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**LISTENING: (2,5 ms)**

**PART 1: Listen to a talk about globalization twice and choose the correct answer A, B, C or D.**

**Question** 1. Globalization is the increasing flow of goods, services, money, people, and

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. online shopping everywhere B. ideas across borders

C. the number of products D. feelings of consumers

**Question** 2. What are two technologies mentioned in the text as key drivers of globalization?

A. The printing press and the telegraph. B. The airplane and the internet.

C. The automobile and the telephone. D. The steam engine and the railroad.

**Question** 3. One of the biggest effects of globalization is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. Higher prices for consumers. B. Lower prices for consumers.

C. More jobs for consumers. D. Fewer products for consumers.

**Question** 4. Globalization has led to the rise of remote work. This means people are working \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. more hours in the office. B. in more dangerous conditions.

C. from home or other locations. D. very hard for less pay.

**Question** 5. What is the main idea of the text?

A. Globalization has had a positive impact on the economy of the world.

B. Globalization has had a negative impact on the population worldwide.

C. Globalization has had both positive and negative impacts on the world.

D. Globalization is a complex phenomenon with unpredictable effects.

**PART 2: Listen to a talk about Walt Disney twice and decide whether the following statements are true(T) or false (F).**

**Question** 6. Walt Disney moved to Hollywood because his parents moved to work there.

A. T B. F

**Question** 7. Mickey Mouse was about a cat.

A. T B. F

**Question** 8. His first feature-length animated film Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs.

A. T B. F

**Question** 9. Throughout his career, Disney won or received 28 Oscars - a record in history.

A. T B. F

**Question** 10. Besides making films, Disney was also the creator of the first Disneyland water park which opened in 1955.

A. T B. F

LEXICO AND GRAMMAR

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.(2,5ms)

**Question** 11. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in the following question.

A. t**ow**n B. c**ow** C. kn**ow** D. n**ow**

**Question** 12. 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 stress in the following question.

A. medicine B. blockbuster C. determine D. photograph

**Question** 13.The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the festival has grown over the years, attracting more visitors annually.  
A. popular B. popularly C. popularize D. popularity

**Question** 14.The process of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ has made it easier for people to share and enjoy different cultural traditions around the world.

A. isolation B. globalization C. migration D. celebration

**Question** 15. Wall Disney created Disneyland theme parks for fans to see Disney characters live on stage and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with them.

A. record B. interact C. combine D. play

**Question** 16***.*** When he was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_with lung cancer, he felt very depressed.

A. dedicated B. diagnosed C. volunteered D. admired

**Question** 17. Disney developed a character \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a pet mouse he once had, under the name of Mickey Mouse.

A. based on B. admired for C. connected with D. excited about

**Question** 18. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word in the following question.

The reason behind Apple's huge ***success*** lies in its focus on user experience.

A. fame B. benefit C. achievement D. failure

**Question** 19. He wants to be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ doctor when he grows up.

A. a B. the C. an D. Ø

**Question** 20. We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ our quality time when the unexpected guess \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. had had/was coming B. were having/came

C. had/had come D. is having/comes

***READING***

***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*** .(1,25ms)

Culture shock refers **(21)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ feelings of confusion or anxiety that people may have when experiencing a new and **(22)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ culture. Culture shock can be caused by language**(23)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , unfamiliar lifestyles, different climate, or strange food. For example, visitors to the US find it hard to get used to the local tipping culture. By contrast, tipping in Japan can be **(24)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ rude and even insulting in many situations.

The best way to overcome culture shock is to start learning about the new culture before moving there. You should try to **(25)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the positive aspects of your new experiences and keep an open mind. Learning about cultural diversity helps understand different ways of thinking about the world, gain new knowledge and experiences, and promote personal growth.

*Source: English 12- textbook- Page 29*

**Question** 21. A. to B. on C. in D. for

**Question** 22. A. different B. differ C. difference D. differently

**Question** 23. A. barriers B. similarities C. choice D. importance

**Question** 24. A. considered B. considering C. considers D. consider

**Question** 25. A. concentrate on B. get out C. pick up D. depend on

***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.*** (1,25ms)

Marie Curie was a brilliant scientist who made groundbreaking discoveries in the field of radioactivity. Born in Warsaw, Poland, in 1867, she was the youngest of five children. Her family was poor, and she had to work as a governess to help support them. This experience fueled her desire for knowledge, and she eventually moved to Paris to pursue her education.

In Paris, Marie studied physics and mathematics at the Sorbonne University. There, she met Pierre Curie, a fellow scientist, and they married in 1895. Together, they began researching radioactivity, a newly discovered phenomenon. They discovered two new radioactive elements: polonium, named after Marie's native Poland, and radium. Their work on radioactivity earned them the Nobel Prize in Physics in 1903.

Marie Curie was the first woman to win a Nobel Prize, and she became the first woman professor at the University of Paris in 1906. She continued her research and was awarded the Nobel Prize in Chemistry in 1911 for her work on isolating pure radium. This made her the only person to win Nobel Prizes in two different scientific fields.

Marie Curie's work had a profound impact on science and medicine. Her discoveries led to the development of X-ray technology, which was used to treat wounded soldiers during World War I. Her research also paved the way for the development of cancer treatments. Despite facing many challenges, including poverty, sexism, and the dangers of working with radioactive materials, Marie Curie remained dedicated to her scientific pursuits. Her legacy continues to inspire scientists and researchers around the world.  *Source: https://www.britannica.com/summary/Marie-Curies-Achievements*

**Question** 26.What was Marie Curie's family situation like when she was growing up?

A. She was born into a wealthy family and had access to a good education.

B. She was born into a large family and had to work to help support them.

C. She was an only child and received special attention from her parents.

D. She was adopted into a family that encouraged her scientific interests.

**Question** 27. What motivated Marie Curie to pursue her education in Paris?

A. She wanted to escape her poor family in Poland.

B. She was inspired by her work as a governess to gain knowledge.

C. She was offered a scholarship to study at the Sorbonne.

D. She faced prejudice and discrimination as a woman.

**Question** 28. What significant discovery did Marie Curie and her husband, Pierre, make together?

A. They used to treat wounded soldiers carefully during World War I

B. They studied physics and mathematics at the Sorbonne University

C. They discovered two new radioactive elements: polonium and radium.

D. They discovered the cure for cancer and they were successful

**Question** 29. What was the name of the university where Marie Curie studied physics and mathematics?

A. Oxford University B. Cambridge University

C. Harvard University D. Sorbonne University

**Question** 30. Marie Curie's work had a profound impact on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. the cancer treatments B. science and medicine

C. researchers around the country D. different scientific fields

**WRITING (2,5 ms)**

**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** 31. He enjoys playing a guitar in his free time.

A. enjoys B. playing C. a D. in

**Question** 32. My brother wasn’t looking at the road when he falls into a hole.

A. wasn’t B. a C. at D. falls

**Sentence combination**

33. They were cooking dinner. The phone rang. (Combine, use WHILE)

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**Sentence** transformation

34. David hasn’t helped her for 3 months. (The last time)

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35. Her brother has worked here since 2018. (BEGAN)

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**Sentence building**

36. Pho/ believe/ be the most popular food / Viet Nam.

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***Write a biography (150-180 words) of Bill Gates for your school newspaper. Use the outline below to help you.***

**QUICK FACTS ABOUT BILL GATES' EARLY LIFE**

- Full name: William Henry Gates III

- Born: 28 October, 1955 in Seattle, Washington (father: famous lawyer, mother: director of a big company)

- interested in computers and computer programming: wrote his first software program at the age of 13

- went to Harvard College (1973) but dropped out (1975)

**BILL GATES' LIFE AND ACHIEVEMENTS**

Bill Gates (aka William Henry Gates III) is considered ……..

**Early life and education**:

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**Achievements:**

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**THE END**