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171682 Mark a letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part needs correction in each of the following questions.

Question 1. Having (A) finished his term paper (B) before the deadline, (C) it was delivered to professor (D) before the class

Question 2. I'm (A) very glad that you've (B) done (C) lots of (D) progress this semester.

Question 3. You can (A) enjoy a sport (B) without joining (C) in a club or (D) belonging to a team.

171686 Mark a letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each the following exchanges.

Question 4. John: "Do you fancy a drink?" - Catherine: "_____"

A. No, ever!

B. I'm not sure I do. Thank all the same

C. I don't want

D. It is none of your business

Question 5. "Excuse me, can you tell me where I can catch a bus to London, please?"

- "_____"

A. Sure, go ahead

B. Sorry, I'm new here myself

C. OK. Here's your ticket

D. Yes, please

171703 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 6 to 13.

Quite different from storm surges are the giant sea waves called tsunamis, which derive their name from the Japanese expression for "high water in a harbor." These waves are also referred to by the general public as tidal waves, although they have relatively little to do with tides. Scientists often referred to them as seismic sea waves, far more appropriate in that they do result from undersea seismic activity. Tsunamis are caused when the sea bottom suddenly moves, during an underwater earthquake or volcano for example, and the water above the moving earth is suddenly displaced. This sudden shift of water sets off a series of waves. These waves can travel great distances at speeds close to 700 kilometers per hour. In the open ocean, tsunamis have little noticeable amplitude, often no more than one or two meters. It is when they hit the shallow waters near the coast that they increase in height, possibly up to 40 meters. Tsunamis often occur in the Pacific because the Pacific is an area of heavy seismic activity. Two areas of the Pacific well accustomed to the threat of tsunamis are Japan and Hawaii. Because the seismic activity that causes tsunamis in Japan often occurs on the ocean bottom quite close to the islands, the tsunamis that hit Japan often come with little warning and can, therefore, prove disastrous. Most of the tsunamis that hit the Hawaiian Islands, however, originate thousands of miles away near the coast of Alaska, so these tsunamis have a much greater distance to travel and the inhabitants of Hawaii generally have time for warning of their imminent arrival. Tsunamis are certainly not limited to Japan and Hawaii. In 1755, Europe experienced a **calamitous** tsunami, when movement along the fault lines near the Azores caused a massive tsunami to sweep onto the Portuguese coast and flood the heavily populated area around Lisbon. The greatest tsunami **on record** occurred on the other side of the world in 1883 when the

Krakatoa volcano underwent a massive explosion, sending waves more than 30 meters high onto nearby Indonesian islands; the tsunami from this volcano actually traveled around the world and was witnessed as far away as the English Channel.

Question 6: The paragraph preceding this passage most probably discusses _____ .

- A. tides B. storm surges C. tidal waves D. underwater earthquakes

Question 7: According to the passage, all of the following are true about tidal waves EXCEPT that _____ .

- A. they are caused by sudden changes in high and low tides
B. this terminology is not used by the scientific community
C. they are the same as tsunamis
D. they refer to the same phenomenon as seismic sea waves

Question 8: The word “displaced” in line 6 is closest in meaning to _____ .

- A. not pleased B. located C. moved D. filtered

Question 9: It can be inferred from the passage that tsunamis _____ .

- A. are often identified by ships on the ocean
B. generally reach heights greater than 40 meters
C. are far more dangerous on the coast than in the open ocean
D. cause severe damage in the middle of the ocean

Question 10: A main difference between tsunamis in Japan and in Hawaii is that tsunamis in Japan are more likely to _____ .

- A. come from greater distances B. originate in Alaska
C. arrive without warning D. be less of a problem

Question 11: A “calamitous” tsunami, in line 17, is one that is _____ .

- A. disastrous B. expected C. extremely calm D. at fault

Question 12: From the expression “on record” in line 19, it can be inferred that the tsunami that accompanied the Krakatoa volcano _____ .

- A. was filmed as it was happening
B. occurred before efficient records were kept
C. was not as strong as the tsunami in Lisbon

D. might not be the greatest tsunami ever

Question 13: The passage suggests that the tsunami resulting from the Krakatoa volcano

- A. was unobserved outside of the Indonesian islands
- B. resulted in little damage
- C. was far more destructive close to the source than far away
- D. caused volcanic explosions in the English Channel

171712 Mark a 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 14. She was brought up in a well-off family. She can't understand the problem we are facing.

- A. wealthy
- B. kind
- C. broke
- D. poor

Question 15. Father has lost his job, so we'll have to tighten our belt to avoid getting into debt.

- A. buy new belt
- B. sell the belt
- C. squander
- D. economize

171715 Mark a 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 16. She decided to remain celibate and devote her life to helping the homeless and orphans.

- A. divorced
- B. married
- C. single
- D. separated

Question 17. Education is desperately need in many countries with a high percentage of population being unable to read and write.

- A. literate
- B. latterly
- C. wordy
- D. learned

171718 Mark a letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the offer three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

Question 18. A. address B. canal C. about D. cultural

Question 19. A. create B. creature C. peak D. beach

171721 Mark a letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the offer three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.

Question 20. A. zoology B. permanent C. movement D. government

Question 21. A. reservation B. communicate C. dictation D. occasion

171724 Mark a letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 22. Ben would have studied medicine if he ___ to a medical school.

- A. was admitted
- B. has been admitted
- C. had admitted
- D. would be able to enter

Question 23. In 1973, when the tigers appeared to be facing ___ the World Wide Fund for ___ and the Indian Government agreed to set up "Operation Tiger".

- A. extinct/ Nature
- B. extinction/ Nature
- C. extinction/ Natural
- D. extinct/ Naturalists

Question 24. There is ___ public concern in Shelton following the discovery on Tuesday evening of a metal container filled with poisonous liquid.

- A. consider B. consideration C. considerable D. considerably

Question 25. This house is ___ the others we've seen.

- A. father more expensive than B. far more expensive than
C. far most expensive D. further more expensive

Question 26. The house owner _____ coming near the dog as it could become very fierce unexpectedly.

- A. warned me against B. advised me C. stopped me D. accused me of

Question 27. I ___ Melisa at my yoga class tonight and will ask her about the plan for this weekend.

- A. will be seeing B. will have seen C. will not see D. will have been seeing

Question 28. Jack and Laure ___ married for 25 years by that time but they still decided to get divorced.

- A. have been B. were C. will be D. had been

Question 29. This orange juice ___ awful: I bet you ___ it,

- A. is smelling/ like B. smelling/ will not like C. smells/ will not like D. has smelled/ liked

Question 30. The size and shape of a nail depends primarily on the function ___ intended.

- A. which it is B. for which it is C. which it is for D. for which is

Question 31. The ___ friendly products are designed not to harm the natural environment.

- A. environment B. environmental C. environmentally D. environmentalism

Question 32. He asked me ___ Robert and I did not know ____.

- A. that did I know/ who were Robert B. that I knew/ who Robert were
C. if I knew/ who Robert was D. whether I knew/ who was Robert

Question 33. Her contract ___ in two months, so she's looking for another job.

- A. runs down B. runs out C. goes out D. goes away

171737 *Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phases that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 34 to 38.*

People have always dreamt of living forever. Although we all know this will never happen, we will want to live as long as possible.

__(34)__, there are advantages and disadvantages of a long life. In the first place, people who live longer can spend more time with their family and friends. Secondly, __(35)___ have busy working lives look forward to a long, relaxing life, when they can do the things they've never had time for. __(36)__, there are some serious disadvantages. Firstly, many people become ill and consequently have to spend time in hospital or become burden __(37)___ the children and friends. Many of them find this dependence annoying or embarrassing. In addition to this, __(38)___ the fewer friends they seem to have because old friends die or become and it's often difficult to make new friends.

To sum up, living to a very old age is worthwhile for those who stay healthy enough to remain independent and enjoy life.

Question 34. A. Naturally B. Really C. Consequently D. Surprisingly

Question 35. A. people who B. people C. they D. everyone who

Question 36. A. In other words B. For example C. On the other hand D. Contrary

Question 37. A. of B. for C. to D. with

Question 38. A. when people get older
C. the old people get

B. when the older people get
D. the older people get

171743 *Mark a 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 39. Life on earth will be destroyed if people keep cutting trees for their own benefits.

- A. If we stop to cut the trees for our benefits, the life on earth will be better.
- B. If we don't continue to cut trees for our benefits, life on earth will be destroyed.
- C. Life on earth will be destroyed unless people stop cutting trees for their own benefits.
- D. The more trees we cut for our benefits, the worst the earth becomes.

Question 40. WHO means World Health Organization.

- A. WHO is on behalf of Health Organization.
- B. WHO stand for Health Organization.
- C. WHO is translated from Health Organization.
- D. WHO is explained about Health Organization.

Question 41. The hurricane destroyed hundreds of buildings in the city.

- A. The hurricane resulted in destruction of hundreds of buildings in the city.
- B. The hurricane resulted from destruction of hundreds of buildings in the city.
- C. Despite the appearance of the hurricane, hundreds of buildings in the city haven't been in danger of destruction.
- D. The hurricane appeared, however, hundreds of buildings in the city have been destroyed.

171747 *Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each questions from 42 to 48.*

A lot of advice is available for college leavers heading for their first job. In this article we consider the move to a second job. We are not concerned with those looking for a second temporary position while hunting for a permanent job. Nor are we concerned with those leaving an unsatisfactory job within the first few weeks. Instead, we will be dealing with those of you taking a real step on the career ladder, choosing a job to fit in with your ambitions now that you have learnt your way around, acquired some skills and have some idea of where you want to go.

What sort of job should you look for? Much depends on your long-term aim. You need to ask yourself whether you want to specialize in a particular field, work your way up to higher levels of responsibility or out of your current employment into a broader field.

Whatever you decide, you should choose your second job very carefully. You should be aiming to stay in it for two or three years. This job will be studied very carefully when you send your letter of application for your next job. It should show evidence of serious career planning. Most important, it should extend you, develop you

and give you increasing responsibility. Incidentally, if you are interested in traveling, now is the time to pack up and go. You can do temporary work for a while when you return, pick up where you left off and get the second job then. Future potential employers will be relieved to see that you have got it out of your system, and are not likely to go off again.

Juliette Davidson spend her first year after leaving St. Aldate's College working for three lawyers. It was the perfect first job in that "OK ... they were very supportive people. I was gently introduced to the work, learnt my way around an office and improve my word processing skills. However, there was no scope for advancement. One day, I gave my notice, bought an air ticket and traveled for a year.

Juliette now works as a Personal Assistant to Brenda Cleverdon, the Chief Executive of business in the Community. “In two and a half years I have become more able and my job has really grown, “ she says. “ Right from the beginning my boss was very keen to develop me. My job title is the same as it was when I started but the duties have changed. From mainly typing and telephone work, I have progressed to doing most of the correspondence and budgets. I also have to deal with a variety of queries, coming from chairmen of large companies to people wanting to know how to start their own business. Brenda involves me in all her work but also gives me specific projects to do and events to organize.”

Question 42. Who is intended to benefit from the advice given in the article?

- A. students who have just finished their studies
- B. people who are unhappy with their current job
- C. those who are interested in establishing a career
- D. people who change jobs regularly

Question 43. According to the writer, why is the choice of your second job important?

- A. It will affect your future job prospects.
- B. It will last longer than your first job.
- C. It will be difficult to change if you don't like it.
- D. It should give you the opportunity to study.

Question 44. “It” in the passage refers to _____.

- A. first job
- B. second job
- C. application
- D. career

Question 45. If you have a desire to travel, when does the writer suggest that you do it?

- A. straight after you have left college
- B. when you are unable to find a permanent job
- C. after you have done some temporary work
- D. between the first and second job

Question 46. What does the phrase “you have got it out of your system” in passage mean?

- A. You have planned your career sensibly.
- B. You are an experienced traveler.
- C. You have satisfied your wish to travel.
- D. You have learned to look after yourself.

Question 47. How did Juliette Davidson benefit from the experience of her first job?

- A. It was good introduction to working in an office.
- B. She met a variety of interesting people.
- C. It enabled her to earn enough money to travel.
- D. She learnt how to use a word processor.

Question 48. In what way is Juliette's current job better her first job?

- A. She has a more impressive job title.
- B. She now know how to start her own business.
- C. She has been able to extend her skills.
- D. She is more involve in the community.

171755 *Mark a letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair sentences in the following questions.*

Question 49. The student works part-time at a bid restaurant. He also paints pictures to earn for living.

- A. Apart from works part-time at a bid restaurant, the student also paints pictures to earn for living.
- B. In addition working part-time at a big restaurant, the student also paints pictures to earn for living.
- C. Besides working part-time at a big restaurant, the student also paints pictures to earn for living.

D. The student works part-time at a big restaurant as well as he paints pictures to earn for living.

Question 50. The buses began to pull out. Most of them were full passengers.

A. The passengers, most of them were full of, began to pull out the buses.

B. The passengers, most of whom were full of the buses, began to pull out.

C. The buses, most of them were full of passengers, began to pull out.

D. The buses, most of which were full of passengers, began to pull out.

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