

Vocabulary

Choose the correct answer from a, b, c, or d:

1. Yasmeen Mostafa is a great researcher who has achieved marvellous success in science and technology; she is really a living

- a. lie
- b. legend
- c. superstition
- d. fable

2. To achieve more success, you will need a lot of perseverance. 'Perseverance' is the synonym for '.....'.

- a. carelessness
- b. cleverness
- c. determination
- d. deterioration

3. My uncle is very towards the poor. He usually provides them with the things they need.

- a. strict
- b. miserable
- c. courageous
- d. generous

4. With the help of the High Dam, the Nile no longer as it used to.

- a. irrigates
- b. moves
- c. floods
- d. rains

5. If you describe someone or something as, you mean that they are very famous and that many stories are told about them.

- a. legendary
- b. secondary
- c. ordinary
- d. contemporary

6. The manager gave us instructions, which we received orally.

- a. no
- b. written
- c. silent
- d. verbal

7. Stop being talkative; I'm up with your lies!

- a. fat
- b. fed
- c. given
- d. looked

8. The vaccine will not be marketed until it is to be safe.

- a. appeared
- b. remained
- c. failed
- d. demonstrated

9. The earthquake has caused results; it has destroyed a lot of houses.

- a. tragic
- b. terrific
- c. relieving
- d. lies

10. Sorrowfully, the young man has lost his mind and wounded his neighbour in a of anger.

- a. fat
- b. foot
- c. fit
- d. fete

10. Gaber denied killing the keeper; he didn't committing that crime.

- a. reject
- b. agree
- c. suggest
- d. admit

11. Peter is an intelligent student, but he lacks

- a. hesitation
- b. motivation
- c. retardation
- d. obstruction

12. The government tries to foreign investments to improve Egyptian economy.

- a. attack
- b. distract
- c. attract
- d. display

13. Economists believe that there should be a/an decline in the national birth rate to achieve more development and raise standards of living.

- a. instable
- b. unavailable
- c. steady
- d. trifle

14. The police have strong that the factory worker is the killer.

- a. evidence
- b. cleverness
- c. eagerness
- d. dizziness

15. My uncle is really; he never boasts about his achievements or possessions.

- a. tolerate
- b. arrogant
- c. pompous
- d. humble

16. The player behaved with great towards his rival after he had won the game. He showed true nobility.

- a. activity
- b. chivalry
- c. hatred
- d. envy

17. means determination to keep trying to achieve something despite difficulties.

- a. Importance
- b. Assistance
- c. Perseverance
- d. Maintenance

18. Myths and legends tell us about the of people from the past.

- a. perspectives
- b. failures
- c. humour
- d. laziness

19. The purpose of is to teach a lesson or moral. They are often about animals, plants or forces of nature.

- a. myths
- b. fables
- c. superstitions
- d. lies

20. My teacher was furious because I had repeated the same mistake. '*Furious*' here is similar in meaning to very '.....'.

- a. angry
- b. careful
- c. astonished
- d. quiet

21. The thief was found of stealing expensive objects from the mall, so he was sent to prison.

- a. clear
- b. charged
- c. innocent
- d. guilty

22. My friend is always cautious; he doesn't want to the risk.

- a. appear
- b. do
- c. take
- d. leave

23. Although the old man had a serious diabetic coma, he was back to life.

- a. given
- b. brought
- c. come
- d. appeared

24. During Ramadan, trains will run at intervals, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

- a. hidden
- b. sudden
- c. gradual
- d. regular

25. Things that are are not certain because people have different opinions about them.

- a. debatable
- b. available
- c. knowledgeable
- d. curable

26. Teens like playing video games because they offer a/an to fantastic, unreal worlds with characters who have special powers.

a. rejection

b. objection

c. escape

d. belief

27. Customs and traditions are on from one generation to another.

a. broken

b. sat

c. put

d. passed

28. Our country will continue to make progress as long as sincere people

a. exist

b. rest

c. disappear

d. escape

29. Having healthy food and doing sports are the secrets of youth.

a. external

b. ordinary

c. eternal

d. limited

30. To..... is to extend your arms and legs.

a. stretch out

b. cheer up

c. break down

d. look back

31. You must not the law, or you will face consequences.

a. follow

b. break

c. obey

d. make

32. Finally, my brother to overcome the problem, so he was very happy.

a. imagined

b. could

c. failed

d. managed

33. are stories that were made up by people who wanted to explain how our world works, such as how natural events occur.

a. Dreams

b. Legends

c. Myths

d. Lies

34. A lot of people hurried to the hospital to ... blood after the serious accident on the high road.

a. donate

b. make

c. take

d. own

35. The novel is greatly; the author portrays the main character as more extreme or dramatic than he is.

- a. realistic
- b. exaggerated
- c. authentic
- d. historic

36. Providing food for poor people in Africa and poor countries should be a matter of concern.

- a. minor
- b. local
- c. limited
- d. universal

37. **Samir:** *Do you think your essay has any to the topic we discussed?*

Amin: *I don't think so.*

- a. consistence
- b. persistence
- c. relevance
- d. insistence

38. *This young man has a place in my heart.* This means:

- a. I always remember his actions.
- b. He has a broken heart.
- c. I like him very much.
- d. I have a problem with him.

39. *The company has a high turnover rate.* This means:

- A. Some workers leave the factory and others are employed.
- B. More and more workers are employed, so the number of workers increases.
- C. The factory fired all workers and closed.
- D. There are a lot of applicants applying for the same job.

40. *Finally, the criminal paid with his life.* This means:

Structure

- A. He was sentenced to death because of his crimes.
- B. He had to pay a huge fine for his crime.
- C. He had to prove he was innocent.
- D. He was imprisoned for a short time.

41. The officer ordered his soldiers his instructions to be safe.

- a. don't follow
- b. not to follow
- c. to follow
- d. follow

42. Amina told me that she the washing-up at that moment.

- a. was doing
- b. has been doing
- c. will do
- d. was done

43. I was that a secondary school had been built in the neighbouring village.

- a. said
- b. asked
- c. advised
- d. told

44. Samir says that he the summer holiday in Hurghada when he has finished exams.

- a. has spent
- b. will spend
- c. would spend
- d. had spent

45. Tamer wonders when home because he needs my help badly.

- a. I will return
- b. will I return
- c. would I return
- d. I had returned

46. My mother asked why that loud noise.

- a. I will make
- b. was I making
- c. would I make
- d. I was making

47. I asked my mother if food yet.

- a. has prepared
- b. had prepared
- c. had been prepared
- d. has been prepared

48. My friend wanted to know how long for the car factory.

- a. I am working
- b. had I been working
- c. am I working
- d. I had been working

49. Huda inquired or not I would accept that invitation.

- a. whether
- b. that
- c. am I working
- d. which

50. Please, tell me where meet tomorrow.

- a. we were going to
- b. we are going to
- c. we met
- d. are we going to

51. The librarian asked why I to keep the novel for another week.

- a. want
- b. did I want
- c. wanted
- d. have wanted

52. Samir me why I had chosen that T-shirt.

- a. inquired
- b. ordered
- c. said
- d. asked

53. I recommended that she to a lawyer to prove she isn't guilty.

- a. spoke
- b. speak
- c. not speaking
- d. don't speak

54. The policeman the rash driver not to drive so fast.

- a. made
- b. wondered
- c. instructed
- d. said

55. *Let's spend the weekend in our village.* This means that I going there.

- a. discourage
- b. dislike
- c. suggest
- d. allow

56. **Adel:** *You look sick; why a doctor?*

Hala: *I will surely act upon your suggestion.*

- a. haven't you consulted
- b. don't you consult
- c. didn't you consulted
- d. you didn't consult

57. My doctor recommends *that medicine, as it's quite safe.*

- a. taking
- b. to take
- c. take
- d. not taking

58. *'Don't park here; it is forbidden'.* The policeman said we park there.

- a. should
- b. needn't
- c. didn't
- d. mustn't

59. My friend suggests for the next bus because it is too late.

- a. not waiting
- b. waiting
- c. not to wait
- d. don't wait

60. The general manager declared that the company efficient and punctual workers the next month.

a. had promoted

b. is promoting

c. is going to promote

d. was going to promote

61. Tom said that he about that accident before he returned home.

a. hadn't told

b. isn't told

c. hadn't been told

d. won't tell

62. She informed me that my friend Rami a terrible accident while he was driving to work.

a. has had

b. had

c. will be having

d. is having

63. Rami told Amani that she a bad mistake and that she had to apologise.

a. had made

b. is making

c. would make

d. has made

64. Gaber he was ready for the interview.

a. told

b. informed

c. wondered

d. said

65. The social studies teacher told us that Russia the world's largest country by landmass.

a. is

b. was

c. has been

d. will be

66. Students complained that the test long and difficult.

a. has been

b. is

c. was

d. would be

67. The interviewer said that the secretary would inform me of the result of the interview

a. the week before

b. last week

c. following week

d. the following week

68. Can you tell me why to London last month?

a. did you travel

b. had you travelled

c. you travelled

d. you had travelled

6 Ali wanted to know I was ready for the exam or not.

- a. when
- b. if
- c. that
- d. why

70. I don't know my new neighbour comes from.

- a. that
- b. whether
- c. where
- d. when

71. Dalia said, '*Did you do your homework alone?*'

Which of the following is the correct reported sentence?

- A. Daila asked me if I have done my homework alone.
- B. Daila asked me to do my homework alone.
- C. Daila asked me if I had done my homework alone.
- D. Daila asked me if I would do my homework alone.

72. *The manager declared that he was going to punish careless workers.*

Which of the following is the correct direct sentence?

- A. "I've punished careless workers," said the manager
- B. "I'm going to punish careless workers," said the manager.
- C. "I will punish careless workers," said the manager.
- D. "I must punish careless workers," said the manager.

73. '*Where is the nearest post office?*'

Which of the following is the correct reported sentence?

- A. Could you tell me where is the nearest post office?
- B. Could you tell me where was the nearest post office?
- C. Could you tell me where the nearest post office was?
- D. Could you tell me where the nearest post office is?

Comprehension

Read this paragraph and choose the correct answer:

The primary purpose of mass media is to reach out to the public and inform them. Moreover, it analyses and observes our surroundings to deliver information in the form of news. As a result, the public is continually informed about not only their immediate surroundings but also the rest of the world. This is how the media disseminates and perceives information. Weather forecasts, for example, enable individuals and farmers to plan ahead. Fishermen, likewise, receive information on tidal activity from the news. Furthermore, the media works to preserve the fabric of our social heritage by showcasing our rituals, mythology, and civilisation.

74. What is the main idea of this paragraph?

- A. The disadvantages of the mass media.
- B. The merits and demerits of the mass media.
- C. The role of the mass media.
- D. How to avoid being badly affected by the mass media

75. According to the paragraph, the news provides information on to fishermen.

- a. kinds of water
- b. tides
- c. species of fish
- d. quiet waves

76. According to the paragraph, the mass media is beneficial to

- a. farmers only
- b. specific professions
- c. different people
- d. navigation only

77. *Furthermore, it analyses and observes our surroundings in order to deliver information in the form of news.*

In this sentence, 'Furthermore' shows

- a. addition
- b. contrast
- c. cause
- d. result

78. The underlined word 'disseminates' means

- a. prints
- b. prevents
- c. spreads
- d. inquires

Writing

79. Which of the following is punctuated correctly?

- A. You don't know your 20 year-old neighbour well, do you?
- B. You don't know your 20-year-old neighbour well, do you?
- C. You don't know your 20-year old neighbour well do you?
- D. You don t know your 20-year old neighbour well, do you?

80. Which of the following ***isn't*** punctuated correctly?

- A. Sherif bought three things: a jacket, a T-shirt and a pair of trousers.
- B. "You aren't allowed to use your camera here," said the policeman.
- C. The teacher said "Tamer why are you so late?"
- D. "Don't waste your time watching too much television," said my father.

81. Which of the following are used to show contrast?

- A. Although, even though and however.
- B. In short, In summary and To conclude.
- C. Also, besides and furthermore.
- D. Because, consequently and for this reason.

82. We use a reflective essay to

- A. illustrate something in a way that your reader can see, feel, or hear whatever it is you're talking about.
- B. demonstrate why one theory is superior to another and try to influence the reader to take a specific stance or action.
- C. provide the writer an opportunity to discuss how a certain life event has affected them and what lessons they have learnt from it.
- D. tell a story about a personal experience you or another person had.

83. '*Teamwork is the essence of success when doing major tasks*'.

This could be a part of an essay about

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| a. self-denial | b. thinking of others |
| c. employment | d. cooperation |

Choose the correct translation.

84. لَا يَكْفِي أَنْ نَفْخَرُ دَائِمًا بِالْإِنجازاتِ الْعَظِيمَةِ الَّتِي حَقَّقَهَا أَسْلَافُنَا فِي الْمَاضِي. يَجِبُ أَنْ نَعْمَلَ بِجِدٍّ لِتَحْقِيقِ أَهْدَافِنَا وَالنَّجَاحِ فِي الْحَيَاةِ مَعَ الْمَسَاهِمَةِ أَيْضًا فِي تَقَدُّمِ الْمَجْتَمَعِ.

- A. It is not enough to always be proud of the great civilisation of our ancestors in the past. We must work hard to achieve our goals and succeed in life while also focussing on the progress of society.
- B. It is not enough to always be proud of the great progress of our ancestors in the past. We must work hard to achieve our goals and succeed in life while also keeping the progress of our country.
- C. It is not enough to always be proud of the great achievements of our parents at the present time. We must work hard to achieve our goals and succeed in life while also contributing to the progress of our country.
- D. It is not enough to always be proud of the great achievements of our ancestors in the past. We must work hard to achieve our goals and succeed in life while also contributing to the progress of society.

85. يَهْدَفُ مَشْرُوعُ رَأْسِ الْحَكْمَةِ عَلَى تَوْفِيرِ فُرْصِ عَمَلٍ لِلشَّبَابِ وَاسْتِيعَابِ الزَّيَاةِ السَّكَّانِيَّةِ خِلَالَ السَّنَوَاتِ الْقَادِمَةِ، إِلَى جَانِبِ الاسْتِغْلَالِ الْأَمَثِلِ لِلْأَرْضِ وَجَذْبِ الْمُسْتَثْمِرِ الْأَجْنَبِيِّ.

- A. The Ras Al-Hekma project aims to provide career opportunities for young people and accommodate the population increase in the coming years, in addition to optimal exploitation of land and attracting Arab investors.
- B. The Ras Al-Hekma project aims to provide job opportunities for young people and accommodate the population increase in the coming years, in addition to optimal exploitation of land and attracting foreign investors.
- C. The Ras Al-Hekma project aims to provide job opportunities for young people and accommodate the population increase in the coming decades, in addition to optimal exploitation of land and attracting European investors.
- D. The Ras Al-Hekma project aims to provide job opportunities for young people and accommodate the population increase in the coming years, in addition to optimal exploitation of the beaches and attracting foreign traders.

86. Encouraging tourism, attracting foreign investment and increasing exports are important factors in increasing hard currency. This leads to boosting the economy, controlling prices and improving the standard of living.

- A. يُعَدُّ تَشْجِيعُ السِّيَاحَةِ وَجَذْبُ الاسْتِثْمَارِ الأَجْنَبِيِّ وَتَقْلِيلُ الوَارِدَاتِ مِنْ العَوَامِلِ أَلْمَهْمَةِ فِي زِيَادَةِ الْعُمْلَةِ الصَّعْبَةِ. وَهَذَا يُؤَدِّي إِلَى تَعْزِيزِ الْاِقْتِصَادِ وَالسَّيْطَرَةِ عَلَى الْأَسْغَارِ وَتَحْسِينِ مُسْتَوَى الْمَعِيشَةِ.
- B. يُعَدُّ تَشْجِيعُ السِّيَاحَةِ وَجَذْبُ الاسْتِثْمَارِ الأَجْنَبِيِّ وَزِيَادَةُ الصَّادِرَاتِ مِنْ العَوَامِلِ أَلْمَهْمَةِ فِي تَحْسِينِ الْاِقْتِصَادِ. وَهَذَا يُؤَدِّي إِلَى مُحَارَبَةِ الْاِحْتِكَارِ وَالسَّيْطَرَةِ عَلَى الْأَسْغَارِ وَتَحْسِينِ مُسْتَوَى الْمَعِيشَةِ.
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87. You should never criticise others without being objective. You should be positive and take effective steps towards serving the community, or at least appreciate what others are doing.

- A. يَجِبُ أَلَّا تَنْتَقِدَ الْآخَرِينَ أَبَدًا دُونَ أَنْ تَكُونَ إِجْبَابِيًّا، يَجِبُ أَنْ تَكُونَ فَعَالًا وَتَتَّخِذَ خُطَوَاتٍ فَعَّالَةً نَحْوَ خِدْمَةِ الْمَجْتَمَعِ، أَوْ عَلَى الْأَقْلَى تَقْدِيرَ مَا يَفْعَلُهُ الْآخَرُونَ.
- B. يَجِبُ أَلَّا تَنْتَقِدَ الْآخَرِينَ أَبَدًا دُونَ أَنْ تَكُونَ مُوْضُوعِيًّا، يَجِبُ أَنْ تَكُونَ إِجْبَابِيًّا وَتَتَّخِذَ خُطَوَاتٍ فَعَّالَةً نَحْوَ خِدْمَةِ الْمَجْتَمَعِ، أَوْ عَلَى الْأَقْلَى تَقْدِيرَ مَا يَفْعَلُهُ الْآخَرُونَ.
- C. يَجِبُ أَلَّا تَنْتَقِدَ الْآخَرِينَ أَبَدًا إِذَا كُنْتَ سَلْبِيًّا، يَجِبُ أَنْ تَكُونَ إِجْبَابِيًّا وَتَتَّخِذَ خُطَوَاتٍ سَرِيعَةً نَحْوَ خِدْمَةِ الْمَجْتَمَعِ، أَوْ عَلَى الْأَقْلَى تَقْدِيرَ مَا يَفْعَلُهُ الْآخَرُونَ.
- D. يَجِبُ أَلَّا تُسَيِّءَ لِلْآخَرِينَ أَبَدًا دُونَ أَنْ تَكُونَ مُوْضُوعِيًّا. يَجِبُ أَنْ تَكُونَ إِجْبَابِيًّا وَتَتَّخِذَ خُطَوَاتٍ مَقْبُولَةً نَحْوَ خِدْمَةِ الْمَجْتَمَعِ، أَوْ عَلَى الْأَقْلَى تَقْدِيرَ مَا يَفْعَلُهُ الْآخَرُونَ.

Great Expectations

Answer the following questions:

88. Shouldn't Pip have told Provis that his daughter was still alive? Why?
89. Which character do you like most in '*Great Expectations*'? Why?
90. Was Miss Havisham right to leave some of her money to Mr Matthew Pocket? Why?
91. Do you think Estella deserves to own most of Miss Havisham's money? Why?
92. Should Miss Havisham have left Pip some of her money? Why?
93. If you were Joe, would you pay off Pip's debts? Why?
94. In your opinion, what was the greatest expectation for Pip? Why do you think so?
95. 'It's my wedding day, Pip!' Biddy said, happily. '*Joe and I have just got married!*'
Would Joe have married Biddy if he had known that Pip had wanted to marry her? Why?
96. '*You have the best husband in the world, Biddy!*' And Joe, *you have the best wife!*'
Do you think these words reflect Pip's real feelings? Why?
97. What is the worst character in '*Great Expectations*'? Why do you think so?
98. In your opinion, what is the moral lesson of "*Great Expectations*"?

Essay and Email-Writing

99. Write an essay of about 200 (TWO HUNDRED) words on "*Your dream job*".
100. Write an essay of about 200 (TWO HUNDRED) words on "*The role you can play to share in developing your country*".
101. Write an email of about 200 (TWO HUNDRED) words to your British pen friend Jack, telling him about the expected investment projects in the Ras Al-Hekma area and how this will contribute to improving living conditions all over Egypt. Your name is Baher and your email address is baher2024@yahoo.com. Your pen friend's email address is jackpeter@gmail.com.