn't take an entrance exam this year.

C. We mightn't take an entrance exam this year.

D. It is very likely that we will take an entrance exam this year.

Câu 74. *In spite of his tiredness, Joe managed to finish his work.*

- A. Although he is tired, Joe managed to finish his work.
- B. Joe managed to finish his work but he was tired.
- C. Despite he was tired, Joe managed to finish his work.
- D. Tired as he seemed to be, Joe managed to finish his work.

Câu 75. *"No, I didn't tell Jim our plan," said Tom.*

- A. Tom refused to tell Jim their plan.
- B. Tom denied having told Jim their plan.
- C. Tom denied to tell Jim their plan.
- D. Tom didn't agree to tell Jim their plan.

Chọn phương án (A,B,C hoặc D) để hoàn thành mỗi câu sau.

Câu 76. Published in July 2007, _____

- A. Dang Thuy Tram's Diary soon became popular with Vietnamese young people.
- B. Dang Thuy Tram wrote a Diary and soon became popular with Vietnamese young people.
- C. Vietnamese young people soon people soon became interested in Dang Thuy Tram's Diary.
- D. Dang Thuy Tram soon became popular with Vietnamese young people for her Diary.

Câu 77. By this time next year, _____

- A. we will be completing the course
- B. we will have completed the course
- C. we will have been completing the course
- D. we will complete the course

Câu 78. They have two children, _____

- A. none of whom are living with them.
- B. both of them are living with them
- C. neither of whom are living with them
- D. all of whom are living with them

Câu 79. The more challenging the job is, _____

- A. the more he finds it interesting
- B. the more interesting it is to him
- C. he finds it more interesting
- D. more interesting he finds it

Câu 80. It was his cheerful disposition _____

- A. who made him successful as a group leader
- B. that he succeeded as a group leader
- C. which helped him a successful group leader
- D. that made him successful as a group leader

Test 3

Chọn một câu (ứng với A, B, C hoặc D) gần nghĩa nhất so với câu in nghiêng, từ câu 1 đến câu 10

Câu 1: *He started learning French six years ago.*

- A. He has learned French for 6 years.
- B. He hasn't learnt French for 6 years.
- C. It was six years ago did he start learning French.
- D. It is six years since he has learned French.

Câu 2: *People believe he won a lot of money on the lottery.*

- A. He won a lot of money on the lottery, it is believed.

- B. He was believed to win a lot of money on the lottery.
- C. He is believed to have won a lot of money on the lottery.
- D. He is believed that he won a lot of money on the lottery.

Câu 3: *Thieves stole all her priceless jewels.*

- A. She was robbed of all her priceless jewels.
- B. All her priceless jewels are stolen by thieves.
- C. She was stolen all her priceless jewels.
- D. All her priceless jewels were robbed away from her.

Câu 4: *Susan said I ought to lie down for while.*

- A. Susan suggested that I lie down for a while.
- B. Susan ought to have lain down for a while.
- C. Susan said that I should have lain for a while.
- D. Susan suggested me to lie down for a while.

Câu 5: *My sister worries so much about fitness that she wastes a lot of time and money.*

- A. My sister wastes a lot of time and money though she worries so much about fitness.
- B. Fitness worried, my sister wasted a lot of time and money.
- C. My sister worries about fitness so that she wastes a lot of time and money.
- D. Worrying too much about fitness, my sister wastes a lot of time and money.

Câu 6: *I forgot her birthday and she still hasn't forgiven me.*

- A. She will not forgive me until I forget her birthday.
- B. Forgetting her birthday, she has not forgiven me.
- C. She has not forgiven me for having forgotten her birthday.
- D. She will not forgive me until I remember her birthday.

Câu 7: *The President offered his congratulations to the players when they won the Cup.*

- A. The President congratulated that the players had won the cup.
- B. The President congratulated the players on their winning the match.
- C. The President would offer the players congratulations if they won the match.
- D. When they won the cup, the players had been offered some congratulations from the President.

Câu 8: *Without your help, I couldn't have finished it on time.*

- A. I couldn't finish it on time though you helped me.
- B. You helped me finishing it on time.
- C. I couldn't finish it on time because you helped me.
- D. I could finish it on time because you helped me.

Câu 9: *I took Janet to the zoo so that she could see how big an elephant is.*

- A. Because Janet was big enough, I took her to the zoo to see the elephant.
- B. I took Janet to the zoo in order for her to see how big an elephant is.
- C. With a view to see how big an elephant is, I took Janet to the zoo.
- D. So as to see the elephant, I took Janet to the big zoo.

Câu 10: *Despite his early retirement, he found no peace in life.*

- A. His early retirement has brought him peace in life.
- B. Although he retired early, but he found no peace in life.

C. He found no peace in life because he retired early.

D. Early as he retired, he found no peace in life.

một từ (ứng với A, B, C hoặc D) có phần gạch chân phát âm khác với các từ còn lại, từ câu 11 đến câu 15

Câu 11: A. debris B. demand C. deter D. deny

Câu 12: A. stew B. few C. sew D. mew

Câu 13: A. aggressive B. original C. agree D. algebra

Câu 14: A. tightens B. heaps C. likes D. fuss

Câu 15: A. associate B. shoulder C. assure D. squash

Chọn một từ (ứng với A, B, C hoặc D) có trọng âm chính phát âm khác với các từ còn lại, từ câu 16 đến câu 20

16: A. anniversary B. composition C. celebration D. television

Câu 17: A. cater B. argue C. ivory D. severe

Câu 18: A. ingredient B. favourite C. notice D. jacket

Câu 19: A. relevant B. relatively C. reconcile D. reliance

Câu 20: A. notably B. mechanical C. historian D. domestic

Almost all the energy on the earth comes from the sun. Heat from the sun makes the earth warm enough for life. Plants use the sun's energy to live and grow. Plants give off a gas called oxygen. Animals eat plants and breathe oxygen. Animals need plants in order to live, and plants need the sun. You use plants to create heat and energy. You can burn wood from trees. You can burn fossil called coal, gas, and oil. Fossil fuels formed deep underground from plants and animals that died millions of years ago.

The sun's energy can also do harm. Too much sunlight can burn your skin, causing sunburn. Harmful rays from the sun can also cause a disease called skin cancer. Looking right at the sun can harm your eyes. You need to be careful of the sun. The center of the sun is called the core, which is extremely hot. All the energy of the sun comes from the nuclear reactions in its core. It takes a long time for the energy from the core to reach the surface of the earth-about 170,000 years!

41: According to the passage, the sun is vital because

A. it has its hot core

B. plants live and grow better with the sun's energy

C. plants, animals and people need energy from the sun

D. fossil fuels will be used up and people turn to the sun's energy

Question 42: Fossil fuels formed deep underground from

A. heat from the sun B. earth and rock

C. oil and gas D. dead plants and animals

Question 43: The title for this passage could be

A. "Energy from the sun" B. "Oxygen and Plants"

C. "Animals and Plants" D. "The Sun and Fossil Fuels"

Question 44: Harmful rays from the sun may cause

A. fever B. skin cancer C. pain D. headache

Question 45: All of the following statements are NOT true EXCEPT

A. the sun's heat does no harm to people

B. looking right at the sun is a way to make your eyes better

C. the sun is a long way from the Earth

D. the center of the sun is not very hot

One of the seven wonders of the ancient world. The Great Pyramid of Giza was a monument of wisdom and prophecy built as a tomb for Pharaoh Cheops in 2720 BC. Despite its antiquity, certain aspects of its construction make it one of the truly great wonders of the world. The thirteen-acre structure near the Nile River is a solid mass of stone blocks covered with limestone. Inside are the number of hidden passageways and the burial chamber for the Pharaoh. It is the largest single structure in the world. The four sides of the Pyramid are aligned almost exactly on true North, South, East and West- an incredible engineering feat. The ancient Egyptians were sun worshipers and great astronomers, so computations for the Great Pyramid were based on astronomical observations.

Explorations and detailed examinations of the base of the structure reveal many interesting lines. Further scientific study indicates that these represent a type of timeline of events- past present and future. Many of the events have been interpreted and found to coincide with known facts of the past. Others are prophesied for future generations and are currently under investigation. Many believe that pyramids have supernatural powers and this one is no exception. Some researchers even associate it with extraterrestrial being of the ancient past. Was this superstructure made by ordinary being, or one built by a race far superior to any known today?

51. What has the research of the base revealed?

A. There are cracks in the foundation

B. Tomb robbers have stolen the pharaoh's body

C. The lines represent important event

D. A superior race of people built it

52: Extraterrestrial beings are

A. very strong wonders B. astronomers in the ancient times

C. research in Egyptology D. living beings from other planets

53: What was the most probable reason for providing so many hidden passages?

A. to allow the weight of the pyramid to settle evenly.

B. to permit the high priests to pray at night

C. to enable the pharaoh's family to bring food for the journey after life.

D. to keep grave robbers from finding the tomb and the treasure buried with the pharaoh.

54: What is the best title for the passage?

A. Symbolism of the great Pyramid

B. Problem with the construction of the Great Pyramid

C. Wonders of the Great Pyramid of Giza .

D. Explorations of the Burial Chamber of Cheops.

55: On what did the ancient Egyptians base their calculation?

A. Observation of the celestial bodies

B. Advanced technology

C. Advanced tool of measurement

D. Knowledge of the earth's surface

56: Why was the Great Pyramid constructed?

- A. As a solar observatory
- B. As a religious temple
- C. As a tomb for the pharaoh
- D. As an engineering feat

57: Why is the Great Pyramid of Giza considered one of the Seven Wonders of the World?

- A. It is perfectly aligned with the four cardinal points of the compass and contains many Prophecies.
- B. It was selected as a tomb of Pharaoh Cheops.
- C. It was built by a super race.
- D. It is very old.

58: What do the interesting lines in the base symbolize?

- A. Architects' plans for the hidden passage.
- B. Pathways of the great solar bodies.
- C. Astrological computations
- D. Date of the important events taking place throughout time.

59: The word "feat" is closest in meaning to

- A. accomplishment
- B. appendage
- C. festivity
- D. structure

Đọc đoạn văn sau, chọn một phương án (ứng với A, B, C hoặc D) điền vào chỗ trống, từ câu 31 đến câu 35

In the modern world, there's a wealth of leisure activities to choose from. Entertainment industries compete for your leisure time. You can watch TV, listen to music, go to an art gallery or, of course, read a book. Sometimes, it seems that reading is neglected because even if you are a fast reader, it can take a considerable amount of time to finish a novel, for example. But in the modern world, time is something that can be in short supply .

Book publishers haven't been slow to realize this and are now selling a product which needn't take up as much of your time but still tells you an excellent story. The new product is the audio book-cassette recording of shortened novels, often read by well-known personalities or the authors themselves. Audio books are relatively new but people are becoming more aware of them and sales are not increasing all the time.

One of the attractions of audio books is that they are like listening to the radio, only better. You can listen to what you want when you want and you won't ever miss anything. Much of their appeal lies in their flexibility. They allow you to do other things while you're listening, such as driving or doing the housework.

Câu 31: Nowadays, there is a wealth of leisure activities to choose from _____.

- A. all people spend little time reading books for leisure.
- B. so reading books for leisure is completely neglected.
- C. such as watching TV, listening to music, going to an art gallery or concert or reading books.
- D. so there's no one that wants to read books for entertainment.

Câu 32: In the modern world, _____.

- A. people don't know how to read books for pleasure
- B. publishers find it unnecessary to make books for pleasure
- C. books take readers a lot of time mustn't be published
- D. the audio book is considered one of useful forms of entertainment

Câu 33: Audio books _____.

- A. is a kind of cassette-recording of shortened novels

B. all the other three

C. whose novels are by well-known personalities or the authors themselves

D. are being sold increasingly nowadays

34: The following sentences are correct EXCEPT " _____".

- A. You can listen to audio books while you're doing something else
- B. Audio books are relatively new so people enjoy buying them all the time.
- C. Listening to audio books is similar to listening to the radio
- D. Audio books are sometimes considered to be enjoyable way of knowledge than reading .

Câu 35: The main idea of the passage is _____.

- A. a new product for pleasure, audio books
- B. the growth of audio books
- C. some advertisements on audio books
- D. some benefits of audio books

Chọn một từ / cụm từ gạch chân (ứng với A, B, C hoặc D) cần phải sửa, từ câu 36 đến câu 40

Câu 36: She tapped her feet in time when listened to her favorite song broadcast on the radio.

Câu 37: Those who have never been abroad is eager to see how different the other cultures are.

Câu 38: I couldn't give the teacher the summary of the lesson until Julia whispered some words into his ears.

Câu 39: They promised that they would publish my article was sent the next week.

Câu 40: Helen as well as her friends have never been out of town since they were five years old.

Chọn một (cụm) từ (ứng với A, B, C hoặc D) điền vào chỗ trống để hoàn thành câu, từ câu 41 đến câu 70

41. The police stated that the accident _____ soon.

- A. will be investigated
- B. had investigated
- C. is being investigated
- D. would be investigated

Câu 42: Dora ___ in university when you come back in three years' time.

- A. would study
- B. will have been studied
- C. is studying
- D. will be studying

43: I like babysitting, although the children always _____ a mess.

- A. make
- B. do
- C. take
- D. produce

Câu 44: If only we _____ a long time ago.

- A. met
- B. had met
- C. did meet
- D. were meeting

Câu 45: The school required that every student _____ before September 1st.

- A. registers
- B. register
- C. was registered
- D. registered

Câu 46: She hated _____ waiting for hours in front of the cinema.

- A. keeping
- B. to be kept
- C. being keeping
- D. being kept

Câu 47: Doctors always hope that there will be new cures _____ some diseases.

- A. to
- B. in
- C. of
- D. for

Câu 48: Smallpox and diphtheria disappeared in Britain many years ago, _____ cancer, AIDS and heart disease are now predominant.

- A. in case
- B. whereas
- C. because
- D. in the event that

Câu 49: In 1997, _____ the noise and pollution of the city, best-selling author Willy Smith moved out to a countryside.

- A. being tired from B. tired of C. tire about D. tiring with

Câu 50: I'd rather walk _____ a bus.

- A. to catching B. than catch C. than catching D. to catch

Câu 51: Charlie Chaplin was _____ of the silent movies.

- A. one of the great actor comics B. the greatest comic actors
C. a great comic actor one D. one of the greatest comic actors

Câu 52: Although we do not live in the same town, my cousin and I still keep _____ and often speak on the phone.

- A. in touch B. up date C. off work D. in hand

Câu 53: _____ did you see such a good advertisement?

- A. In which issue newspaper
B. In which issue of which newspaper
C. What is the issue of which newspaper
D. In which newspaper of which issue

Câu 54: _____ my personal qualities, I have experience of working in a multi-national company for three years.

- A. Beside B. Instead of C. Apart from D. In addition

Câu 55: I _____ grateful if you could tell me what duties are involved in this job.

- A. would be B. were to be C. was D. am

Câu 56: Sarah is a young girl with _____ and a straight nose.

- A. almond-shape eyed B. almond-eyed shape
C. almond-shaped eyes D. eyes shaped almond

57. Hardly _____ the captain of the team when he had to face the problems.

- A. had he been appointed B. did he appoint
C. was he being appointed D. was he appointing

Câu 58: I don't think I have the strength to _____ this table on my own.

- A. tow B. lift C. arise D. rise

Câu 59: Come and have a _____ at this insect. It is strange, isn't it?

- A. try B. difficulty C. look D. go

Câu 60: Everybody should comply _____ this rule. There is no exception, I am afraid.

- A. in B. to C. with D. for

Câu 61: I had _____ understanding him. He spoke too fast.

- A. trouble into B. problems C. questions of D. difficulty

Câu 62: Nowadays, many people _____ going to the cinema to reading the same story in a book.

- A. would rather B. prefer C. would prefer D. like

Câu 63: Traditional celebrations are a _____ of great pleasure and interest.

- A. source B. starting point C. resource D. origin

Câu 64: Sport is sometimes controlled by politicians, who use it to make their country look _____ others.

- A. better than B. more worse than C. less than D. more than

Câu 65: I gave up smoking, _____ surprised all other members of my family.

- A. that B. it C. this D. which

Câu 66. _____ our children may be, we cannot go picnicking in this weather.

- A. Though excited B. Excited as
C. Because of excitement D. Exciting

Câu 67: Gale-force winds caused destruction _____ the buildings _____ the seafront.

- A. with / on B. for / by C. of / in D. to / along

Câu 68: Can you give me advice about _____?

- A. what for eating B. what to eat
C. to eat what D. what should I eat

Câu 69: _____ my complaint to the manager, the waiter was sacked.

- A. Thanks to B. Despite C. Because of D. Without

Câu 70: My arm hurt so much, I felt sure I _____ it.

- A. must have broken B. should have broken
C. was breaking D. have broken

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D.

Many years ago, people often said "a woman's place is in the home". But Americans do not feel that way any more. Today, women make up about 43 percent of the America labor force. There are about 45 million working women in the United States, and a large number of them are married women with children. In 1980, for the first time in the nation's history there were more working wives than household wives. Looking back to 1940, we can see a picture of some very rapid change. In 1940, only 15 percent of married women held jobs. Today, most young women choose to work even when they have young children. Why do they work? The most important reason is that they need to earn money. But another reason is that women today are better educated and they have more opportunities to work in various professions than women had earlier.

71) What does this passage mainly discuss?

- A/ Women and jobs in America
C/ More women than men in the labor force

72) According to the passage, what is the percentage of men in the labor force?

- A/ 85 percent B/ 57 percent C/ 45 percent D/ 43 percent

73) Which of the following is NOT true, according to the passage?

- A/ Women work because they want to make their own living.
B/ Women play an important role in the labor force now.
C/ The majority of working women are single.
D/ Women have better schooling nowadays.

74) The word "rapid" in line 5 is nearest in meaning to _____

- A/ significant B/ valid C/ quick D/ slow

75) What can be inferred from the passage?

- A/ Women need money more than education.
B/ Young women do not get married in order to have jobs.
C/ Women can work in many different fields.
D/ The best place for women is in the home.

As far back as 700B.C., man has talked about children being cared for by wolves. Romuhts and Remus, the legendary twin founders of-Rome, were purported to have been cared for by

wolves. It is believed that when a she-wolf loses her litter, she seeks a human child to take its place.

This seemingly preposterous idea did not become credible until the late tenth century when a French doctor actually found a naked ten year-old boy wandering in the woods. He did not walk erect, could not speak intelligibly, nor could he relate to people. He only growled and stared at them. Finally the doctor won the boy's confidence and began to work with him. After many long years of devoted and patient instruction, the doctor was able to get the boy to clothe and feed himself, recognize and utter a number of words, as well as write letters and form words.

76. The French doctor found the boy
 (A) wandering in the woods (C) growling at him
 (B) at his doorstep (D) speaking intelligibly
77. In this passage, the word **litter** most nearly means
 (A) garbage (B) master (C) offspring. (D) hair
78. The doctor was able to work with the boy because
 (A) the boy was highly intelligent
 (B) the boy trusted him
 (C) the boy liked to dress up
 (D) the boy was dedicated and patient
79. Which of the following statements is not true?
 (A) She-wolves have been said to substitute human children for their lost litters
 (B) Examples of wolves' caring for human children can be found only in the nineteenth century.
 (C) The French doctor succeeded in domesticating the boy somewhat.
 (D) The young boy never was able to speak perfectly.
80. In this passage, the word preposterous most nearly means
 (A) dedicated (B) scientific (C) wonderful (D) absurd

I. Choose the best answer to complete the sentence.

1. Despite playing under strength, the village team _____ beat the rivals.
 a. could b. were able to c. couldn't d. weren't able to
2. I suggest Andrea _____ in touch with the organisers.
 a. should get b. to get c. getting d. gets
3. The traffic lights _____ green and I pulled away.
 a. became b. turned c. got d. went
4. _____ during the storm.
 a. They were collapsed b. The fence was collapsed
 c. They collapsed the fenced. The fence collapsed
5. The suspect confessed _____.
 a. his crime b. the police his crime
 c. his crime to the police d. his crime the police
6. _____ thinks that Judith should be given the job.
 a. Neither of us b. The majority of my colleagues
 c. Practically everyone d. A number of people
7. We had _____ holiday in Spain.
 a. a two week's b. two weeks c. two-week d. a two-week
8. The company owns _____ in the city centre.
 a. a cars park b. several car parks

- c. a car park d. several cars parks
9. The government has introduced _____.
 a. a children's clothes tax b. a tax on children clothes
 c. a children clothes tax d. a tax on children's clothes
10. I'll be with you in _____.
 a. one quarter of an hour b. a quarter of an hour
 c. a quarter of one hour d. a quarter of hour
11. _____ my friends knew I was getting married.
 a. Not much of b. not many of c. Not much d. Not many
12. _____ the children _____ awake.
 a. None of...was b. Not any of...were
 c. No was d. None of...were
13. The party was excellent, and I'd like to thank all the _____.
 a. concerned people b. responsible people
 c. people that concerned d. people concerned
14. I asked Francis to clean the car, and he did _____.
 a. a well job b. the job good c. a good job d. a job well
15. _____, they slept soundly.
 a. Hot though was the night air b. Hot though the night air was
 c. Hot the night air as was d. Hot although the night air was
16. John was the first person I saw _____ hospital.
 a. by leaving b. on leaving c. in leaving d. on to leave
17. He suddenly saw Sue _____ the room. He pushed his way _____ the crowd of people to get to her.
 a. across...through b. over...through
 c. across...across d. over...along
18. She tried to _____.
 a. talk me the plan out of b. talk out of me the plan
 c. talk me out of the plan d. talk out me of the plan.
19. _____ that Marie was able to retire at the age of 50.
 a. So successful her business was,
 b. So successful was her business,
 c. Her business was successful
 d. So was her successful business,
20. I'm _____ a complete loss to understand why you reacted so violently.
 a. at b. in c. on d. by
21. From an early age, Wolfgang had a(n) _____ for music.
 a. interest b. passion c. involvement d. tendency
22. Financial help from his parents _____ James to complete his studies.
 a. granted b. provided c. eased d. enabled
23. I don't take _____ to being disobeyed. That's a warning!
 a. well
24. I like that photo very much. Could you make an _____ for me?
 a. increase b. enlargement c. extension d. expansion
25. I'm becoming increasingly _____. Last week, I locked myself out of the house twice.
 a. oblivious b. mindless c. absent d. forgetful
- II. Pick out the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.**
26. a. south b. southern c. scout d. drought
27. a. dome b. comb c. home d. tomb

III. Pick out the word whose stressed syllable is different from that of the others.

28. a. literature b. preventive c. measurement d. temperature
 29. a. example b. continue c. sensible d. contestant
 30. a. constant b. magnetic c. sensitive d. atmosphere

IV. Choose the best answer.

31. Would you like some more tea? - _____
 a. No, thank. b. Yes, thanks. c. Yes, please. d. No, please.
 32. Will it rain on the day of our departure? - _____
 a. I hope not. b. I don't hope so
 c. I hope not so. d. I hope it wouldn't.
 33. -Remember to return the newspaper to my father. - _____
 a. I will b. Why not c. I won't d. Of course.
 34. Will you have time to help us? - _____ I'm very busy at the moment.
 a. I'm afraid not b. I think so.
 c. I don't expect so. d. I hope not.
 35. I'd like the blue jacket, please! Can I try it on?" - Yes, _ "
 a. you would b. you must c. certainly d. you do

V. Read the passage and the questions or unfinished sentences, then choose the best answer for each.

A solar eclipse occurs when the Moon moves in front of the Sun and hides at least some part of the Sun from the earth. In a partial eclipse, the Moon covers part of the Sun; in an annual eclipse, the Moon covers the center of the Sun, leaving a bright **ring** of light around the Moon; in a total eclipse, the Sun is completely covered by the Moon.

It seems rather improbable that **a celestial body** size of the Moon could completely **block out** the tremendously immense Sun, as happens during a total eclipse, but this is exactly what happens. Although the Moon is considerably smaller in size than the Sun, the Moon is able to cover the Sun because of their **relative** distances from Earth. A total eclipse can last up to 7 minutes, during which time the Moon's shadow moves across Earth at a rate of about 6 kilometers per second.

36. *This passage mainly _____.*
 A. describes how long an eclipse will last.
 B. gives facts about the Moon.
 C. explains how the Sun is able to obscure the Moon.
 D. informs the reader about solar eclipses.
 37. *In which type of eclipse is the Sun obscured in its entirety?*
 a. A partial eclipse b. An annual eclipse
 c. A total eclipse d. A celestial eclipse
 38. *The word **ring** in line 3 could be best replaced by _____.*
 a. piece of gold b. circle c. jewel d. bell
 39. *A **celestial body** in line 5 is most probably one that is found _____.*
 a. somewhere in the sky b. within the Moon's shadow
 c. on the surface of the Sun d. inside Earth's atmosphere
 40. *What is the meaning of **block out** in line 5?*
 a. Square b. Cover c. Evaporate d. Shrink
 41. *According to the passage, how can the Moon hide the Sun during a total eclipse?*

- a. The fact that the Moon is closer to Earth than the Sun makes up for the Moon's smaller size.
 b. The Moon can only obscure the Sun because of the Moon's great distance from the Earth.
 c. Because the Sun is relatively close to Earth, the Sun can be eclipsed by the Moon.
 d. The moon hides the Sun because of the Moon's considerable size.
 42. *The word **relative** in line 8 could best be replaced by _____.*
 a. familial b. infinite c. comparative d. paternal
 43. *The passage states that which of the following happens during an eclipse?*
 a. The Moon hides from the Sun.
 b. The Moon is obscured by the Sun.
 c. The Moon begins moving at a speed of 6 kilometers per second.
 d. The Moon's shadow crosses Earth
 44. *The word **rate** in line 9 is closest in meaning to _____.*
 a. form b. speed c. distance d. rotation
 45. *Where is the passage does the author mention the rate of a total eclipse?*
 a. Lines 1- 2 b. Lines 2- 4 c. Lines 5-6 d. Lines 8-9

VI. Read the text below and choose the word that best fits the space.

EXAM ADVICE

In Part Three of the Speaking Section you work with a partner. You have to do a (46) _____ task which usually (47) _____ about 3 minutes. One possible task is " problem (48) _____", which means you have to look at some (49) _____ information and then (50) _____ the problem with your partner. You maybe show photos, drawings, diagrams, maps, plans, advertisements or computer graphics and it is (51) _____ that you study them carefully. If necessary, check you know exactly what to do by (52) _____ asking the examiner to (53) _____ the instructions or make them clearer.

While you are doing the task, the examiner will probably say very (54) _____ and you should ask your partner questions and make (55) _____ if he or she is not saying much. If either of you have any real difficulties the examiner may decide to step in and (56) _____. Normally, however, you will find plenty to say, which helps the (57) _____ to give you a fair mark. This mark depends on your success in doing the task by (58) _____ with your partner, which includes taking (59) _____ in giving opinions and replying appropriately, although in the end it may be possible to " agree or (60) _____".

46. a. single b. lonely c. unique d. once
 47. a. exists b. lasts c. stays d. maintains
 48. a. solving b. working c. making d. finding
 49. a. optical b. obvious c. noticeable d. visual
 50. a. argue b. discuss c. talk d. have
 51. a. essential b. needed c. helpful d. successful
 52. a. formally b. officially c. politely d. sincerely
 53. a. insist b. copy c. tell d. repeat

54. a. little b. much c. few d. many
 55. a. ideas b. statements c. speeches d. suggestions
 56. a. complain b. help c. suggest d. fail
 57. a. judge b. referee c. assessor d. observer
 58. a. competing b. struggling c. opposing d. co-operating
 59. a. changes b. sides c. turns d. sentences
 60. a. contrast b. disagree c. argue d. object

VII. Find the underlined part that needs correcting.

61. The first (A) national park in world (B), Yellowstone National Park, was (C) established in (D) 1872.
 62. Animation is a technique (A) for creativity (B) the illusion of life (C) in inanimate things. (D)
 63. Scientists at universities (A) are often more involved (B) in theoretical research than (C) in practically (D) research .
 64. Benjamin Franklin's ability (A) to learn from observation and experience contributed greatly (B) to him (C) success in (D) public life.
 65. The surface of the (A) tongue covered (B) with tiny (C) taste buds (D).

VIII. Read the following passage then choose the best answer to the questions below.

Most people think of deserts as dry, flat areas with little vegetation and little or no rainfall, but this is hardly true. Many deserts have varied geographical formations ranging from soft, rolling hills to stark, jagged cliffs, and most deserts have a permanent source of water. Although deserts do not receive a high amount of rainfall – to be classified as a desert, an area must get less than twenty-five centimeters of rainfall per year – there are many plants that thrive on only small amounts of water, and deserts are often full of such plant life.

Desert plants have a variety of mechanisms for obtaining the water needed for survival. Some plants, such as cactus, are able to store large amounts of water to last until the next rainfall. Other plants, such as the mesquite, have extraordinarily deep root systems that allow them to obtain water from far below the desert's arid surface.

66. *What is the main topic of the passage?*
 a. Deserts are dry, flat areas with few plants.
 b. There is little rainfall in the desert.
 c. Many kinds of vegetation can survive with little water.
 d. Deserts are not really flat areas with little plant life.
 67. *The passage implies that _____.*
 a. the typical conception of a desert is incorrect.
 b. all deserts are dry, flat areas.
 c. most people are well informed about deserts.
 d. the lack of rainfall in deserts causes the lack of vegetation.
 68. *The passage describes the geography of deserts as _____.*
 a. flat b. sandy c. varied d. void of vegetation.
 69. *The word source in line 3 means _____.*
 a. supply b. storage space c. need d. lack
 70. *According to the passage, what causes an area to be classified as a desert?*
 a. The type of plants b. The geographical formations
 c. The amount of precipitation d. The source of water

XI. Choose the sentence which is closest in meaning to the one in italics.

71. *You're not to blame for what happened.*
 a. You're not accused of what happened.
 b. What happened is not your fault.
 c. You're responsible for what happened.
 d. We blame you for what happened.
 72. *He can hardly see at all without glasses.*
 a. He can see without glasses.
 b. He can see even if he doesn't wear glasses.
 c. He can't see everything without glasses.
 d. He is practically blind without glasses.
 73. *The concert wasn't as good as we had expected.*
 a. The concert wasn't so good as we had seen.
 b. We expected the concert to be worse.
 c. We thought the concert would be much better.
 d. The concert was thought to be as good.
 74. *Please don't ask her to the party.*
 a. I'd rather you didn't invite her to the party.
 b. I'd rather not ask her to the party.
 c. Please don't ask her about the party.
 d. You ask her to the party, don't you?
 75. *She broke down the moment she heard the news.*
 a. She was broken for a moment when she heard the news.
 b. She broke her leg when hearing the news.
 c. On hearing the news, she broke down.
 d. When she heard the news, she was sick.
 76. *Strong as he is, he still can't lift that box.*
 a. The box was too heavy for him to lift.
 b. He's very strong, but he still can't lift that box.
 c. He still can't lift that box because he's not as strong.
 d. However he is strong, he still can't lift that box.
 77. *I wish we had gone somewhere else for the holiday.*
 a. If only we went somewhere else for the holiday.
 b. It's a pity we didn't go there for the holiday.
 c. If we had gone for the holiday, I would have gone somewhere else.
 d. I regret not having gone somewhere else for the holiday.
 78. *You should have had your eyes tested a long time ago.*
 a. You haven't had your eyes tested though it's necessary.
 b. Your eyes should be tested a long time ago.
 c. You had your eyes tested a long time ago.
 d. It's a long time ago since you had your eyes tested.
 79. *A child is influenced as much by his schooling as by his parents.*
 a. Schooling doesn't influence a child as much as his parents do.
 b. A child's parents have greater influence on him than his schooling.
 c. A child can influence his parents as much as his schooling.
 d. A child's schooling influences him as much as his parents do.
 80. *Rarely has a 15-year-old earned so much money.*
 a. 15-year-old rarely earns money.
 b. A 15-year-old rarely earns lots of money.

- c. A 15-year-old has seldom earned that much money.
d. A 15-year-old has never earned that much money.

ĐỀ THI GỒM 80 CÂU (TỪ QUESTION 1 ĐẾN QUESTION 80)

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

Question 1: John _____ Russian because Russian is his native language.

- A. is speaking B. speaks C. will speak D. spoke

Question 2: She couldn't decide _____ to dive _____ jump into water.

- A. whether ... or C. not only ... but also
B. both ...or D. neither ...or

Question 3: I waved to Karen but failed_____ her attention.

- A. to be attracted B. to attract C. attracting D. attracted

Question 4: _____ I get your letter, I will reply to you at once.

- A. By the time B. Now that C. As though D. As soon as

Question 5: "Thank you very much for a lovely party" – "_____"

- A. Have a good day B. Not at all C. Thanks D. You are welcome

Question 6: I will not accept his invitation _____ any account.

- A. in B. about C. on D. with

Question 7: I was making my _____, when I realized I'd left my glasses at school.

- A. route B. way C. path D. lane

8: I disagree with parents_____ their views on their children without giving them the chance to think for themselves.

- A. pouring B. protesting C. straining D. imposing

Question 9: "What would you like to drink?" – "_____".

- A. Yes, please B. Thank you C. No, I don't D. Tea, please

Question 10: "I was so sorry to hear about Jack". "If he had made more friends here, he might _____".

- A. have stayed B. stay C. have stay D. stays

11: She couldn't give a __ explanation for her actions.

- A. dissatisfied B. satisfactory C. uncompetitive D. competed

Question 12: We wondered who was going to pay for the _____ window.

- A. breaking B. break C. broke D. broken

Question 13: That is a _____.

- A. French stamp valuable C. valuable stamp of France
B. French valuable stamp D. valuable French stamp

14: By the end of next year, we __ this advanced training course.

- A. are finishing B. have finished
C. will have finished D. will be finished

Question 15: In order to grow vegetables properly, gardeners must know _____.

- A. what are each vegetable's requirements.
B. what the requirements for each vegetable are.
C. that is required by each vegetable. D. that the requirements for each vegetable.

Question 16: _____ further rioting to occur, the government would be forced to use its emergency power.

- A. Were B. Did
C. Had D. Should

Question 17: His version of what happened is _____.

- A. corrected B. incorrect
C. correcting D. correction

Question 18: Doctors usually have to study for at least seven years before becoming fully _____.

- A. examined B. qualified
C. tested D. approved of

Question 19: The director retired early _____ ill-health.

- A. on behalf of B. in front of C. on

account of D. ahead of

Question 20: He refused to give up work, _____ he had won a million dollars.

- A. even though B. however C. as

though D. despite

Question 21: The company received _____ complaints about the quality of its products.

- A. continual B. continued

- C. continuous D. continuing

22: I didn't see any sign of the money, but I __ a small notebook and a pencil which __ when the door opened suddenly.

- A. have found / probably dropped
C. found / had probably dropped
B. found / have probably dropped
D. find / probably drop

Question 23: He _____ to be offered the job.

- A. was such in experienced or was too in experienced
C. was too experienced
B. was such inexperienced
D. not experienced

Question 24: _____ lay its eggs in the sand on the beach than it goes back to the sea.

- A. No sooner a turtle does C. A turtle does no sooner B. No sooner does a turtle D. Does no sooner a turtle

Question 25: Not until about a century after Julius Caesar landed in Britain _____ actually conquer the island.

- A. the Romans B. did the Romans
C. the Romans did D. Romans that

Question 26: "Do you still live there?"- "No, _____ . We've moved to a new house".

- A. not yet B. not now
C. I do not live D. any longer

Question 27: "How long does it take to get to the City Library from here?" – "_____".

- A. You can go there by bus. C. I am sorry. I don't know. B. Yes, it's a long way. D. It isn't far.

Question 28: "Your parents must be proud of your result at school". – "_____"

- A. Sorry to hear that. C. Of course B. Thanks. It's certainly encouraging. D. I am glad you like it.

- C. French's Independence Day was a day before yesterday.
- D. France's Independence Day was the day before yesterday.

Question 50: hilltop/ have/ good/ view/ our village.

- A. The hilltop can make our village views better.
- B. From the hilltop, our village can be well viewed.
- C. From the hilltop, we can make have a better view of our village.
- D. From the hilltop, our village can have a better view.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word for each of the blanks from 51 to 61.

The human brain, (51) _____ an average weight of 1,4 kilograms, is the control center of the (52) _____. It receives (53) _____ from the senses, processes the information, rapidly sends out responses; it also stores the information (54) _____ is the source of human thoughts and feelings. Each of the three main parts of the brain- cerebellum, the cerebellum, and the brain stem has its own role (55) _____ carrying out the functions.

The cerebrum is by (56) _____ the largest of the three parts, taking up 85 percent of the brain by weight. The cerebellum, located below the cerebrum in the back part of the skull, is made of masses of bunched up nerve cells. It is the cerebellum (57) _____ controls human balance, coordination, and posture.

The brain stem, (58) _____ connects the cerebrum and the spinal cord, controls various body processes such (59) _____ breathing and heartbeat. (60) _____ is the major motor and sensory pathway connecting the body and the cerebrum.

- Question 51:** A. on B. of C. for D. with
- Question 52:** A. body B. brain C. skull D. information
- Question 53:** A. news B. information C. advice D. lesson
- Question 54:** A. who B. of which C. that D. whose
- Question 55:** A. in B. at C. on D. by
- Question 56:** A. now B. then C. from D. far
- Question 57:** A. who B. which C. that D. whose
- Question 58:** A. who B. that C. whose D. which
- Question 59:** A. as B. for C. about D. on
- Question 60:** A. Here B. It C. There D. For

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 questions from 61 to 70.

The hippopotamus is the third largest land animal, smaller only than the elephant and the rhinoceros. **Its** name comes from two Greek words which mean "river horse". The long name of this animal is often shortened to the easier to handle term "hippo."

The hippo has a natural affinity for the water. It does not **float** on top of the water; instead, it can easily walk along the bottom of a body of water. The hippo commonly remains underwater for three to five minutes and has been known to stay under for up to half an hour before coming up for air.

In spite of its name, the hippo **has relatively little in common** with the horse and instead has a number of interesting similarities in common with the whale. When a hippo comes up after a stay at the bottom of a lake or river, it releases air through a blowhole, just like a whale. In addition, the hippo resembles the whale in that they both have thick layers of **blubber** for protection and they are almost completely hairless.

- Question 61:** The topic of this passage is
- A. the largest land animal .
 - B. the derivations of animal names.
 - C. the characteristics of the hippo.
 - D. the relation between the hippo and the whale.

- Question 62:** It can be inferred from the passage that the rhinoceros is
- A. smaller than the hippo.
 - B. equal in size to the elephant .
 - C. a hybrid of the hippo and the elephant.
 - D. one of the two largest types of land of animals.

- Question 63:** The possessive "**Its**" in line 2 refers to
- A. hippotamus
 - B. elephant
 - C. rhinoceros
 - D. horse

- 64:** It can be inferred from the passage that the hippopotamus is commonly called a hippo because the word "hippo" is
- A. simpler to pronounce accurately.
 - B. the original name .
 - C. scientifically more accurate.
 - D. easier for the animal to recognize.

- Question 65:** The word "float" in line 4 is closest in meaning to
- A. sink
 - B. drift
 - C. eat
 - D. flap

- Question 66:** According to the passage, what is the maximum time that hippos have been known to stay underwater
- A. three minutes
 - B. five minutes
 - C. thirty minutes
 - D. ninety minutes

- Question 67:** The expression "**has relatively little in common**" in line 8 could be best replaced by
- A. has few interactions
 - B. is not normally found
 - C. has minimal experience
 - D. shares few similarities.

- Question 68:** The passage states that one way in which a hippo is similar to a whale is that

- A. they both live on the bottoms of rivers.
- B. they both have blowholes.
- C. they are both named after horses.
- D. they both breathe underwater.

Question 69: The word “blubber” in line 12 is closest in meaning to

- A. fat
- B. metal
- C. water
- D. skin

Question 70: The last line states that the hippo does not

- A. like water
- B. resemble the whale
- C. have a protective coating
- D. have much hair

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 questions from 71 to 80.

The White House, the official home of the United States president, was not built in time for George Washington to live in it. It was begun in 1792 and was ready for its first inhabitants. President and Mrs. John Adams, who moved in on November 1, 1800. When the Adamses moved in, the White House was not yet complete, and the Adamses suffered many inconveniences; for example, the main staircase was incomplete, which hindered movement from floor to floor, and the future laundry yard was merely a pool of mud, so wet laundry was hung in the unfinished East Room to dry. Thomas Jefferson, the third president, improved the comfort of the White House in many respects and added new architectural features such as the terraces on the east and west ends.

When the British forces burned the White House on August 24, 1814, President Madison was forced to leave. All the remained after the fire was the exterior walls, the interior was completely destroyed. It was not until December of 1817 that the following president, James Monroe, was able to move into a rebuilt residence. Since then, the White House has continued to be modified but has been continuously occupied by each succeeding U.S president.

Question 71: Which of the following would be the most appropriate title for this text?

- A. George Washington’s life in the White House .
- B. The Early History of the White House .
- C. The burning of the White House.
- D. Presidential Policies of Early U.S. Presidents.

Question 72: Why did George Washington not love in the White House?

- A. It had been burned by the British.
- B. He did not like the architectural features.
- C. He did not want to suffer the inconveniences that the Adamses had suffered.
- D. Construction had not yet been completed.

Question 73: The word “inhabitant” in line 3 is closest meaning to:

- A. modifications
- B. moves
- C. celebrations
- D. residents

Question 74: It can be inferred from the passage that John Adams was:

- A. The first president of the United States.
- B. The second president of the United States.
- C. The third president of the United States .
- D. The fourth president of the United States.

Question 75: What of the White House was not yet complete when the Adamses moved in?

- A . main staircase
- B. laundry yard
- C. pool
- D. A and B

Question 76: The author most likely discusses the “staircase” in line 5 in order to:

- A. show the elegance of the new White House
- B. explain the architectural features added by Jefferson.
- C. provide an example of an inconvenience in the White House.
- D. demonstrate what had to be rebuilt after the fire.

Question 77: The word “forces” in line 10 could best be replaced by:

- A. military
- B. effort
- C. power
- D. energy

78: According to the passage, which of the following best describes Thomas Jefferson’s tenure in the White House?

- A. He worked to improve the appearance and convenience of the White House.
- B. He had to flee the White House because of the war with the British.
- C. He removed the terraces that had been added by Adams.
- D. He was accepting of the many inconveniences.

Question 79: According to the passage, when James monroe came to the White House, it had been.....

- A. repressed
- B. reconstructed
- C. relocated
- D. reserved

Question 80: The paragraph following the passage most likely discusses:

- A. the details of the destruction of the White House by the British
- B. James Monroe’s policies as presidents .
- C. modifications by presidents who followed .
- D. other presidents who were unable to occupy the White House .

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4	Câu 4	D	44	Câu 44	C

5	Câu 5	D	45	Câu 45	D
6	Câu 6	C	46	Câu 46	A
7	Câu 7	B	47	Câu 47	A
8	Câu 8	D	48	Câu 48	C
9	Câu 9	D	49	Câu 49	D
10	Câu 10	A	50	Câu 50	C
11	Câu 11	B	51	Câu 51	D
12	Câu 12	D	52	Câu 52	A
13	Câu 13	D	53	Câu 53	B
14	Câu 14	C	54	Câu 54	C
15	Câu 15	B	55	Câu 55	A
16	Câu 16	A	56	Câu 56	D
17	Câu 17	B	57	Câu 57	C
18	Câu 18	B	58	Câu 58	D
19	Câu 19	C	59	Câu 59	A
20	Câu 20	A	60	Câu 60	B
21	Câu 21	A	61	Câu 61	C
22	Câu 22	C	62	Câu 62	D
23	Câu 23	C	63	Câu 63	A
24	Câu 24	B	64	Câu 64	A
25	Câu 25	B	65	Câu 65	B
26	Câu 26	B	66	Câu 66	C
27	Câu 27	C	67	Câu 67	D
28	Câu 28	B	68	Câu 68	B
29	Câu 29	D	69	Câu 69	A
30	Câu 30	C	70	Câu 70	D
31	Câu 31	A	71	Câu 71	B
32	Câu 32	D	72	Câu 72	C
33	Câu 33	B	73	Câu 73	D
34	Câu 34	A	74	Câu 74	B
35	Câu 35	B	75	Câu 75	D
36	Câu 36	D	76	Câu 76	C
37	Câu 37	B	77	Câu 77	A
38	Câu 38	A	78	Câu 78	A
39	Câu 39	C	79	Câu 79	B
40	Câu 40	B	80	Câu 80	C