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Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 1 to 15.

Question 1: What you say is not related _____ my point of view.

- A. to B. with C. on D. at

Question 2: John will look for a job _____.

- A. after he had passed his exams B. when he was passing his exams
C. as soon as he passes his exams D. by the time he passed his exams

Question 3: I have left my book in _____ kitchen and I would like you to get it for me.

- A. the B. Ø C. an D. a

Question 4: The doctor gave the patient a(n) _____ examination to discover the cause of his collapse.

- A. whole B. universal C. exact D. thorough

Question 5: Everyone at the Halloween party hid their faces by wearing different _____.

- A. sleeves B. skirts C. masks D. collars

Question 6: A big hospital _____ in central London for two months.

- A. has been built B. built C. has built D. was building

Question 7: Luckily, they successfully _____ the fire and saved all of the children.

- A. took out B. put out C. took off D. put off

Question 8: Most women hope _____ more help with the housework from their husbands.

- A. to getting B. get C. getting D. to get

Question 9: We could tolerate your noisy parties time and again, but throwing bottles out of the window was beyond the _____.

- A. pale B. sick C. faint D. dull

Question 10: She has recently bought a new car, _____?

- A. did she B. hasn't she C. has she D. didn't she

Question 11: I saw many houses _____ by the storm.

- A. were destroyed B. destroyed C. destroy D. destroying

Question 12: She _____ her friend when she saw the accident happen.

- A. talks B. was talking C. has talked D. talked

Question 13: Nowadays, the world is becoming _____, and the feelings of friendship are sometimes forgotten.

- A. materialisation B. materialistic C. materialize D. materialistically

Question 14: WHO's main activities are _____ research on medical development and improving international health care.

- A. getting B. taking C. making D. doing

Question 15: Reading a book is _____ than playing a video game.

- A. the most educational B. most educational C. more educational D. as educational

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions 16 to 17

Question 16: A. impression B. passenger C. industry D. festival

Question 17: A. protect B. install C. happen D. maintain

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best completes each of the following exchanges from 18 to 19.

Question 18: Kevin is asking Sarah for using her computer.

- Kevin: "Do you mind if I use your computer?"

- A. Not at all. Help yourself.

- Sarah: "_____"

- B. Yes, certainly.

C. I couldn't agree more.

D. Sorry. I have no idea.

Question 19: John and Peter are talking about Chat GPT.

- **John:** "In my opinion, students can take advantage of Chat GPT in their study and exams."

- **Peter:** "_____. Also, teachers should update their knowledge and enhance their skill to cope with students' tricks."

A. You can say that again

B. Don't mention it

C. I disagree

D. Sorry, I can't agree

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions from 20 to 21.

Question 20: A. change

B. children

C. character

D. choose

Question 21: A. sector

B. form

C. chore

D. shortcoming

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions from 22 to 23.

Question 22: Many native speakers of a language show indifference to grammatical points.

A. difference

B. intention

C. interest

D. **disregard**

Question 23: I'm trying to learn English, and I find it very demanding.

A. troubling

B. important

C. **challenging**

D. necessary

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 24 to 30.

Think about the last test you took. How much of what you learned for the test do you still remember? Many people take tests to pass a course or get a promotion, but they often forget the information afterward. This is especially the case for people taking large international tests like TOEFL or IELTS. These tests usually involve multiple-choice questions, and people often study to increase their scores, not to learn important information. In fact, educators are divided on whether these kinds of tests are the most effective way to assess a person's abilities.

Those who support such tests say they are the only way for educators and employers to compare people based on their test scores. However, there are people trying to reform this system. They believe that standard tests aren't the best way to measure a person's ability. These reformers also believe that intelligent people are not always good at taking tests or memorizing facts. A multiple-choice test cannot always tell what people have learned, or whether they can apply that knowledge in the future.

Reformers believe that other types of evaluation achieve better results. Tests that contain a mix of written and spoken questions give a more complete assessment of what the person is capable of. A portfolio, or a collection of work done throughout a course, can show how much the student has improved individually. Group interview, where a group of people are interviewed at the same time, can also be useful for employers, since they show how people interact with others.

Alternative educational institutions such as Montessori and Waldorf schools don't believe that education should be focused on testing. At these schools, the classroom is very relaxed and "free" with students learning from each other as much as they learn from teachers. Some of these schools even allow students to choose what they study. Teachers create activities designed to let students show their abilities or knowledge of a certain subject. In these schools, the focus is on learning by experiencing and doing things.

The debate on testing continues, and educators have yet to find a perfect method of evaluating learning. Until that day comes, old test methods will be used and new test methods will continue to develop. But one thing's for sure, testing will continue to play an important part in our lives - so study hard!

Question 24: What is the passage mainly about?

A. How useful test scores are

B. **Whether testing is an effective method to assess learners.**

C. The importance of taking TOEFL or IELTS.

D. Different methods of evaluation

Question 25: What is NOT the reason why reformers want to change the current testing system?

A. Some intelligent people aren't good at memorizing facts.

B. Some kinds of tests cannot always tell what a person has learnt.

C. **Testing will no longer play an important role in people life.**

D. There are other kinds of assessment that produce better results.

Question 26: The word "divided" in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. **in disagreement**

B. in agreement

C. misunderstood

D. calculated

Question 27: The word “They” in paragraph 2 refers to ____.

A. Tests B. Test scores C. Reformers D. Employers

Question 28: What is happening at Montessori schools?

A. Students and teachers focus on formal teaching and learning.
B. Students are taking multiple choice tests after courses.
C. Students take more tests than those in other schools.
D. Students can choose what they study.

Question 29: The word “Alternative” in paragraph 4 is closest in meaning to ____.

A. Urban B. Non-traditional C. Renewable D. Similar

Question 30: What can be inferred from the last paragraph?

A. Educationists have already invented a perfect method to assess students’ performances.
B. Discussions on testing methods are still ongoing.
C. Methods of evaluation have been confirmed.
D. Educators take responsibilities for testing students’ abilities.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions from 31 to 32.

Question 31: I don’t have a spare ticket. I can’t take you to the concert.

A. As long as I have a spare ticket, I can take you to the concert.
B. If I had had a spare ticket, I could have taken you to the concert.
C. If I had a spare ticket, I could take you to the concert.
D. If I have a spare ticket, I can take you to the concert.

Question 32: ChatGPT App was introduced a few weeks ago. People were all interested in trying it right after that.

A. Not until people were all interested in trying ChatGPT App was it introduced a few weeks ago.
B. Hardly had ChatGPT App been introduced when people were all interested in trying it.
C. Only after people had been all interested in trying ChatGPT App was it introduced a few weeks ago.
D. No sooner had people been all interested in trying ChatGPT App it was introduced a few weeks ago.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions from 33 to 35.

Question 33: The new exhibition centre in our town has attracted many visitors because of their unique collections of used visual arts.

A B C D

Question 34: We will offer you a comprehensible training in all aspects of the business if you take this course.

A B C D

Question 35: The Tale of Tam and Cam use to be one of her favourite stories when she was at school.

A B C D

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 36 to 40.

The 7.9 magnitude earthquake, which rocked Southeast Turkey and Northwest Syria in the early hours of Monday February 6, has created an (36) _____ level of damage in the region. Over 5,000 people are confirmed dead and nearly 400, 000 have sought makeshift shelter.

Water, electricity and gas supplies in the affected regions have been damaged or destroyed or switched off to avoid explosions and fires, and (37) _____ families do not know where they will find their next meal. Over 2,000 homes have been destroyed in Turkey and the scale of the devastation in Syria is yet to emerge.

(38) _____, significant aftershocks continue to be felt across both countries meaning people have to face the agonizing choice of returning to homes (39) _____ may collapse in an aftershock or seeking shelter elsewhere.

Severe cold weather has only made matters worse with temperatures dropping below freezing at night, increasing the (40) _____ of hypothermia, and preventing relief efforts.

Question 36: A. unprecedented B. expected C. predictable D. predicted

Question 37: A. another B. a lot C. much D. many

Question 38: A. So B. In addition C. But D. However

Question 39: A. when B. who C. whom D. that

Question 40: A. advantage B. benefit C. risk D. growth

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions from 41 to 43.

Question 41: I last talked to my grandparents three months ago.

- A. I haven't talked to my grandparents for three months.
- B. I didn't talk to my grandparents for three months.
- C. I have talked to my grandparents for three months.
- D. I talked to my grandparents for three months.

Question 42: It isn't necessary for us to discuss this matter in great detail.

- A. We mustn't discuss this matter in great detail.
- B. We should discuss this matter in great detail.
- C. We might discuss this matter in great detail.
- D. We needn't discuss this matter in great detail.

Question 43: "Where are you studying now?" asked my friend.

- A. My friend asked me where he was studying now.
- B. My friend asked me where I was studying then.
- C. My friend asked me where she had been studying at that time.
- D. My friend asked him where you were studying then.

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 44 to 48.

As the pace of life continues to increase, we are fast losing the art of relaxation. Once you are in the habit of rushing through life, being on the go from morning to night, it is hard to slow down. But relaxation is essential for a healthy mind and body.

Stress is a natural part of every life and there is no way to avoid it. In fact, it is not the bad thing it is often supposed to be. A certain amount of stress is vital to provide motivation and give purpose to life. It is only when the stress gets out of control that it can lead to poor performance and ill health.

The amount of stress a person can withstand depends very much on the individual. Some people are not afraid of stress, and such characters are obviously prime material for managerial responsibilities. Others lose heart at the first signs of unusual difficulties. When exposed to stress in whatever form, we react both chemically and physically. In fact, we make choice between "fight" or "flight", and in more primitive days the **choice** made the difference between life or death. The crises we meet today are not likely to be so extreme, but however little the stress, it involves the same response. It is when such a reaction lasts long, through continued exposure to stress that health becomes endangered.

Such serious conditions as high blood pressure, diabetes and heart disease have established links with stress. Since we cannot remove stress from our lives (and it would be unwise to **do so** even if we could), we need to find ways to deal with it.

Question 44: Which of the following is NOT a disease that links with stress?

- A. diabetes
- B. obesity
- C. high blood pressure
- D. heart disease

Question 45: In the last sentence of the passage, "**do so**" refers to _____.

- A. find ways to deal with stress.
- B. lose heart at the first difficulty
- C. expose ourselves to stress
- D. remove stress from our lives

Question 46: Which of the following can be the best title for the passage?

- A. They do not know relaxation is important for health.
- B. We can find some ways to avoid stress.
- C. Stress is always harmful to people.
- D. Stress is a natural part of every life.

Question 47: According to the writer, the most important character for a good manager is his _____.

- A. trying to avoid stress.
- B. not reacting differently
- C. high sense of responsibility
- D. not fearing stress

Question 48: The word "**choice**" in paragraph 3 can be best replaced by _____.

- A. solution
- B. effort
- C. prediction
- D. option

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) **OPPOSITE** in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions from 49 to 50.

Question 49: The arguments Prof. Parker made were controversial and some scholars were **taking issue** with him.

- A. expressing doubt
- B. becoming aware
- C. showing agreement
- D. getting annoyed

Question 50: In order to **boost** agricultural productivity, many farmers have to change plant varieties and improve machines.

- A. raise
- B. increase
- C. reduce
- D. improve

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