

**A. Content**

Unit	Topics	Phonetics	Vocabulary	Grammar
7	Natural wonders of the world	Sounds: /s/ and / sn/	Natural wonders	Reported speech (Yes/ No questions)
8	Tourism	Stress in words ending in –ic and – ious	Tourism	Relative clause
9	World Englishes	Stress in words ending in –ion and – ity	- Aspects of language - English language learning	Defining relative clause

**B. Reference tests:**

**PRACTICE TEST 1**

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 1. A. bilingual                      B. establish                      C. official                      D. variety  
Question 2. A. chemistry                      B. exchange                      C. touching                      D. cheerful

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.

- Question 3. A. propose                      B. model                      C. standard                      D. fluent  
Question 4. A. decision                      B. emotion                      C. functional                      D. obesity

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

- Question 5. When you \_\_\_\_\_ a word in the dictionary, remember to learn its pronunciation.  
A. pick up                      B. give up                      C. look up                      D. bring up

- Question 6. The professor suggested John \_\_\_\_\_ a multimedia presentation on different varieties of English.  
A. give                      B. gives                      C. gave                      D. giving

- Question 7. If I had more time, I \_\_\_\_\_ a Business English course.  
A. take                      B. took                      C. will take                      D. would take

- Question 8. Mum \_\_\_\_\_ us for dinner while we \_\_\_\_\_ board game last night.  
A. called – were playing                      B. was calling – were playing  
C. was calling - played                      D. called - played

- Question 9. The festival \_\_\_\_\_ celebrates cultural diversity attracts many visitors.  
A. who                      B. which                      C. whose                      D. where

- Question 10. *Tim*: Good luck with your entrance exam into high school!  
*Mark*: \_\_\_\_\_

- A. You are right.                      B. What nonsense!  
C. I hope so.                      D. Thanks so much. I'll try my best.

- Question 11. \_\_\_\_\_ is the language that you first learn to speak at home.  
A. First language                      B. Global language                      C. Common language                      D. Official

- Question 12. I can speak \_\_\_\_\_ words of French, but I can't write them.  
A. few                      B. a few                      C. little                      D. a little

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.

**English Center Opening**

We are excited to open our new English Language Center! 🎉

We offer courses for all levels, from beginners to (13) \_\_\_\_\_. Our friendly teachers will help you with speaking, listening, reading, and writing.

Join us now to enjoy (14) \_\_\_\_\_ discounts and free trial classes. For more details, visit our (15) \_\_\_\_\_ website or call us at 0963490882. We can't wait to see you!

Let's start learning together (16) \_\_\_\_\_ our new center!

**Question 13:** A. advance      B. advanced      C. advancing      D. advancement

**Question 14:** A. specially      B. speciality      C. special      D. speacialist

**Question 15:** A. a      B. an      C. the      D. no article

**Question 16:** A. at      B. in      C. on      D. by

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

**Question 17. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.**  
English is currently the most popular foreign language in Vietnam. \_\_\_\_\_

- a. Firstly, English is widely used in Vietnam for international business and tourism.
- b. In addition, many schools in Vietnam teach English as a second language from an early age.
- c. For instance, English is often used in popular tourist destinations, such as Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City.
- d. Moreover, English proficiency helps Vietnamese people connect with the global community and access international resources.

A. a-c-b-d      B. a-b-c-d      C. a-d-b-c      D. a-b-d-c

**Question 18: Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.**

- A. Therefore, learning English can provide valuable opportunities for students and professionals in Vietnam.
- B. To begin with, English is spoken all over the world in different ways.
- C. Furthermore, English is taught as a second language in many countries.
- D. Also, it is used in international business and travel.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

English is the most important in the world today. A very large (19) \_\_\_\_\_ of people understand and use English in many countries of the world.

Indeed, English is a very useful language. If we speak English we can go to any place or country we like. We shall not find it hard to (20) \_\_\_\_\_ people understand what we want to say.

English also helps us to learn all kinds of subjects. Hundreds of books are published in English every day in many countries to teach people many useful things. (21) \_\_\_\_\_ English language has, therefore, helped to spread ideas and knowledge to all the comers of the world. There is no subject that cannot be (22) \_\_\_\_\_ in English.

As English is used so much everywhere in the world, it has helped to make the countries in the world more friendly. The leaders of the world use English to understand one another. The English language has also helped to spread better understanding and (23) \_\_\_\_\_ among countries of the world.

Lastly, a person who knows English is respected by people. It is for all these (24) \_\_\_\_\_ that I want to learn English.

(Source: Internet)

**Question 19:** A. few      B. deal      C. amount      D. number

**Question 20:** A. get      B. let      C. persuade      D. make

**Question 21:** A. X      B. A      C. That      D. The

**Question 22:** A. known      B. knew      C. teach      D. taught

**Question 23:** A. friends      B. friendly      C. friendship      D. friendliness

**Question 24:** A. reasons      B. causes      C. effects      D. results

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

**Question 25.** "Why don't we spend more time playing outdoors?" the students said

- A. I don't think we should spend more time playing outdoors.
- B. The students suggested spending more time playing outdoors.
- C. Spending more time playing outdoors is a must.
- D. The doctor should spend more time playing outdoors

**Question 26.** I speak enough German for holidays.

- A. I get by in German for holidays.
- B. I get by German for holidays.

- C. I get over German for holidays.
- D. I picked up a few German words for holidays

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27.** I/ wish/ fluent/ English/ study/ abroad.

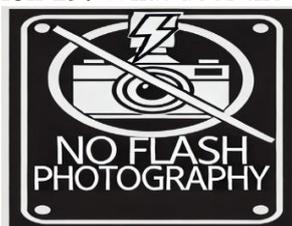
- A. I wish I am fluent in English to study abroad.
- B. I wish I were fluent in English to study abroad.
- C. I wish and am fluent in English to study abroad
- D. I wish I were fluent at English to study abroad.

**Question 28.** Nurse/ person/ look after/ patients.

- A. A person who is a nurse looks after patients.
- B. A person is a nurse who looks after patients.
- C. A nurse who is a person looks after patients.
- D. A nurse is a person who looks after patients.

**Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

**Question 29.** What does the sign say?



- A. You must use flash when taking photos.
- B. You cannot take photos in this area.
- C. You cannot use flash when taking photos here.
- D. This area prohibits photography.

**Question 30.** What does the notice say?

Access is available for  
members only

- A. This area is open to the public.
- B. If you are a member, you can enter.
- C. Anyone can be a member.
- D. Non-members must pay a fee to enter.

**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 following questions from 31 to 36.**

Using English well can help you in many ways. It can **improve** your chances for a good job and help you talk with people from different places. But just knowing some words and grammar is not enough. You need to use **it** in the right way.

To use English well, you should understand when to use simple words or more formal words. In a work setting, it is important to be clear and direct. This means saying what you need to say without using too many difficult words. In casual conversations, you can be more relaxed, but it is still good to be clear.

Practicing English every day is important. You can read, write, and speak in English often. **Joining groups** or finding friends to practice with can help you get better. Listening to English speakers and practicing how you speak can also improve your skills.

In the end, the key is to use English comfortably and correctly in different situations. With regular practice, you can become good at speaking and understanding English.

**Question 31.** Which of the following is the best title for the passage?

- A. How to use English well
- B. The best English words to learn
- C. Why grammar is important
- D. Different ways to learn English

**Question 32.** The word "**improve**" in paragraph 1 most likely means \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. make better
- B. make worse
- C. ignore
- D. learn less

**Question 33.** According to paragraph 2, using English in a work setting means \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. using only difficult words
- B. being clear and direct
- C. being relaxed
- D. avoiding speaking

**Question 34.** The phrase “**joining groups**” in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. becoming part of a group
- B. stopping a group
- C. finding new words
- D. practicing alone

**Question 35.** The word “**it**” in paragraph 1 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. English
- B. book
- C. grammar
- D. tool

**Question 36.** Why is practicing English every day important?

- A. To learn new words
- B. To meet new people
- C. To improve your skills
- D. To understand grammar better

*Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.*

### **How to Learn English Well**

Learning English can be hard, but you can make it easier with some simple steps. \_\_\_\_\_ (37). Think about why you want to learn English. It could be to speak better, write better, or pass a test. Having a goal will help you stay focused.

Listening to English often is very useful. You can listen to English radio, watch movies, or view videos online. \_\_\_\_\_ (38).

Speaking English is also important. You can find a friend to practice with, join a group, or take online classes. Do not worry about making mistakes. Mistakes help you learn.

Reading and writing in English is helpful too. \_\_\_\_\_ (39). Write a diary or chat online in English. This helps you learn new words and practice your writing.

There are also apps and websites that can help you learn English. Apps like Duolingo and Memrise are good for learning new words. Websites like Grammarly help you check your writing.

Try to study a little every day. Even 10-15 minutes a day is good. This regular practice helps you get better over time.

\_\_\_\_\_ (40). Speak English when you are shopping, write emails, or talk to friends. Using English every day helps you become more fluent.

Remember, learning English takes time and patience. With these tips and regular practice, you will improve quickly.

- A. Finally, use English in real life
- B. First, you need to have clear goals
- C. This helps you get used to how people speak English
- D. Read books, newspapers, and simple articles in English.

**Question 37.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Question 38.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Question 39.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Question 40.** \_\_\_\_\_

## PRACTICE TEST 2

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 1. A. slopes                      B. island                      C. slide                      D. slippery  
Question 2. A. centre                      B. travel                      C. countryside                      D. tram

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.

- Question 3. A. fantastic                      B. specialty                      C. authentic                      D. delicious  
Question 4. A. Atlantic                      B. historic                      C. energy                      D. exotic

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

Question 5. When visiting the stunning beaches of Da Nang, many tourists can't help \_\_\_\_\_ at the beautiful sunset.

- A. to stare                      B. stare                      C. stared                      D. staring

Question 6. When she arrived at the mountain \_\_\_\_\_, she saw a breathtaking view that stretched for miles.

- A. bottom                      B. height                      C. peak                      D. site

Question 7. Many ancient temples were left in a \_\_\_\_\_ state after centuries of neglect.

- A. modern                      B. ruinous                      C. domestic                      D. international

Question 8. Han asked me \_\_\_\_\_ my mom worked from home those days or not.

- A. when                      B. that                      C. whether                      D. what

Question 9. When planning a complicated trip, many people choose to rely on a travel \_\_\_\_\_ for assistance with booking and itineraries.

- A. agency                      B. budget                      C. tourism                      D. homestay

Question 10. A wedding is a \_\_\_\_\_ celebration in many cultures around the globe.

- A. religion                      B. religious                      C. religiously                      D. religiousness

Question 11. The family gathered to mark the birthday of their grandmother, \_\_\_\_\_ has always been the heart of the family.

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

Question 12. I always \_\_\_\_\_ my younger brother when my parents are away.

- A. look up                      B. check out                      C. take care of                      D. put off

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.

### Big Lake Summer Camp – Your Unforgettable Summer Awaits!

For your holiday this year, (13)\_\_\_\_\_ a place where you can enjoy something truly different.

Experience a range of activities every day as part of an amazing program.

Learn from expert teachers skilled in activities like sky-diving and film-making.

Try activities (14)\_\_\_\_\_ are completely new to you for an exciting challenge.

Nervous about meeting new people? You'll quickly find friends who enjoy (15)\_\_\_\_\_ the same activities as you.

Relaxing weekends include:

Shopping trips

Sightseeing in lesser-known parts of the island

Meeting locals – you might even get invited to a party!

It was (16)\_\_\_\_\_ and a holiday to remember.

Join Big Lake Summer Camp and make this summer your best one yet!

- Question 13. A. go                      B. went                      C. try                      D. tried  
Question 14. A. which                      B. who                      C. whom                      D. whose  
Question 15. A. making                      B. doing                      C. having                      D. seeing  
Question 16. A. brilliant                      B. brilliantly                      C. brilliance                      D. brilliancy

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.

Question 17. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

We decided to go on a self-guided tour in a famous city known for its historical sites. Everything seemed to go smoothly. \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. Eventually, we found another route and continued to explore the city's majestic buildings.
- b. But as we were exploring the ruinous remains of an old castle, our itinerary was interrupted by sudden road closures due to a national symbol parade.
- c. We had planned our route carefully using an online app and set off early to avoid the rush.

A. b – c – a                      B. a – c – b                      C. c – b – a                      D. b – a – c

**Question 18. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.**

- A. We decided to skip the tour entirely and spend time at a local fast-food restaurant.
- B. Despite the delay, we still enjoyed the majestic view of the city at sunset.
- C. We got lost after the itinerary change and had to cancel the rest of the tour.
- D. In the end, we decided that traveling isn't for us and stayed in the hotel.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

The waterfall in my area is (19) \_\_\_\_\_ for words, but people are starting to spoil it. People have picnics by the waterfall quite often. They often leave litter and food waste on the ground. I think the police should consider (20) \_\_\_\_\_ people for littering in this area. People are also jumping (21) \_\_\_\_\_ the water from the rocks, (22) \_\_\_\_\_ damages the rocks and makes it dangerous for other people. (23) \_\_\_\_\_, I think we should stop people from jumping off the rocks by putting up a sign. The final problem is that people feed the animals. They love feeding the monkeys, but it's not good for the animals. The monkeys get too comfortable with people, and it can cause (24) \_\_\_\_\_ problems.

**Question 19.** A. enough beautiful                      B. beautiful enough  
C. too beautiful                                      D. so beautiful

**Question 20.** A. fining                      B. fine                      C. fined                      D. to fine

**Question 21.** A. by                      B. for                      C. at                      D. into

**Question 22.** A. which                      B. what                      C. that                      D. where

**Question 23.** A. However                      B. Besides                      C. Therefore                      D. So that

**Question 24.** A. lot of                      B. a bit                      C. much more                      D. lots of

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

**Question 25.** "I want to go on holiday, but I don't know where to go", said Alex.

- A. Alex said that he wanted to go on holiday, but he doesn't know where to go.
- B. Alex said that he wanted to go on holiday, but he didn't know where to go.
- C. Alex said that I wanted to go on holiday, but I didn't know where to go.
- D. Alex said that he wants to go on holiday, but he didn't know where to go.

**Question 26.** The cave is over 9 km long. Our class visited it last summer.

- A. The cave which our class visited it last summer is over 9 km long.
- B. The cave that our class visited it last summer is over 9 km long.
- C. The cave which our class visited last summer is over 9 km long.
- D. The cave our class visit last summer is over 9 km long.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27.** Tourism development/ lead/ soil erosion/ pollution/ waste/.

- A. Tourism development may lead from soil erosion, pollution and waste.
- B. Tourism development may lead about soil erosion, pollution and waste.
- C. Tourism development may lead out soil erosion, pollution and waste.
- D. Tourism development may lead to soil erosion, pollution and waste.

**Question 28.** Next summer/ I/ go/Ban Gioc Waterfall, / I/never/ be/before/.

- A. Next summer I'm going to Ban Gioc Waterfall, where I never been before.
- B. Next summer I will go to Ban Gioc Waterfall, which I've never been before.

- C. Next summer I'm going to Ban Gioc Waterfall, which I've never been before.
- D. Next summer I'm going to Ban Gioc Waterfall, where I've never been before.

*Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.*

**Question 29.** What does the sign say?

We do not take traveller's cheques  
or credit cards.

- A. You should pay with cash here.
- B. You don't have to pay with cash here.
- C. You mustn't pay with cash here.
- D. We don't accept cash here.

**Question 30.** What does the notice say?

**Passengers for Cambridge  
change at Stevenage Station**

- A. You can get to Cambridge on one train.
- B. You don't have to change your train at Stevenage Station if you want to go to Cambridge
- C. You have to get off the train at Stevenage Station to go to Cambridge
- D. You have to get off one train and get on another at Stevenage Station if you want to go to Cambridge

*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 following questions from 31 to 36.*

Ha Long Bay is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and popular travel destination in Quang Ninh Province, Vietnam. **It** features thousands of limestone karsts and isles in various shapes and sizes. Ha Long Bay is a center of a larger zone which includes Bai Tu Long Bay to the northeast, and Cat Ba Island to the southwest.

Ha Long Bay has an area of around 1,553km<sup>2</sup>, including 1,960 - 2,000 **islets**, most of which are limestone. The **core** of the bay has an area of 334km<sup>2</sup> with a high density of 775 islets. The limestone in this bay has gone through 500 million years of formation in different conditions and environments. The evolution of the karst in this bay has taken 20 million years under the impact of the tropical wet climate. The geo-diversity of the environment in the area has created biodiversity, including a tropical evergreen biosystem, oceanic and sea shore biosystem. Ha Long Bay is home to 14 endemic floral species and 60 endemic fauna species.

**Question 31.** What is the best title for this passage?

- A. Islets in Ha Long
- B. Natural features of Ha Long Bay
- C. The history of Ha Long Bay
- D. How to travel to Ha Long Bay

**Question 32.** What does the word "It" in line 2 refer to?

- A. UNESCO World Heritage Site
- B. Quang Ninh Province
- C. Viet Nam
- D. Ha Long Bay

**Question 33.** What is the area of Ha Long Bay?

- A. 1,960km<sup>2</sup>
- B. 775km<sup>2</sup>
- C. 1,553km<sup>2</sup>
- D. 2000km<sup>2</sup>

**Question 34.** How many endemic floral species does Ha Long Bay have?

- A. 60
- B. 14
- C. 500
- D. 334

**Question 35.** The word "islets" in paragraph 2 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. islands
- B. mountains
- C. hills
- D. cliffs

**Question 36.** The word "core" in paragraph 2 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. heart
- B. center
- C. main
- D. outer area

*Four phrases/ sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.*

Hidden beneath the lush jungles of central Vietnam lies a deep subterranean labyrinth that holds three of the world's four biggest caves.

You won't bump your head in the caves of central Vietnam's Quang Binh province. Not when (37)

\_\_\_\_\_.  
Three of the world's four biggest caves are in this skinniest part of the slender nation. Hundreds of other limestone caves housing deep grottoes and underground rivers are here too, with new caverns (38) \_\_\_\_\_. They're welcome news for this area, just north of the demilitarized zone that split North and South Vietnam from 1954 until 1975. The US bombed here extensively during the Vietnam War (one crater is used as the site of an outdoor bar), and poverty hit hard for (39) \_\_\_\_\_ afterwards.

Now Quang Binh is the world's hot new caving destination, home to a 126,000-hectare UNESCO-protected national park (40) \_\_\_\_\_ hide a vast 104 km subterranean world – making it one of the most spectacular limestone karst ecosystems on the planet.

- A. discovered every year
- B. more than a decade
- C. whose lush tropical forests
- D. they're big enough to fit a 40-storey building

**Question 37.** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 38.** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 39.** \_\_\_\_\_      **Question 40.** \_\_\_\_\_

### PRACTICE TEST 3

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 1. A. consider B. scenic C. government D. littering  
Question 2. A. delay B. magnificent C. bank D. travel

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.

- Question 3. A. prestigious B. natural C. impressive D. historic  
Question 4. A. admire B. suggest C. wander D. explore

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

Question 5. You would look for a \_\_\_\_\_ to learn more about things to do and places to stay at a tourist attraction.

- A. science journal B. arts magazine C. travel brochure D. daily newspaper

Question 6. Alex said he \_\_\_\_\_ to try the local cuisine in Japan.

- A. isn't waiting B. couldn't wait C. can't wait D. hadn't waited

Question 7. Our friendly staff will \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ as you leave our hotel.

- A. see-off B. take – off C. pick- up D. set- off

Question 8. We stayed at a charming little hotel \_\_\_\_\_ balcony over looked a beautiful beach.

- A. whose B. that C. which D. where

Question 9. Tourist: "Wow, this museum is incredible!" - Tour guide: "\_\_\_\_\_"

- A. Fascinating! B. Don't forget to tip!  
C. I'm glad you're enjoying it! D. Maybe, but it's so boring to me.

Question 10. You should avoid \_\_\_\_\_ to the downtown area during the rush hour.

- A. traveling B. to travel C. traveled D. to traveling

Question 11. She advised us \_\_\_\_\_ a SIM card for our phones upon arrival in the USA.

- A. buying B. to buy C. buy D. to buying

Question 12. When you travel, it's important to take \_\_\_\_\_ of your personal belongings.

- A. part B. care C. advantage D. reference

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.

#### Explore the Great Wall of China!

The Great Wall of China is one of the most famous landmarks (13) \_\_\_\_\_ the world! This ancient wall stretches thousands of kilometers across northern China. It was built to protect the country from invaders.

What You'll See:

- Stunning wall sections: Walk along different parts of the wall with breathtaking views.
- Historical watchtowers: (14) \_\_\_\_\_ ancient watchtowers used for guarding.
- Beautiful landscapes: Enjoy (15) \_\_\_\_\_ views of the surrounding mountains and valleys.

If you love history and adventure, the Great Wall of China is (16) \_\_\_\_\_ must-visit!

Plan your visit today and explore this incredible piece of history!

- Question 13: A. At B. Over C. On D. In  
Question 14: A. Maintain B. Discover C. See D. Watch  
Question 15: A. Amazing B. Amazed C. Amaze D. Amazement  
Question 16: A. A B. An C. The D. No article

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.

Question 17. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

- a. The city was bustling with activity.  
b. I decided to visit the local museum.  
c. I started my day with a hearty breakfast at a café near my hotel.

- A. c-a-b B. a-c-b C. c-b-a D. b-c-a

**Question 18:** Choose the sentence that you can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. After a day of exploration, I returned to my hotel, feeling happy.
- B. The museum had a fascinating collection of artifacts.
- C. I don't have time to visit anywhere.
- D. It took me 3 hours to go to the museum.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

Hoi An is a small city (19) \_\_\_\_\_ in Quang Nam Province. It is a famous tourist destination in Viet Nam. Its attractions are many: the peace of the ancient town, the beauty of craft villages, the wilderness of beaches and the delicious dishes (20) \_\_\_\_\_.

Getting around Hoi An is quite convenient. Traffic is rarely busy on most days, and the roads within Hoi An Ancient Town are (21) \_\_\_\_\_ to cars, taxis, and motorcycles from 8.30 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. Taxis are available outside Hoi An Ancient Town. Taxis here are cheap and reliable and drivers are (22) \_\_\_\_\_ honest. You can hail a taxi in the street, or ring for one. You can also rent a bicycle (23) \_\_\_\_\_ your hotel or any bike rental shop, and it is generally quite (24) \_\_\_\_\_.

**Question 19.** A. locate                      B. located                      C. location                      D. locating

**Question 20.** A. with memorable flavours                      B. on memorable sight  
C. to memorable flavours                      D. from memorable sight

**Question 21.** A. went on                      B. got on                      C. closed off                      D. picked up

**Question 22.** A. originally                      B. additionally                      C. nicely                      D. generally

**Question 23.** A. in                      B. within                      C. from                      D. on

**Question 24.** A. cheap                      B. expensive                      C. cheaper                      D. move

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

**Question 25.** Sarah wondered, "Can we swim in the Dead Sea?"

- A. Sarah didn't know how deep the Dead Sea was.
- B. Sarah asked if they could swim in the Dead Sea.
- C. Sarah asked if the Dead Sea was a good place for swimming.
- D. Sarah said that swimming wasn't allowed in the Dead Sea.

**Question 26.** The museum displayed ancient artifacts. They came from all over the world.

- A. Artifacts coming from all over the world, where the museum displayed.
- B. They came from all over the world, the museum displayed ancient artifacts.
- C. The artifacts came from all over the world which were displayed at the museum
- D. The museum displayed ancient artifacts which came from all over the world

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**Question 27.** Nick/ keen/ climb /mountains/ summer.

- A. Nick is keen on climbing the mountains in the summer.
- B. Nick is keen at climbing the mountains in the summer.
- C. Nick keen on climbing the mountains in the summer.
- D. Nick is keen to climb the mountains in the summer.

**Question 28.** Cultural/events /help /people /different/backgrounds/get/ each/ other/ better.

- A. Cultural events to help people from different backgrounds get on with each other better
- B. Cultural events help people from different backgrounds get on with each other better
- C. Cultural events help people from different backgrounds get off each other better
- D. Cultural events help people from different backgrounds get in each other better

Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 29. What does the sign mean?



- A. Anyone is allowed to enter without restrictions.
- B. Only authorized personnel are permitted to enter.
- C. No one is allowed to enter the area.
- D. You should keep your dog on a leash while in the area.

Question 30. What does the notice say?



- A. Do not leave your bike touching the window.
- B. Broken glass may damage your bike tires.
- C. Your bike may not be safe here.
- D. You cannot ride your bike on the glass.

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 following questions from 31 to 36.

Hawaii is often considered to be one place in the world where you can find paradise. But when I arrived in Hawaii, I was shocked to discover beaches were covered in plastic rubbish washed up from around the world. As I dug through the sand, I realized the sandy beach was being **transformed** into a plastic beach. A chill *went down my spine*. From the beaches of Hawaii to the seas around Britain, we are polluting our own environment.

Beaches are now covered in more rubbish than ever before. The plastic we see on our beaches is just a small amount of the plastic waste that exists in our oceans. Scientists believe that sea currents have created five huge garbage areas in our oceans, including the one in the North Atlantic. This is a global problem for which we are all responsible.

Plastic makes our life easier, but its production and use are completely out of control. Because plastic rubbish in the oceans looks like food, it is being eaten by small fish, which in turn is eaten by large fish, which in turn is eaten by us. Plastic is damaging our beaches, polluting the oceans, and poisoning our food chain. The consequences are still not fully understood, but **they** are likely to be terrible.

We need to stop using plastic bags for packaging and single-use water bottles. These make up most of the plastic garbage in the oceans. In Bangladesh and Kenya, they have stopped using plastic bags completely. The UK has put a tax on plastic bags. Many supermarkets around the world are not packing goods in plastic. The future of our beaches, our seas, and the food chain is **at risk**. This is an environmental problem that we need to solve immediately.

Question 31: Which of the following is the best title for the passage?

- A. Common Plastic Products
- B. A Green Lifestyle
- C. Benefits of Plastic Products
- D. A Planet Poisoned by Plastic

Question 32: The word **transformed** in paragraph 1 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. changed
- B. placed
- C. checked
- D. remained

Question 33: The word **they** in paragraph 3 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. beaches
- B. fish
- C. consequences
- D. oceans

Question 34: According to paragraph 4, both Bangladesh and Kenya \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. have used more and more plastic bags.
- B. have produced a lot of plastic bags.
- C. do not use plastic bags any more.
- D. encourage the use of plastic bags.

Question 35: Which of the following is NOT true according to the passage?

- A. Hawaii is protected from plastic rubbish.

B. One huge garbage area in the oceans is in the North Atlantic.

C. The UK has introduced a tax on plastic bags.

D. Production and use of plastic are now out of control.

**Question 36:** The phrase **at risk** in paragraph 5 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

A. refused

B. accepted

C. threatened

D. developed

*Four phrases/ sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.*

Ecotourism lacks a universally-accepted definition, but is generally (37) \_\_\_\_\_ travel to natural areas that both conserves the environment and improves the well-being of those living there. At the heart of it is the assumption that in a predominantly capitalist world where nature plays second fiddle to creating wealth, any conservation needs to pay for itself. (38) \_\_\_\_\_ is invested back into the conservation of the environment it impacts upon.

Supporters argue that, by involving residents in accommodating tourists and acting as guides, for example.

(39) \_\_\_\_\_, both regionally and nationally. In many cases, communities work as equal partners

(40) \_\_\_\_\_ rather than just as employees.

A. ecotourism aids development

B. money generated from ecotourism

C. regarded as responsible and sustainable

D. with ecotourism organisations

**Question 37.** \_\_\_\_

**Question 38.** \_\_\_\_

**Question 39.** \_\_\_\_

**Question 40.** \_\_\_\_