***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.***

**Question 1: A**. wrap **B**. mass **C**. area **D**. sand

**Question 2: A**. conservation **B**. flow **C**. post **D**. ocean

**Question 3: A**. refreshment **B**. environment **C**. reduce **D**. deforestation

**Question 4: A**. treasure **B**. sewage **C**. save **D**. campus

**Question 5: A**. spoil **B**. folk **C**. float **D**. violent

***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.***

**Question 6: A**. silly **B**. remote **C**. reduce **D**. provide

**Question 7: A**. treasure **B**. protect **C**. cover **D**. ocean

**Question 8: A**. pollution **B**. prohibit **C**. protection **D**. treasurer

**Question 9: A**. achievement **B**. refreshment **C**. secondhand **D**. advantage

**Question 10: A**. unpolluted **B**. intermediate **C**. limitation **D**. environment

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

**Question 11**: “Were you pleased with the translation?” “Yes. The job was \_\_\_\_\_

**A**. amazing satisfactory **B**. amazingly satisfactory

**C**. amazing satisfactorily **D**. satisfactory amazing

**Question 12**: “What was your impression of last night’s lecture?” “\_\_\_\_\_ speaking, I thought it was rather boring.”

**A**. Honest **B**. Honestly **C**. Very **D**. Really

**Question 13**: Many young people move to the cities \_\_\_\_\_  search of employment since there’re few jobs available in the rural areas.

**A**. on **B**. for **C**. at **D**. in

**Question 14**: She was ready \_\_\_\_\_ that I was right.

**A**. to admit **B**. admit **C**. admits **D**. admitting

**Question 15**: If I lose this election, I \_\_\_\_\_ active in politics as a private citizen.

**A**. will continue to be **B**. will continue **C**. continued to be **D**. would continue

**Question 16**: They run a police check \_\_\_\_\_ all applicants for a gun license.

**A**. of **B**. on **C**. for **D**. about

**Question 17**: The garbageman will take the bags to the garbage \_\_\_\_\_.

**A**. yard **B**. area **C**. place **D**. dump

**Question 18**: He seems to be well-qualified \_\_\_\_\_ the job.

**A**. by **B**. for **C**. in **D**. of

**Question 19**: \_\_\_\_\_ will be provided in the cafeteria.

**A**. Refreshment **B**. Refreshments **C**. Refresh **D**. Refreshing

**Question 20**: I caught the kids next door spraying my dog \_\_\_\_\_ cold water.

**A**. with **B**. on **C**. over **D**. of

**Question 21**: She is fiercely \_\_\_\_\_ of her privacy.

**A**. protected **B**. protect **C**. protective **D**. protecting

**Question 22**: The book signing provided him \_\_\_\_\_ an opportunity to meet one of his heroes.

**A**. for **B**. with **C**. to **D**. of

**Question 23**: We are mixing \_\_\_\_\_ and cement to make concrete.

**A**. sand **B**. sands **C**. sanding **D**. sandy

**Question 24**: The floor was covered \_\_\_\_\_ a sheet of plastic.

**A**. with **B**. for **C**. of **D**. to

**Question 25**: Jackson canceled the concert, to the great \_\_\_\_\_ of his fans.

**A**. disappoint **B**. disappointed **C**. disappointing **D**. disappointment

***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.***

**Question 26**: In the unlikely event of a tornado, it is recommended that people move quick away from the window.

**A**. In the unlikely event **B**. a tornado

**C**. it is recommended **D**. quick

**Question 27**: Dropping the ball with only seconds leave to play was a costly mistake.

**A**. Dropping **B**. with **C**. leave **D**. a costly mistake

**Question 28**: We decided not to buy the house at Fourth Street since it’s directly below flight patterns from the nearby international airport.

**A**. decided not to buy **B**. at

**C**. since **D**. the nearby international

**Question 29**: We listened to the news on the radio because our TV set was broke.

**A**. listened **B**. on **C**. because **D**. was broke

**Question 30**: We think it unlike that anyone survived the crash.

**A**. think it **B**. unlike **C**. that **D**. survived the crash

**Question 31**: You can be pretty certainly that she’s not going to like it.

**A**. can be **B**. pretty certainly **C**. that **D**. not going to like

**Question 32**: If she lowers taxes, business people will move their companies back in the city.

**A**. lowers taxes **B**. business people **C**. will move **D**. back in the city

**Question 33**: They’ll be doing a soundly check before the concert.

**A**. They’ll be doing **B**. a soundly check **C**. before **D**. the concert

**Question 34**: She complained that she never had any time for herself.

**A**. complained **B**. that **C**. never had **D**. for herself

**Question 35**: You can try to minimize the damage with innocent civilians.

**A**. can try **B**. to **C**. with **D**. innocent civilians

***V. 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.***

The (36)                      oceans are so vast that they can cope (37)                      the present levels of pollution. However, little is known about the long-term effects of such slow (38)                      . The most serious problem of modern times is (39)                      man is destroying the earth’s natural resources and transforming huge areas (40)                      wasteland. (41)                      a result, it is becoming extremely difficult to grow enough to feed the world’s rapidly increasing population. A way of protecting all the wildlife on the earth must also be found as many species are (42)                      danger of disappearing completely from the face of the earth. The dangers, (43)                      , are not confined solely to the land and the sea. The smoke in the atmosphere, for example, is increasing so much that the amount of (44)                      has been reduced in many cities. Man’s whole (45)                      is being changed in a serious way.

Question 36. **A**. world’s **B**. world **C**. worldwide **D**. worldly

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

Question 38. **A**. poison **B**. poisoning **C**. poisonous **D**. poisonously

Question 39. **A**. that **B**. which **C**. when **D**. thing

Question 40. **A**. for **B**. of **C**. into **D**. on

Question 41. **A**. Like **B**. As **C**. To **D**. For

Question 42. **A**. in **B**. at **C**. on **D**. for

Question 43. **A**. however **B**. consequently **C**. in addition **D**. therefore

Question 44. **A**. sunlights **B**. sunbeam **C**. sunny **D**. sunlight

Question 45. **A**. environmental **B**. environmentalist

**C**. environment **D**. environ

***VI. 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 questions.***

A combination of sewage, salt, air pollution, sun, sand and wind may destroy the huge statue on the outskirts of Cairo. This statue of the sun god has the body of a lion and the face of a human being. It is five thousand years old, but it is too badly damaged to be completely saved.  
The statue has already been dug out of the sand three times. However, the latest problems are much more serious. First, there are no proper drains and water pipes in the neighborhood and the underground passages round the statue have become blocked. Too much water has been running into the stone statue for several years. As a result, tiny pieces of salt have been left on the stone and have damaged it.  
Secondly, air pollution from the increasing amount of traffic in Cairo is also destroying the ancient statue. The air is so full of poisonous gases that it is making the stone crumble and decay even faster.  
Thirdly, the statue is being damaged by extremes of temperature. For example, although the air is very cold at night, during the day the stone of the statue becomes very hot under the strong sun. Other natural forces such as severe sandstorms also attack the statue.  
Finally, the tourists who visit the statue every day also cause a lot of damage.

Question 46.  According to the passage, \_\_\_\_\_.

**A**. the statue is completely saved

**B**. the statue of the sun god was built for religious reasons

**C**. the statue is in the center of Cairo

**D**. part of the statue looks like a lion and part like a person

Question 47.  Find the word that mean “cause damage”.

**A**. attack **B**. blocked **C**. crumble **D**. decay

Question 48.  In paragraph 1, sentence 3, “it” refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

**A**. the sun god **B**. the huge statue **C**. a lion **D**. the face

Question 49.  The passage implies that \_\_\_\_\_.

**A**. people have covered the statue with sand on three occasions in the past in order to save it

**B**. high temperatures damage stone far more than low temperatures

**C**. people have used the statue to hide from their attackers in the past

**D**. it’s very hard for anyone who wants to save the statue

Question 50.  Which of the following is not true?

**A**. The underground passages round the statue are full of waste and water.

**B**. Small pieces of salt have been put on the stone of the statue to prevent further damage.

**C**. Cars, buses and lorries have polluted the air near the statue.

**D**. The statue was built 5,000 years ago.

**THE END**

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