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اختر رمز الإجابة الصحيحة في كل فقرة مما يأتي، ثم ظلّل بشكل غامق الدائرة التي تشير إلى رمز الإجابة في نموذج الإجابة (ورقة القارئ الضوئي) فهو النموذج المعتمد (فقط) لاحتساب علامتك، علماً بأن عدد الفقرات (٥٠)، وعدد الصفحات (٧).

**READING:** For items (1-15), read the following texts carefully, and then choose the correct option from A, B, C or D to complete the sentence below each text.

1) In 1971 CE, the floppy disk was invented, which meant that information could be shared between computers. The first personal computer was produced in 1974 CE, so people could buy computers to use at home. In 1983 CE, people could buy a laptop for the first time. Then, in 1990 CE, Tim Berners-Lee developed the World Wide Web.

People weren't able to purchase a laptop before .....

- A) 1990 CE      B) 1971 CE      C) 1974 CE      D) 1983 CE

2) Most young people communicate through social media, by which they send each other photos and messages. Some students send messages that are under 140 letters for anyone to read. Teachers can ask students to summarise information about what they have learnt in class in the same way. If students learn to summarise quickly, they will be able to use this skill in future.

Students will make use of summarising skill in the future if they .....

- A) learn to summarise information rapidly      B) learn to send information quickly  
C) learn how to summarise quietly      D) communicate through social media rapidly

3) Many people are excited about the 'Internet of Things'. For them, a dream is coming true. They say that our lives will be easier and more comfortable. However, others are not so sure. They want to keep control of their own lives and their own things.

The underlined word (others) indicates the people who are ..... about the future.

- A) delighted      B) excited      C) worried      D) comfortable

4) The researchers appreciate that not everyone's personal circumstances and environment make it possible to live without worry. However, they believe that if we teach children to develop positive thinking, and to 'bounce back' after a setback, these qualities will improve their overall health in the future.

Teaching children to ..... will enhance their overall health.

- A) develop positive circumstances      B) develop positive thinking  
C) develop negative thinking      D) develop positive attitude

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5) Health conditions in Jordan are among the best in the Middle East. This is largely due to the country's commitment to making healthcare for all a top priority. Advances in education, economic conditions, sanitation, clean water, diet and housing have made our community healthier.

..... means "the systems which supply water and deal with human waste."

- A) Priority                      B) Commitment                      C) Sanitation                      D) Housing

6) Adeeb is going to visit the USA, France, the UK, Ireland, Belgium, Italy and Germany, where he will be staying with relatives. However, while he is in Germany, Adeeb will not be spending all his time sightseeing. He will be working with a specialist doctor to build the appendage. He will also be attending a course on prosthetics and learning about different kinds of medical equipments.

During Adeeb's visit to ....., he will live with his relatives.

- A) France                      B) Belgium                      C) Ireland                      D) Germany

7) Scientists have successfully invented a prosthetic hand with a sense of touch. Dennis Sorensen was the first person to try out this invention. After losing his left hand in an accident, he had been using a standard prosthetic hand for nine years. The new hand was developed by Swiss and Italian scientists. With it, Sorensen could not only pick up and manipulate objects, but he could also feel them. He was only allowed to wear it for a month, for safety reasons.

The best heading for this text is:

- A) Accident victim invents a prosthetic hand      B) Accident victim tests prosthetic hand  
C) Accident victim gets prosthetic hand      D) Accident victim invents prosthetic hand

8) Ali ibn Nafi' is also known as 'Ziryab' (or 'Blackbird', because of his beautiful voice). He was a gifted pupil of a famous musician from Baghdad, and it was his talent for music that led him to Cordoba in the ninth century CE. He was the guest of the Umayyad ruler there. He is the person who established the first music school in the world in Cordoba, Al-Andalus, teaching musical harmony and composition. He revolutionized musical theory, and is also the person who introduced the oud to Europe.

One of the following options is true about the achievements of Ziryab in music:

- A) Setting up the first music school in the world and introducing the oud to Europe.  
B) Introducing the oud to Europe and setting up the first music school in Baghdad.  
C) Setting up the first music school in Europe and introducing the oud to Cordoba.  
D) Setting up the first music school in Cordoba and introducing the oud to the world.

9) The King Hussein Cancer Center (KHCC) is Jordan's only comprehensive cancer treatment centre. It treats both adult and paediatric patients. As the population of the country increases, more and more families will rely on the hospital for cancer treatment. Patients come not only from Jordan but also from other countries in the region, as they are attracted by its excellent reputation. In order to cope with the increase in demand for treatment, the KHCC has begun an expansion programme.

The phrasal verb which means "to deal successfully with a situation" is .....

- A) start in                      B) come from                      C) rely on                      D) cope with

10) Ibn Bassal was a writer, a scientist and an engineer who lived in Al-Andalus in the eleventh century CE. His great passions were botany and agriculture. Although he was a great scholar, he was also a practical man and all of his writing came from his own 'hands-on' experience of working the land.

The word that means "the study of plants" is .....

- A) experience      B) agriculture      C) botany      D) scholar

11) When doing a sales pitch, it is essential to know everything about your product. Do you know when it was developed, and where it is produced? You also need to know who the target market is – for example, the age group or income of the people who might buy it. Not only that, you should know all about the competition – that is, similar products on the market. Why is your product superior to others and why does it have better value?

Knowing everything about similar products on the market refers to the .....

- A) competition      B) value of the product      C) target market      D) age group

12) Studio schools are pioneering schools which receive funding as well as support from private businesses, and which seek to encourage young people to undertake a less conventional form of secondary education. These schools often specialise in one specific area, whilst understanding that the same broad range of skills and qualifications should be made available to all young people.

One of the following options is false about studio schools:

- A) Receiving fund from the private sectors      B) Receiving fund from the government  
C) Specialising mainly in one field      D) Introducing new methods for the first time

13) It was found that secondary school students in the USA and the UK were spending the least time at school, with an average school year of 187 days. The typical Jordanian school year is longer than this. However, none of these are nearly as long as the school year in countries like Japan and South Korea. South Koreans attend school for 220 days per year, and in Japan, the school year numbers 243 days.

Students in ..... spend the least days away from their schools.

- A) South Korea      B) USA      C) Japan      D) Jordan

14) The earlier you start in the morning, the more beneficial your revision will be, because that's when you feel most awake and your memory is at its best. I'd also recommend studying for 30-minute periods, and then taking a break. It's been proved that concentration starts to decrease after half an hour, so frequent breaks will help the brain to recover and concentration to return.

The writer recommends taking frequent breaks when revising for the exams as.....

- A) memory is at its best      B) attention decreases after 30 minutes  
C) attention increases after 30 minutes      D) concentration is at its best

15) Prominent scientists and engineers are brought in as guest lecturers, with students aiming to achieve top grades in their Maths and Science exams. When they leave school, they will be well-placed to take any number of different career paths.

The underlined word (their) in the text refers to.....

- A) engineers      B) lecturers      C) scientists      D) students

**VOCABULARY:** For items (16-25), choose the correct option from A, B, C or D to complete each of the following sentences.

16) ..... are controls available on social networking sites which let you decide who can see what information.

- A) Privacy settings      B) Identity fraud      C) Email exchange      D) Security settings

17) Eating sensibly and taking regular exercise is a fairly ..... method of losing weight.

- A) reliability      B) reliable      C) reliably      D) reliance

18) In 1965 CE, the average Jordanian's..... was age 50.

- A) healthcare      B) infant mortality      C) work force      D) life expectancy

19) My grandfather has to take a lot of medicine – he takes six different ..... every day.

- A) prosthetic      B) arthritis      C) pills      D) allergies

20) We should prioritise ..... in already existing cities, rather than creating new ones.

- A) sustainability      B) sustained      C) sustain      D) sustainable

21) We are carbon – ..... if we replace as much carbon as we burn.

- A) waste      B) footprint      C) power      D) neutral

22) There are many ways to keep our children ..... engaged when stuck at home.

- A) academically      B) academy      C) academic      D) academies

23) I think the rich industrial nations ..... the global economy.

- A) domination      B) dominance      C) dominate      D) dominant

24) My father gave us the green light to go on the camping trip.

The underlined colour idiom means.....

- A) a useless possession      B) permission      C) unexpectedly      D) simultaneously

25) Some universities offer..... courses that suit different individual needs.

- A) tailor-made      B) prospects      C) increasingly      D) fluent<sup>1</sup>

**GRAMMAR PART ONE:** For items (26-34), choose the correct option. V / ξ

26) Ibrahim ..... his new dental clinic ..... last week. *causative*  
A) has / furnished      B) had / furnished      C) is / furnished      D) was / furnished

27) Rasha ..... her friend's dictionary if she had her own dictionary.  
A) borrowed      B) will borrow      C) wouldn't borrow      D) will not borrow

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- 28) The kids ..... football in the park before it started to rain.  
 A) have played      B) are playing      C) play      D) had played
- 29) Where did Maha ..... to school?  
 A) used to go      B) use going      C) use to go      D) use to going
- 30) My sister was very busy yesterday as she ..... for a special occasion.  
 A) had been preparing      B) ~~prepares~~      C) ~~has been prepared~~      D) ~~is preparing~~
- 31) This time tomorrow, we ..... because we will have finished our exams.  
 A) would have celebrated      B) will be celebrating  
 C) will have celebrated      D) had been celebrating
- 32) The lunch is not ready yet. We'll have to wait a little..... longer  
 A) long      B) the longest      C) the longer      D) longer
- 33) I can't do this exercise. I wish I..... it  
 A) understand      B) had understood      C) understood      D) have understood
- 34) Yahya didn't enjoy the book. In fact it was..... interesting story he has ever read.  
 A) the less      B) the least      C) the more      D) the most

**GRAMMAR PART TWO:** For items (35-43), choose the correct sentence from A, B, C or D which has a similar meaning to the one above.

35) My parents have saved enough money to buy a new car.

- A) Enough money has been saved to buy a new car.  
 B) Enough money hasn't been saved to buy a new car.  
 C) Enough money had been saved to buy a new car.  
 D) Enough money hadn't been saved to buy a new car.

36) "I visit my grandparents this morning."

- A) Huda said that she visited my grandparents this morning.  
 B) Huda said that she had visited her grandparents this morning.  
 C) Huda said that she visited my grandparents that morning.  
 D) Huda said that she visited her grandparents that morning.

37) It is normal for most of Jordanian people to cook Mansaf in the wedding party.  
 Most of Jordanian people.....

- A) used to cooking Mansaf in the wedding party.  
 B) are used to cooking Mansaf in the wedding party.  
 C) are used to cook Mansaf in the wedding party.  
 D) are use to cook Mansaf in the wedding party.

38) Learning medicine is more difficult than learning biology and chemistry.

- ~~A) Learning biology and chemistry is more difficult than learning medicine~~
- ~~B) Learning medicine is less difficult than learning biology and chemistry.~~
- C) Learning biology and chemistry is not as difficult as learning medicine.
- ~~D) Learning medicine is as difficult as learning biology and chemistry.~~

39) There's less information on the website than there is in the book.

- A) There isn't as much information on the website as in the book.
- ~~B) There isn't as many information in the book as on the website.~~
- ~~C) There isn't as much information in the book as on the website.~~
- ~~D) There isn't as many information on the website as in the book.~~

40) How can I irrigate my plants?

- ~~A) Could you explain how I could irrigate my plants?~~
- ~~B) Could you explain how can I irrigate my plants?~~
- ~~C) Could you explain how could I irrigate my plants?~~
- ~~D) Could you explain how I can irrigate my plants?~~

41) Exercise has been proved to be good for concentration

- ~~A) Experts had proved that exercise is good for concentration.~~
- B) Experts have proved that exercise is good for concentration.
- ~~C) Experts have proved that exercise was good for concentration.~~
- ~~D) Experts have proved that exercise is to be good for concentration.~~

42) I wish we had got up earlier. This means:

- ~~A) We didn't get up earlier, and now we are not late.~~
- ~~B) We don't get up earlier, and now we were late.~~
- C) We didn't get up earlier, and now we are late.
- ~~D) We don't get up earlier, and now we aren't late.~~

43) Ali ibn Nafi' revolutionised the musical theory in the world.

The sentence which emphasises the underlined words is:

- A) The thing that Ali ibn Nafi' revolutionised in the world was the musical theory.
- ~~B) The person who revolutionised the musical theory in the world is Ali ibn Nafi'.~~
- ~~C) It was Ali ibn Nafi' who revolutionised the musical theory in the world.~~
- ~~D) The thing which revolutionised Ali ibn Nafi' was the musical theory in the world~~

WRITING: For items (44 -50), choose the correct option from A, B, C or D

44) After each lesson in the laboratory, we always help the teacher to put the.....away.

- ~~A) epparatus~~
- ~~B) apparatos~~
- ~~C) apperatus~~
- D) apparatus

45) Is it..... to do after-school activities in Japan and South Korea. ....

- A) compulsory / ?
- ~~B) camprulsory / .~~
- ~~C) comprulsory / .~~
- ~~D) cumprulsory / ?~~

46) The study of the chemical structure of the stars and the forces that ..... them is.....

- ~~A) influnce / Astrophysics~~
- B) influence / Astrophysics
- ~~C) influnce / Astraphysics~~
- ~~D) influnce / Astruphysics~~

47) ..... are extremely large investment projects, which ..... to encourage growth and bring new benefits to cities.

- A) ~~Magaprojects~~ / were designed      B) ~~Migaprojects~~ / are designed  
C) Megaprojects / are designed      D) ~~Megeprojects~~ / were designed

48) New means of transportation will take us to our destinations smoothly!

The underlined words in the sentence above represent one of the following rhetorical devices .....

- A) simile      B) onomatopoeia      C) metaphor      D) personification

49) The sentence that has been written correctly is:

- A) A place where no cars are allowed is a pedestrian –free zone, and it is car friendly.  
~~B) A place where a pedestrian no cars are allowed is –free zone, and it is car friendly.~~  
~~C) A place where no free cars and pedestrian are allowed is a –zone, it is car friendly.~~  
~~D) A place where no allowed cars is a pedestrian are –free zone, and it is car friendly.~~

50) Remember, / career direction/ it's never/ or change / to study / too late

The sentence that has the correct order of the words and phrases above is:

- A) Remember, too late it's never or change to study career direction.  
B) Remember, it's never or change too late to study career direction.  
C) Remember, to study it's never or change too late career direction.  
D) Remember, it's never too late to study or change career direction.

**THE END**