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Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.

- 1 I don't know if I'll be able to help you but I'll ..... my best.
- A make
  - B give
  - C do
  - D work

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- 2 Many students have negative reactions to exams. ...., some students can't sleep or eat when they have an exam.
- A Nevertheless
  - B For example
  - C Likewise
  - D In addition

Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.

- 3 Ibiza Island has a warm climate.....Alaska has a cold climate.
- A because
  - B thanks to
  - C similiarly
  - D whereas

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- 4 By the time Europe began to use money, China ..... already ..... with paper currency for hundreds of years.
- A was / trading
  - B had / been trading
  - C has / traded
  - D has / been

Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.

- 5 The telephone ..... while Michael ..... to the manager.
- A rang / was talking
  - B has rung / has talked
  - C rang / talked
  - D has been ringing / was talking

Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.

- 6 The Liner Titanic struck on an iceberg in the Atlantic and sank on her very first ..... .
- A trip
  - B journey
  - C voyage
  - D excursion

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- 7 Studying at a private university is expensive. Most families can't ..... it.
- A afford
  - B spend
  - C take
  - D gain

Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.

- 8 The car suddenly stopped, and I realized that we had ..... of petrol.
- A run into
  - B broken out
  - C finished
  - D run out

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- 9 She likes classical music and is particularly ..... on Mozart.
- A eager
  - B keen
  - C enthusiastic
  - D hearty

Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.

- 10 Color-blind people often find it difficult to ..... between red and green.
- A distinguish
  - B compare
  - C see
  - D split

Choose the sentence that best completes the conversation.

- 11 Shop assistant: How can I help you?  
Customer: I'm looking for a book on Greek mythology.  
Shop assistant: Do you know the author of the book?  
Customer:.....  
Shop assistant: Is it D'aularie?  
Customer: Yes! Ah! D'aularie. Thank you.
- A I think it's D'aularie's book of Greek Myths.
  - B Mythology is something that people aren't interested in very much, isn't it?
  - C I really don't know. Can you show me all the books on mythology?
  - D Oh, it's on the tip of my tongue. It was something like Dulerie

Choose the sentence that best completes the conversation.

- 12 Jack : Which question did you choose to write an essay about?  
Ella : The second one.  
Jack: .....
- Ella : Well, it was too complex and I am more familiar with the second one.
- A Was it difficult for you?
  - B When did you finish writing it?
  - C Don't you think the second one was easier?
  - D Why didn't you choose the first one?

Choose the sentence that best completes the conversation.

- 13 Fred : How did you pack your records, Simon?  
Simon : .....
- Fred : Why?  
Simon : The delivery man just dropped them. And, he broke all of them.
- A I didn't need to pack them.
  - B It was difficult work but I succeeded.
  - C I didn't have enough time.
  - D There is no need to buy records.

Choose the sentence that best completes the conversation.

- 14 Jack:I hear your mother is going to have an operation.  
Mary: Oh, she has already had it. She is in hospital now.  
Jack:.....  
Mary:Yes, please do. She will be very happy.
- A I didn't know the situation was so serious.
  - B How do you feel now?
  - C Then I'll come around to see her in a day or two.
  - D It must be very hard for you. Why don't we go out tonight?

**Choose the sentence that best completes the conversation.**

- 15 Judy: I'm really tired of working.  
Bill:.....  
Judy: That's a great idea. I really need a strong one.
- A Why don't we employ a new assistant?
  - B Where shall we go?
  - C Sorry, I couldn't get what you said?
  - D I am too. Let's take a break and get some coffee

**Choose the sentence that best completes the conversation.**

- 16 Tim: .....  
Julie: That's true. Most teachers aren't rich.  
Tim: And you know, their job is really hard.
- A I'm sure teachers don't make a lot of money.
  - B You know, teachers make a lot of money.
  - C Teaching is a really difficult job.
  - D More and more young people want to be teachers these days.

**Find the irrelevant sentence.**

- 17 (1) Right handed people use their right leg first when taking a step.  
(2) That's why their right legs are stronger. (3) Companies started to produce special products for left handed people. (4) When they run in a circle their right leg remains on the outside so, especially in short-distance races, they place much more strength on their right legs ensuring that the athlete runs towards the left more comfortably.
- A 1
  - B 2
  - C 3
  - D 4

**Choose the appropriate answer.**

- 18 You are listening to a lecture. You don't understand what the professor has said. You want him to make it clear. You say:
- A That's interesting. Go on please.
  - B I'm looking forward to the end of your speech.
  - C I don't care what you have said.
  - D Sorry. What do you mean?

**Choose the appropriate answer.**

- 19 You are talking to a friend about global economy. He says if people produce more the economy gets better. You feel the same way too. So you say:
- A I don't think production is the magic formula itself.
  - B That's for sure. The more you produce the more you earn.
  - C Maybe. But, we should consider the importance of stock market.
  - D I don't agree with the idea you put forward to.

**Choose the appropriate answer.**

- 20 You are in your doctor's office. He is talking to you about your disease. You interrupt him politely to ask a question.
- A Excuse me, may I come in?
  - B I'm sorry for interrupting but I'd like to ask a question
  - C Sorry but it's a difficult question to ask.
  - D I'm sorry. Do you want to ask a question to me?

**Choose the appropriate answer.**

- 21 Your colleague shows you how to operate a new machine. You don't understand a step. You need more detailed information so you ask him:
- A I don't understand why they didn't put an instructor's manual for it.
  - B I don't understand why we have to use it
  - C Do you think this machine solve our problems?
  - D Can you explain how we do it again?

**Find the irrelevant sentence.**

- 22 (1) Clouds form when seawater evaporates, they move over the land, turn to rain and fall to the earth. (2) This is how streams and rivers come about. (3) These will run for kilometers and fall into the sea meaning that the same water eventually returns to the sea. (4) When tasted seawater is salty.
- A 1
  - B 2
  - C 3
  - D 4

**Find the irrelevant sentence.**

- 23 (1) Wedding bands are worn on the left hand because before medical science discovered and how the circulatory system functioned, people believed that a vein of blood ran directly from the third finger on the left hand to the heart and chose the name vena amori, Latin for the vein of love. (2) But most young couples don't prefer to wear gold wedding rings. (3) As a result, it became a symbol of a couple's love for each other. (4) Although we all know where and how veins work today, this has remained the custom.
- A 1
  - B 2
  - C 3
  - D 4

**Find the appropriate sentence.**

- 24 ..... The distinguishing feature of this cookbook is that unlike other cookbooks about edible herbs it contains a story for each herb, either specially written or borrowed from another source, recounting what an important role herbs play in our lives and how laden with meaning they are. Each story is followed by a description of the herb, how it is grown how it can be used either in cooking or for other purposes. Written as if from the mouth of the herb itself, these engaging descriptions enable the reader to get to know the herbs, some of which are familiar already but others of which we either have only seen or don't know at all.
- A Although there have been many successors, www.amazon.com stands for the pioneer of online shopping for books.
  - B Biologists have always had a great interest on edible herbs for hundreds of years.
  - C Author of such cookbooks as Zen in the Kitchen, Stories from a Fruit Tree, and A Dish a Day, Tijen Inaltong in her new cookbook, Wild One in the
  - D Many people think writing a cookbook isn't a job that enable the writers to make money and cookbooks are the trivial interests of some so-called

**Find the appropriate sentence.**

- 25 - ..... Richard Fenton Outcalt's "The Yellow Kid" (1896) was its first example and was seen as a comic strip in a newspaper. What set Yellow Kid apart from others that were in print media, was the fact that it was the first time text had been included within the images telling of the developing events based on a little boy. This is how text balloons were born.
- A In Turkey, the number of those who are passionate about comic books is on the rise.
  - B The comic book was born as a twentieth century art that went beyond just being a combination of literature and image, creating its own fiction,
  - C Not only children but also adults are crazy about comic books, it's actually a contagious passion that more and more people are interested in.
  - D Captain Volkan and Fatoş are the first examples of Turkish comic book characters.

**Find the appropriate sentence.**

- 26 Silicon Valley is a commonly used nickname for the southern part of the San Francisco Bay Area in California. Silicon Valley is a specific geographical area-the northern part of Santa Clara Valley and surrounding communities on the San Francisco Peninsula and in the East Bay. Its name, however, comes from the word of technology. ....
- A Japan is one of the most outstanding countries in terms of technology.
  - B This area has a high concentration of computer-related companies that make and use silicon chips.
  - C Bill Gates, the founder of Microsoft Company, hasn't even graduated from university.
  - D Silicon Valley is close to Pacific Ocean and a port city on the bay.

**Find the appropriate sentence.**

- 27 Historians agree on a few things. Early writing was pictographic-based on pictures, not sounds-and messages were carved into heavy clay tablets. Most importantly, they agree that a writing system was invented to store and transmit information. Prior to writing communication was strictly "face to face." People only knew what others told them. Important information wasn't accessible to all people. With the invention of writing system, information became portable. ....
- A Paper, in the form of Papyrus fibres, was first used by the Egyptians as long ago as 3500BC.
  - B Writing allowed people to share their words and knowledge with others, near and far away.
  - C The invention of the wheel and the ability to use the fire are more important than the invention of a writing system.
  - D The world would be a totally different place today if writing hadn't been invented.

**Find the appropriate sentence.**

- 28 ..... Despite this most Latvians have never actually visited the 730-year old city, which is regarded by many as a "Russian City". While it is true around 85% of the population is ethnically Russian, Daugavpils has a distinctly different feel from cities in Russia itself. The city is 229 km from Riga, 25 km from Lithuania and just 33 km from Belarus. By contrast, Russia is a whopping 130 km away. This helps why, rather than being a Russian city, Daugavpils is an unusual mix of Latvian, Russian, Polish, Belarusian, and Ukranian.
- A Latvia is so famous for its amber that almost everybody who travels there buys at least a piece of object.
  - B The Latvians suffered badly during the First World War and the Latvian war of independence.
  - C Latvia is one the great tourist destinations with it old cities and natural beauty.
  - D With a population of around 120,000 Daugavpils is the second largest city in Latvia after Riga.

**Choose the appropriate answer.**

- 29 You are angry with one of your friends, for he has been breaking his promises lately. In order to warn him once again you say to him:
- A We've talked about this before but if you do it again I won't make any plans with you.
  - B You are my best friend.
  - C I am very happy to see you.
  - D Being a friend requires suffering. You should be patient about it.

**Choose the appropriate answer.**

- 30 While you are listening to your teacher, your mobile phone rings. And the teacher tells you to stop that. You say in a kind voice :
- A It is not my phone, Miss.
  - B Why do you say that? That isn't the first.
  - C Okey. I am sorry for that.
  - D Okey! You don't have to shout.

**Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.**

- 31 ..... you like to come or ..... you rather stay here?
- A Should / would
  - B Would / had
  - C Would / would
  - D Do / would

**Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.**

- 32 "What will you do after school is over?"  
"I ..... have a year off and travel around Europe, but I haven't decided yet."
- A might
  - B have to
  - C should
  - D must

**Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.**

- 33 ..... he goes, he takes his wife with him.
- A No matter
  - B Wherever
  - C Whether
  - D How

**Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.**

- 34 He can speak ..... French nor German, .....we can't communicate with him. Let's ask somebody else
- A either / but
  - B neither / but
  - C both / so
  - D neither / so

**Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.**

- 35 The new detergent is ..... I've ever used. It makes my clothes much .....
- A the best / cleaner
  - B better / cleaner
  - C good / cleanest
  - D best / clean

**Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.**

- 36 The film was ..... I was so ..... that I could hardly look at the screen.
- A horrifying / terrifying
  - B horrifying / terrified
  - C horrified / terrified
  - D horrified / terrifying

**Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.**

- 37 The website is full of ..... on how to lose weight.
- A advice
  - B discuss
  - C critics
  - D interview

Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.

38 Students ..... are dismissed from the university.

- A whose poor grades
- B that their grades are poor
- C whose grades are poor
- D who are poor grades

Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.

39 The girls seem to be fully satisfied with their English course. So far, they ..... even a single class.

- A haven't missed
- B didn't miss
- C won't miss
- D don't miss

Choose the alternative that best completes the sentence.

40 I ..... the holiday enormously even though the weather ..... disappointing.

- A had enjoyed / has been
- B am enjoying / had been
- C have enjoyed/ was being
- D enjoyed / was

Answer the questions according to the passage.

**A bookworm is one of those people who cannot stop reading. They always have their nose in a book and read for pleasure. They can walk along a street with a book in front of them and not notice the world go by. When they go to bed, their lights stay on for ages because they try to finish a book. They have books with them wherever they go. Quite simply, they just love reading. There used to be a lot of them, but now they are dying out.**

**Television, video and internet have taken the place of books in many homes. Students still have to read but they usually read because they have to, rather than because they enjoy it. Once they have left school, many feel that they never want to open a book again, and according a recent survey, many do not. In Australia, 80% of university graduates never read another book from the beginning to the end. In England, 44% of the population say that they never buy a book and a further 1% buy only one book a year.**

41 Bookworms are people who.....

- A are interested in the things that are happening around them when they are reading
- B keep their books only in one place in their house
- C can stay awake for a long time to finish the book they're reading
- D enjoy reading and whose number is increasing

Answer the questions according to the passage.

42 Which of the following is not true?

- A Most students read because they have to.
- B Television, video, and internet are replacing books.
- C Students don't usually read for pleasure.
- D The number of bookworms is increasing.

Answer the questions according to the passage.

43 Statistics show us that .....

- A in Britain, 44% of the population don't read anything at all.
- B in Australia, 80% of the university graduates don't read a book till the end.
- C in Australia, only 30% of the population finish reading a whole book.
- D in Britain, 99% of the population don't even buy a book.

Answer the questions according to the passage.

**The unfavorable effects of cigarette smoking on the heart have frequently been described, but the exact basis for these effects has not been clarified. Some investigators believe nicotine to be the culprit, and there has been some experimental work in animals indicating that large doses of nicotine in conjunction with cholesterol feeding and vitamin D could produce a disease of the arteries resembling that seen in humans. An alternative explanation has been offered by other scientists who have pointed to the possible role of carbon monoxide being inhaled with the cigarette smoke.**

44 It is pointed out in the passage that nicotine.....

- A is considered by some to be one of the reasons why smoking had an adverse effect on the heart.
- B is the only harmful factor in relation to smoking.
- C affects animals more seriously than humans.
- D has an adverse effect only upon the arteries.

Answer the questions according to the passage.

45 According to the passage, studies into the adverse effects of smoking .....

- A have so far not raised any controversial opinions.
- B have not been able to establish for certain whether or not carbon monoxide could be a factor.
- C have shown that vitamin D reduces nicotine in the body.
- D indicate that nicotine and carbon monoxide may be only minor factors.

Answer the questions according to the passage.

46 The main concern of the passage is to .....

- A describe certain experiments on animals relating to the effects of carbon monoxide.
- B emphasize the role of nicotine and vitamin D play in the heart.
- C demonstrate that the adverse effects of smoking on the heart are still under debate.
- D give an account of the research work concerning animal disease.

Answer the questions according to the passage.

**"Some scientists have predicted that healthy adults and children may one day take drugs to improve their intelligence and intellectual performance. A research group has suggested that such drugs might become as common as coffee or tea within the next couple of decades. To counter this, students taking exams might have to take drugs tests like athletes. There are already drugs that are known to improve mental performance, like Ritalin, which is given to children with problems concentrating. A drug given to people with trouble sleeping also helps people remember numbers. These drugs raise serious legal and moral questions, but people already take vitamins to help them remember things better, so it will not be a simple problem to solve. It will probably be very difficult to decide at what point a food supplement becomes an unfair drug in an examination."**

47 What could be the title?

- A Intelligence Pills
- B Examinations
- C Schooling
- D Tests and Sports

Answer the questions according to the passage.

48 What is the main idea of the passage?

- A Drugs make people healthier.
- B Drugs can improve our intelligence.
- C One can make himself stronger with drugs.
- D Some say taking drugs at night help us to sleep.

Answer the questions according to the passage.

49 What does "**them**" refer to ?

- A Drugs
  - B People
  - C Vitamins
  - D Things
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Answer the questions according to the passage.

50 Which is TRUE according to the passage?

- A Athletes taking drugs won't have to take drugs test.
  - B One day nobody will have to take vitamins.
  - C If you want to succeed in an exam, do sports regularly.
  - D Using such drugs causes important problems for the society.
-