

PRACTICE TEST 10

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

1. A. tooth B. depth C. though D. length
2. A. world B. work C. sword D. word
3. A. passage B. pension C. tradition D. pressure
4. A. garage B. luggage C. marriage D. message
5. A. worry B. hurry C. servant D. lucky

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

6. A. surprise B. report C. advise D. fertile
7. A. govern B. chapter C. section D. decide
8. A. usually B. natural C. pagoda D. weapon
9. A. enormous B. destructive C. previous D. abnormal
10. A. purity B. interpreter C. imperfection D. education

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. Hello, Pat ! I phone to ask you are doing anything this Saturday.
A. what B. if C. that D. all are correct
12. I'm worried about something, I usually go to sleep instantly.
A. Because B. When C. Unless D. However
13. What for the past hour?
A. have you been doing B. are you doing
C. were you doing D. had you been doing
14. Why me? If I had known you were ill, I would have come to see you.
A. don't you call B. didn't you call
C. won't you call D. can't you call
15. Many people take a shower in the morning I usually take one before bed.
A. yet B. when C. while D. so
16. Is it wrong for women have children to work outside the home?
A. they B. whose C. to D. who
17. We have studied your suggestion carefully, but can't see in ... way it differs from ours.
A. a B. the C. what D. our

18. I've been looking for a cup the one I broke.
 A. matching B. matched C. to match D. matches
19. You to drive. I'm too inexperienced for such traffic.
 A. should B. had better C. would rather D. ought
20. have been about 10 accidents in here this year. Be careful!
 A. We B. They C. There D. You
21. When we arrived at the..... he had been taken to hospital.
 A. place B. scene C. view D. area
22. You will see I am right if you look over the matter from my
 A. point of view B. opinion C. idea D. plan
23. Older people rarelyof the habits of the younger generation.
 A. agree B. accept C. admit D. approve
24. This house is builtbricks, closethe village market.
 A. by / at B. with / to C. by / to D. with / at
25. This matter is very..... Don't discuss it outside the office.
 A. secret B. complex C. important D. well-known
26. She has one of the biggestin Vietnam.
 A. collectors B. collections C. collect D. collecting
27. I'm not saying he is but he is not very good with money.
 A. honest B. honesty C. dishonest D. dishonesty
28. We have those families with food.
 A. provided B. given C. sold D. offered
29. When coming to the office I was told to do it at once though I wasafter a long walk.
 A. excited B. exhausted C. anxious D. curious
30. I am afraid I your book.
 A. lose B. lost C. have lost D. had lost
31. We always have a bed ready in the spare room visitors arrive unexpectedly.
 A. because B. in case C. because of D. in case of
32. It was worth..... 2 hours in line for the tickets.
 A. to wait B. wait C. waiting D. waited
33. Excuse me, please. Do you knowa bus stop near here?
 A. is there B. there is C. if it is D. if there is
34. Sorry about the mistakes, I misunderstood the instruction you gave me.
 A. when B. which C. what D. who

35. Thank you for inviting medinner tomorrow night.
 A. with B. of C. in D. for
36. My little sister finds it easy to herself.
 A. wear B. dress C. put on D. all are correct
37. He was told to get the bus because he could not pay the fare.
 A. out B. out of C. of D. off
38. We were lucky to get the tickets for the firstof the new opera.
 A. publication B. operation C. action D. performance
39. This book is cheap.
 A. surprise B. surprised C. surprising D. surprisingly
40. The weather was terrible, so we had a very holiday.
 A. pleasant B. unpleasant C. pleasure D. displeasure

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

Environmental pollution is a term that refers to all the ways in (41).... man pollutes his surroundings. Man dirties the air with gases and smoke, (42).... the water with chemicals and other substances, and damages the soil with (43).... fertilizers and pesticides. Man also pollutes his surroundings in various ways, (44)....., people ruin natural beauty by scattering junk and litter on the land and in the water. They operate machines and motor-vehicles that fill the air with disturbing (45).....

Environmental pollution is one of the most serious problems (46)..... mankind today. Air, water and soil are necessary to (47) of all living things. (48)..... air can cause illness and even death. Polluted water kills fish and other marine life. Pollution of soil reduces the amount of land that is (49)..... for growing food. Environmental pollution also (50)..... ugliness to man's beautiful nature.

41. A. that B. which C. why D. how
42. A. pours B. wastes C. poisons D. mixes
43. A. a great deal of B. a great amount of
 C. too much D. too many
44. A. moreover B. for example C. however D. as a result
45. A. noise B. smell C. pollutants D. chemicals
46. A. to face B. face C. faced D. facing
47. A. survivors B. survive C. the survival D. survived
48. A. Bad pollution B. Bad polluted C. Badly polluted D. Badly pollution

49. A. able B. capable C. available D. probable
 50. A. takes B. brings C. makes D. does

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

Up to about 1915 movies were short and the programs were made up of several works. Then, D.W.Griffith began to make longer films which provided the same powerful emotional appeal as did melodrama and presented spectacles far beyond what the theater could offer. Consequently, after World War I increasing numbers of spectators deserted the theater for the movies. *This tendency was sped in the late 1920s* as a result of 2 elements. In 1927 sound was added to the previously silent films and thus one of the theater's principal claims to superiority *vanished*. In 1929 a serious economic depression began.

Since audiences could go to the movies for a small part of what it cost to see a play, theatergoing became a luxury which few could afford, especially as the depression deepened.

By the end of World War II, the American theater had been reduced to about 30 theaters in New York City and a small number of touring companies originating there.

51. One thing that movies could do better than the theater was that movies provide.....

- A. longer program B. emotional appeal
 C. more melodrama D. greater spectacles

52. One thing that made people choose the movies over the theater was.....

- A. World War I
 B. the fact that films were less expensive
 C. the fact that films were silent
 D. the fact that films were shorter

53. By the end of World War II

- A. theater had become entertainment for the masses
 B. the theater was no longer considered a luxury
 C. professional theatrical performances were limited to New York City
 D. there were no theatrical performances outside of New York City

54. When the author says "*This tendency was sped in the late 1920s*" he means that.....

- A. many more people went to the theater than to the movies
 B. the shift away from the movies to the theater was slowed down

62. Man is trying to solve the problem of larger population to require more and more food.

A B C D

63. It smells as perfume. One of you must be wearing too much.

A B C D

64. Would you like if I opened the window? It's too hot in here.

A B C D

65. Each of us should do everything possible to keep our environment cleanly.

A B C D

66. Collecting stamps from foreign countries are one of my father's interests.

A B C D

67. Only Mary, my little sister, can have whichever she asks for.

A B C D

68. The children prefer playing with sand on the beach more than swimming in the sea.

A B C D

69. You are not allowed voting in England under the age of 18.

A B C D

70. Not to make her disappointed we didn't tell the bad news to Ann.

A B C D

71. Canada does not require that US citizens obtain passports to enter country and neither does Mexico.

A B C

D

72. Fast-food restaurants have become popular so many working people want to eat quickly and cheaply.

A B C

D

73. The examiner made us show our identification in order be admitted to the test center.

A B C D

74. The prices at chain stores are reasonable, if not more reasonable as those At supermarkets.

A B C D

75. As every other nation the United States used to define its unit of currency, the dollar, in terms of the gold standard.

A B C

D

Choose the sentence (A, B, C or D) which is best written with the given words and phrases.

76. those / us / smoke / have / lungs / x-ray / regularly

- A. Those of us who smoke should have our lungs x-rayed regularly.
- B. Those of us smoke and have the lungs x-ray regularly.
- C. Those of us who smoke and have the lungs x-rayed regularly.
- D. Those of us smoke and so have our lungs x-ray regularly.

77. condition / mankind / improve / recent technological advances

- A. Condition of mankind has improved recent technological advances.
- B. Condition of mankind has been improving recent technological advances.
- C. Condition of mankind has improved by recent technological advances.
- D. Condition of mankind has been improved by recent technological advances.

78. almost all / life / depend / chemical reactions / oxygen / produce /energy

- A. Almost all of life is depended on chemical reactions to oxygen to produce the energy.
- B. Almost all life depends on the chemical reactions of oxygen for producing energy.
- C. Almost all life depends on chemical reactions to oxygen to produce energy.
- D. Almost all of our life is depended on chemical reactions of oxygen in the production of some energy.

79. necessary / one / meet / judge / before / sign / final papers / divorce

- A. It is necessary that one will have met his judge before he signs the final papers for the divorce.
- B. It is necessary that one meets with his judge before he signs the final papers for the divorce.
- C. It is necessary that one will meet a judge before signing the final papers for a divorce.
- D. It is necessary that one meet with a judge before signing the final papers for a divorce.

80. my father / old car / stolen last month / decide / buy / new

- A. My father who had his old car stolen last month decided to buy the new one.
- B. My father, whose old car was stolen last month, has decided to buy a new one.
- C. My father, his old car was stolen last month, has decided buying a new car.
- D. My father's old car was stolen last month, deciding to buy the new car.

PRACTICE TEST 11

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

1. A. twin B. side C. ghit D. rive
2. A. own B. out C. ount D. ow
3. A. damage B. hesitate C. persuade D. shake
4. A. engine B. fountain C. mountain D. maintain
5. A. measure B. vision C. pleasure D. pension

Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the other three.

6. A. danger B. pension C. movement D. success
7. A. decide B. permit C. enter D. account
8. A. candidate B. governor C. establish D. definite
9. A. conference B. serious C. examine D. socialise
10. A. persuade B. mango C. master D. lecture

Choose the word or phrase that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

11. Next summer, we're.....a swimming pool built in our back garden.
A. making B. deciding C. setting D. having
12. Liverpool have only..... three goals so far in this season.
A. made B. hit C. scored D. entered
13. Due to bad weather, the picnic has been put.....until next Wednesday.
A. forward B. off C. out D. ahead
14. The World Cup is.....every four years.
A. had B. held C. made D. taken
15. A great.....for the World Cup Finals 2002 was built in Tokyo last year.
A. ground B. stage C. platform D. stadium
16. Micheal Owens hopes he'll be fit enough to.....the game tomorrow.
A. take part in B. take part of C. take place D. participate
17. Children..... good food if they are to be healthy.
A. have B. receive C. eat D. need
18. She got so.....while watching the match on TV that she began shouting.
A. exciting B. excited C. excitingly D. excitedly

19. I want some coffee but there was..... in the pot.
 A. any B. no C. none D. nothing
20. Be quiet! It's rude to.....people when they are speaking.
 A. interfere B. interrupt C. prevent D. introduce
21. Brian on the river bank when the accident happened.
 A. played B. was playing
 C. has played D. had been playing
22.the friends are looking for volunteers to help on Saturday.
 A. The moment B. In a moment C. At the moment D. For a moment
23. They so much noise that we haven't been able to sleep for weeks.
 A. always did B. always made
 C. are always making D. are always doing
24. "We hope that we will be able to \$800 for our plan" said the organizer.
 A. rise B. raise C. earn D. gather
25. Police think that children started the fire that burnt down that empty house.
 A. accidentally B. accident C. accidental D. accidented
26.the police arrived the robbers had escaped.
 A. By the time B. In time C. At the time D. Durind the time
27. There werewaiting at the platform where the train arrived.
 A. a hundreds of people B. hundreds of people
 C. a hundred of people D. hundred people
28. He has been Hue for 2 weeks and today he comes back to work.
 A. in B. at C. to D. for
29. After many years of hard work, he.....
 A. retired B. resigned C. applied D. released
30. Could you..... me a favour and lend me your notebook?
 A. help B. make C. give D. do
31. Peter and his sister can walkdistances.
 A. long equal B. long equally C. equal long D. equally long
32. They married for love butgot a divorce.
 A. at the end B. at last C. finally D. in the end
33. It wasthat we didn't feel like staying in.
 A. such a nice weather B. so nice a weather
 B. so nice weather D. such nice weather

34. The examination I was successful lasted for 3 days.
 A. which B. that C. in which D. where
35. Tom His car is outside.
 A. should have come B. must have come
 C. could be coming D. had to come
36. is extremely important to children.
 A. Being taken care of B. Taking care of
 C. Being taken care D. Taking care
37. You deserve to be awarded for
 A. what you have done B. that you have done
 C. which you have done it D. what you have done it
38. We are lucky to have the footballer. If for him, we'd have lost the game.
 A. it weren't B. they weren't
 C. it hadn't been D. they hadn't been
39. While working in the garden,
 A. his pants were torn off
 B. a branch fell down and hit his head
 C. he was attacked by a snake
 D. it took him nearly hours to transplant the tree
40. Not using a dictionary when she writes
 A. she always makes many spelling mistakes in her essay
 B. there are always many spelling mistakes in her essay
 C. her essay always has many spelling mistakes
 D. her teacher always finds many spelling mistakes in her essay

Choose the word or phrase to fill each of the blanks to make a meaningful passage.

Television may be a bad influence on children for three main reasons.

First of all, some programmes are (41).....for children to see. For example, there are many police stories on television. People (42).....with guns, knives and even cars. Some children might think that these things could happen to them at any time. Therefore, they can become frightened.

(43)....., some youngster might begin to think that violence is a normal part of life because they see it so often on television. They may begin to act out violence they see and (44).....or their playmates.