

I. MULTIPLE CHOICE (7.2 points)

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. It rained all the time, _____ was a great pity.

- A. which B. that C. who D. what

Question 2. When I was at secondary school, I _____ games with my neighbor.

- A. am used to playing B. used to play C. was used to play D. used to playing

Question 3. Tom _____ to school late.

- A. goes never B. never goes C. go never D. never go

Question 4. Be quiet! The baby _____.

- A. slept B. was sleeping C. is sleeping D. sleeps

Question 5. Peter _____ his new suit last night.

- A. wore B. is wearing C. wears D. was wearing

Question 6. Marie Curie was _____ a Nobel Prize in Chemistry for determining the atomic weight of radium.

- A. harboured B. sent C. enjoyed D. awarded

Question 7. She got up late because the alarm clock didn't go _____.

- A. on B. over C. off D. up

Question 8. Would you like _____ somewhere for a drink?

- A. gone B. go C. going D. to go

Question 9. A _____ person cannot hear any kind of sound.

- A. young B. blind C. rich D. deaf

Question 10. I have been fascinated by _____ since I was at secondary school.

- A. photographer B. photography C. photograph D. photographic

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 11 to 14.

Alexander Graham Bell was born in Scotland in 1847. As a boy, he was interested in sound because of his family. His mother was a musician but was deaf (hearing impaired). His father taught deaf people to speak. When Alexander was 23, the Bells decided to move to the United States. While they were living in Boston, Alexander started a school for the deaf and then became a professor at Boston university. While he was teaching, he met Mabel Hubbard, one of his deaf students. Bell married Mabel five years later.

Bell loved to invent things. One day, he got an idea. He thought: I can use electricity to send the human voice from one place to another. He started to work on this idea with his **assistant** Thomas Watson. They rented rooms in a house. Bell was on one floor and Watson on another. They tried to send words to each other. One day Bell was working on the invention when he spilled some acid on his clothes. Watson suddenly heard the words: "Mr. Watson, come here. I want you" and ran to Bell's room. It was March 19, 1876, and these became the memorable words of the world's first telephone call.

Bell soon became very wealthy but continued to teach the deaf to speak. He also started the *National Geographic* magazine because he believed the best way to learn was through pictures.

Question 11. The word "**assistant**" in paragraph 2 most closely means " _____ "
A. receiver B. interpreter C. helper D. communicator

Question 12. The Bells moved to the US in _____.
A. 1847 B. 1870 C. 1867 D. 1860

Question 13. What is true about Bell's wife?
A. She worked with him at Boston University.
B. She was five years older than him.
C. She was his co-worker.
D. She was hearing impaired.

Question 14. What can be the best title of the passage?
A. The Childhood of Alexander Graham Bell.
B. Alexander Graham Bell and the telephone.
C. *National Geographic* and Its Founder.
D. The Invention of the Telephone.

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.

Question 15. A. refer B. paper C. letter D. river
Question 16. A. finger B. picture C. behind D. district

Choose 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 the following question.

Question 17. The president expressed his deep sorrow over the bombing deaths.
A. anger B. happiness C. sadness D. passion

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 21.

After finishing secondary school, some students decide to take a gap year and go travelling. It is one of the best (18)_____ a young person can make. Tony Hash, a student from Eton, went around South America last year, and his brother, Bill Hash is hoping to go to Australia after his exams. Some people are worried about travelling alone (19)_____ they think it might be dangerous. So, what do you need to do to avoid danger? First, you need to plan your trip carefully. Of course you can travel with a friend. It is a much better choice. Second, spend time (20)_____ research before the trip. There is a lot of (21)_____ about gap year on the Internet. Talking with people who have already done their trip also helps. They can give you lots of valuable instructions.

Question 18. A. decisive B. decision C. decide D. decisions
Question 19. A. because B. so C. although D. but
Question 20. A. do B. make C. doing D. making
Question 21. A. information B. adventure C. idea D. book

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best completes each of the following exchanges

Question 22. *Peter is asking Linda about her weekly timetable.*

Peter: "What lesson do you have at 9:50 on Friday?"

Linda: " _____."

A. Never mention me B. I like a Civic Education lesson
C. Of course not D. I have a Civic Education lesson

Question 23. *Tom and Jenny are talking about this summer holiday plan.*

- **Tom:** " _____."

- **Jenny:** "That's a good idea."

- A. Why not take a trip to the Citadel in Hue this summer holiday?
- B. What happened to the Citadel in Hue after the storm?
- C. Have you heard about the Citadel in Hue?
- D. How can we book a tour to the Citadel in Hue this summer holiday?

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 the following questions.

Question 24. Computer models help to determine whether a particular area is likely to flood.

- A. make up B. take over C. find out D. put up

II. WRITING (2.8 points)

Combine the two sentences into one as requested in each bracket. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

Question 25. Her cousin finished his homework. Then he went out with his friends. (Use “AFTER”)

→ _____.

Question 26. They are looking for the boy. He rescued their daughter yesterday. (Use “WHO”)

→ _____.

Question 27. My son is very passive because of watching TV too much. (Use “BECAUSE ”)

→ _____.

Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the one printed before it. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

Question 28. There are more traffic accidents on the roads now.

There did not _____.

Question 29. They have built two new bridges across the river.

Two new bridges _____.

Question 30. Nam has no intention of taking this hiking trip with us.

Nam is _____.

Question 31. Watching Korean films is her passion.

She likes _____.

THE END