

Họ, tên thí sinh:..... Số báo danh:.....

SECTION A

Choose the best option to complete the sentences.

Question 1: She dances _____ her younger sister, who is 10 years old.

- A. beautifully
B. as beautiful as is
C. beautifully as
D. as beautifully as does

Question 2: UNESCO stands _____ United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.

- A. about
B. with
C. by
D. for

Question 3: So nervous about the exam _____ he sat in silence although the surrounding students were talking loudly.

- A. he was so that
B. was
C. was he that
D. he was that

Question 4: The booklet is printed in big letters _____ even the old and young to read with unaided eyes.

- A. so that
B. in order for
C. with a view to
D. so as to

Question 5: “Can I help you, Sir?” - “I’m looking for a _____ table.”

- A. round wooden fashionable
B. wooden round fashionable
C. wooden fashionable round
D. fashionable round wooden

Question 6: Mr. Tony has been under high pressure of work loads recently. _____, he has just been taken to hospital for nerve broken down.

- A. Fortunately
B. Therefore
C. However
D. In contrast

Question 7: *Peter said to Jane carrying a heavy suitcase:* “Need a hand with your suitcase, Jane?”

Jane: “_____.”

- A. Well done
B. That’s very kind of you
C. Not a chance
D. I don’t believe it

Question 8: You should _____ think about what technical school to apply for; or else, you will waste your time and money in a few years later.

- A. strongly
B. extremely
C. hardly
D. highly

Question 9: You should practice your eyes by looking at other surrounding things every thirty minutes; _____, they will get strenuous.

- A. if so
B. if
C. therefore
D. otherwise

Question 10: A lot of skills and knowledge fields _____

- A. be prepared and practiced
B. have to be prepared and practiced
C. have to prepare and practice
D. are had to prepare and practice

Question 11: _____ as her handwriting was, the teacher was able to make it out and she got a full mark for it.

- A. Badly
B. As badly
C. As bad
D. Bad

Question 12: The grape is the _____, juicy fruit of a woody vine.

- A. which is smooth
B. skin smooth
C. skin
D. smooth-skinned

Question 13: He really deserved the award because he performed _____ what was expected of him.

- A. much more as
B. the most that
C. much better than
D. much better which

Question 14: “Do I have to take that French course?” - “No, you _____.”

- A. haven’t
B. mustn’t
C. needn’t
D. don’t have

Question 15: Hurry up! They’ve only got _____ seats left.

- A. a lot of
B. a little
C. a few
D. plenty of

Question 16: Penicillin is perhaps the drug which _____ more life than any other in the history of medicine.

- A. is saving
B. save
C. has saved
D. have been saved

Question 17: *A has just turned up at the meeting and said to the group-leader:* “I’m sorry. I was stuck in a traffic jam.”

The group-leader: “_____.”

- A. Never mind. Thanks
C. My pleasure

- B. Don't apologize. It's all my fault.
D. It's Ok. We've just started

Question 18: He agreed to accept the position _____ a share of the company's profits.

- A. with the purpose that he would give
C. with the aim that he would be received

- B. on the understanding that he would be given
D. in the agreement that he would be giving

Question 19: The teachers are, at the moment, trying their best _____ all the necessary that their students may need for their critical examination while, sadly, some do not seem to appreciate that.

- A. to prepare
B. prepared
C. preparing
D. prepare

Choose one of the given options which is incorrect.

Question 20: In this organization, all members are equal. No members will use force against together.

- A. In this organization
B. all members
C. will use
D. together

Question 21: The local people propose that national parks should be made and enlarged, hunting are strictly controlled, and fund be raised more to finance environmental activities.

- A. national parks
B. are
C. The
D. be raised

Question 22: Working for this organization will give a chance to help improve international healthy care.

- A. Working
B. to help
C. healthy
D. will give

Question 23: The more regularly you practice, the best appetite you get.

- A. The more regularly
B. practice
C. the best
D. get

Question 24: Mr. Thang said that students in the rest grades would sit for the end-of-second term exam in index of each class next week.

- A. each
B. would sit for
C. said that
D. in index

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

Question 25: Who will replace you to monitor the class on the days you are on duty next week?

- A. support
B. undermine
C. vandalize
D. manage

Question 26: We, the young, should take actions to raise people's awareness of being concerned with sewage processing measures from now on.

- A. indifferent to
B. carefree with
C. interested in
D. nervous about

Question 27: You shouldn't look down on our rivals because they have got a lot of progress this football season.

- A. opponents
B. aliens
C. goalies
D. allies

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

Question 28: Under ideal conditions, the entire life cycle of some insects, for example fleas, living on pets, may only take 3 weeks, so in no time at all, pets and homes can be infested.

- A. very fast
B. immeasurably
C. unaccountably
D. very slowly

Question 29: Most of the female football players will be jobless when the Games are over.

- A. employed
B. busy
C. unemployed
D. highly-paid

Choose the letter A, B, c, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined letter(s) is pronounced differently from the rest.

Question 30: A. processed B. infested C. balanced D. reached

Question 31: A. advocate B. manage C. rival D. canal

Choose the letter A, B, c, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word differs from the rest in the position of the main stress in each of the following questions.

Question 32: A. occur B. manage C. absorb D. display

Question 33: A. develop B. chocolate C. arrangement D. procession

Question 34: A. atmosphere B. deduction C. energy D. quality

Question 46: The word “durable” in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to.....

- A. delicate B. plain C. lasting D. heavy

Question 47: What does the author imply about the raw materials used to make glass?

- A. They are transparent B. They were the same for centuries
C. They are very heavy D. They are liquid

Question 48: According the passage, how is glass that has cooled and become rigid different from most other rigid substances?

- A. It has varying physical properties B. It has an interlocking crystal network
C. It has unusually low melting temperature D. It has a random molecular structure.

Question 49: The word “customarily” in paragraph 2 could be best replaced by”.....”

- A. certainly B. naturally C. usually D. necessarily

Question 50: The words “exposed to” in paragraph 2 most likely mean.....

- A. deprived of B. hardened by C. chilled with D. subjected to

Question 51: What must be done to release the internal stresses that build up in glass products during manufacture?

- A. The glass must be cooled quickly
B. The glass must be reheated and evenly cooled.
C. The glass must be kept moist until cooled
D. The glass must be shaped to its desired form immediately.

Question 52: The word “induced” in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to.....

- A. missed B. joined C. lost D. caused

Question 53: The word “it” in paragraph 3 refers to.....

- A. feature B. manner C. viscosity D. glass

Question 54: According to the passage, why can glass be more easily shaped into specific forms than can metals?

- A. It has better optical properties
B. It retains heat while its viscosity changes.
C. It gradually becomes softer as its temperature rises.
D. It resists breaking when heated.

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

Comets are bodies that move around in space. They are something like stars or small planets that move around the sun. Comets are surrounded by gases and the sun makes those gases look very bright. Dust can get caught in the gas around the comet and make the comet look like it has a tails.

Halley's Comet is the most famous comet, but we can't see it very often. In fact, it can only be seen from the Earth when it moves close the sun. This means that this beautiful comet only comes into our sky every 77 years or so. The last time Halley's Comet was invisible from the Earth was in 1991. Did you see it?

Halley's Comet was named after the English astronomer Edmond Halley. An astronomer studies the star and planets in the solar system. Edmond Halley was born in London, England, in 1656. He studies astronomy at Oxford University. In 1676, he left the university to study the astronomy of the Southern Hemisphere. He wrote a book about the arrangement of the stars in the sky and the movement of the planets. He made the first accurate map of the stars we see in the sky. He also observed the moon and studied how the Moon affects the ocean tides. He helped find a way to measure distances in space. This measurement was used by other scientists to learn about the size of our solar system and the distances of many star and planets from the Earth.

Halley especially liked to study comets. He read about comets and observed them in the sky. He learned about the way they moved around the Sun — each comet follows a different path around the Sun and travels at its own speed. The path and speed of a body as it moves in space is called its orbit. Halley calculated the orbits of comets that he read about or saw himself. He found the orbits for twenty-four comets.

Halley also noticed that the paths of a comet seen in 1531 and of a comet seen in 1607 were identical to the path of a comet he had observed in 1682. He concluded that these three comets were, in fact, the same comet. Halley predicted that the comet would come again in 1758, and it did! This comet was named “Halley’s Comet” and can be seen from Earth. The first reports of this comet in history were made in 240 B.C. by Chinese

astronomers, so we know that it has been orbiting the Sun to more than 2,000 years. Halley's Comet is not the only comet in our sky, but it is the only one that appears regularly and can be predicted. It is also one of the brightest comets, and people can see it without a telescope.

Like comets, the Earth also travels around the Sun. Sometimes the orbit of the Earth passes through the path of Hailey's Comet. Like comets, the Earth also travels around the Sun. Sometimes the orbit of the Earth passes through the path of Hailey's Comet. When this happens, dust left behind from the comet falls to Earth. The dust burns and makes brilliant lights like falling stars in the sky. You can see this happen every year in May and October. Astronomers predict that Hailey's Comet will enter our sky again in 2061. Who do you think will see it?

Question 55: Comets move around _____.

- A. every 77 years. B. in the Southern Hemisphere C. the Sun. D. the Earth

Question 56: Comets may look like they have a tail because _____.

- A. gases surround the comet. B. dust can get caught in the gas around the comet.
C. the Sun is very bright D. they appear like bright white stars in the sky.

Question 57: Edmond Hailey calculated the orbits for _____.

- A. 1607 B. 1682 C. 77 comets D. 24 comets

Question 58: In 240 B.C. _____.

- A. there were no comets in the sky. B. Chinese astronomers first observed Halley's comet.
C. Halley was born in London, England. D. Halley's Comet did not appear in the sky.

Question 59: Which of the following is NOT true?

- A. Halley's Comet can be seen from Earth with naked eyes.
B. Halley's prediction of the comet's re-appearance in 1758 was right.
C. He observed the comet of 1682 and named it "Halley's Comet."
D. The comets of 1531, 1607 and 1682 were, in fact, the same comet.

Question 60: Edmond Hailey made the first accurate map of _____.

- A. the stars. B. England
C. the Earth's orbits D. the Southern Hemisphere

Question 61: The Earth also travels _____.

- A. around Hailey's comet B. every 77 years.
C. around the Sun. D. around the Moon.

Question 62: One of Hailey's contributions to astronomy was _____.

- A. giving a name to one of the most famous comets.
B. drawing a map of the Southern Hemisphere.
C. finding a way to measure distances in space.
D. founding the astronomy department at Oxford University.

Question 63: When the paths of the Earth and Hailey Comet cross each other

- A. astronomers starts making predictions about its appearance
B. dust from the tail of the comet burn's brightly and looks like ling stars in the night sky.
C. Hailey's Comet appears in May and October.
D. stars begins to fall from the sky.

Question 64: Which of the following is NOT TRUE of Hailey's Comet?

- A. It won't appear again until 2061. B. Chinese astronomers named it "Hailey's Comet."
C. It is predictable. D. It is bright.

SECTION B

Rewrite the sentences so that they have similar meaning as the given above.

1. He certainly revised the old lessons very carefully.

→ He must.....

2. She did poorly in the exam. She was so sad.

→ If.....

3. "If I were you, I wouldn't throw my rubbish wherever I like." my tutor said.

→ My tutor advised.....

4. I'd prefer you to tell me a story before going to bed.

→ I'd rather.....

5. She always turns a deaf ear to whatever she doesn't expect.

→ She pretends.....

II. Write a paragraph of about 140 words on the benefits of working for an international organization.

You should focus on some suggestions:

- practice English
- higher salary/ wages
- travel more