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PART I: MULTIPLE CHOICE (4 pts)

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

1. The speaker thinks the students never get tired of books, blackboards, cassettes and CD players.
A. True B. False
2. Triple 'E' means 'Easy Effective English'.
A. True B. False
3. You just type some key words and click on the search engine button to see hundreds of websites.
A. True B. False
4. Very few sites offer exciting lessons, activities and quizzes for English learners of all ages and levels.
A. True B. False

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.

Higher education also provides a competitive edge in the career market. We all know that in the economic times we are living in today, finding jobs is not guaranteed. The number of people unemployed is still relatively high, and the number of new career (5) _____ isn't nearly enough to put people in jobs they are seeking.

As a job seeker, you're competing with a high number of experienced workers (6) _____ have been out of the workforce for a while and are also seeking work. (7) _____, when you have a higher education, it generally equips you for better job security. Generally speaking, employers tend to value those who have completed college rather than those who have only completed high school and are more likely to replace that person who hasn't (8) _____ a higher education. Furthermore, some companies even go so far as to pay your tuition because they consider an educated employee to be valuable to their organization. A college education is an investment that doesn't just provide you with substantial rewards. It benefits the hiring company as well.

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| 5. A. responsibilities | B. activities | C. opportunities | D. possibilities |
| 6. A. who | B. where | C. whose | D. which |
| 7. A. Otherwise | B. Moreover | C. Also | D. However |
| 8. A. permitted | B. received | C. applied | D. refused |

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.

David Beckham is an English footballer who has played for Manchester United and Real Madrid, as well as representing his country 100 times. He moved to the Los Angeles Galaxy in 2007 to increase the profile of football in America. He married Spice Girl Victoria Beckham and has become a worldwide celebrity, an advertising brand and a fashion icon.

Beckham was born in London in 1975. His parents were fanatical Manchester United supporters. His talent was obvious from an early age and he signed with Manchester United on his fourteenth birthday. He helped the youth team win several trophies and made his first team debut in 1995. He helped his team achieve considerable success in his eleven seasons with them.

Beckham has been runner-up twice as world football's best player. He won many trophies with Manchester United, including the Champions League, and won a league title with Real Madrid. He also captained his

club and country. He was famously sent off in a match against Argentina in the 1998 World Cup. In 2003, Beckham received an honour for services to football from Britain's Queen.

Beckham has many interests off the soccer pitch and is rarely out of the headlines, especially concerning his marriage and children. He has established football academies in Los Angeles and London. In 2006 he was named a judge for the British Book Awards. He lives near Tom Cruise and the two are best buddies. Beckham is also a United Nations Goodwill Ambassador.

9. What is the main idea of the passage?
 - A. The life and career of David Beckham
 - B. Beckham's family background
 - C. Beckham's life before and after getting married
 - D. Beckham's marriage with a Spice Girl's member
10. According to the passage, Beckham has played 100 times for _____.
 - A. Real Madrid
 - B. Manchester United
 - C. the national team of America
 - D. The national team of England
11. When did Beckham receive the royal award for his contribution to football?
 - A. In 1995
 - B. In 1998
 - C. In 2003
 - D. In 2006
12. Which of the following is NOT mentioned about Beckham?
 - A. He contributed to the success of the youth team of the Manchester United.
 - B. He made England lose the match against Argentina in the 1998 World Cup.
 - C. He was voted one of the best football players of the world more than once.
 - D. Some of Beckham's interests are not related to football.

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.

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| 13. A. m <u>i</u> lestone | B. rap <u>i</u> d | C. compr <u>i</u> se | D. f <u>i</u> nal |
| 14. A. s <u>e</u> quence | B. pr <u>e</u> cious | C. vess <u>e</u> l | D. s <u>e</u> ction |

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.

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| 15. A. retire | B. promote | C. flourish | D. defeat |
| 16. A. decade | B. ornament | C. origin | D. ambassador |

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.

17. You must not take this attitude as typical of English people.
 - A. popular
 - B. attractive
 - C. representative
 - D. passionate
18. Portugal will be defending the trophy they won last year.
 - A. dynasty
 - B. cup
 - C. championship
 - D. globe

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.

19. The crown was set with precious jewels – diamonds, rubies, and emeralds.
 - A. invaluable
 - B. valueless
 - C. priceless
 - D. valuable
20. The match was shown on a giant screen outside the town hall.
 - A. medium
 - B. very large
 - C. huge
 - D. small

PART II: WRITTEN TEST (6 pts)

I. VOCABULARY (2 pts)

Complete each of the following sentences with the correct form of the word in brackets.

1. Pakistan came into as an independent country in 1947. (exist)
2. Graduates have to fight for jobs in an increasingly market. (competition)
3. There is a plan to the three-year course to four years. (long)
4. Transmissions of the disease through this route have virtually been (elimination)
5., New York was a Dutch trading post. (origin)

Complete each of the following sentences with ONE word given in the box. No word can be used twice.

witnessed	jointly	about
runner-up	of	royal

6. Defeated by Brazil in the final, Germany became the in the 2002 World Cup.
7. The event was organized by students and staff.
8. Your achievements are something to be proud
9. It's one of the strongest pieces of dance theatre I've ever
10. She took the opportunity to meet members of the British family.

II. GRAMMAR (2 pts)

Complete each of the following sentences with the correct form of the word in brackets.

1. Learning to speak a language is often much (easy) than learning to write it.
2. He is certainly (unusual) person I've ever met.
3. The higher the humidity is, the (uncomfortable) people feel.
4. Tom doesn't drive (dangerous) as he used to.

Complete each of the following sentences with the correct tense / form of the verb in brackets.

5. For a big man, he could move with (surprise) speed.
6. I'm (frighten) of walking home alone in the dark.
7. Please stop making that noise – it's getting (annoy)
8. People are (confuse) about all the different labels on food these days.
9. It is not until the alarm clock rings that he (get) up.
10. It was not until the 89th minute that our team (score) a goal.

III. WRITING (2 pts)

Rewrite each of the following sentences, beginning as shown, so that the meaning stays the same.

1. Jane cooks better than her sister.
→ Jane's sister doesn't
2. Mike is the tallest player in the school basketball team.
→ No one
3. I have never met anyone as interesting as he is.
→ He is the
4. She doesn't watch TV until she has finished her homework. (Use *It is/was not until ... that ...*)
→ It
5. I didn't realize she wasn't English until she spoke. (Use *It is/was not until ... that ...*)
→ It

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