**I. *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.***

**Câu 1: A**. asked **B**. arrived **C**. enjoyed **D**. used

**Câu 2: A**. difficult **B**. currency **C**. instruction **D**. puppet

**Câu 3: A**. association **B**. continue **C**. countries **D**. tropical

**Câu 4: A**. Buddhism **B**. compulsory **C**. puppet **D**. instruction

**II. *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.***

**Câu 5: A**. impression **B**. difficult **C**. optional **D**. separate

**Câu 6: A**. introduction **B**. population **C**. recreation **D**. Hinduism

**Câu 7: A**. secondary **B**. mausoleum **C**. conversation **D**. correspondence

**Câu 8: A**. tropical **B**. religion **C**. primary **D**. Buddhism

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

**Câu 9**: The country’s population consists of three main \_\_\_\_\_ groups.

**A**. ethnic **B**. ethic **C**. ethnicity **D**. ethical

**Câu 10**: I \_\_\_\_\_ Alex since he was a child.

**A**. have known **B**. knew **C**. was knowing **D**. have been knowing

**Câu 11**: The plane arrived at Tan Son Nhat \_\_\_\_\_ at 10 p.m.

**A**. station **B**. port **C**. bay **D**. airport

**Câu 12**: Freeman is \_\_\_\_\_ in the title role, playing a disillusioned cop.

**A**. impress **B**. impression **C**. impressive **D**. impressing

**Câu 13**: ‘What is the \_\_\_\_\_ of Thailand?’ ‘The baht.’

**A**. current **B**. population **C**. territory **D**. currency

**Câu 14**: ‘How long have you been with the company?’ ‘I \_\_\_\_\_ there for two years.’

**A**. will work **B**. was working **C**. worked **D**. have worked

**Câu 15**: This island was once French \_\_\_\_\_.

**A**. territory **B**. terrorist **C**. terrorism **D**. terror

**Câu 16**: School is \_\_\_\_\_ for all children between the ages of five and sixteen.

**A**. compose **B**. compromise **C**. compulsory **D**. comfort

**Câu 17**: ‘Where are Ken and Margaret?’ ‘They were hungry, so they \_\_\_\_\_ to the grocery store.’

**A**. go **B**. had gone **C**. went **D**. were gone

**Câu 18**: He made a good \_\_\_\_\_ on his first day at work.

**A**. impress **B**. impression **C**. impressive **D**. impressions

**Câu 19**: They \_\_\_\_\_ with leading European scholars.

**A**. correspond **B**. correlate **C**. correct **D**. correspondence

**Câu 20**: Many Canadians spend their vacations in warmer \_\_\_\_\_.

**A**. air **B**. atmosphere **C**. weather **D**. climate

**Câu 21**: Islamic people usually go to the \_\_\_\_\_ to pray.

**A**. pagoda **B**. mosque **C**. temple **D**. church

**Câu 22**: He was so \_\_\_\_\_ by Cindy’s singing that he asked her to sing on the ra

**A**. shocked **B**. impressed **C**. admiring **D**. surprised

**IV. *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.***

**Câu 23**: When we saw an UFO, we stopped the car.

**A**. saw **B**. an UFO **C**. stopped **D**. the car

**Câu 24**: I have written my wife a letter every other day since the last two weeks.

**A**. I have written my wife **B**. since

**C**. the **D**. last

**Câu 25**: Last night I came home, cooked dinner, and watching TV.

**A**. I came home **B**. cooked dinner **C**. and **D**. watching TV

**Câu 26**: Lee died on April and his entire will of $460,000 goes to the Society for the Blind.

**A**. died **B**. on April **C**. will of **D**. goes

**Câu 27**: Mary heard a strangely sound on the telephone one morning.

**A**. heard **B**. strangely sound **C**. the telephone **D**. one morning

**Câu 28**: The atmosphere over the party were warm and friendly.

**A**. The atmosphere **B**. over **C**. were **D**. friendly

**Câu 29**: Tom wishes his neighbors don’t make so much noise.

**A**. wishes **B**. his **C**. don’ **D**. so much

**Câu 30**: The role of women in world politics have been changing steadily.

**A**. women **B**. in **C**. have been **D**. steadily

**Câu 31**: We had saw Rose in town a few days ago.

**A**. had saw **B**. in to **C**. a few **D**. days

**Câu 32**: Ted Cornwall, aged 77, has started his own telephone service for unhappily people.

**A**. aged 77 **B**. has started **C**. for **D**. unhappily

**Câu 33**: The traffic used to get much worse now.

**A**. The **B**. used to get **C**. much **D**. worse

**Câu 34**: I saw the movie before, but I decided to see it again.

**A**. saw **B**. before **C**. but I **D**. to see

**Câu 35**: Police yesterday began to look for thieves who steal 14 paintings from a museum in Taipei.

**A**. began to look for **B**. steal **C**. from **D**. in Taipei

**Câu 36**: Vitamin C, which is found in fruits such as oranges and strawberries, it can prevent a disease known as scurvy.

**A**. Vitamin **B**. oranges **C**. it **D**. a disease

**V. READING**

***Part 1. 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.***

Of all the natural wonders of the world, few are as spectacular as Niagara Falls. Located on the Niagara River along the border between the United States and Canada, Niagara Falls actually consists of two falls, the American Falls and the Horseshoe Falls. The former is on the US side of the border, in the state of New York, while the latter is on the Canadian side. About 85% of the water in Niagara River flows over the Horseshoe Falls, which is the more impressive of the two falls.  
About 10 million people visit the falls each year, most during the summer tourist season. Sightseers can ride steamers up close to the boiling water of the falls, or view them from parks on both sides of the river. Niagara Falls has long been a popular honeymoon destination for newlyweds.

Câu 37. Which of the following is entirely on the US side of the border with Canada?

**A**. Niagara River **B**. American Falls **C**. Niagara Falls **D**. Horseshoe Falls

Câu 38. It can be inferred from the passage that Horseshoe Falls \_\_\_\_\_.

**A**. is the larger of the two falls

**B**. is the less impressive fall

**C**. has 15% of the Niagara River flowing over its edge

**D**. is in the state of New York

Câu 39. According to the passage, people prefer to visit Niagara Falls in the \_\_\_\_\_.

**A**. spring **B**. summer **C**. fall **D**. winter

Câu 40. Which of the following is not true?

**A**. According to the passage, Niagara Falls is the most spectacular wonder of the world.

**B**. Niagara Falls is located on the Niagara River.

**C**. The American Falls and the Horseshoe Falls compose the Niagara Falls.

**D**. American Falls is the less impressive of the two falls.

Câu 41. In the author judgement, \_\_\_\_\_.

**A**. Niagara Falls is most beautiful during the summer tourist season.

**B**. Niagara Falls is a very popular tourist attraction, especially with honeymooners.

**C**. American Falls is more beautiful than Horseshoe Falls.

**D**. The waters of the two falls is very hot.

***Part 2. 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.***

According to the census of 1800, the United States of America contained 5,308,4832 persons. In the same year the British Islands contained upwards of fifteen million; the French Republic, more than twenty-seven million. Nearly one-fifth of American people were black slaves; the true political population consisted of four and a half million free whites, or less than one million able-bodied males, on whose shoulders fell the burden of a continent. Even after two centuries of struggle the land was still untamed; forest covered every portion, except here and there a trip of cultivated soil; the minerals lay undisturbed in their rocky beds, and more than two-thirds of the people clung to the seaboard within fifty miles of tidewater, where alone the wants of civilized life could be supplied.

Câu 42. In the United States of America in 1800 \_\_\_\_\_.

**A**. one out of every twenty-five Americans was a black slave

**B**. one out of every four Americans was a black slave

**C**. two out of every three Americans were black slaves

**D**. one out of every five Americans was a black slave

Câu 43. What is the true political population in America in 1800?

**A**. About four-fifths of the population.

**B**. About one-fifth of the population.

**C**. 5,308,483.

**D**. Less than one million.

Câu 44. Which of the following is not true?

**A**. About one-fifth of American people were black slaves in 1800.

**B**. Two-thirds of the American people live on the seaboard.

**C**. In 1800, the land was still untamed.

**D**. In 1800, strips of cultivated land were everywhere.

Câu 45. In the context of the paragraph, the word “untamed” means \_\_\_\_\_.

**A**. calm **B**. dangerous **C**. uncultivable **D**. bad

Câu 46. How long had the struggle to tame the American continent been going on in 1800?

**A**. About two hundred years. **B**. A little more than a century.

**C**. About fifty years. **D**. Since 1750.

***Part 3. 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.***

Name (47)                      an ex-Governor of New South Wales, Sydney is the State’s capital (48)                      . Located on the south-east coast of Australia in the temperate zone, it enjoys a mild (49)                      , averaging 14.5 hours of sunshine per day (50)                      summer and 10.25 hours in winter. It is also the largest, oldest and perhaps the most beautifully situated city in Australia. (51)                      established by the British as a convict settlement in 1788, it is a modem cosmopolitan city that has developed into one of the nation’s major industrial, business, and (52)                      centers.  
Sydney is (53)                      to nearly 4.2 million people (as at 1995). The suburbs reach out from the city center and harbor creating a metropolitan area of about 1000 square kilometers. The 57 square kilometer harbor is one of the largest in the world and famous (54)                      the unmistakable 134 high arch of the Harbor Bridge and the graceful sails (55)                      the Opera House. It is a busy waterway with ferries, freighters, hydrofoils and (56)                      craft.

Câu 47: **A**. of **B**. like **C**. as **D**. after

Câu 48: **A**. area **B**. part **C**. city **D**. role

Câu 49: **A**. wind **B**. atmosphere **C**. degree **D**. climate

Câu 50: **A**. in **B**. at **C**. on **D**. when

Câu 51: **A**. First **B**. Firstly **C**. At first **D**. First of all

Câu 52: **A**. manufacture **B**. manufacturing **C**. manufactory **D**. manufacturer

Câu 53: **A**. root **B**. house **C**. home **D**. hometown

Câu 54: **A**. on **B**. of **C**. to **D**. for

Câu 55: **A**. from **B**. of **C**. to **D**. in

Câu 56: **A**. please **B**. pleasant **C**. pleased **D**. pleasure

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| **21.B** | **22.B** | **23.B** | **24.B** | **25.D** | **26.B** | **27.B** | **28.C** | **29.C** | **30.C** |
| **31.A** | **32.D** | **33.B** | **34.A** | **35.B** | **36.C** | **37.B** | **38.A** | **39.B** | **40.A** |
| **41.B** | **42.D** | **43.A** | **44.D** | **45.C** | **46.A** | **47. D** | **48. C** | **49.D** | **50.A** |
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