

PRACTICE FOR UNIT 1 – GRADE 7

LISTENING

A. Listen and decide if each statement is true (T) or false (F).

No.	Statement	True or False
1	Corey comes from Canada.	
2	Miki doesn't like playing soccer.	
3	Miki is interested in playing computer games.	
4	Corey hates going shopping.	
5	Miki always buys something when going shopping	

B. Listen again and answer the questions.

1. What does Corey like doing in the summer?

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2. What does Miki want to be in the future?

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3. How does Corey spend time online?

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4. What does Miki do on the Internet?

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5. What type of music does Corey prefer?

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PRONUNCIATIONS

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

- A. tips B. ages C. bits D. subjects
- A. wanted B. needed C. played D. started
- A. brother B. thin C. breathe D. theme
- A. shool B. food C. pool D. book
- A. taste B. face C. area D. late

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| 6. | A. typed | B. picked | C. decided | D. looked |
| 7. | A. wonderful | B. among | C. holiday | D. other |
| 8. | A. many | B. fan | C. candy | D. can |
| 9. | A. cheat | B. feat | C. meat | D. great |
| 10. | A. hope | B. hour | C. hill | D. high |

STRESS

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

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| 1. | A. valuable | B. evaluate | C. adventurer | D. parameter |
| 2. | A. information | B. transformation | C. calculation | D. responsible |
| 3. | A. dislike | B. belike | C. likely | D. unlike |
| 4. | A. computer | B. adventure | C. informal | D. mitigate |
| 5. | A. happy | B. listen | C. open | D. begin |
| 6. | A. interest | B. event | C. contract | D. person |
| 7. | A. favorite | B. serious | C. amazing | D. popular |
| 8. | A. about | B. email | C. alike | D. engage |
| 9. | A. teenager | B. however | C. computer | D. recover |
| 10. | A. wonderful | B. interesting | C. beautiful | D. amazing |

MULTIPLE CHOICE

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

- Many teenagers are not much _____ in reading books, except for what they are made to read at school
 A. excited B. important C. interested D. essential
- I like reading books _____ this is a good way to get information.
 A. because B. because of C. so that D. although
- Which musical _____ can you play? – the drum and the guitar.
 A. instructions B. instruments C. constructions D. introductions
- John and his friends are singing, dancing and _____ to their favorite songs.
 A. hearing B. listening C. looking D. watching
- Do you prefer watching DVDs _____ going to the cinema?
 A. on B. than C. to D. with
- Every day, Seumas _____ up at 6.00 and makes breakfast for the hotel guests.
 A. get B. gets C. is getting D. got
- What do Manuela and her friends do _____ summer?

- A. at B. on C. of D. in
8. I have never taken part in any water sports _____ I cannot swim.
A. because B. because of C. due to D. despite
9. She often _____ the radio program 'Quick and Slow Show' every Sunday.
A. hears B. listens to C. watches D. reads
10. "Would you like to have _____ coffee?"
A. some B. little C. few D. any
11. I often go to the school _____ to borrow books in my free time.
A. ground B. gate C. library D. lab
12. I've never seen such an interesting _____ before.
A. performance B. performative C. performed D. performing
13. My grandfather usually spends two hours _____ around his house in the morning.
A. walks B. walk C. walking D. to walk
14. She _____ all of them to dinner at her house on Saturday evening.
A. phoned B. invited C. said D. told
15. Most parents do not allow their children _____ out late.
A. staying B. stay C. to stay D. stays
16. She played _____ confidently but her timing was not good.
A. the piano B. an piano C. piano D. a piano
17. It takes him thirty minutes to go _____ every day.
A. to work by bus B. to work with bus C. working by a bus D. work on bus
18. Susan: "Shall we go to the cinema this Saturday?"
Alice: " _____"
A.No. Why not? B. Yes, let's. C. Yes, we do. D. No, I'm not
19. I really enjoy _____ in the park on a sunny day.
A. reading B. to read C. being read D. to reading
20. The children were bored _____ watching that film again and again.
A. with B. in C. about D. of
21. Michael Faraday was very interested in _____ experiments with electricity.
A. done B. doing C. to do D. doing with
22. John is _____ in fashion magazines.
A. interests B. interest C. interested D. interesting
23. Alice: "How often do you go to the dentist, Anne?"
Anne: " _____."
A. Last week B. Next month C. Twice a year D. yesterday
24. I'm very interested _____.

- A. in the information you gave me
 B. with the information you gave it to me
 C. about the information you gave me
 D. with the information you gave me
25. Will you go to Sarah's party _____ Saturday?
 A. in B. on C. for D. at
26. Would you like _____ another language?
 A. learning B. learn C. learns D. to learn
27. What time _____ you go to school?
 A. are B. does C. do D. is
28. The airport gets very _____ at weekends, so Richard travels during the week when it's quieter.
 A. busy B. strong C. heavy D. tight
29. Richard _____ has a coffee when he arrives at the airport.
 A. already B. once C. usually D. recently
30. _____ do we have for lunch? We have meat, soup and some vegetables.
 A. What B. Which C. How D. Why

CLOZE TEST

A. Choose the correct word A, B, C or D for each of the gaps to complete the following text.

THE BIGGEST AND THE BEST

The first amusement park in the world was Bakken in Denmark. It opened in 1583! It had simple rides and also dancing and (1) _____.

Tokyo Disneyland is the most popular (2) _____ park in the world. Around 17 million people visit every year. The biggest theme park is Disney World in Florida, USA. The Drop Zon in Kings Island theme park, Ohio, USA, drops riders 80 meters from a 96-meter (3) _____ – that is the same as 9 buses on top of each other! The Drop Zone can carry up to 40 rides at a time and its top speed is 105 km per hour. It's taller than any other ride in the world.

Fujikyu Highland amusement park in Japan has a (4) _____ that travels at 170 Km per hour. It is faster than any other rollercoaster. People who went on it said that it felt like (5) _____ in a rocket!

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| 1. A. fireworks | B. going | C. swimming | D. bike |
| 2. A. adventure | B. theme | C. cycling | D. night |
| 3. A. house | B. tower | C. bridge | D. hill |
| 4. A. train | B. car | C. bus | D. rollercoaster |
| 5. A. be | B. will be | C. being | D. been |

B. Choose the correct word A, B, C or D for each of the gaps to complete the following text.

HALLOWEEN

On 31st October is Halloween. Halloween means holy evening. It's a (1) _____ more important festival in the United States than in Britain, although it's celebrated by many people in the UK. It's particularly connected with (2) _____ and ghosts. At parties, people dress up in strange costumes and pretend they are witches. They cut horrible faces in potatoes and other vegetables and put a candle inside which (3) _____ through the eyes. People may play difficult games such as trying to eat an apple from a bucket of water, without using the hands. In recent years, children dressed in white shirts knock on doors at Halloween and ask if you would like a "trick" or "treat". If you give them something nice, a "treat", they go away. (4) _____, if you don't, they play a "trick" on you, such as making a lot of noise or spilling flour on your front (5) _____.

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| 1. | A. much | B. many | C. special | D. any |
| 2. | A. monster | B. murder | C. witches | D. evil |
| 3. | A. bright | B. shines | C. light | D. spark |
| 4. | A. However | B. Moreover | C. Sum up | D. Anyway |
| 5. | A. roof | B. window | C. garden | D. door |

READING COMPREHENSION

A. Read and decide if each statement is true (T) or false (F).

I've got two brothers, and we're all pretty creative. My older brother Steve is the most hard-working of us three brothers. He's a producer and makes documentary films for television. It sounds exciting, but he works until very late at night, and is always tired. I'm a musician and I sometimes write background music for Steve's films. I love it, I've got the best job in the world. Steve and I both went to university but I didn't spend as much time studying as he did. I was always too busy playing in my band. Tim's the youngest in the family, though he's actually taller than either Steve or me. And we're certainly not as good-looking as he is. He was the most popular boy in the school. He never seemed to work very hard but he's not as lazy as I was. He's at art college now, and works as a waiter in his spare time. He's an absolutely brilliant artist and his drawings are really amazing. I think he'll be more successful than either of us in the future.

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| 1. Steve works as a producer for documentary movies. | _____ |
| 2. The writer never creates music for his brother's film. | _____ |
| 3. The writer spends a little time playing in his band. | _____ |
| 4. Tim is liked by many people at school. | _____ |
| 5. In Tim's spare time, he serves in a restaurant. | _____ |

B. Choose the letter A, B, C or D to answer these questions.

Internet sites like MySpace, Bebo and Facebook are a great way for young people to keep in touch with friends, but there are things you should do to stay safe. On some sites you don't have to use your real name if you don't want to, so invent a name for yourself. On most sites it's a rule that you have to give an email address, but this doesn't have to be normal one – you can use an address. You can write lots of interesting things on your online page, but something you must never do is to put your house address or phone number. In fact, you shouldn't give any information that could let strangers know your identity, because on the Internet you never know who is looking. Remember, too, that you mustn't put your friends' personal details on your page, or you could put them in danger. So the message is: have fun, but take care.

1. From the text, what do some internet sites use for?
A. contact friends B. make films C. make friends D. listen to music
2. Do you have to use your real name when you use Internet sites?
A. Yes B. No C. Not sure D. Not given
3. What should not you put on the Internet sites?
A. your school B. nickname C. house address D. your lesson
4. Why should not you put your friends' personal details on your page?
A. They are easy to be in danger
B. They will like it
C. They will hate you
D. They will leave you
5. What does the writer want to advise you?
A. make friends on social network
B. give all your details
C. change your phone number
D. be careful when using Internet sites

WORD FORMATION

Give the correct form of the word in brackets to complete the following sentences.

1. What's the name of that _____ you were singing earlier? (sing)
2. I started to learn the piano, but I don't think I've got much _____ talent, to be honest. (music)
3. My dad used to be really fit and was on his college _____ team. (athlete)
4. When you were young, did you ever play in the street with other local _____ ? (child)

5. Ann is studying to be an _____, but I don't think he's enjoying it. (act)
6. They have a wonderful _____ of old toys at the museum in town. (collect)
7. My grandad loves to _____ and we often go out on his boat. (sail)
8. You have to practice a lot if you want to work as a _____. (music)
9. Parents gave the school _____ support in its case for getting its facilities improved. (value)
10. Jenny, you have _____ for collecting up the books after after the class. (responsible)

VERB FORMATION

A. Give the correct form of verbs.

1. I _____ at the local library in the summer. (work)
2. My best friend _____ to the theater very often. (not go)
3. _____ Gary _____ about his expedition to the Amazon jungle? (ever talk)
4. In squash, you _____ a ball against a wall. (hit)
5. I _____ a newspaper at least once a week. (read)
6. _____ you _____ the piano for two hours every day? (practice)
7. A good friend _____ when you're upset about something. (know)
8. In Monopoly, a player _____ around the board, buying houses and hotels. (move)
9. Regular exercise _____ you to stay healthy. (helps)
10. _____ Simon always _____ the washing-up after lunch? (do)

B. Complete the sentence with the correct form of verbs below:

Do (x 2) – go – put on – have (x 2) – relax – wash – listen to – make

1. My sister never _____ breakfast on weekdays, only at weekends.
2. I don't often _____ the washing-up because we've got a dishwasher.
3. I'm going to _____ a cup of coffee. Does anybody want one?
4. Can you wait a minute? I need to _____ to the toilet.
5. I'm always so tired after work, I just want to _____ in front of the TV.
6. She didn't have time to _____ any make-up this morning.
7. His father _____ a hot milk every morning and every evening.
8. I didn't forget to _____ my homework, I forgot to bring it.
9. How can you _____ music while you're working?
10. My sister _____ her hair at least four times a week.

WRITING

A. Use the prompts to write sentences:

1. every day / get up / at half past seven

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2. once a week / watch a film at the cinema

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3. often / eat fast food for lunch

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4. rarely / go to the gym

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5. in the evening / usually / meet her friends for coffee

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6. have a driving lesson / twice a week.

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B. Make a question for the underlined words in each sentence below:

1. She lives in a room with 14 other women in the factory dormitory.

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2. The factory where she works employs 15,000 workers.

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3. In the evening, I have a computer lesson in a private school.

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4. My cousin plays his favorite sport, dog-sledding in January.

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5. We speak French, English, and a little Italian, which is very useful!

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