

## A. MỤC ĐÍCH YÊU CẦU.

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## B. NỘI DUNG CỤ THỂ.

### I. VOCABULARY AND PRONUNCIATION

\* Từ vựng và ngữ âm từ bài 6 đến hết bài 9

### II. GRAMMAR

1. THE FUTURE PERFECT

2. REPORTED SPEECH (reporting orders, requests, offers, advice, instructions...)

3. THE ACTIVE AND PASSIVE CAUSITIVES.

4. ADVERBIAL CLAUSES OF CONDITION, COPARISON, MANNER, RESULT)

5. PHRASAL VERBS (Consisting of a verb, an adverb and a preposition)

6. DOUBLE COMPARISONS.

### C. PHẦN BÀI TẬP ÁP DỤNG CỤ THỂ

#### I. PRONUNCIATION AND STRESS.

*Exercise 1. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.*

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|----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. A. <u>tedious</u>       | B. <u>secure</u>       | C. <u>temporary</u>      | D. <u>rewarding</u>     |
| 2. A. <u>enthusiastic</u>  | B. <u>smooth</u>       | C. <u>southern</u>       | D. <u>trustworthy</u>   |
| 3. A. <u>tertiary</u>      | B. <u>trustworthy</u>  | C. <u>tempting</u>       | D. <u>shortlist</u>     |
| 4. A. <u>pension</u>       | B. <u>commission</u>   | C. <u>passion</u>        | D. <u>decision</u>      |
| 5. A. <u>shortlist</u>     | B. <u>temporary</u>    | C. <u>afford</u>         | D. <u>accordingly</u>   |
| 6. A. <u>advertisement</u> | B. <u>applicant</u>    | C. <u>candidate</u>      | D. <u>management</u>    |
| 7. A. <u>relevant</u>      | B. <u>energetic</u>    | C. <u>enthusiastic</u>   | D. <u>engineer</u>      |
| 8. A. <u>organized</u>     | B. <u>prioritize</u>   | C. <u>important</u>      | D. <u>opportunity</u>   |
| 9. A. <u>competitive</u>   | B. <u>entrepreneur</u> | C. <u>apprenticeship</u> | D. <u>conscientious</u> |
| 10. A. <u>challenging</u>  | B. <u>energetic</u>    | C. <u>management</u>     | D. <u>organized</u>     |
| 11. A. <u>cultures</u>     | B. <u>customs</u>      | C. <u>ideas</u>          | D. <u>migrants</u>      |
| 12. A. <u>passed</u>       | B. <u>realized</u>     | C. <u>touched</u>        | D. <u>wished</u>        |

*Exercise 2. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions.*

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|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. A. <u>rewarding</u>     | B. <u>fascinating</u>    | C. <u>tedious</u>        | D. <u>challenging</u>   |
| 2. A. <u>prospect</u>      | B. <u>reference</u>      | C. <u>promoted</u>       | D. <u>interview</u>     |
| 3. A. <u>unemployment</u>  | B. <u>economics</u>      | C. <u>manufacture</u>    | D. <u>responsible</u>   |
| 4. A. <u>workforce</u>     | B. <u>high-flyer</u>     | C. <u>handshake</u>      | D. <u>headhunt</u>      |
| 5. A. <u>commuter</u>      | B. <u>commitment</u>     | C. <u>employee</u>       | D. <u>attendant</u>     |
| 6. A. <u>experience</u>    | B. <u>apprenticeship</u> | C. <u>administration</u> | D. <u>prioritize</u>    |
| 7. A. <u>advertisement</u> | B. <u>probation</u>      | C. <u>competitive</u>    | D. <u>relevant</u>      |
| 8. A. <u>organization</u>  | B. <u>enthusiastic</u>   | C. <u>compassionate</u>  | D. <u>qualification</u> |

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| 9. A. encourage     | B. interview   | C. graduate    | D. organize    |
| 10. A. successful   | B. significant | C. experienced | D. challenging |
| 11. A. diversity    | B. endanger    | C. geography   | D. opposite    |
| 12. A. circumstance | B. considerate | C. community   | D. identity    |

## II. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR.

**Exercise 3. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

- I was only absent \_\_\_\_ the office for a few minutes!  
A. for                      B. from                      C. in                      D. about
- She became a full-time member of \_\_\_\_ last year.  
A. employees              B. employers              C. workers              D. staff
- The \_\_\_\_ for this position starts at thirty thousand euros per year.  
A. wage                      B. payment              C. salary                      D. tip
- Shelley disagreed with the board's decision so she \_\_\_\_ and went to work for another company.  
A. retired                      B. fired                      C. sacked                      D. resigned
- Being a flight attendant is a \_\_\_\_ job. You may have to work long hours on long haul flights and not get enough sleep.  
A. tedious                      B. demanding              C. rewarding              D. fascinating
- I think that doing medical research would be really \_\_\_\_ because this job would save people's lives.  
A. challenging              B. tiresome                      C. rewarding              D. monotonous
- I am writing in \_\_\_\_ to your advertisement on *Vietnamework.com* for the post of a personal assistant.  
A. connection              B. association              C. relation                      D. response
- Some people \_\_\_\_ to London every day from as far away as Leeds.  
A. connect                      B. commute                      C. commence              D. correspond
- When the factory closed, over a hundred people were \_\_\_\_ redundant.  
A. made                      B. given                      C. taken                      D. done
- Most governments tax people on the amount of money they \_\_\_\_ each year.  
A. win                      B. gain                      C. earn                      D. benefit
- After working at the same company for thirty years, my grandfather was looking forward to his \_\_\_\_.  
A. overtime                      B. pension                      C. charity                      D. allowance
- Albert Einstein's contributions to scientific theory were ..... those of Galileo and Newton  
A. important than              B. more important  
C. the most important              D. as important as
- The harder you learn.....  
A. The better is your English              B. The better will be your English  
C. The better becomes your English              D. The better your English will be
- Don't you think you should apply for the job \_\_\_\_ writing?  
A. with                      B. for                      C. at                      D. in
- Peter can not earn ..... his wife.  
A. as many money as              B. as much money as  
C. as many money than              D. as much money than
- This car is ..... than mine.  
A. less expensive              B. as expensive              C. expensive              D. not so expensive
- In some professions, you have to \_\_\_\_ when you're 60 or 65 years old.  
A. resign                      B. terminate                      C. retire                      D. dismiss
- We began \_\_\_\_ looking round for advertising agencies which have experience of our market.  
A. to                      B. with                      C. by                      D. at
- The covering letter wasn't attached \_\_\_\_ the CV.  
A. to                      B. with                      C. from                      D. by
- Certificates provide proofs of your \_\_\_\_.  
A. qualifications              B. qualities                      C. diplomas                      D. ambitions
- I'd like to speak to the person in \_\_\_\_ please.  
A. duty                      B. responsibility              C. obligation                      D. charge

22. When you \_\_\_\_ the interview, remember to bring some sample of your work.  
A. apply                      B. join                      C. attend                      D. make
23. I would be grateful for an opportunity to visit your company and discuss my application with you \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. in privacy                      B. individually                      C. privately                      D. in person
24. If my application is successful, I will be able to start work from 15<sup>th</sup> of August when I finish all my exams. I am \_\_\_\_ my CV with this letter.  
A. sending                      B. attaching                      C. closing                      D. enclosing
25. Like many young people today, I'm thinking about taking a year \_\_\_\_ first, or as people often say, spending a year at "the university of life".  
A. off                      B. away                      C. out                      D. at
26. He has all the right \_\_\_\_ for the job.  
A. certificates                      B. degrees                      C. diplomas                      D. qualifications
27. Before we apply for any jobs, we need to prepare a good CV and a \_\_\_\_ very carefully.  
A. resume                      B. job interview                      C. covering letter                      D. reference
28. Employers always want job \_\_\_\_ to be able to demonstrate their skills and qualities.  
A. employees                      B. workers                      C. staff                      D. applicants
29. There are usually a lot of job seekers applying for one position. Only a few of them are \_\_\_\_ for an interview.  
A. shortlisted                      B. listed                      C. screened                      D. tested
30. My application was not successful; there were more than 4,000 applicants and only 20 were selected. I realized that apprenticeship were very \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. demanding                      B. crowding                      C. competitive                      D. difficult
31. When preparing a CV, university \_\_\_\_ can consider attaching a separate report about official work experience during the course.  
A. graduates                      B. leavers                      C. candidates                      D. applicants
32. An apprentice is required to do several years' \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. coaching                      B. education                      C. formation                      D. training
33. According to everyone in the \_\_\_\_, she's a very good boss.  
A. apartment                      B. compartment                      C. department                      D. employment
34. She's looking for a better position with another \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. association                      B. firm                      C. house                      D. society
35. It's wise to think about choosing a \_\_\_\_ before leaving school.  
A. business                      B. career                      C. living                      D. profession
36. A doctor is a member of a respected \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. occupation                      B. profession                      C. trade                      D. work
37. I hope I \_\_\_\_ before I'm thirty.  
A. win a lot of prizes                      B. will win a lot of prizes  
C. will have won a lot of prizes                      D. have won a lot of prizes
38. Maybe I \_\_\_\_ famous by the age of thirty-five.  
A. become                      B. have become                      C. will become                      D. will have become
39. I hope I \_\_\_\_ millions of dollars from my business by the age of forty.  
A. make                      B. will make                      C. have made                      D. will have made
40. At ten o'clock, I \_\_\_\_ my mathematics homework for three hours.  
A. will be doing                      B. will have been doing                      C. have done                      D. do
41. We probably \_\_\_\_ by the time you get home.  
A. don't leave                      B. won't leave                      C. won't have left                      D. haven't left
42. If you are paid monthly, rather than weekly, you receive \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. revenue                      B. a reward                      C. a salary                      D. wages
43. The purpose of running a business is to make a \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. service                      B. profit                      C. money                      D. contribution
44. The \_\_\_\_ were delivered to the warehouse by lorry.  
A. data                      B. goods                      C. material                      D. stuff
45. Many young people travel all over the world and do all kinds of jobs before they \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. lie down                      B. settle down                      C. touch down                      D. put down
46. In Britain, people are usually unwilling to tell other people how much they \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. earn                      B. obtain                      C. deserves                      D. gain
47. If you're a(n) \_\_\_\_ you have to do what your boss tells you.  
A. director                      B. employee                      C. employer                      D. manager
48. You can earn more money by working \_\_\_\_.  
A. extraordinary hours                      B. overhours                      C. overtime                      D. supplementary hours
49. It's difficult these days for a young person to find a well-paid \_\_\_\_ job.  
A. eternal                      B. reliable                      C. permanent                      D. stable
50. She was \_\_\_\_ after three years with the company.  
A. advanced                      B. raised                      C. elevated                      D. promoted
51. Every year several languages \_\_\_\_\_. Some people think that this is not important because life will be easier if there are fewer languages in the world.  
A. die away                      B. die out                      C. die off                      D. die down
51. *Xoan* singing is a vocal art of villages in the ancestral land of Phu Tho. It has been \_\_\_\_ for generations and the oral tradition is still very much alive today.  
A. handed down                      B. landed on                      C. passed by                      D. taken over
53. Geographical position has given India a chance to develop a \_\_\_\_ culture and this cultural \_\_\_\_ is a big "pull" factor for travelers from different countries.  
A. unique – unique                      B. unique - uniqueness  
C. uniqueness – unique                      D. uniqueness - uniqueness
54. Most companies show \_\_\_\_ against the obese.  
A. prejudice                      B. prejudicing                      C. prejudice                      D. prejudging
55. As soon as Dad \_\_\_\_, we can leave.  
A. got the car to start                      B. has got the car started                      C. got started the car                      D. was got starting the car
56. My teeth were little yellow, so I \_\_\_\_ by the dentist.  
A. had cleaned them                      B. had them cleaned                      C. have them cleaned                      D. was cleaned them
57. Can we \_\_\_\_ this summer?  
A. get installed air-conditioning                      B. get air-conditioning to install  
C. have air-conditioning installed                      D. have installed air-conditioning
58. The robot manufacturer \_\_\_\_ their outdated robots for the next generation robots.  
A. asked his customers exchange                      B. got his customers exchanged  
C. had his customers exchanged                      D. had his customers exchange
59. Thanks to the A. I applications, Internet users \_\_\_\_ into a new language in real time.  
A. can translate webpages                      B. can have webpages translate  
C. can have webpages translated                      D. can get webpages to translate
60. At ten o'clock, I \_\_\_\_ my mathematics homework for three hours.  
A. will be doing                      B. will have been doing                      C. have done                      D. do

**III. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.**

1. Ha Anh can now speak English more well than the last time I met him.  
A                      B                      C                      D
2. She is much more intelligent than Nam does.  
A                      B                      C                      D
- 3 The more rich he is, the more miserable he gets.  
A                      B                      C                      D
4. Joyce thanked us inviting them to dinner and said that they wanted to have us over for dinner next week  
A                      B                      C                      D
5. It would have been better if you wouldn't have taken a year out in the first place.  
A                      B                      C                      D
6. Suppose you haven't found your USB, what would you have done?  
A                      B                      C                      D
7. Although her friends tried to persuade her to apply for the job at a local factory, but Christine refused  
A                      B                      C                      D  
to make an application.
8. If Mariana been able to complete her thesis instead of returning to work, she would have graduated a  
A                      B                      C                      D

year ago.

9. My friend offered finding more information about the company that I was applying to.  
A B C D
10. She asked me what the most important thing to remember at an interview is.  
A B C D

**IV. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

1. My work is challenging, of course, because it involves both a sales function and a technique function.  
A. fascinating B. rewarding C. stimulating D. demanding
2. She's doing well so she was promoted last year. Now she's in charge of a small team of four people.  
A. controls B. supervises C. takes over D. rules
3. Somebody looks at the detailed specification for the installation and then another colleague researches the cost of the labor and materials.  
A. co-worker B. employee C. staff D. supervisor
4. I've been working here for over ten years now and I'm on first-name terms with everyone, even the CEO.  
A. getting on B. happy  
C. having an informal/friendly relationship D. satisfied
5. As he lived in a small town outside the city, he had to commute every day.  
A. take a bus to work B. drive to work  
C. take a lift to work D. travel a long way to and from work
6. The atmosphere at work was so bad that Brian eventually decided to hand in his notice.  
A. notify the boss B. apply for another job C. give up his job D. be given a better job
7. My boss has a reputation for being such a slave-driver!  
A. working overtime B. working excessively hard  
C. being slave to work D. making his staff work too hard
8. There are excellent prospects for promotion, and you'll know you're doing something to benefit society.  
A. opportunities B. likelihoods C. futures D. potentials
9. We want to recruit the brightest and the best. If you think you fit the bill, fill in an application form today.  
A. are able to pay the bill B. are suitable C. are of the right size D. are excellent
10. I am available for an interview all afternoons, except on Tuesday because I am doing a computer course to improve my typing skills.  
A. willing B. free C. impatient D. longing
11. Finally, Amy decided to quit her job as she couldn't stand doing the same things days in days out. It's so monotonous!  
A. easy B. low-paid C. tedious D. secure
12. Lucy has just finished her A levels and she has got a place at university, but she would really like a break from the academic world. Therefore, she decides to take a gap year and travel around the world!  
A. a year off B. a year out C. a year away D. a year's trip 122
13. The experience from an adventurous expedition to a rainforest will broaden your horizons and teach you new skills.  
A. expand your range of interests and knowledge B. open your views  
C. widen your eyes D. be an eye-opener
14. I consider myself to be trustworthy, responsible and enthusiastic.  
A. worthwhile B. talented C. honest D. skilled
15. I registered with some online employment agencies, and they found a vacancy almost immediately.  
A. work B. an available job C. career D. place

**V. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

1. Well, I want to go straight to university, but I'm also thinking of applying for a temporary job in the summer.  
A. part-time B. full-time C. permanent D. seasonal

2. John was promoted last month for being such a committed worker.  
A. dishonest                      B. irresponsible                      C. unenthusiastic                      D. unreliable
3. With so many breakthroughs in robotic science and technology, much manual work will soon be taken over by robots.  
A. intellectual work                      B. physical work                      C. monotonous work                      D. dull work
4. I'd go mad if I had to do a dead-end job like working on a supermarket checkout.  
A. boring                      B. monotonous                      C. fascinating                      D. demanding
5. He's just so flexible. He'll adapt to any situation.  
A. adaptable                      B. rigid                      C. intelligent                      D. autonomous
6. One by one, the stars appeared in the sky.  
A. broke out                      B. blossomed                      C. vanished                      D. performed
7. If the candidates can perform well and impress the interviewers during the interview, they can be recruited.  
A. taken on                      B. dismissed                      C. employed                      D. chosen
8. To become a librarian, you need to be really well-organized.  
A. in order                      B. neat and tidy                      C. compassionate                      D. messy
9. What exactly are white collar workers? They are people who work in offices and administrative positions.  
A. manual                      B. intellectual                      C. official                      D. desk-job
10. Most, not to say all of the employers want to look for candidates with punctuality, so make sure you make a positive impression on them by showing up on time for the interview.  
A. good time management                      B. ability to meet deadlines                      C. being late                      D. being in time
- 11: Inadequate supply of oxygen to the blood can cause death within minutes.  
A. Sufficient                      B. Rich                      C. Nonexistent                      D. Useful
- 12: I will have to whisper to you, otherwise he will hear.  
A. shout                      B. say                      C. talk                      D. whistle
- 13: Unless you water your indoor plants regularly and give them the necessary vitamins, you can't expect them to look healthy.  
A. outdoor                      B. front-door                      C. door                      D. side-door
- 14: I find it hard to work at home because there are too many distractions.  
A. attentions                      B. unawareness                      C. unconcern                      D. carelessness
- 15: The consequences of the typhoon were disastrous due to the lack of precautionary measures.  
A. physical                      B. damaging                      C. beneficial                      D. severe

**VI. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct response to each of the following exchanges.**

1. "It usually costs £150, but I got it for £75 in the sale!" " \_\_\_\_\_"  
A. Lucky you.                      B. Really? You are so lucky.                      C. It's a real bargain!                      D. I'm not that lucky.
2. "What qualities do you have that make you a suitable candidate for this post?" " \_\_\_\_\_"  
A. Well, I have a lot of qualifications that match.  
B. I'm highly qualified for the post.  
C. I used to work in a similar position for two years.  
D. I consider myself to be trustworthy, responsible and punctual.
3. "Do you like my jacket? It's made of pure silk." " \_\_\_\_\_"  
A. You're such a show off!                      B. No, not for me.  
C. Really? It must have cost you a fortune.                      D. Yes, give it to me.
4. "What do you do for a living?" " \_\_\_\_\_"  
A. I live by working as a secretary.                      B. I live a happy life, thank you.  
C. I earn enough for a living.                      D. I am a secretary.
5. "How much do you earn in your new job?" " \_\_\_\_\_"  
A. That's a bit nose of you!                      B. You shouldn't ask that.  
C. I'm not your slave!                      D. You can be so bossy at times!
6. "I think Mark took some money from my bag while we were out." " \_\_\_\_\_"  
A. No, he's far too sensible to do a thing like that.  
B. No, he's much too shy to do a thing like that.  
C. No, he's far too honest to do a thing like that.  
D. No, he's much too proud to do a thing like that.
7. "Don't come to the interview late," my mom said.

- A. My mom told me do not come to the interview late.
  - B. My mom told me did not come to the interview late.
  - C. My mom told me not to come to the interview late.
  - D. My mom told me not coming to the interview late.
8. "I will help you with your CV, Mary," Peter said.
- A. Peter advised Mary to write the CV.
  - B. Peter promised to help Mary with her CV.
  - C. Peter advised Mary not to write her CV.
  - D. Peter wanted Mary to help with the CV.
9. "\_\_\_\_," the doctor advised his patient.
- A. You had better stop drinking
  - B. You had better to drink
  - C. I would like you to drink
  - D. Please drink some more
10. "\_\_\_\_," Paul reminded me.
- A. Don't forget to tailor your CV to match the job descriptions
  - B. I would tailor your CV if you do not mind
  - C. I remember to tailor the CV
  - D. I remember tailoring your CV

## WRITING

*Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.*

1. Thanks to her high grades at university, Barbara is offered the position.
  - A. If she got high grades at university, Barbara would be offered the position.
  - B. It was her high grades at university which offer Barbara the position.
  - C. If she hadn't got high grades at university, Barbara would not have been offered the position.
  - D. If she had not got high grades at university, Barbara would not be offered the position.
2. Unless you come on time, we will go without you.
  - A. Come on time or we will go without you.
  - B. Come on time, we will go without you.
  - C. Because of your punctuality, we will go without you.
  - D. Without your coming on time, we will go.
3. They got success in their job interviews since they took my advice.
  - A. They took my advice, and failed in their job interviews.
  - B. If they did not take my advice, they would not get success in their job interviews.
  - C. But for taking my advice, they would not have got success in their job interviews.
  - D. My advice stopped them from getting success in the job interviews.
4. They waited such a long time that baby Caroline started to cry.
  - A. They waited too long for baby Caroline not to cry.
  - B. They waited so long that baby Caroline started to cry.
  - C. They waited long enough for baby Caroline to start to cry.
  - D. They waited enough long for baby Caroline to start to cry.
5. Although he lacked experience, he was offered the job.
  - A. Despite of his lack experience, he was offered the job.
  - B. Despite of his lack of experience, he was offered the job.
  - C. In spite of his lack experience, he was offered the job.
  - D. In spite of the fact that he lacked experience, he was offered the job.
6. As long as you finish your work, you can leave early.
  - A. You can't leave early until you finish your work.
  - B. Unless you finish your work, you can leave early.
  - C. Provided that you finish your work, you can leave early.
  - D. If only you finish your work, you can leave early.
7. The secretary said, "Sorry, I will never work on Sunday."
  - A. The secretary promised not to work on Sunday.
  - B. The secretary refused not to work on Sunday.
  - C. The secretary reminded her boss to work on Sunday.
  - D. The secretary refused to work on Sunday.
8. "Joanna, please come to my office immediately," the boss said.
  - A. The boss invited Joanna to come to his office immediately.

- B. The boss warned Joanna to come to his office immediately.
  - C. The boss asked Joanna to come to his office immediately.
  - D. The boss told Joanna please come to his office immediately.
9. "Go on, Mike! Apply for the job," the father said.
- A. The father encouraged Mike to apply for the job.
  - B. The father denied applying for the job.
  - C. The father invited Mike to apply for the job.
  - D. The father forced Mike to apply for the job.
10. "I would like a cup of coffee, please," Ms. Smith said to the waitress.
- A. Ms. Smith ordered the waitress to bring her a cup of coffee.
  - B. Ms. Smith invited the waitress a cup of coffee.
  - C. Ms. Smith advised the waitress to drink a cup of coffee.
  - D. Ms. Smith warned the waitress not to drink coffee.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.**

1. He's just so flexible. He'll adapt to any situation.
- A. Flexible as he is, he cannot adapt to any situation.
  - B. He's too flexible to adapt to any situation.
  - C. He's enough flexible to adapt to any situation.
  - D. He's so flexible that he'll adapt to any situation.
2. I find it very challenging. It requires a lot of concentration and determination.
- A. I find it very challenging, so it requires a lot of concentration and determination.
  - B. I find it very challenging, yet it requires a lot of concentration and determination.
  - C. I find it very challenging, for it requires a lot of concentration and determination
  - D. I find it very challenging, though it requires a lot of concentration and determination.
3. I judge by the car he drives. I'd say he's got a pretty good job.
- A. Because I judge by the car he drives, I'd say he's got a pretty good job.
  - B. When I judge by the car he drives, I'd say he's got a pretty good job.
  - C. Unless I judge by the car he drives, I'd say he's got a pretty good job
  - D. Judging by the car he drives, I'd say he's got a pretty good job.
4. You gave us timely warning. We were unaware of the danger.
- A. But for your timely warning, we would have been unaware of the danger.
  - B. Because of your timely warning, we would have been unaware of the danger.
  - C. Despite your timely warning, we would have been unaware of the danger.
  - D. Instead of your timely warning, we would have been unaware of the danger.
- 5 I didn't understand his instructions. I asked him to repeat what he had said.
- A. I didn't understand his instructions because I asked him to repeat what he had said.
  - B. I didn't understand his instructions, and I asked him to repeat what he had said.
  - C. I didn't understand his instructions, for I asked him to repeat what he had said.
  - D. I didn't understand his instructions, so I asked him to repeat what he had said
6. Thousands of languages are at risk of extinction. You know one of them, then teach it to others.
- A. As long as you know one of thousands of languages that are at risk of extinction, then teach it to others.
  - B. If you know one of thousands of languages that are at risk of extinction, teach it to others.
  - C. For you know one of thousands of languages that are at risk of extinction, teach it to others.
  - D. Whenever you know one of thousands of languages that are at risk of extinction, then teach it to others.
7. We paid for the meal. We wanted to say sorry for what we had done.
- A. In order to pay for the meal, we wanted to say sorry for what we had done.
  - B. We paid for the meal in order to say sorry for what we had done.
  - C. We paid for the meal although we wanted to say sorry for what we had done.
  - D. The meal we paid for is what we want to say sorry for what we had done.
8. My sister thinks the film is too frightening. I am not scared at all.
- A. My sister thinks the film is too frightening because I am not scared at all.
  - B. My sister thinks the film is too frightening so I am not scared at all.
  - C. My sister thinks the film is too frightening whereas I am not scared at all.



- D. My sister thinks the film is too frightening although I am not scared at all.
9. He bought her flowers and diamond rings. This action made her fall in love with him.
- A. He bought her flowers and diamond rings, what made her fall in love with him.  
 B. He bought her flowers and diamond rings, that made her fall in love with him.  
 C. He bought her flowers and diamond rings, which made her fall in love with him.  
 D. He bought her flowers and diamond rings which made her fall in love with him.
10. He was so angry with his boss. He quitted his job immediately.
- A. Angry with his boss, he quitted his job immediately.  
 B. He quitted his job immediately, angry with his boss.  
 C. Angry with his boss he is, he quitted his job immediately.  
 D. He was so angry with his boss although quitting his job immediately.
11. Something hit the door. I heard a slam.
- A. Something hit the door but I heard a slam.  
 B. Something hit the door when I heard a slam.  
 C. Something hit the door though I heard a slam.  
 D. Something hit the door for I heard a slam.
12. He doesn't like going out. He doesn't invite any friends home.
- A. He either goes out or invites any friends home.  
 B. He neither goes out nor invites any friends home.  
 C. He not only goes out but also invites any friends home.  
 D. He goes out but not invites any friends home.

## READING

*I. 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.*

The latest addiction to trap thousands of people is Internet, which has been (1)\_\_\_\_\_ for broken relationships, job losses, financial ruin and even one suicide. Psychologists now recognize Internet Addiction Syndrome (IAS) as a new illness that could cause serious problems and ruin many lives. Special help groups have been set up to (2)\_\_\_\_\_ sufferers help and support.

IAS is similar to other problems like gambling, smoking and drinking: addicts have dreams about Internet; they need to use it first thing in the morning; they (3)\_\_\_\_\_ to their partners about how much time they spend online; they wish they could cut down, but are unable to do so. A recent study found that many users spend up to 40 hours a week on the Internet; although they felt guilty, they became depressed if they were (4)\_\_\_\_\_ to stop using it.

Almost anyone can be at risk. Some of the addicts are teenagers who are already hooked on computer games and who (5)\_\_\_\_\_ it very difficult to resist the games on the Internet. Surprisingly, however, psychologists say that most victims are middle-aged housewives who have never used a computer before.

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| 1. : A. accused   | B. mistaken | C. blamed  | D. faulted |
| 2. : A. recommend | B. offer    | C. suggest | D. advise  |
| 3. : A. lie       | B. cheat    | C. deceive | D. betray  |
| 4. : A. made      | B. allowed  | C. let     | D. had     |
| 5. : A. have      | B. find     | C. feel    | D. say     |

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

Large animals that inhabit the desert have evolved a number of adaptations for reducing the effects of extreme heat. One adaptation is to be light in color, and to reflect rather than absorb the Sun's rays. Desert mammals also depart from the normal mammalian practice of **maintaining** a constant body temperature. Instead of trying to keep down the body temperature deep inside the body, which would involve the expenditure of water and energy, desert mammals allow their temperatures to rise to what would normally be fever height, and temperatures as high as 46 degrees Celsius have been measured in Grant's gazelles. The overheated body then cools down during the cold desert night, and indeed the temperature may fall unusually low by dawn, as low as 34 degrees Celsius in the camel. This is an advantage since the heat of the first few hours of daylight is absorbed in warming up the body, and an excessive buildup of heat does not begin until well into the day.

Another strategy of large desert animals is to **tolerate** the loss of body water to a point that would be fatal for non-adapted animals. The camel can lose up to 30 percent of its body weight as water without harm to itself, whereas human beings die after losing only 12 to 13 percent of their body weight. An equally important adaptation is the ability to replenish this water loss at one drink. Desert animals can drink

prodigious volumes in a short time, and camels have been known to imbibe over 100 liters in a few minutes. A very dehydrated person, on the other hand, cannot drink enough water to rehydrate at one session, because the human stomach is not sufficiently big and because a too rapid dilution of the body fluids causes death from water intoxication. The tolerance of water loss is of obvious advantage in the desert, as animals do not have to remain near a water hole but can **obtain** food from grazing sparse and far-flung pastures. Desert-adapted mammals have the further ability to feed normally when extremely dehydrated; it is a common experience in people that appetite is lost even under conditions of moderate thirst.

**Question 1:** What is the main topic of the passage?

- A. Weather variations in the desert
- B. Adaptations of desert animals.
- C. Diseases of desert animals
- D. Human use of desert animals.

**Question 2:** According to the passage, why is light coloring an advantage to large desert animals?

- A. It helps them hide from predators
- B. It does not absorb sunlight as much as dark colors
- C. It helps them see their young at night.
- D. It keeps them cool at night.

**Question 3:** The word “**maintaining**” is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. measuring
- B. inheriting
- C. preserving
- D. delaying

**Question 4:** The author uses of Grant’s gazelle as an example of

- A. an animal with a low average temperature
- B. an animal that is not as well adapted as the camel
- C. a desert animal that can withstand high body temperatures
- D. a desert animal with a constant body temperature

**Question 5:** When is the internal temperature of a large desert mammal lower?

- A. Just before sunrise
- B. In the middle of the day
- C. Just after sunset
- D. Just after drinking

**Question 6:** What causes water intoxication?

- A. Drinking too much water very quickly
- B. Drinking polluted water.
- C. Bacteria in water.
- D. Lack of water.

**Question 7:** The word “**obtain**” is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. digest
- B. carry
- C. save
- D. get