

# MOCK TEST 1

## PRONUNCIATION

*I. Circle the word whose bold part is pronounced differently from those of the other three.*

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| 1. A. <b>show</b>  | B. sugar          | C. sea              | D. <b>fish</b>   |
| 2. A. closets      | B. <b>shows</b>   | C. rats             | D. weeks         |
| 3. A. <b>naked</b> | B. <b>knocked</b> | C. <b>walked</b>    | D. <b>talked</b> |
| 4. A. about        | B. mutual         | C. establish        | D. cut           |
| 5. A. dangerous    | B. <b>village</b> | C. <b>passenger</b> | D. <b>get</b>    |

*II. Circle the word whose stress is on the first syllable.*

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| 6. A. consign  | B. accuse  | C. climate | D. account  |
| 7. A. neighbor | B. decide  | C. defect  | D. connect  |
| 8. A. declaim  | B. theory  | C. decay   | D. divorce  |
| 9. A. affect   | B. protect | C. embrace | D. sneaky   |
| 10. A. forbid  | B. forget  | C. candy   | D. conceive |

## VOCABULARY

*Choose the best answer that is suitable for each blank or the underlined word or phrase.*

11. I haven't seen you for \_\_\_\_\_. How are things?  
A. ages  
B. long time  
C. eras  
D. long
12. He was a very \_\_\_\_\_ man in the village. Nobody liked him.  
A. popular  
B. unpopular  
C. honest  
D. considerate
13. Your genes \_\_\_\_\_ your shape, size and so on.  
A. give  
B. offer  
C. make  
D. determine
14. If you want to buy a new car, you should choose an \_\_\_\_\_ car to run. It can save money.  
A. economy  
B. economic  
C. economical  
D. economics
15. They both have brown eyes because the brown gene is \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. dominant  
B. outstanding  
C. determine  
D. deciding
16. We bought that house as an investment.  
A. to live in  
B. to invest in this region  
C. to make money  
D. to investigate
17. Some wild animals are in danger in this region.

- A. dangerous  
C. likely to be extinct
- B. likely to cause harm  
D. predators
18. The Ministry of Foreign Trade has initiated a new plan to protect domestic products.
- A. planned  
C. innovated
- B. introduced  
D. assessed
19. Joanna looks \_\_\_\_\_ in her new dress.
- A. nicely  
C. like nice
- B. nice  
D. such nice
20. The loudspeakers won't work unless you \_\_\_\_\_ those cables.
- A. connected  
C. to connect
- B. connecting  
D. connect

### **GRAMMAR AND STRUCTURE**

*Choose the best word or phrase to complete each sentence.*

21. Please don't touch anything before the police \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. will come  
C. come
- B. comes  
D. would come
22. By next month, I \_\_\_\_\_ my first novel.
- A. will finish  
C. have finished
- B. will have finished  
D. finish
23. The doctor examined him and \_\_\_\_\_ that he \_\_\_\_\_ his arm.
- A. found / broke  
C. found / had broken
- B. had found / broke  
D. would find / broke
24. It is very dangerous. We couldn't risk \_\_\_\_\_ him alone.
- A. leave  
C. to leave
- B. leaving  
D. left
25. She asked me if it would rain that night.
- She said: "\_\_\_\_\_ it rain \_\_\_\_\_?"
- A. Would / that night  
C. Does / tonight
- B. Will / tonight  
D. Will / that night
26. Nam said to me: "I work for your sister's company."
- Nam told me: "\_\_\_\_\_ worked for \_\_\_\_\_ sister's company."
- A. he / my  
C. his / me
- B. him / mine  
D. he / mine
27. Oil lamps \_\_\_\_\_ for years before electricity was discovered.
- A. has used  
C. has been used
- B. are used  
D. had been used
28. I had the roof \_\_\_\_\_ yesterday.
- A. to repair  
C. repairing
- B. repaired  
D. repair

29. We couldn't understand the teacher if he \_\_\_\_\_ too fast.  
A. has spoken B. spoke  
C. doesn't speak D. didn't speak
30. He was frightened. He looked as if he \_\_\_\_\_ a ghost.  
A. was seeing B. has seen  
C. has seen D. saw

## READING COMPREHENSION

*Read the passage and choose the best answer to each question.*

## BACK TO SCHOOL

There goes the alarm again. I guess I should get up, but I am dreading this day. I always hate going back to school after a holidays break. I am not sure why I am anxious to see my friends, I don't have any overdue school assignments, but I still get that funny feeling in the pit of my stomach. Has something changed? Do all my friends still feel the same way? What clothes should I wear today? Everyone will wear something new. I am sure of that.

My biggest conflict is in my head. Part of me says, “Be your own person!” Another part of me just wants to fit into the crowd. My mom says that high school is like this, but college will be the opposite. She says I’ll meet many people with different interests, and find groups that I want to be with. I am looking forward to that freedom, but I have one more year of high school and this is my reality right now.

As much as my friends and I like to think we are above all the peer pressures and social “rules” of our school, we all know we are very much controlled by it. We wear our hair the same way, wear the same brand clothes, and even have to use the same perfume. We basically clone ourselves because we don’t want to be different. Yet, deep down we would like to shout, “Look at me! This is who I am!” Sigh, there goes the alarm again. What should I wear today? I think I will call Clara and see what she is wearing.

31. How does the author describe how her body is reacting to her uneasiness about returning to school?
- A. She has a horrible headache.
  - B. Her eyes are burning.
  - C. She has a funny feeling in the pit of her stomach.
  - D. She has an awful earache.
32. Which of the following is TRUE?
- A. The author is dreading studying for finals.
  - B. The author is anxious to see her friends.
  - C. The author feels college and high school will be the same.
  - D. The author always hates going back to school after a holiday break.
33. Which of the following did the author state would be for sure when she returns to school?
- A. She will meet new and interesting people in high school.

- B. Everyone feels strange now.  
 C. Everyone will be wearing something new.  
 D. She wants to make sure she is different from everyone else.
34. Which of the following is NOT true?  
 A. Most high school students want to be exactly like their peers.  
 B. High school students have more freedom than college students do.  
 C. The author has one more year of high school.  
 D. Most high school students are controlled by peer pressure.
35. The author believes her greatest conflict is in her \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. closet  
 B. friends  
 C. school  
 D. head

### **WRITING**

*Choose the underlined word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that wouldn't be correct. Then write the correct sentences.*

36. The women is talking to Jim is Australian.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)

37. Why are you so late? – I am waiting here for more than one hour.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)

38. If you want to get more money, you should apply to another job.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)

39. It believes that our lives will be better in the future.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)

40. He told them to obey the traffic law when traveling on the road.  
 (A) (B) (C) (D)