

Write down your answers in the table below.

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I. PHONETICS (1.0p)

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

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| 1. A. important | B. decorative | C. effort | D. secondary |
| 2. A. multiplied | B. satisfied | C. realized | D. influenced |

B. Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from the rest.

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| 3. A. miraculous | B. engineering | C. entertainment | D. photogenic |
| 4. A. immediate | B. excursion | C. visually | D. ambitious |

II. GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY: (4.0p) Choose the best answer A, B, C or D to complete the following sentences.

5. The teacher helped the disabled children understand by making some _____.
 A. exhibition B. demonstration C. opposition D. display
6. My brother _____ me into going on a trip to Ha Long Bay.
 A. asks B. convinces C. requests D. persuades
7. Jane is always determined to do anything she wants. She is a _____ person.
 A. brilliant B. humane C. ambitious D. strong – willed
8. My father likes watching the news on television because he thinks it is very _____.
 A. inform B. information C. informative D. informal
9. Nowadays, we visit shops, offices and places of scenic beauty _____ the help _____ computers.
 A. with – for B. with – of C. for – of D. for – for
10. Find the word that is **CLOSEST** in meaning to the underlined word: Before doing the exercise, you should read the instruction carefully.
 A. question B. direction C. answer D. passage

11. Find the word that is **OPPOSITE** in meaning to the underlined word: Each time you turn it on, with appropriate hardware and software, it is capable of doing almost anything you ask.

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| A. unsuitable | B. unimportant | C. ill-prepared | D. irregular |
| 12. Did you remember _____ the letter for your father this morning?
A. to post B. posting C. post D. to posting | | | |
| 13. _____ disabled _____ it difficult to go round the museum because of its architecture, so they never come here.
A. The – finds B. The – find C. A – finds D. A – find | | | |
| 14. Michael _____ care of himself because he left home when he was 15 and has been on his own ever since.
A. used to take B. is used for taking C. gets used to taking D. gets used to take | | | |
| 15. My school has got new classrooms _____. is good news to everyone.
A. which B. that C. ,which D. A and B | | | |
| 16. The hurricane No 12 _____ the severe damage to the people in the central of Vietnam.
A. has just been caused B. causes C. has just caused D. is causing | | | |
| 17. The boat _____ because a lot of water is coming in through a big hole in its bottom.
A. will sink B. is going to sink C. is sinking D. sinks | | | |
| 18. By the time she _____ to the airport, her plane _____ for 10 minutes.
A. got/ had already left B. gets/ has already left C. gets/ had already left D. got/ has already left | | | |
| 19. This is the most interesting story _____. I have ever read.
A. which B. that C., which D., that | | | |
| 20. Mark: "Can you give me a hand?"
A. Sorry. My hands are dirty B. Why? I'm busy now C. I'd like a cup of tea D. I'd be glad to | | -John: "_____." | |

III. READING (2.0p)

A. Read the following passage and then choose the best answer by circling the letter A, B, C or D.

In the last 100 years, technology has completely changed the way we live. At the touch of a button, we can look up almost anything we need to know on the Internet. We have electricity, airplanes, televisions, and we have ever been to the moon. So what sort of inventions will there be in the 21st century? Indeed, is there anything important still left to invent?

It seems that there is. Scientists all over the world are looking into Nan technology with a great deal of interest. This is the science of building small machines - and when we say small, we mean very small. To give you an idea of the size scientists are talking about, these machines would be about a million billion times smaller than the smallest bit of dust.

Nan technology will bring about enormous changes. Doctors, for example, will be able to cure any illness. The environment will be improved because it will be possible to take the polluted air we breathe and make it clean again. But perhaps the most exciting thought of all is that we won't have to wait a thousand years for Nan technology - many people believe there is a good chance it will come in our lifetime.

21. This passage is mainly about _____.
A. inventions B. Nan technology C. technological changes D. small machines
22. According to the passage, _____.
A. our lives have been changed by technology
B. we can use the Internet to get information
C. we have been able to travel to the moon
D. All are correct
23. Which change will Nan technology not bring about?
A. Fatal diseases will be cured.
B. The air will be cleaner.
C. The pollution will be reduced.
D. The environment will be protected.
24. Which of the following is not true?
A. Scientists have a lot of interest in Nan technology.
B. The size of the machines will be much smaller than the smallest bit of dust.
C. Nan technology will bring about some changes in the medical field.
D. Many people believe that they have to wait a thousand years for Nan technology.

B. Choose one option - A, B, C or D - that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

Camping is an activity in which people live (25) _____ in the outdoors. Campers participate in fishing, hunting, swimming, plant study, wildlife watching, and nature photography. It (26) _____ physical benefits when it involves hiking to, from and around a campsite, and many people believe that camping makes youngsters feel more confident.

People throughout the world enjoy hiking to wilderness campsites. This activity is called backpacking because it involves carrying such essential camping gear as a tent, food, clothing, and sleeping bag on the back in a bag called a backpack. Backpacking is the best suited for those who are in good physical (27) _____ as it may require walking for several miles.

The key to any enjoyable camping trip is planning. A decision on where to camp depends on personal preference, but planning the trip before leaving help campers avoid (28) _____ accidents. Many situations – bad weather, injury, or simply a crowded campsite – are less alarming if campers are prepared.

25. A. temporarily B. permanently C. essentially D. excitingly
26. A. supports B. provides C. brings D. takes
27. A. condition B. appearance C. body D. health
28. A. predictable B. considerable C. memorable D. preventable

IV. WRITING (3.0p)

A. Give the correct form of the words in brackets.

29. We have recently studied rock _____, so we want to visit some caves. (FORM)
30. My destination was a _____ village lying calmly in the valley. (PICTURE)
31. That was nearly _____ for women in the middle of nineteenth century to become a doctor. (POSSIBLY)

B. Find ONE mistake in the four underlined parts of each sentence and correct it.

32. He came to congratulate his friend that seemed a surprise to everyone.

A B C D

33. Last year my little brother got lost when we had gone shopping.

A B C D

34. Her grandparents prefer living in the countryside to live in the city.

A B C D

35. People aren't allowed to enter the park after midnight because of lack security.

A B C D

C. Finish the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, beginning with the given words or phrases

36. My mother is the most warm – hearted person I have ever known.

→ I _____

37. The forest provides a home for the deer and other wildlife. It lies below my house. (Combine two the sentences using a suitable relative pronoun)

→ _____

38. He bought a newspaper to read about the football match though he saw it on T.V. last night.

→ In spite of _____

39. Nobody has cleaned the windows of the classrooms since last week. (Changing into Passive voice)

→ _____

40. I have no intention of paying you a visit this weekend.

→ I am _____

THE END