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科目：英文

注意事項	一、請先檢查准考證號碼、報考系(組)別、考試科目名稱，確定無誤後再作答。 二、所有答案應寫於答案紙上，否則不予計分。 三、作答時應依試題題號，依序由上而下書寫，作答及未作答之題號均應抄寫。
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I. Vocabulary:30%

1. It is important that I do not ___ when faced with difficulties.
(A) designate
(B) despite
(C) desperate
(D) despair
2. I am ___ to you for your kindness during my recent troubles.
(A) indecisive
(B) indebted
(C) indefensible
(D) indefinite
3. Food must not be left out of a refrigerator for too long, or it might start to _____.
(A) decompose
(B) decompress
(C) decontaminate
(D) decontrol
4. The City Council was so impressed with the commitment of the charity to green issues that it agreed to a _____.
(A) substitute
(B) subscription
(C) subsidy
(D) subordinate
5. Sharen was talented in several academic ___ but, after a great deal of thought, she decided to pursue her doctoral studies in the field of economics.
(A) disciples
(B) disciplines
(C) discords
(D) directors
6. If you cannot complete your thesis in time, you may ask for an _____.
(A) extension
(B) extent

- (C) extant
(D) express
7. Following the shock 3-2 defeat against Spain, England was ___ from the 2006 World Cup.
(A) expelled
(B) deported
(C) exiled
(D) eliminated
8. A leading medical journal has reported that people do not just have "male" or "female" ___, but a mixture of both.
(A) hornets
(B) hornbills
(C) hormones
(D) horizons
9. Nowadays, people are becoming increasingly aware of ___ by email or telephone.
(A) scams
(B) scans
(C) scars
(D) scares
10. As the natural habitat gradually melts away, the Polar Bear is in peril of becoming an ___ species.
(A) exposed
(B) endangered
(C) insecure
(D) uncertain
11. The ___ of the airbase was marked by a steel fence, eight feet high, with barbed wire on the top.
(A) period
(B) frontier
(C) perimeter
(D) permit
12. Jane was offered an ___ with a prestigious firm of New York lawyers. This would provide her with invaluable experience.
(A) internment
(B) intermediary
(C) interment
(D) internship
13. Jill planned to use the ___ from her part time job in the supermarket to buy books for her university courses.
(A) revere
(B) revenue
(C) reverence
(D) revelry
14. In a fully democratic society, there is no ___ of newspaper by the government.

- (A) censorship
- (B) hindrance
- (C) censure
- (D) interdict

15. The examination paper asked students to ____ the information given in a newspaper article.

- (A) summary
- (B) summon
- (C) summarize
- (D) summit

II. Grammar:30%

16. We ____ live in a small village but now we live in New York.

- (A) were use to
- (B) used
- (C) were used to
- (D) used to

17. "You haven't seen Mary today, ____ you?" "No, I'm afraid not."

- (A) haven't
- (B) do
- (C) did
- (D) have

18. I'm absolutely sure I locked the door. I clearly remember ____ it.

- (A) locking
- (B) to lock
- (C) lock
- (D) in locking

19. "Shall I tell them the news?" "No, I'd rather they ____."

- (A) don't know
- (B) didn't know
- (C) not know
- (D) do know

20. Liz suddenly felt somebody ____ her on the shoulder.

- (A) to touch
- (B) touches
- (C) touch
- (D) touched

21. She said she would contact me but she ____ wrote ____ phoned.

- (A) either . . . or
- (B) both . . . and
- (C) neither . . . nor
- (D) not . . . but

22. There are many good hotels in the city. You can stay at ____ of them.

- (A) either
- (B) neither
- (C) any
- (D) which

23. Mark told me about his new job, ____ he's enjoying very much.

- (A) which
- (B) in which
- (C) what
- (D) where

24. Mary has 3 brothers, all of ____ are married.

- (A) them
- (B) they
- (C) whom
- (D) what

25. They've got 3 cars, ____ they never use.

- (A) those two
- (B) two of which
- (C) two of what
- (D) two of that

26. I live in a pleasant room, ____ the garden.

- (A) overlooking
- (B) which overlooking
- (C) overlooks
- (D) where overlooks

27. It was ____ that I couldn't put it down.

- (A) such a good book
- (B) so a good book
- (C) such good book
- (D) so good book

28. Going there by car is very convenient, ____ you have somewhere to park.

- (A) provide that
- (B) provided that
- (C) to provide that
- (D) provide

29. I'd prefer shirts not ____ with polyester, if you have any.

- (A) make
- (B) made
- (C) making
- (D) to make

30. A clothes horse is a frame on ____ clothes are hung to dry.

- (A) where
- (B) it
- (C) there
- (D) which

III. Reading Comprehension: 40%

Questions 31-33 refer to the following announcement

Good morning, shoppers. Thank you for shopping with us. While you're here, don't miss our "Specialty Center," where our Taiwanese Festival is currently being held. There you'll find all of your favorite Taiwanese souvenirs, from watches, kow-kow clocks, music boxes, LED products, jewelry, and fine gourmet foods, all imported directly from Taiwan. We're also giving away free gifts for purchases over \$30.00! And on top of that, you can pick up a free lottery ticket at the service counter and enter into our weekly draw. The winner will be given two first-class roundtrip tickets to Taiwan, along with a \$500.00 gift certificate to any of our outlets!

31. What is this announcement for?
- (A) To thank customers
 - (B) To promote a sales campaign
 - (C) To advertise a new product
 - (D) To present a shopping center
32. What does the specialty center sell this week?
- (A) Tulips from Holland
 - (B) French wine
 - (C) Taiwanese foods
 - (D) Festival decorations
33. What does the speaker say about the center?
- (A) It is located in Taiwan.
 - (B) It is free of charge.
 - (C) It is a single room.
 - (D) It sells various goods.

Questions 34-37 refer to the following talk

Tonight we honor Kate R. Browns, who has given a \$3 million gift to the Davids' Free Children's Hospital to establish a new cancer research center. We thank Ms. Browns for her generous gift to our hospital. In a time of declining government funding for programs that benefit the disadvantaged, NPOs such as our hospital must work harder than ever to encourage philanthropy and gather as much support as possible from everyone. I am very proud to say that, tonight, we have taken another step forward in achieving that goal. We thank Ms Browns again, and hope her spirit and affection will spread to each and every one of us.

34. What kind of event is the talk taking place at?

- (A) A charity banquet.
- (B) A community assembly
- (C) A government meeting
- (D) A research seminar

35. Who is Kate R. Browns?
- (A) A hospital director
 - (B) A benefactor
 - (C) A fundraiser
 - (D) A community organizer
36. What did Ms. Browns do?
- (A) Built a hospital
 - (B) Gave a lecture
 - (C) Held a charity party
 - (D) Donated a great amount of money
37. What does the speaker imply about the government?
- (A) It has reached out to disadvantaged children.
 - (B) It has been involved with the founding of the hospital.
 - (C) It has reduced financial support to charity groups.
 - (D) It has been promoting values of philanthropy.

Questions 38-40 refer to the following talk

It is my pleasure to report that our sales figure and turnover for Addict Perfume have improved dramatically over the last year. With total revenue of 10 million dollars, we have surpassed our target of 8 million dollars. Currently we estimate that, assuming the economy remains stable and there are no other problems, our sales growth will rise by at least another 10%. Furthermore, if our new line of cosmetics is introduced in time for the holiday season, the numbers will run even higher; we roughly estimate about 12 million dollars. In conclusion, let's look forward to another profitable year. Please feel free to ask any questions you might have regarding the report we've given you.

38. Where is this talk probably taking place?
- (A) At a product presentation.
 - (B) At a perfume exhibit.
 - (C) At a corporate meeting
 - (D) At a cosmetics store.
39. How much is the total revenue?
- (A) 7 million dollars.
 - (B) 9 million dollars.
 - (C) 10 million dollars
 - (D) 12 million dollars
40. What can be implied about the team's performance this year?
- (A) Right on target

- (B) Surpassing expectations
- (C) Poorer than anticipated
- (D) Unforeseen failures.

Questions 41-43 refer to the following article

The Environmental Safety Bureau has announced that it will pay farmers anywhere in the continental U.S. to set up grass or tree buffers to filter sediment, herbicides and fertilizer running off crop lands into streams and wetlands. It has been established that rainwater running off farm fields contributes more pollution to the nation's lakes and streams than any other single source. The farmers will be entitled to an annual payment of 125% of the rental value of the land each year for 20 years. The ESB has been advocating buffers for some time now because vegetated areas near streams can filter out up to 85% of pollutants.

41. What is this article about?
- (A) The need to protect waterways.
 - (B) Farmers problems in preventing run-off
 - (C) The proposed solution to agricultural pollution.
 - (D) The effectiveness of water filters.
42. What incentive is given to farmers?
- (A) Financial compensation
 - (B) More land to use
 - (C) Guaranteed renters
 - (D) New crops
43. If a farmer has a land he can get \$500 rental a month from, how much payment can he get each year?
- (A) \$1300
 - (B) \$7500
 - (C) \$5100
 - (D) \$6000

Questions 44-46 refer to the following news item

The New York Baseball Club, an investor group led by the computer chip executive Henry B. Lawson, paid the New York Baseball Stadium Authority well over \$500,000 last week in return for a one-year extension of its exclusive status with the state agency. This would mean that the only one able to negotiate a lease for a stadium facility would be Lawson's New York Baseball Club.

Lawson hopes to buy a major league baseball team that would play in a 50,000-seat stadium to be built by the state. He would get the major league team by either winning an expansion franchise or by moving an existing team to New York.

The agreement, approved by the authority last week, would give Lawson's group the right to receive extensions for as many as five years, in return for additional payments that would total \$4.1 million over that period. The investor group would receive over half the payments if a stadium is built.

44. Why did Lawson pay \$500,000?
- (A) To buy a major league team
 - (B) To block off any competition
 - (C) To help build the new stadium
 - (D) To lease the stadium for another year
45. Who is funding this activity?
- (A) A computer company
 - (B) The state
 - (C) A group of investors
 - (D) The New York Baseball Club
46. Who would be responsible for building the stadium?
- (A) New York State
 - (B) The New York Baseball Club
 - (C) The stadium authority
 - (D) A major league team

Questions 47-50 refer to the following notice

PLEASE BE ADVISED of the following changes in international travel to and from Montreal. Check your airline ticket carefully or ask your ticket agent if you are returning to Montreal on or after September 20. Starting September 20, several airlines that offer scheduled international flights will start operating their services out of Dorval airport. All charter flights, both overseas and to the United States, will leave from Dorval airport. So, if you are already booked for a flight during that period, it is possible that you will be leaving from Dorval and returning to Mirabel—or vice versa. On your airline ticket, the code "VRV" designates Mirabel and "TMT" designates Dorval. If your return flight is landing at a different airport from your departing, it would be better to use public transportation rather than drive yourself. You might find yourself at one airport and your car parked at another. A convenient shuttle bus connects Dorval and Mirabel and the city center with regular service from 4 a.m. to midnight, seven days a week.

47. Why was this notice issued?
- (A) Because of construction work at Dorval airport.
 - (B) Because of a change in international flight paths.
 - (C) Because of the additional services being offered.
 - (D) Because of a change in the bus schedules.
48. What are customers being asked to do?
- (A) To try to book flights before September 20
 - (B) To take chartered flights when possible
 - (C) To use parking near the airport.
 - (D) To review their tickets carefully.
49. How can a customer know which airport he/she is landing in?
- (A) Arrivals are the same airport as departures.
 - (B) Tickets indicate destination airport.

(C) Charter flight customers land in Dorval, others in Mirabel.

(D) Airport ticket agents will provide updated reports.

50. What advice is given regarding transportation to and from the airports?

(A) To wait for arriving passengers at the airport of departure.

(B) To take advantage of the shuttle bus service.

(C) To leave the car at the airport your depart from

(D) To park only in designated areas.