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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.

- Question 1: You may find doing this job very _____. Try it!
A. relaxing B. relaxed C. relax D. relaxation
- Question 2: No one on the plane was alive in the accident last night, _____?
A. wasn't he B. weren't they C. were they D. was he
- Question 3: We had better keep on our _____ while were walking along the dark portions of this street.
A. figures B. nails C. toes D. knees
- Question 4: He regretted spending too much time _____ computer games.
A. to B. for C. in D. on
- Question 5: He looks for any excuse he can to blow off his _____ to do housework.
A. commitment B. obligation C. assignment D. responsibility
- Question 6: _____ what she prepared for the job interview, Megan didn't pass it.
A. Despite of B. In spite of C. Though D. However
- Question 7: There is _____ table in my bedroom.
A. an old square wooden B. a square wooden old C. an old wooden square D. a wooden old square
- Question 8: The new airport has _____ a lot of changes on this island.
A. brought about B. taken to C. counted in D. turned up
- Question 9: They _____ the bridge by the time you come back.
A. will finish B. will have finished C. will be finished D. have finished
- Question 10: She won't come home _____.
A. as soon as she had finished all the paperwork B. until she has finished all the paperwork
C. by the time she finished all the paperwork D. when she was finishing all the paperwork
- Question 11: The Youth Union in our school has decided to launch a/an _____ to raise funds for local charities.
A. activity B. announcement C. campaign D. decision
- Question 12: Being helpful is good, but don't allow others to _____ advantage of your generosity.
A. get B. take C. use D. make
- Question 13: I demand to know how this vase _____, and no one is leaving till I find out.
A. got broken B. was breaking C. has broken D. is broke
- Question 14: Although _____ by the bravery of his fellow soldiers, Bloch had harsh words for the army leadership.
A. was impressed B. impressed C. having impressed D. impressing
- Question 15: The more you practice speaking in public, _____.
A. the more you become confident B. the more you become confidently
C. the greater confidence you become D. the more confident you become

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

Question 16: Tom is inviting Linda to his birthday party.

- Tom: "Would you like to come to my birthday party next week?"

- Linda: "_____"

- A. Why not? B. Yes, I'd love to. C. I don't think so. D. No, I'd love to.

Question 17: Laura is asking Tom for his idea about a vacation at the beach.

- Laura: "Do you think a vacation at the beach will do me good?"

- Tom: "_____"

- A. Sure. Have a good time there. B. Yes, I think.
C. Could you buy me something? D. Yes, it does.

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 stress in each of the following questions.

- Question 18: A. equip B. secure C. vacant D. oblige
Question 19: A. encounter B. agency C. influence D. memory

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 20: A. asked B. danced C. cashed D. studied
Question 21: A. profile B. stomach C. postpone D. cyclone

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.

- Question 22: Such problems as haste and inexperience are a universal feature of youth.
A. marked B. shared C. hidden D. separated
Question 23: If that was done on a national scale, we would wipe out this infectious disease.
A. establish B. retain C. maintain D. eliminate

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.

- Question 24: Fee-paying schools, often called "independent schools", "private schools" or "public schools"
A. college B. primary schools C. secondary schools D. state schools
Question 25: Each time you turn it on, with appropriate hardware and software, it is capable of doing almost anything you ask.
A. unsuitable B. unimportant C. ill-prepared D. irregular

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.

- Question 26: Hans told us about his investing in the company. He did it on his arrival at the meeting.
A. Only after investing in the company did Hans inform us of his arrival at the meeting.
B. Not until Hans told us that he would invest in the company did he arrive at the meeting.
C. Hardly had he informed us about his investing in the company when Hans arrived at the meeting.
D. No sooner had Hans arrived at the meeting than he told us about his investing in the company.
Question 27: The driver in front stopped so suddenly. Therefore, the accident happened.
A. If the driver in front didn't stop so suddenly, the accident wouldn't happen.
B. If the driver in front hadn't stopped so suddenly, the accident would have happened.
C. If the driver in front hadn't stopped so suddenly, the accident wouldn't have happened.
D. If the driver in front had stopped so suddenly, the accident would have happened.

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.

- Question 28: Whatever the problem is, you should think them over before coming to a decision.
A. Whatever B. coming C. them D. should
Question 29: I get tired of hearing customers' complaints yesterday morning.
A. get B. morning C. complaints D. hearing
Question 30: While design is important, the reliance of the company's products is far more valuable to most users.
A. valuable B. design C. users D. reliance

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

- Question 31: It's possible that she didn't hear what I said.
A. She might not hear what I said. B. She might have not heard what I said.
C. She may not hear what I said. D. She may not have heard what I said.
Question 32: "Stop smoking or you'll be ill," the doctor told me.
A. The doctor advised me to give up smoking to avoid illness.
B. The doctor suggested smoking to treat illness.
C. I was warned against smoking a lot of cigarettes.
D. I was ordered not to smoke to recover from illness.
Question 33: I haven't heard from Mike for several months.
A. I didn't hear from Mike several months ago. B. Mike didn't hear from me several months ago.
C. Mike heard from me several months ago. D. I last heard from Mike several months ago.

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 34 to 38.

It is crystal clear that there are advantages and disadvantages to everything in everyone's life, and that includes our social networking habits. The practical advantages and disadvantages of social media are a subject of frequent discussion.

Participation in social media by the general public has (34) _____ sharply over the past nine years. In the U.S., the percentage of adults using social media has increased from 8% to 72% since 2005. Using social media is widespread across all ages and professions and is common around the world. Social media enables users to connect (35) _____ others and create a community. It's more about building relationships than simply announcing or posting and not engaging with others. It is undeniably changing the way one communicates. Here are some of advantages that most people are familiar with.

Using online social networks in the educational process has been supported by several educational technology researchers, (36) _____ have emphasized the benefits of technologies. Rising of social networking sites, and a general interest in students have attracted attention to the use of internet tools to develop distance education. We have the chance to connect with others and share information through social media. It's the communication that brings us all together, and it's easily accessible. You can build a relationship with your customers that makes them more likely to use your services. You can get the feedback right away. All important things such as major news events, missing person, weather information, etc. can cover in the world in a moment. It lets us share anything with others. Instead of (37) _____ a publishing company, social media allows artists to satisfy a million people and keep creative control for themselves. It helps you to (38) _____ your goals: If your objective is to be healthier, joining a group with the same purpose and making long-distance friends help keep you accountable can go a long way towards making those goals a reality. Encouragement and support are crucial, and Social Media can help with that.

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| Question 34: | A. increased | B. decreased | C. shown | D. raised |
| Question 35: | A. over | B. from | C. with | D. to |
| Question 36: | A. which | B. who | C. that | D. whom |
| Question 37: | A. convinced | B. to convince | C. convince | D. convincing |
| Question 38: | A. define | B. have | C. achieve | D. catch |

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 39 to 43.

Satoru Iwata was made the CEO of Nintendo in 2002. At that time, the video game market was suffering, and Nintendo was having trouble with its sales. Iwata thought that a change in strategy was due. Previously, the strategy in the game industry was to keep making the same kinds of games and consoles but just improve their power and complexity. However, Iwata didn't just want to attract dedicated gamers. He wanted to bring in new kinds of players to video gaming. How was he going to do that? He decided to change the very concept of video games.

Iwata wanted to make video games easier to pick up and more relevant to peoples lives. Out of this idea came the Nintendo DS. People interacted more directly with the game by using a touch screen instead of just a set of buttons. Iwata took this idea to the extreme with the motion-based Wii. Now, just by using natural body movements, players can enjoy playing all sorts of games.

The kinds of games produced changed as well. Along with the regular role-playing game (RPG), action, and sport games, new kinds of "games" were designed. Some of these new games, like Brain Age, improved thinking abilities. Others, like Wii Fit, improved fitness. This has brought in a new age of gaming. Everyone from grandparents to their grandchildren seems to be playing Nintendo products. With all that we have seen so far, we can only wonder what is next for Iwata. Surely it will be something groundbreaking.

Question 39: What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. Satoru Iwata is a man with amazing ideas.
- B. Gaming is not just for dedicated gamers anymore.
- C. Satoru Iwata is an important man for dedicated gamers
- D. The gaming industry is making educational games now.

Question 40: What first motivated Iwata to change the strategy of Nintendo?

- A. He wanted to make useful consoles.
- B. He wanted to lower sales.
- C. He wanted to attract more players.
- D. He wanted a new concept for gaming.

Question 41: The word "that" in paragraph 2 refer to _____.

- A. bringing in new kinds of players to video gaming
- B. attracting dedicated gamers
- C. making the same kinds of games
- D. improving games' power and complexity

Question 42: Which is **TRUE** about changes Iwata make about the world of gaming?

- A. More games for children and girls.
- B. More dedicated games.
- C. Created a new style of gaming.
- D. Less expensive game systems.

Question 43: The word "groundbreaking" in the last paragraph is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. innovative
- B. bad
- C. beautiful
- D. natural

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 50.

Until relatively recently, newspapers were our primary source of daily news. They must now compete, however, with online news, social media and television in a progressively digital age. The internet is changing the way people get their news, leaving a dwindling audience willing to pay for their daily paper. But given that the form first emerged in early-17th

- A. slim B. adverse C. serious D. negative

Question 41. Which of the following is true, according to the passage?

- A. The Japanese witnessed a decline in motorisation prior to other Western nations.
 B. Public transport usage has risen considerably as a result of congestion pricing.
 C. Virtual commuters prefer to live in inner-city apartments rather than the cities' outskirts.
 D. People today enjoy using social media more than visiting friends and family face to face.

Question 42. Which of the following can be inferred from the passage?

- A. The environment may benefit should the current trends in motorisation continue.
 B. The elderly no longer show any interest in using cars.
 C. The younger generation are more cautious with their money than previous generations.
 D. More people still travel by car though there is an economic downturn.

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Question 43: To produce a favourite impression, one needs to pay attention to his personal appearance.

- A. favourite B. one C. pay attention D. personal

Question 44: When we were in Canada, we play basketball almost every day.

- A. When B. in C. play D. almost

Question 45: K-pop girl group Blackpink will be celebrating the fifth anniversary of her debut with the unveiling of a special film.

- A. celebrating B. anniversary C. her D. a

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.

Question 46. Linda last went to her university 3 months ago.

- A. Linda hasn't gone to her university for 3 months.
 B. The last time Linda goes to her university 3 months ago.
 C. This was the first time Linda has gone to her university since 3 months ago.
 D. Linda never goes to her university within 3 months.

Question 47. It's obligatory for teachers to change their teaching methods.

- A. Teachers should change their teaching methods.
 B. Teachers may change their teaching methods.
 C. Teachers must change their teaching methods.
 D. Teachers need to change their teaching methods.

Question 48. "Please send me a message when you go home," said Tom to Peter.

- A. Tom told Peter to send him a message when he went home.
 B. Tom encouraged Peter to send him a message when he goes home.
 C. Tom invited Peter to send him a message when he went home.
 D. Tom warned Peter against sending him a message when he went home.

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.

Question 49. Jack came down with a cold. He couldn't attend the webinar on the computer-delivered IELTS test.

- A. If only Jack hadn't come down with a cold and he could attend the webinar on the computer-delivered IELTS test.
 B. If it hadn't been for a cold, Jack could have attended the webinar on the computer-delivered IELTS test.
 C. Jack wished he had come down with a cold and he could have attended the webinar on the computer-delivered IELTS test.
 D. So long as Jack came down with a cold, he couldn't attend the webinar on the computer-delivered IELTS test.

Question 50. The environmental campaign has become very influential. People in my area have started to clean up contaminated rivers.

- A. Only after the environmental campaign has become very influential have people in my area started to clean up contaminated rivers.
 B. Not until people in my living area have started to clean up contaminated rivers has the environmental campaign become very influential.
 C. Were not the environmental campaign very influential, people in my living area wouldn't have started to clean up contaminated rivers.
 D. So influential has the environmental campaign become that people in my living area have started to clean up contaminated rivers.

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