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*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions (1 - 3).*

**Question 1:** If you practise harder, you will have better results.

- A. The more hardly you practise, the better results you will have.
- B. The harder you practise, the better results you will have.
- C. The harder you practise, the best results you will have.
- D. The hardest you practise, the most results you will have.

**Question 2:** “John left an hour ago,” said Jane.

- A. Jane told me that John had left there an hour before.
- B. Jane told John to have left there an hour before.
- C. Jane told me that John to leave there an hour before.
- D. Jane said John left there an hour before.

**Question 3:** Joey put all his money on the lottery, which was his big mistake.

- A. Joey can't have put all his money on the lottery.
- B. Joey shouldn't have put all his money on the lottery.
- C. Joey needn't have put all his money on the lottery.
- D. Joey may not have put all his money on the lottery.

*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 following questions (4 - 8).*

Table manners differ around the world. If you visit a friend's home for a meal, it's good to know about the customs **they** follow.

If you are invited to a Moroccan's home, bring a gift of sweet pastries, nuts, figs, dates, or flowers to the hostess. In many traditional homes, people often sit on the floor to eat a meal. Often, everyone shares food from the same 10 plate. The plate is put in the centre of the table. Usually, everyone also drinks water from the same glass. Only eat the food in front of you. Don't reach across someone for food. It is common to use your fingers and small pieces of bread to eat food. Use only your right hand to eat. Don't say “no” to food. If the host of the meal **offers** you food or drink, take some and try a little. In many Moroccan homes, it is common to take off your shoes.

Tanzania is known for its fresh fish and spices. Don't act scared if your meal comes with its head still on the plate. It is polite to try a bite of everything. In many Tanzanian homes, people sit at a table on small stools to eat. It is OK to eat with your right hand, using bread or chapati to pick up food. Everyone may take food from the same plate, but it is not usual for people to share drinks. You may compliment the cook on a delicious meal, but don't exaggerate. In some parts of Tanzania, men and women will sit at different tables. Also remember: It is common to take off your shoes in the home, but it is rude to show the bottom of your foot.

**Question 4:** Which best serves as the title for the passage?

- A. Table Manners- Ultimate Guide to Dining Etiquette
- B. Table Manners across some cultures in the world
- C. Tips for foreigners when having meal in Tanzania
- D. Table Manners in Morocco: Things to do for everyone

**Question 5:** The word “they” in paragraph 1 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. friends                      B. customs                      C. meals                      D. manners

**Question 6:** According to the passage, why does the writer think it is good to know about customs in other countries?

- A. You can order food in a restaurant.                      B. You can learn the language.  
C. you can act in a proper way.                      D. You can know how to eat healthy.

**Question 7:** The word “offers” in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. provides                      B. exchanges                      C. attends                      D. receives

**Question 8:** According to paragraph 3, which of the following should you NOT do in Tanzania?

- A. eat with your hands                      B. take off your shoes  
C. show the bottom of your foot                      D. take food from the same plate

*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 (9 - 10).*

**Question 9:**    A. importance                      B. provision                      C. industry                      D. performance

**Question 10:**    A. police                      B. repeat                      C. prepare                      D. purpose

*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 (11 - 12).*

**Question 11:**    A. naked                      B. ticked                      C. booked                      D. checked

**Question 12:**    A. entertain                      B. bargain                      C. chain                      D. complain

*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 (13 - 17).*

The warming of the Earth is caused by exhaust gas from automobile engines, factories and power (13) \_\_\_\_\_. Carbon dioxide goes up into the atmosphere, and it form a kind of screen that keeps or allows the sunshine in but stop the Earth heat (14) \_\_\_\_\_ getting out. It works like a greenhouse, that’s why we call (15) \_\_\_\_\_ the Green House effect.

Because of this effect, the Earth is getting warmer all the time. This (16) \_\_\_\_\_ in temperature will cause big changes to the world’s climate. The sea level will increase as the ice (17) \_\_\_\_\_ the poles will melt.

**Question 13:**    A. sites                      B. factories                      C. stations                      D. companies

**Question 14:**    A. away                      B. from                      C. against                      D. up

**Question 15:**    A. it                      B. them                      C. be                      D. is

**Question 16:**    A. drop                      B. raise                      C. fall                      D. rise

**Question 17:**    A. cover                      B. covered                      C. covering                      D. covers

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions (18 - 19).*

**Question 18:** His second venture, a software firm, is booming and will soon be ready to take on more staff.

- A. adopt                      B. prepare                      C. employ                      D. dismiss

**Question 19:** My sister said that the journey by sea was long and boring. However, I found it very interesting.

- A. excursion                      B. voyage                      C. flight                      D. route

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions (20 - 33).*

**Question 20:** Sometimes my father helps my mom with \_\_\_\_\_ meals.

- A. making                      B. preparing                      C. keeping                      D. arranging



**Question 34:** We sometimes think of writing as more real than speech because \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. people have been writing since there have been human beings
- B. writing is secondary to language
- C. it has become very important in our culture
- D. human beings have been writing for at least 5000 years

**Question 35:** The author of the passage argues that \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. everyone who learns to speak must learn to write
- B. all languages should have a written form
- C. writing has become too important in today's society
- D. speech is more basic to language than writing

**Question 36:** According to the passage, writing \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. developed from imperfect speech
- B. is represented perfectly by speech
- C. represents speech, but not perfectly
- D. is imperfect, but less so than speech

**Question 37:** Normal human beings

- A. learn to write before learning to talk
- B. learn to talk after learning to write
- C. learn to write and to talk at the same time
- D. learn to talk before learning to write

**Question 38:** Learning to write is \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. not easy
- B. very easy
- C. quick
- D. easy

**Question 39:** In order to show that learning to write requires effort, the author gives the example of \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. people who learn the rudiments of speech
- B. severely handicapped children
- C. intelligent people who couldn't write
- D. people who speak many languages

**Question 40:** In the author's judgment \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. writing is more real than speech
- B. writing has more advantages than speech
- C. speech is essential but writing has important benefits
- D. writing is more real than speech

**Question 41:** The word "**advantage**" in the last paragraph most closely means

- A. domination
- B. rudiments
- C. benefit
- D. skill

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best completes each of the following exchanges (42 - 43).*

**Question 42:** Jack is talking to Mary about watching TV.

- Jack: " \_\_\_\_\_ ?"

- Mary: "Not now, but I used to."

- A. Do you watch TV very often
- B. Won't you have some tea
- C. Are you going to bed
- D. Did you enjoy it

**Question 43:** Emily and David, two students, are talking about studying abroad.

- Emily: "I think studying abroad is the only way to get a well-paid job."

- Lucy: " \_\_\_\_\_ . There're still many different ways to get it."

- A. You're exactly right
- B. That's what I think
- C. I don't think so
- D. There's no doubt about it

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions (44 - 45).*

**Question 44:** I think we cannot purchase this device this time as it **costs an arm and leg**.

- A. is expensive
- B. is cheap
- C. is confusing
- D. is painful

**Question 45:** Many women prefer to use cosmetics to enhance their beauty and make them look younger.

- A. enrich                      B. worsen                      C. improve                      D. maximize

*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 (46 - 48).*

**Question 46:** Those famous pictures hanging on the gallery wall painted in France.

- A. Those                      B. hanging                      C. the                      D. painted

**Question 47:** The novel was such interesting that I read it from the beginning to the end in 4 hours.

- A. such                      B. read                      C. the beginning                      D. in

**Question 48:** Whenever my close friend has some troubles solving the thorny problems, I am willing to give him an arm .

- A. Whenever                      B. solving                      C. thorny                      D. an arm

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions (49 - 50).*

**Question 49:** Susan didn't apply for the job in the library. She regrets it now.

- A. Susan wishes she had applied for the job in the library.  
B. Susan regrets to apply for the job in the library.  
C. Susan regrets applying for the job the in library.  
D. Susan should apply for the job in the library.

**Question 50:** Quang won a scholarship. We are excited about that fact.

- A. We won Quang's excitement about the fact of a scholarship.  
B. The fact being excited us had won Quang a scholarship.  
C. We're excited about Quang's having won a scholarship.  
D. Quang's excited about a scholarship's having won us.

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