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1. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Happiness Can Cause Heart Problems

For a long time, we have known that sadness or a stressful event can cause heart muscles to become weaker. This may cause shortness of breath, a pain in the chest and may eventually lead to a heart attack. Now, a study claims that happiness can also lead to the same symptoms.

Swiss researchers studied the data of almost 500 patients in 9 countries. All those patients had such disease. In most cases different problems caused heart weakness.

However, in 20 patients the same symptoms were triggered by happy and joyful events, such as birthday parties, weddings, the birth of a grandchild or after their favourite team had won a competition. Experts call this the happy heart syndrome.

1 ... makes heart muscles weaker.

- A) Calmness
- B) Nervousness
- C) Steadiness
- D) Carelessness

2 A heart attack happens if the heart can't get ...

- A) biogen
- B) collagen
- C) oxygen
- D) allergen

3 The state of ... can also lead to the infarction.

- A) weakness
- B) hardness
- C) kindness
- D) happiness

4 About ... patients were studied in Switzerland.

- A) one thousand
- B) a half thousand
- C) nine hundred
- D) twenty nine

5 ... studied heart disease in 9 countries.

- A) Scientists
- B) Swiss
- C) Patients
- D) Assistants

6 According to researches, 20 of 500 patients had ... heart syndrome.

- A) overworked
- B) overplayed
- C) overpowered
- D) oversurprised

7 The happy heart syndrome is the condition when ... can be broken by happy events.

- A) heart
- B) chest
- C) head
- D) hand

8 The story is about the ...

- A) scientists of Zurich University
- B) work of Swiss researchers
- C) reasons of serious diseases
- D) cause of relationship problems

2. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

A Typical Hindu Wedding

For many people their marriage is one of the most important events in their lives. In India a priest usually decides the day and the time wedding. He looks at the horoscope of the bride and groom to find the most suitable day and time for the ceremony. Before the service the bride has a bath and her friends paint patterns on her hands and feet with henna, which is an orange dye. The bride has a red sari decorated with gold thread for good luck. She has gold jewelry on her wrist and ankles.

Before the ceremony the man's family places a small mark of red paste on the girl's forehead. When they are at the entrance to the temple, the bride and groom both have veils over their faces.

1 For many people ... is the most important event in the life.

- A) wedding
- B) divorce
- C) enforce
- D) birth

2 A priest ... of wedding in India.

- A) organizes the ceremony
- B) decorates the bride's hands
- C) services the groom
- D) determines the day and time

3 The bride ... before the service.

- A) irons the sari
- B) takes a shower
- C) paints the forehead
- D) studies the horoscope

4 Indians believe that gold thread on bride's sari brings ...

- A) weakness
- B) sickness
- C) happiness
- D) hardness

5 The groom's family places red ... on the bride's forehead.

- A) dot
- B) henna
- C) dye
- D) thread

6 The bride and groom have ... over their faces.

- A) threads
- B) covers
- C) sari
- D) jewelry

7 The bride put ... jewelry on.

- A) massive
- B) impressive
- C) inclusive
- D) expensive

8 The story is about Hindu ...

- A) different priests
- B) wedding criticism
- C) typical temples
- D) marriage ceremony

3. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

TV Education

Companies that make television shows are turning real-life stories into dramatizations. People are very interested in them. Many shows are teaching them about something brutal or sad instead of entertaining them.

In the 1970s, people took a difficult real event and turned it into a TV show. There was a show called “Roots” that was about American slavery.

A TV director said that “Roots” showed people how terrible slavery was. It made them think about their ideas about other people.

Many of these shows about real life are winning awards, and more TV companies want to make them.

1 Some TV companies take ... for their shows from real life.

- A) idioms
- B) idols
- C) ideals
- D) ideas

2 People ... reality shows very much.

- A) like
- B) hate
- C) wait
- D) seek

3 Many TV shows have ... effects on society.

- A) reactive
- B) inactive
- C) negative
- D) bioactive

4 A TV show “Roots” appeared on screen in the ...

- A) ninety seventies
- B) nineteen seventies
- C) ninety seventeenth
- D) nineteen seventeenth

5 The “Roots” was about American ...

- A) slavery
- B) kingdom
- C) freedom
- D) wisdom

6 The TV shows like “Roots” make people think about ...

- A) immunity
- B) importunity
- C) humanity
- D) opportunity

7 Many TV companies win ... for their reality shows.

- A) stories
- B) cases
- C) events
- D) prizes

8 The story is about television ...

- A) programs
- B) awards
- C) slavery
- D) labor

4. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Women Spacewalk

The astronauts of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), Christina Koch and Jessica Meir, made history on Friday morning, as they were the first women to go on a spacewalk without men. It was Jessica's first and Christina's 4th time going on a space.

Their mission was to replace battery parts on the International Space Station (ISS) which were not functioning properly. In March, NASA decided to send two women to spacewalk.

Before this mission, only 14 women went on a spacewalk, and men were always with them.

1 NASA is ... for science and technology related to air and space.

- A) susceptible
- B) responsible
- C) suggestible
- D) incredible

2 Jessica and Christina were the first women who went on space ... without men.

- A) division
- B) decision
- C) mission
- D) illusion

3 It was Christina's ... time going on a space.

- A) fourth
- B) first
- C) fortieth
- D) fourteenth

4 The ISS battery was not ... properly.

- A) warming
- B) moving
- C) working
- D) cooling

5 Jessica's and Christina's mission was to ... battery parts on the ISS.

- A) arrange
- B) change
- C) plunge
- D) range

6 Before this mission, women were in ... space only with men.

- A) outer
- B) enter
- C) inter
- D) over

7 To become a good astronaut, ... doesn't matter.

- A) danger
- B) power
- C) wonder
- D) gender

8 The story is about ...

- A) space stations
- B) spacewomen
- C) space crafts
- D) spacemen

5. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Big Insect Problem

Insects are important because they are food for other animals, and they also pollinate plants. Without insects, many animals will die, and it will be hard for people to grow crops.

There is a new study which says that the number of insects is falling. Every year, there are 2.5 per cent less insects. If this goes on, there will be 25% less insects in 10 years. This would be a big problem.

People think that there are less insects because the planet is getting warmer. People also use chemicals in farming, so that can be a reason, too.

1 A lot of animals ... insects.

- A) kill
- B) bite
- C) eat
- D) save

2 Insects are the main ... of plants.

- A) pollinators
- B) guards
- C) cutters
- D) pests

3 Most of the animals can ... without insects.

- A) hear
- B) appear
- C) disappear
- D) disorientate

4 Without insects, the ... of crops will be a problem.

- A) realization
- B) exploration
- C) combination
- D) cultivation

5 The number of insects is ... day by day.

- A) decreasing
- B) increasing
- C) developing
- D) supposing

6 One of the reasons of insects' extinction is ... warming.

- A) critical
- B) cultural
- C) global
- D) chemical

7 The use of chemicals in ... can also cause extinction of insects.

- A) restructure
- B) agriculture
- C) structure
- D) creature

8 The story is about the insects ...

- A) ecology
- B) geology
- C) analogy
- D) ideology

6. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

People don't sleep enough

Especially in big cities, people sleep less, and it has a big impact on their physical and mental health.

The COVID-19 pandemic caused people to sleep less and the quality of their sleep was worse. The reason was stress. Many people could not do the things which they normally did, so they got up and went to sleep at different times. This was not good because they needed routines in their lives.

When people do not sleep enough, they are at higher risk of some diseases such as heart disease or obesity. Less sleep also affects their mood and thinking. Another problem is that many people think that they have to sleep less so they can work more.

1 In small towns people sleep ... than in big cities.

- A) more
- B) less
- C) little
- D) many

2 ... of sleep is the cause of serious diseases.

- A) Sound
- B) Deep
- C) Lack
- D) Long

3 Coronavirus ... affects the quality of sleep.

- A) positively
- B) negatively
- C) automatically
- D) normatively

4 People can't do their common ... during the diseases.

- A) damages
- B) reports
- C) activities
- D) calculations

5 Post COVID stress has a bad influence on human ... and physical health.

- A) knowledge
- B) mortal
- C) mental
- D) language

6 Not getting enough sleep ... to heart disease or obesity.

- A) makes
- B) leads
- C) takes
- D) follows

7 Many people ... sleep little to have time to do much work.

- A) weakly
- B) effectively
- C) consciously
- D) suddenly

8 The story is about the ... of sleep for a person.

- A) importance
- B) balance
- C) appearance
- D) tendency

7. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

People Leave Tents in Fields

Summer Reading Festival is one of England's biggest music festival, and thousands of people visit it every year.

Last year, organizers canceled the festival because of the coronavirus. Around 100,000 festival goers went to Reading last weekend, and they left tons of rubbish in the fields. There were mostly empty tents and plastic cups. The most difficult things to recycle are the tents, which usually go to landfills, and they take up to 10,000 years to decompose.

The problem is that shops sell tents as items you use one time, so people do not think that they could use them more than once. In 2019, people from Reading saved around 300 tents which they then use themselves.

1 Reading Festival is the greatest music ... in the UK.

- A) accident
- B) crime
- C) event
- D) field

2 Summer Reading is ... Music Festival.

- A) logical
- B) annual
- C) illegal
- D) formal

3 Last year, the festival was canceled because of the ...

- A) pandemic
- B) weather
- C) cyclone
- D) rubbish

4 About ... visitors came to festival last week.

- A) two thousand nineteen
- B) three hundred thousand
- C) two hundred fifty thousand
- D) one hundred thousand

5 After the last Reading people left ... of rubbish in the field.

- A) lots
- B) less
- C) few
- D) more

6 Most of materials thrown away are ... things.

- A) eco friendly
- B) recyclable
- C) non-recyclable
- D) non-polluted

7 In 2019, some festival visitors decided to use their tents ...

- A) several times
- B) one-time
- C) never
- D) one-off

8 The story is about ...

- A) coronavirus disease
- B) environmental pollution
- C) Jazz Festival
- D) Reading weekend

8. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Moon Tourism

A Japanese Billionaire will be the first tourist to fly around the moon, and he wants to take artists from around the world with him. When they come back to Earth, he wants them to create masterpieces (an amazing work of art) that ‘will inspire the dreamer in all of us’ and give us ideas about the beauty of the moon and make us feel positive emotions.

Space X will take him to the moon in its BFR spaceship. The company is planning the trip for 2023, and it is going to be the first lunar trip since 1972.

1 A Japanese Billionaire will be the first ... in the moon.

- A) creator
- B) dreamer
- C) companion
- D) traveler

2 The Billionaire will take ... to the moon.

- A) tourists
- B) painters
- C) experts
- D) scientists

3 A ... picture of the moon – will be the artists’ task.

- A) wonderful
- B) spiritual
- C) physical
- D) material

4 The artists'... must bring only positive emotions.

- A) spaceship
- B) masterpiece
- C) company
- D) journey

5 The Billionaire will fly to the moon by the BFR ...

- A) space car
- B) space race
- C) spaceflight
- D) spacecraft

6 The company is planning the trip to the moon for ...

- A) twenty-three twenty
- B) twenty twenty-three
- C) ninety seventy-two
- D) nineteen seventy-two

7 There hasn't been any... trip since 1972.

- A) moon
- B) space
- C) Mars
- D) Earth

8 The story is about ...

- A) work for Space X
- B) travelling around Earth
- C) tourism in Japan
- D) trip to the moon

9. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Very Old Wrecks

People found never-before-seen broken ships on the coast of Bulgaria in the Black Sea. Scientists believe that one of the wrecks is a 2,400-year-old Greek trading vessel.

Edward Price from the Black Sea Maritime Archaeology Project said that there are ships at the bottom of the ocean that people have never seen; we have only seen them in paintings, murals and books.

The shipwrecks were in such deep water that there is no oxygen, and this means they are very well-preserved. This is the first time people can have a look at ships this old.

1 People found a very old ...on the coast of Bulgaria.

- A) ship owner
- B) ship skeleton
- C) ship oar
- D) ship anchor

2 The wreck is about ... year-old ship.

- A) twenty four thousand
- B) twenty thousand and forty
- C) two hundred fourteen
- D) two thousand four hundred

3 The trading vessel belonged to ...

- A) Greece
- B) Russia
- C) Britain
- D) Bulgaria

4 There are many ... broken ships in the Black Sea.

- A) ill-seen
- B) unseen
- C) well seen
- D) deep-seen

5 Only paintings, murals and books gave people a (an) ... about the shipwrecks.

- A) ideal
- B) ocean
- C) idea
- D) project

6 The shipwrecks were at the ... of the ocean.

- A) bottom
- B) mural
- C) vessel
- D) coast

7 There is no ... in the depth of the ocean.

- A) halogen
- B) allergen
- C) oxygen
- D) hydrogen

8 The story is about ...

- A) scientist's belief
- B) pressure of the water
- C) archaeologist project
- D) disappearing ships

10. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Ice Library

In Irkutsk there is the first ice library in the world. It is made from blocks of ice. It is no ordinary library. People from across the world write their hopes and dreams online and then people cut these into the ice.

One organizer says that the ice library is an interesting idea. It gathers dreams from all over the world. There are more than 1,000 short phrases in different languages. They form a labyrinth.

One of the visitors says that he hopes that everyone in the world will always have good health. It is his dream. But only some dreams come true. This library is a home to some hopes and dreams.

1 The first ice library in the world is made in ...

- A) Serbia
- B) Russia
- C) Czech
- D) Slovakia

2 The main building ... of the construction is ice blocks.

- A) material
- B) technic
- C) devices
- D) tools

3 The idea of the ice library is to ...

- A) give people books to read
- B) gather people in the library
- C) find way from the labyrinth
- D) let people believe in dream

4 People hopes are ... on the library ice walls.

- A) written
- B) colored
- C) painted
- D) sprayed

5 There are more than one ... short phrases in different languages on the walls.

- A) hundred
- B) thousand
- C) million
- D) tens

6 One of the library visitors hopes that all people in the world will be ...

- A) happy
- B) friendly
- C) gloomy
- D) healthy

7 ..., not all dreams come true in the ice library.

- A) Fortunately
- B) Unfortunately
- C) Unexpectedly
- D) Luckily

8 The story is about ...

- A) the largest ice library in the world
- B) a miracle that people want to believe in
- C) an icy labyrinth without exit
- D) a useless idea of the organizer

11. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Skeleton is Found

Scientists found a 4,000-year-old skeleton not far from Stonehenge. The skeleton was a teenager. Scientists are now trying to find out the age and the gender of the teenager.

The skeleton is about 4.92 feet (1.5 meters) in length, and people found it in a fetal position. It was also wearing a necklace.

Doctors from Research Institution described the skeleton as a “wonderful discovery”. Experts hope that it will help to explain the way of life of people who lived around Stonehenge and prayed there.

1 Scientists found a four ... year-old skeleton in the area of Stonehenge.

- A) hundred
- B) thousand
- C) million
- D) billion

2 The skeleton belonged to a ...

- A) old prayer
- B) ruin discoverer
- C) young person
- D) Stonehenge expert

3 Scientists haven't found out the ... of the teenager yet.

- A) gender and age
- B) length and weight
- C) race and skin color
- D) career and preference

4 The length of skeleton is about ...

- A) fifteen meters
- B) one to five meters
- C) a meter and fifteen
- D) a meter and a half

5 The teenager had a ... on the neck.

- A) jewelry
- B) collar
- C) rope
- D) tie

6 In the view of doctors, the skeleton is an ...

- A) useless thing
- B) exciting find
- C) ordinary item
- D) systematic event

7 Discovery will help to understand the ... of Stonehenge people.

- A) intellect
- B) interests
- C) preferences
- D) lifestyle

8 The story is about a new ...

- A) archaeological discovery
- B) experimental operation
- C) Stonehenge story
- D) Research Institution

12. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Woman Astronaut

A US astronaut, Christina Koch, spent 328 days in space which is a record for a female astronaut. She completed her mission, landing in Kazakhstan.

Her time in space allows researchers to study the effects of a long-term spaceflight on the female body. NASA said that the findings will help the agency during its future missions to the moon and Mars.

Koch concluded six space walks and she helped the International Space Station with more than 100 experiments. She studied how plants grow or how fire reacts in space. The experiments will help NASA to study human viability outside Earth.

1 Christina Koch is an ...

- A) Mars traveler
- B) Kazakh astronaut
- C) NASA expert
- D) American cosmonaut

2 Christina Koch spent about ... in space.

- A) six months
- B) eleven months
- C) a year
- D) a decade

3 Christina Koch ... her mission in Kazakhstan.

- A) finished
- B) started
- C) opened
- D) followed

4 Koch's spaceflight allows ... to study the effects of space on the female body.

- A) astronauts
- B) cosmonauts
- C) missionaries
- D) scientists

5 Koch went into ... space six times.

- A) near
- B) outer
- C) open
- D) close

6 More than one ... experiments were made by Christina Koch.

- A) thousand
- B) million
- C) billion
- D) hundred

7 The results of ... will help NASA's future missions in space.

- A) research
- B) approach
- C) overcoach
- D) search

8 The story is about space ...

- A) cooperation
- B) investigation
- C) corporation
- D) population

13. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

New Recyclable Plastic

People make plastic products by mixing the plastic with additives. The additives make it difficult to recycle the plastic. To recycle plastic things, people grind them up first, but this new material is not easy to use again.

A laboratory in California made a new type of plastic to deal with this problem. When scientists put the new plastic in a high-acid solution, the plastic and the additives break apart. People can then easily reuse the plastic.

The scientists hope that this new plastic will help the planet and that there will be less plastic.

1 The makers of plastic mix the plastic with ...

- A) carbonic acid
- B) extra ingredient
- C) toxic substance
- D) recyclable thing

2 Recycling plastic with additives is very ... process.

- A) automatic
- B) symptomatic
- C) problematic
- D) systematic

3 To recycle plastic things, people ... them up first.

- A) pick
- B) check
- C) start
- D) chop

4 ... from recycling plastic is not easy to use again.

- A) Material
- B) Additive
- C) Plastic
- D) Acid

5 American scientists change the chemical composition of the plastic to ... it.

- A) produce
- B) break
- C) invent
- D) reuse

6 The ... hope that the new plastic will help the planet.

- A) makers
- B) experts
- C) producers
- D) laboratorians

7 Reusing plastic products will stop plastic ...

- A) pollution
- B) solution
- C) protection
- D) production

8 The story is about a ...

- A) bad production
- B) new protection
- C) useful invention
- D) plastic pollution

14. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Billionaire Helps Students

A billionaire investor gave almost 400 graduating college seniors a gift to pay off their student loans. He gave this gift during his 2019 speech at the college.

His news shocked the crowd. One graduate thought that he was lying. The college president said that he had never before seen a gift like this.

A representative said that the investor will give \$40 million to help pay off the student loans. Each student has a loan of about \$48,000.

For most colleges and universities across the USA, analysts think that student loan debt was about 41.5 trillion last year.

1 An ... billionaire helped students.

- A) American
- B) Arabian
- C) Indian
- D) Italian

2 During the speech at the college the investor ... to pay the student loans.

- A) deceived
- B) refused
- C) insisted
- D) promised

3 The billionaire's speech shocked ...

- A) someone
- B) everyone
- C) anyone
- D) no one

4 Hearing the news, one of the students remained ...

- A) critical
- B) practical
- C) political
- D) skeptical

5 The college president had never seen such ...

- A) operations
- B) nations
- C) donations
- D) occupations

6 The investor is going to give ... million dollars to help the students.

- A) forty
- B) four
- C) fourth
- D) fourteen

7 ... think that student loan debt was about 41.5 trillion last year.

- A) Students
- B) Crowds
- C) Experts
- D) Investors

8 The story is about a kind of ...

- A) show
- B) charity
- C) mistrust
- D) harmony

15. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Elephants in Botswana

Botswana is home to 130,000 elephants, which is the most of any country in Africa. In 2014, Botswana banned the elephants hunting to help their population grow.

Last Wednesday, people lifted the ban on elephant hunting, and now licensed hunters can hunt elephants again. The country plans to give out up to 400 elephant hunting licenses every 12 months.

Botswana explained why it lifted the ban. This was because there were more and more conflicts between people and elephants recently. Botswana said that it must protect its elephants and its people.

1 Botswana is a ... to 130,000 elephants.

- A) license
- B) hunter
- C) conflict
- D) habitat

2 In two thousand ... , Botswana banned the elephants hunting.

- A) and four
- B) fourteen
- C) forty
- D) four

3 Botswana banned the elephants hunting to ... their population.

- A) find
- B) steal
- C) save
- D) lift

4 Hunters with a special ... can hunt elephants after lifting the ban.

- A) contention
- B) permission
- C) competition
- D) combination

5 Botswana plans to give out up to 400 hunting licenses a ...

- A) year
- B) week
- C) month
- D) decade

6 Because of the ... between people and elephants Botswana lifted the ban.

- A) tax
- B) win
- C) war
- D) job

7 The ... of Botswana is to protect elephants and people.

- A) defeat
- B) luck
- C) loss
- D) idea

8 The story is about elephants' ... in Botswana.

- A) life
- B) labor
- C) slavery
- D) conflict

16. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Typhoon in Philippines

On Tuesday, Typhoon Kammuri came to Philippines. It flooded streets and damaged many houses and power lines.

Officials closed the international airport in the capital city of Manila for 48 hours. They closed schools and evacuated hundreds of thousands of people from their homes.

The winds were very strong and reached the speed of more than 130 miles per hour, which destroyed roofs of homes and scattered debris.

Currently, the Southeast Asian Games are taking place in the Philippines. The organizers canceled or postponed several outdoor events because of the bad weather.

1 A tropical ... came to Philippines.

- A) winter
- B) cyclone
- C) weather
- D) summer

2 Typhoon Kammuri ... many houses and power lines.

- A) annoyed
- B) convoyed
- C) destroyed
- D) enjoyed

3 The international airport was closed for ... days.

- A) forty eight
- B) four
- C) forty two
- D) two

4 ... closed schools and evacuated people.

- A) Government
- B) Parliament
- C) Movement
- D) Statement

5 The speed of the ... wind was more than 130 miles per hour.

- A) graceful
- B) grateful
- C) peaceful
- D) powerful

6 Currently, sport ... are taking place in the Philippines.

- A) investigations
- B) competitions
- C) examinations
- D) organizations

7 Because of the Typhoon several outdoor events were ... off.

- A) called
- B) named
- C) played
- D) stayed

8 The story is about Typhoon ...

- A) afternoon
- B) afterword
- C) aftermath
- D) aftertaste

17. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Asthma from Traffic

Asthma is a medical condition where you can have difficulty breathing. It is lifelong and doctors cannot stop it.

A study says that traffic pollution is connecting to 4 million new cases of asthma in children every year. Scientists studied this in 194 countries and 125 large cities.

Other studies also said this, but this study's author says that this study is comprehensive. It tells where the most polluted areas in the world are.

Some people think that we need to make new law for pollution. We should also have cleaner transportation.

1 Asthma is a ...

- A) release
- B) disease
- C) traffic
- D) study

2 It is impossible to ... asthma completely.

- A) breath
- B) clean
- C) treat
- D) pollute

3 One of the reasons of asthma is traffic ...

- A) pollution
- B) affection
- C) position
- D) production

4 Scientists studied the reasons of asthma in one hundred ... countries.

- A) twenty four
- B) twenty five
- C) ninety four
- D) ninety five

5 The ... showed the most polluted areas in the world.

- A) pollution
- B) search
- C) condition
- D) research

6 In order to decrease the cases of asthma it is necessary to make new ... for pollution.

- A) cases
- B) rules
- C) areas
- D) places

7 Some people think that it is important to use ... transportation.

- A) non-stop
- B) non-ruling
- C) non-use
- D) non-polluting

8 The story is about a long-term disease of the ...

- A) lungs
- B) legs
- C) heart
- D) head

18. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Less Plastic

Unilever is a big company that makes many products. It promised to reduce its use of new plastic by half by 2025.

Unilever is going to change the way its packages are made. It is going to reduce the new plastic that cannot be recycled, change to more reusable packages, and use more recycled plastic. It also wants to take in about 600,000 tons of plastic every year to process by 2025.

In 2025, Unilever hopes to use no more than 386,000 tons of new plastic. In 2018, it used 772,000 tons. It also wants all of its plastic to be reusable, recyclable, and ecological.

1 Unilever is a big ... that produces many things.

- A) experimentation
- B) differentiation
- C) instrumentation
- D) corporation

2 Unilever promised to ... its use of new plastic by half in the near future.

- A) increase
- B) decrease
- C) extend
- D) intend

3 The company wants to change the ... of packages production.

- A) technology
- B) physiology
- C) psychology
- D) toxicology

4 Recyclable plastic can be used again after special industrial ...

- A) marketing
- B) developing
- C) processing
- D) providing

5 In 2025, Unilever hopes to use no more than 386,000 tons of ... plastic.

- A) non-recyclable
- B) non-poisonous
- C) non-essential
- D) non-existent

6 Nowadays Unilever uses ... plastic than in 2018.

- A) much
- B) little
- C) less
- D) more

7 Unilever is going to produce only ... products.

- A) economic
- B) eco-friendly
- C) non-alcoholic
- D) non-processed

8 The story is about the company that wants to ... ecology.

- A) poison
- B) destroy
- C) pollute
- D) protect

19. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Ice Cream Business

The world's largest food corporation, Nestlé, is selling its US ice cream business to Foneri, one of the world's largest ice cream companies.

The two corporations want to make business together, and Nestlé hopes that this move can revitalize the business because the sales of Nestlé's ice cream fell in recent years.

Foneri plans to buy Nestlé's ice cream business in autumn 2020 for about 4 billion dollars.

According to statistics, Americans eat 23 pounds of ice cream each year, which is much more than in other countries.

1 Nestlé is the world's largest food ...

- A) harmony
- B) company
- C) destiny
- D) colony

2 Nestlé ... its ice cream business to the large ice cream company Foneri.

- A) differs
- B) infers
- C) offers
- D) prefers

3 Nestlé and Foneri plan to ... their companies.

- A) divide
- B) sell
- C) buy
- D) unite

4 Nestlé hopes that after reunion the sale of ice cream will ...

- A) increase
- B) decrease
- C) move
- D) fell

5 Foneri plans to buy Nestlé's ice cream business in autumn ...

- A) two hundred twelve
- B) two thousand twelve
- C) two hundred twenty
- D) two thousand twenty

6 People in the ... eat 23 pounds of ice cream each year.

- A) UAE
- B) USA
- C) UK
- D) CIS

7 People of other countries eat ... ice cream than Americans.

- A) less
- B) little
- C) much
- D) more

8 The story is about a big ...

- A) country
- B) ice cream
- C) business
- D) statistic

20. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Jeffrey is a Special Friend

A man from England has a very special friend. It is not a man and not a dog. It is an 11 foot (3.4 metres) tall camel. His name is Jeffrey.

Jeffrey is originally from Russia. He can survive temperatures of around minus 25 degrees Celsius. Jeffrey is the kind of a camel with two humps, and he can live until the age of around 60. He arrived in the UK from Holland seven years ago. He was originally a birthday gift for the man's son.

The man brings tasty food to the camel. It is usually carrots, but the camel gets something extra special sometimes. Coca-Cola! The camel loves it. He drinks it more than his owner!

1 A man from England has a very special ...

- A) pet
- B) dog
- C) son
- D) man

2 The camel is more than ... metres tall.

- A) eleven
- B) four
- C) sixty
- D) three

3 Jeffrey is a ... animal.

- A) marine
- B) domestic
- C) primate
- D) predatory

4 Jeffrey can survive in a very ... climate.

- A) wet
- B) hot
- C) dry
- D) cold

5 The camel lived in ... seven years ago.

- A) USA
- B) Russia
- C) Holland
- D) UK

6 Jeffrey was a ... for the man's son.

- A) present
- B) puppet
- C) cousin
- D) transport

7 The camel likes ... drink.

- A) alcohol
- B) boiled
- C) carbonated
- D) menthol

8 The story is about an unusual ...

- A) width
- B) gift
- C) weight
- D) height

21. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Superhero Windows Cleaners

In Great Britain, three window cleaners wanted to make sick children in hospital feel better, so they put on superhero costumes and got ready for a visit.

The surprise for the children was when the superheroes rode down the side of the hospital window.

They stopped at the 6th floor above the ground where the children sat by the window. When the window cleaners came in front of the children, the children were excited to see the window cleaners as superheroes. One window cleaner said that it was important to make sick children smile.

1 In ..., window cleaners wanted to make sick children happy.

- A) England
- B) America
- C) France
- D) Australia

2 The window cleaners in ... costumes visited the hospital.

- A) doctors
- B) cleaners
- C) heroes
- D) children

3 The children were ... to see the superheroes behind the window.

- A) upset
- B) afraid
- C) worried
- D) glad

4 The window cleaners stopped at the ... floor.

- A) six's
- B) sixth
- C) sixty
- D) six

5 The children were ... by the window when they saw superheroes.

- A) sitting
- B) eating
- C) playing
- D) reading

6 The ... were surprised to see the window cleaners as superheroes.

- A) vets
- B) docs
- C) kids
- D) adults

7 The purpose of cleaners was to make ... children feel better.

- A) bad
- B) ill
- C) glad
- D) poor

8 What is the story about?

- A) superheroes' suits
- B) children hospital
- C) sick surgeons
- D) cleaners' noble act

22. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Tourists in Maya Bay

Maya Bay in Thailand was in the media in 1999 when Hollywood arrived there to film 'The Beach'. One of the film's actors was Leonardo DiCaprio.

Due to the movie, tourists started coming to the beach there. As many as 4,000 visitors used to arrive on boats every day.

Since there were so many tourists, the natural life was ruined. To protect the beach, people closed it now for four months. When it reopens by the end of September, only 2,000 visitors a day will be allowed to the beach.

A scientist said that he and other scientists made a mistake – they thought that the money from the movie was very important, but now they see that they must protect the beach.

1 Maya Bay is a legendary ...

- A) beach
- B) film
- C) hotel
- D) tourist

2 Why did Hollywood arrive to Maya Bay?

- A) to swim in the gulf
- B) to protect the beach
- C) to sunbathe on the coast
- D) to make the movie

3 Due to the movie, ... started coming to the beach.

- A) actors
- B) visitors
- C) scientists
- D) celebrities

4 About four ... tourists arrived to Maya Bay every day.

- A) thousand
- B) hundred
- C) million
- D) tens

5 Due to endless stream of tourists the natural life of Maya Bay was ...

- A) reopened
- B) rebuilt
- C) closed
- D) destroyed

6 Tourists weren't ... to come to Maya Bay till the end of September.

- A) allowed
- B) stopped
- C) filmed
- D) paid

7 Scientists thought that ... was important for Maya Bay.

- A) ruin
- B) finance
- C) mistake
- D) media

8 The story is about ...

- A) people in Thailand
- B) actors in Hollywood
- C) scientists in 'The Beach'
- D) situation in May Bay

23. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Swim Around Britain

Extreme sportsman Ross Edgley is planning to swim around Britain, and he will not touch dry land once.

The swim will be around 2,700 kilometers long and will take him 100 days. He will burn around 1 million calories. Even a thing like eating will be a problem because his tongue and throat can swell up in all that salty water. The condition is called 'salt mouth'. Ross will have to eat smoothies and protein shakes.

The human body is simply not meant to be in the sea for 100 days. When Ross went for a 48-hour, non-stop swim, he managed to get trench foot. That is a condition when the skin becomes black and dies off.

If all goes well, he will finish in London on the 8th of September.

1 Extreme sportsman is planning to swim around ...

- A) UAE
- B) USA
- C) UK
- D) CIS

2 The main rule of the sportsman is ... swimming.

- A) quickly
- B) high-speed
- C) slowly
- D) non-stop

3 The swim will take the sportsman more than ...

- A) 3 months
- B) 48 hours
- C) 100 weeks
- D) 2,700 days

4 ... will be a problem for the sportsman during the swim.

- A) Water
- B) Food
- C) Shakes
- D) Calories

5 Due to ... water the sportsman's tongue and throat can swell up in the sea.

- A) salty
- B) hard
- C) soft
- D) cold

6 It is ... for a human to remain at the sea for 100 days.

- A) immorally
- B) immutable
- C) impossible
- D) immortally

7 Trench foot is a condition when the skin becomes black and ... off.

- A) goes
- B) dies
- C) dries
- D) swims

8 The story is about a (an) ...

- A) million calories
- B) human body
- C) protein shake
- D) extreme athlete

24. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**New Discovery in Luxor**

Egyptian scientists discovered a 3,500-year-old tomb – a room for mummies. People built it during the 18th dynasty. The tombs are located in the country's southern city of Luxor.

The tomb belonged to a royal goldsmith, who people identified as Amunhat. Scientists found mummies, pots, dishes and a stela (an upright piece of stone, which says something about a dead person). They also found double statues of the goldsmith, his wife, and their sons.

The archaeologists are still working in the tomb, and they think that they are going to find even more. They also hope that this will help Egypt's tourism.

1 Egyptian scientists found a ... in the territory of Luxor city.

- A) dead person
- B) battle area
- C) burial place
- D) royal goldsmith

2 The tomb was three ..., five hundred years old.

- A) thousand
- B) hundred
- C) million
- D) decades

3 The tomb belonged to a ...

- A) European Scientist
- B) royal dishes maker
- C) Egyptian tourist
- D) kingly jewelry maker

4 Scientists found double statues of the goldsmith and his ...

- A) king
- B) family
- C) parents
- D) friends

5 What does the word stela mean?

- A) a gravestone
- B) a hedge stone
- C) a natural stone
- D) a precious stone

6 What are the archaeologists still doing in the tomb?

- A) seeking for gold
- B) identifying mummies
- C) looking for more details
- D) digging the land

7 What can help Egypt's tourism?

- A) royal family
- B) ancient finds
- C) sights of Luxor
- D) modern statues

8 The story is about the (a) ...

- A) prospering tourism
- B) built dynasty
- C) fulfilled hopes
- D) found tomb

25. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Water Buffalo Fighting Festival

In Vietnam every year, a water buffalo fighting festival takes place. This year, a buffalo owner died on the fighting field and people stopped the festival.

After three months, the festival continued. Around 20,000 people came to see the 16 buffaloes fight at the festival finals.

People think about the festival differently – some people like it and some people do not, and many critics want to stop it. A local fan talked about this to the media. He thinks that the festival would be hard to stop because it is a tradition.

All loosing buffaloes die to become meat at the end of the festival. The winning buffalo dies, and people give it to God.

The owner of winning buffalo was sad to lose his animal. However, he understands and respects the tradition.

1 What traditional festival is held in Vietnam every year?

- A) buffalo fighting
- B) owner winning
- C) critics writing
- D) people dancing

2 People stopped the last festival because of the buffalo owner's ...

- A) talk
- B) fight
- C) death
- D) loos

3 The ... buffaloes fought at the festival finals.

- A) sixty
- B) sixteen
- C) sixteenth
- D) sixtieth

4 How do people think about the buffalo fighting festival?

- A) happily
- B) similarly
- C) ordinarily
- D) variously

5 ... want to stop the festival.

- A) Owners
- B) Fans
- C) Experts
- D) Buffaloes

6 People cut all loosing buffaloes for ...

- A) meat
- B) God
- C) animal
- D) festival

7 The owner of winning buffalo ...

- A) likes the fight
- B) stops the festival
- C) tries for meat
- D) respects the tradition

8 The story is about the (a) ...

- A) meat in the festival
- B) festival in Vietnam
- C) animal in the wild
- D) owner of buffalo

26. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**Soda Pop**

Soda pop has an interesting story. The story begins with mineral water. Mineral water comes from springs. In many places, people take baths in mineral water. They say washing with mineral water is good for their health. Some say drinking mineral water is also good for people.

Mineral water has bubbles in it. People learned to make bubbly water in 1770. They added CO₂ to water with a machine to make the water bubbly. The machine was the “soda fountain.” They called the new bubbly water “soda water” or “carbonated water.”

People drank soda water for their health. Many people liked it for its good flavor. Many people went to the soda fountain every day. Most soda fountains were in drug stores or ice cream shops.

In the early 1900’s, people bought soda water in bottles. Later in the 1900’s, people started to buy flavored soda water in cans. Now it is sold in many containers in grocery stores and other places where food is sold.

1 Mineral water comes from ...

- A) baths
- B) springs
- C) bottles
- D) fountains

2 In what water do people take baths in many places?

- A) synthetic
- B) salty
- C) soda
- D) mineral

3 Some people consider that mineral water is useful for ...

- A) organism
- B) flavor
- C) stores
- D) springs

4 People learned to make bubbly water in ...

- A) seventy seventeen
- B) seventy seventy
- C) seventeen seventy
- D) seventeen seventeen

5 What gas did people add to water to make it bubbly?

- A) toxic
- B) tear
- C) war
- D) carbonic

6 How did people call the new bubbly water?

- A) soda fountain
- B) soda water
- C) soda carbonate
- D) soda mineral

7 Where is soda water sold nowadays?

- A) somewhere
- B) nowhere
- C) everywhere
- D) not anywhere

8 The story is about (the) ...

- A) carbonated drink
- B) washing soda
- C) grocery stores
- D) mineral springs

27. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**Drone Racing – Sport of the Future**

Drone racing is an exciting new sport that has become popular faster than no other sport before it. Pilots steer small and lightweight, but high-powered drones along courses with obstacles.

They fly through gates and around flags at speeds of over a hundred miles an hour.

They control the drones using VR (virtual reality) – like headgear. Every drone has a camera attached to it so that spectators can also view flights either on a big screen or with special headgear.

The races take place either outdoors – in big stadiums, or indoors in sports arenas. Competitions are short because the battery time of drones is limited.

Although drone racing started only a few years ago there are already international competitions that take place all over the world. In professional leagues, drone pilots compete for thousands of dollars. In March, the World Drone Prix was staged in Dubai. A 16-year old British teenager won the race and received a prize money of 250 000 dollars.

1 What kind of sport is drone racing?

- A) unstylish
- B) outdated
- C) modern
- D) unknown

2 What is the pilots' task?

- A) to control planes on the distance
- B) to attach cameras to the drones
- C) to view flights on a big screen
- D) to earn thousands of dollars

3 What speed do the drones fly at?

- A) average
- B) low
- C) normal
- D) high

4 How do spectators view flights?

- A) around flags
- B) on a big screen
- C) along courses
- D) in Dubai stadium

5 Competitions are short because the ...

- A) battery time of drones is limited
- B) pilots become tired very quickly
- C) spectators don't have headgear
- D) rent of big stadiums isn't cheap

6 When did drone racing start?

- A) a fortnight ago
- B) a decade ago
- C) a few years ago
- D) a month ago

7 The World Drone Prix was staged in the ...

- A) USA
- B) UAE
- C) UK
- D) CIS

8 The story is about a ...

- A) British teenager
- B) huge money prize
- C) special headgear
- D) new kind of sport

28. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

First Electric Plane

American Aviation company made the first-ever fully electric plane. Last week, the plane called Alice took off, and the first flight lasted eight minutes.

The plane can carry nine passengers and two pilots. 21,500 small batteries power the flight. They weigh 4 tonnes which are a half the weight of the plane. Aviation hopes to charge the batteries in 30 minutes for an hour-long flight.

The technology is very new. Aviation says that its planes will make no gases at all. The plane is also much quieter than normal planes, and it is a lot cheaper to run.

People do not know if electric planes will become a common way of travel, as the technology is very expensive.

1 ... company Aviation made the first electric plane.

- A) US
- B) UK
- C) CIS
- D) UAE

2 The new plane is ... only by electricity.

- A) lasted
- B) weighed
- C) carried
- D) refueled

3 The ... name is Alice.

- A) airbag
- B) aircraft
- C) airport
- D) airdrome

4 The plane can carry ... people including pilots.

- A) two
- B) thirty
- C) nine
- D) eleven

5 A (an) ... of batteries power the flight.

- A) expense
- B) huge size
- C) big number
- D) technology

6 Aviation hopes that 30 minutes of charging will be ... for an hour-long flight.

- A) enough
- B) little
- C) cheap
- D) expensive

7 Electric planes are more ... than usual planes.

- A) noisy
- B) common
- C) economic
- D) easy

8 The story is about (the/an) ...

- A) first-ever gas plane
- B) innovation in aviation
- C) hour-long flight
- D) common way of travel

29. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Rubber

Hundreds of years passed before rubber was used in Europe and other parts of the world. Small pieces of rubber were brought to Europe, and kept by people who liked to collect strange things; but no one thought that rubber could be useful. Then an artist found out that rubber would rub out pencil marks. That was one of the first uses of rubber, and that is how it came to be called “rubber”. Rubber trees grow only in countries where it is very hot or wet. It was not easy to find them.

The men who were hunting for rubber trees found them growing wild in South America, in Central America, and in West Africa. Nearly all the world’s rubber comes from the great forests of America and West Africa.

1 Many ... ago people didn’t know about rubber.

- A) millennia
- B) years
- C) decades
- D) centuries

2 ... were the first who had learnt about rubber.

- A) Americans
- B) Europeans
- C) Westerners
- D) Southerners

3 Collectors were collecting pieces of rubber as ... things.

- A) regular
- B) unequal
- C) unique
- D) ordinary

4 An artist found out that rubber could ... pencil marks.

- A) make
- B) erase
- C) stretch
- D) cut

5 Rubber trees grow in countries with very hot and ... climate.

- A) humid
- B) dry
- C) cold
- D) warm

6 ... for rubber trees found them in South and Central America, and West Africa.

- A) Owners
- B) Experts
- C) Hunters
- D) Caretakers

7 Nearly all the world's rubber is ... from the forests of America and West Africa.

- A) sold
- B) developed
- C) invested
- D) produced

8 The story is about an (a) ... material.

- A) elastic
- B) hard
- C) soft
- D) liquid

30. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

People Help Cold Sea Turtles

In North Carolina, a cold snap sent temperatures below freezing in parts of the state. People found over a 100 cold-stunned green sea turtles.

People took the turtles to a rehabilitation facility. After the turtles got better, they took the turtles to warmer waters and released them back to the sea.

Turtles and other animals, like snakes, are reptiles. These are animals which cannot control their body temperatures drop below 10 Celsius.

1 Air temperature has significantly ... down in some parts of North Carolina.

- A) risen
- B) gone
- C) put
- D) calmed

2 Many green sea turtles ... from cold.

- A) dove
- B) ran
- C) suffered
- D) swam

3 More than one hundred turtles were found on the ... of North Carolina.

- A) lake
- B) bank
- C) river
- D) coast

4 People ... cold-stunned turtles.

- A) helped
- B) caught
- C) ignored
- D) left

5 The turtles were taken to (the)...

- A) Atlantic Ocean
- B) colder waters
- C) Dead Sea
- D) warmer waters

6 After ..., the turtles were released into the sea.

- A) discovery
- B) recovery
- C) inspection
- D) investigation

7 ... cannot control their body temperatures drop below 10 Celsius.

- A) Reptiles
- B) Mammals
- C) Predators
- D) Feathered

8 The story is about (the) ...

- A) North Carolina
- B) warmer waters
- C) rescue of turtles
- D) cold snap

31. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Baby Bird and Boxer Dog

After a baby bird fell into a garden from her nest, she formed a surprising friendship with a dog. The dog did not harm the bird but took care of her.

The dog's owner made a new home for the bird in an indoor tree, but the owner found that the dog and the bird preferred to stay together.

The owner began filming them and their activities and then put the videos on the Internet. You can see the dog and bird play hide-and-seek or lay together. The videos are very popular as people have already watched them thousands of times.

1 A baby bird fell from the ...

- A) outhouse
- B) doghouse
- C) henhouse
- D) birdhouse

2 The dog and the bird became a ...

- A) swarm
- B) family
- C) pride
- D) crew

3 The dog ... made a nest for the bird.

- A) keeper
- B) helper
- C) buyer
- D) seller

4 The owner made a ... about friends.

- A) book
- B) photo
- C) movie
- D) report

5 The film about the dog and bird are put on the ...

- A) web
- B) wed
- C) vip
- D) veg

6 The dog and bird became very ...

- A) serious
- B) nervous
- C) famous
- D) jealous

7 People watched the videos ... of time.

- A) less
- B) lots
- C) most
- D) little

8 The story is about the ...

- A) scholarship
- B) mastership
- C) leadership
- D) friendship

32. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Horses Can Read Emotions

A new experiment shows that horses can read human emotions. Specialists showed the horses photographs of different human faces. The experts found that horses can tell the difference between angry and happy faces.

Specialists put heart monitors on the horses. The heart monitors showed that the heart rates of the horses rose a lot when they saw an angry face.

Riders at a horse club in London said that there is a special relationship between humans and horses.

1 Experts ... horses' behavior.

- A) hated
- B) studied
- C) enjoyed
- D) expected

2 Horses were shown photographs of ...

- A) experts
- B) riders
- C) people
- D) horses

3 The study has shown that horses react ... to different faces.

- A) gladly
- B) happily
- C) loudly
- D) differently

4 Horses have an ability to ... angry and kind face expressions.

- A) define
- B) afraid
- C) avoid
- D) have

5 Experts put ... on the horses.

- A) muscles monitors
- B) head displays
- C) speed measures
- D) heart devices

6 Horses heart rates ... when they see angry faces.

- A) decrease
- B) increase
- C) degrease
- D) disease

7 There is a particular ... between humans and horses.

- A) dealing
- B) calling
- C) training
- D) exciting

8 The story is about horses ...

- A) protect
- B) project
- C) intellect
- D) perfect

33. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Family Lives with Lions

A Gazan refugee bought the baby lions from a zoo after the economic situation forced the zoo keeper to sell them.

The owner used to take the cubs back to the zoo every night to be breastfed by their mom, but recently they have been weaned and now live in the family home all the time. The cats also became part of the local community and children play with them when they go out for walks.

The cubs look quite at home with the family, but animal experts warned that having lions at home with children can be dangerous and that they will need a more suitable environment when they grow bigger.

1 A Gazan ... bought the baby lions.

- A) immigrant
- B) diplomat
- C) astronaut
- D) delegate

2 A zoo owner sold the lions because of the ... economic situation.

- A) favourable
- B) suitable
- C) available
- D) difficult

3 The cubs' mother was giving them ... when they were babies.

- A) corn
- B) milk
- C) meat
- D) drink

4 The young lions live in the ... of their new owner.

- A) farm
- B) zoo
- C) yard
- D) house

5 The young lions are very ... with children.

- A) unsafely
- B) angry
- C) friendly
- D) unkindly

6 Lions are ... animals and having them at home is very dangerous.

- A) predatory
- B) herbivorous
- C) insectivorous
- D) omnivores

7 Experts are sure that lions need suitable ...

- A) owner
- B) family
- C) habitat
- D) care

8 The story is about ...

- A) eco experts
- B) unusual pets
- C) animal instinct
- D) ordinary family

34. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

A Perfect Diamond

In 2022, miners in Canada discovered a rough diamond that weighed 271 carats. Diamond cutters cut and polished it, and they made a 102-carat oval diamond.

The auction house Sotheby's in Hong Kong sold the diamond for 15.7 million dollars. A man from Japan bought the stone, and he named it after his second daughter. A year earlier, the same man bought another big diamond, and he named it after his first daughter.

The diamond is very special because it is a rare white diamond. It has the right color and it is very clear, which makes it perfect and very expensive.

1 Miners in Canada discovered a big ...

- A) sunstone
- B) gemstone
- C) oilstone
- D) inkstone

2 The diamond was found ... year.

- A) next
- B) this
- C) last
- D) that

3 After polishing the diamond has lost ... carats.

- A) 271
- B) 169
- C) 102
- D) 15.7

4 The rare diamond was ...

- A) quietly stolen
- B) put up for donation
- C) buried deep
- D) put up for sale

5 The jewelry was bought for 15.7 million dollars by a (the) ...

- A) Japanese millionaire
- B) Canadian miner
- C) Hong Kong citizen
- D) Sotheby's auction house

6 The man named his first diamond after his ... daughter.

- A) forth
- B) second
- C) third
- D) first

7 The diamond is ... because of its rare color.

- A) unnamed
- B) unknown
- C) unusual
- D) uncovered

8 The story is about a (an) ...

- A) hard and rare mineral
- B) special job of miners
- C) diamond processing
- D) activity of auction

35. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

US School Buses

In the past, many children walked or used horses to go to school. Later, red, white, and blue buses took children to support patriotism.

In 1939, a professor at Columbia University met with teachers, engineers, and other experts. They wrote a document of 42 pages that was about school buses. Experts recommended to make the school buses yellow, because black letters on yellow can be seen easily. Also, yellow buses were more visible in bad weather.

The yellow color got its own name, and although no law says that school buses must be yellow, almost 499, 000 school US buses are yellow.

1 In the past, children in the US walked or used ... to go to school.

- A) horses
- B) buses
- C) taxi
- D) cars

2 To support patriotism, school buses began to paint with colors of American ...

- A) document
- B) arms
- C) letters
- D) flag

3 In ..., at Colombian university, the meeting devoted to school buses was taken place.

- A) thirteen thirty-nine
- B) ninety thirty-nine
- C) nineteen thirty-nine
- D) nineteen three and nine

4 A document of 42 pages about school buses was written by a group of ...

- A) professors
- B) specialists
- C) engineers
- D) teachers

5 US experts ... yellow color for school buses.

- A) refused
- B) ordered
- C) offered
- D) painted

6 Experts decided that yellow buses were more visible ...

- A) in bad weather
- B) on black letters
- C) in busy streets
- D) in traffic jam

7 In the USA, nearly (a) ... school buses are yellow.

- A) half a thousand
- B) half a million
- C) million
- D) thousand

8 The story is about the ... yellow school buses.

- A) weight of
- B) colour for
- C) shape of
- D) reasons for

36. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Dinosaur Footprints

Tourists discovered dinosaur footprints in the Dinosaur Valley Park in Texas.

Park officials said that the footprints could be over 113 million years old, and they could be the longest dinosaur track in North America. Many footprints in the park became visible and invisible again. It depended on weather and the water in the rivers. The Paluxy River shrank because it rained very little in previous months. Thanks to this, people could see footprints which were usually at the bottom of the river.

The footprints were under layers of sediment and other material for more than 20 years. For a few days, people could see and touch them.

Then, they disappeared underwater again.

1 ... of the Dinosaur Valley Park discovered dinosaur footprints there.

- A) Citizens
- B) Officials
- C) Villagers
- D) Visitors

2 Dinosaur Valley Park is a (an) ... of the USA.

- A) African safari
- B) natural reserve
- C) Paluxy River
- D) center of Texas

3 According to experts, dinosaur footprints could be over one ... million years old.

- A) thousand thirty
- B) hundred thirty
- C) thousand thirteen
- D) hundred thirteen

4 The ... belonged to the longest dinosaur in North America.

- A) tracks
- B) park
- C) water
- D) skeleton

5 When the river water had ... people saw dinosaur footprints in the rivers.

- A) increased
- B) decreased
- C) appeared
- D) started

6 The footprints were under thick layer of river ...

- A) water
- B) fish
- C) soil
- D) stones

7 When the river had been ... the footprints disappeared.

- A) filled with water
- B) flooded
- C) suspended
- D) dried up

8 The story is about (the) ...

- A) river in North America
- B) tourists in the Dinosaur Park
- C) discovery in the Texas Park
- D) disappearing of park officials

37. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Return Rosetta Stone to Egypt

The Rosetta Stone a piece of black stone from 196 BC. It bears three inscriptions in Greek, Egyptian hieroglyphics, and Egyptian script characters.

The Rosetta Stone is very important because people used it to decipher hieroglyphics and learn more about Egypt.

In 1793, Napoleon's army found the stone in Northern Egypt. Since 1802, the stone has been at the British Museum in London. Egyptian archaeologists asked museum to return the stone to Egypt, but they didn't do it.

Ideas are changing now, and many museums are returning prehistoric finds to their home countries.

Egyptian archaeologists hope that the returns will help their situation, and the Rosetta Stone will finally return to Egypt.

1 The Rosetta Stone is a (an) ... black stone.

- A) recent
- B) ancient
- C) hi-tech
- D) modern

2 People are ... in Egyptian hieroglyphics.

- A) written
- B) drawn
- C) interested
- D) kept

3 Napoleon's army found the stone in ...

- A) seventieth ninety-three
- B) seventy ninety-three
- C) seventeenth ninety-three
- D) seventeen ninety-three

4 Since the beginning of the ... century, the stone has been at the British Museum.

- A) 19th
- B) 18th
- C) 17th
- D) 20th

5 England didn't return the Egyptian Stone to its historical ...

- A) cave
- B) museum
- C) field
- D) homeland

6 Nowadays many museums are returning ... to their home countries.

- A) gold
- B) artifacts
- C) people
- D) characters

7 Egyptian ... hope that the Rosetta Stone will be finally returned to Egypt.

- A) experts
- B) police
- C) officials
- D) celebrities

8 The story is about a great ... of the historical stone for Egypt.

- A) price
- B) size
- C) value
- D) length

38. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Wedding Rings

The beginning is not clear for the tradition of wedding rings, but some experts believe that it started in early Egypt.

For people in Egypt, a ring showed eternity because it had no beginning and no end. They also believed in the vein of love, which connects to the heart. It is the vein in the fourth finger on the left hand, and it explains why people wear a wedding ring on this finger.

Later, this tradition came to Greece and then Rome, where they believed that the ring showed that a man owned his wife. During World War II, men gave rings to women as a promise that they would marry them when they returned home.

1 The tradition of wedding rings started in ... Egypt.

- A) ancient
- B) modern
- C) recent
- D) new

2 Egyptians believed that ring showed ...

- A) end
- B) tradition
- C) beginning
- D) infinity

3 Egyptians also thought that there was a 'love' ...

- A) bridal ceremony
- B) blood vessel
- C) wedding party
- D) ritual holiday

4 The vein of love is in the ... finger on the left hand.

- A) middle
- B) little
- C) index
- D) ring

5 People wear a ring on the fourth finger after a (an) ...

- A) birth
- B) divorce
- C) marriage
- D) illness

6 For people in Greece and Rome the rings showed that a man and a woman were ...

- A) married
- B) enemies
- C) relatives
- D) aliens

7 During the war, a man gave ring to a woman to show that they would be ...

- A) helpers
- B) lonely
- C) family
- D) friends

8 The story is about ...

- A) early Egypt tradition
- B) wedding ring history
- C) World War II
- D) Greece and Rome

39. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Old Ship Discovery

Swedish archaeologists found a shipwreck of a 17th century ship. The name of the ship was Applet, and it was a sister ship of the warship Vasa.

Workers built Vasa in 1628, and unfortunately, it sank on its first journey near Stockholm after it sailed only 900 meters. The ship is 69 meters long and it is the world's best-preserved ship from the 17th century. The same shipbuilder of Vasa also built Applet in 1629.

When divers found the shipwreck, they hoped that it was Applet. A part of the ship sank to the bottom, but the main body remained.

Archaeologists decided to leave Applet in the sea because removal was too difficult.

1 Swedish archaeologists found ... of an old ship at the bottom of the sea.

- A) drafts
- B) woods
- C) crew
- D) remains

2 The Applet ship is almost ... years old.

- A) 17
- B) 400
- C) 1628
- D) 1629

3 Vasa was a ...

- A) cruise ship
- B) passenger ship
- C) warcraft
- D) ferryboat

4 Vasa and Applet had one ship ...

- A) captain
- B) constructor
- C) cabin boy
- D) sailor

5 The warship Vasa ... near Stockholm.

- A) went down
- B) went to
- C) was built
- D) was stopped

6 A part of the Applet ... sank to the bottom.

- A) cabin
- B) boat
- C) vessel
- D) cargo

7 Archaeologists ... Applet out of the sea.

- A) took
- B) didn't leave
- C) threw
- D) couldn't take

8 The story is about archaeologists' ...

- A) finding
- B) support
- C) working
- D) developing

1. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Machine Trains Horses

Horses __1__ get injured during training, and usually it __2__ because of human error. To __3__ horses, engineers develop a machine __4__ can train __5__. __6__ machine runs a 1.5-kilometre track and recently people installed it in England. It aims to reduce the risk __7__ injury to young horses. However, only time __8__ show if it works. The 'monorail' cost 20 million pounds.

1	A) can	B) should	C) must	D) might
2	A) be	B) was	C) is	D) were
3	A) to protect	B) protected	C) protecting	D) protect
4	A) that	B) who	C) what	D) whose
5	A) theirs	B) they	C) their	D) them
6	A) A	B) The	C) An	D) -
7	A) off	B) at	C) of	D) on
8	A) shall	B) will	C) would	D) should

2. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Town Has Strange Records

__1__ the Czech Republic, a small town earned thousands of records and hosted __2__ festival to show them off. __3__ of the records __4__ racing with folding ladders or folding scarves.

The president of the festival was happy __5__ people __6__ to see the festival and understand its 'essence'. __7__ wanted to show people that life is __8__ than being online and that it is about doing things.

1	A) At	B) On	C) In	D) Of
2	A) a	B) the	C) an	D) -
3	A) Less	B) Any	C) Some	D) Little
4	A) was	B) were	C) is	D) be
5	A) that	B) than	C) why	D) what
6	A) comes	B) come	C) coming	D) came
7	A) His	B) He	C) Him	D) Himself
8	A) most	B) many	C) much	D) more

3. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Asthma from Traffic

Asthma is 1 medical condition where you can have difficulty breathing. It is lifelong and doctors cannot stop it.

A study says 2 traffic pollution is connecting to 4 million new cases of asthma in children every year. Scientists studied this 3 194 countries and 125 large cities.

Other studies also said this, but this 4 author says that this study is comprehensive. It tells where the 5 polluted areas in the world are.

6 people think that we need to 7 new rules for pollution. We 8 also have cleaner transportation.

1	A) a	B) the	C) an	D) -
2	A) those	B) they	C) that	D) these
3	A) off	B) on	C) at	D) in
4	A) study's	B) study	C) studies	D) studies'
5	A) more	B) many	C) much	D) most
6	A) Any	B) Some	C) Somebody	D) Anybody
7	A) made	B) makes	C) make	D) making
8	A) could	B) should	C) able to	D) be to

4. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Three Suns in the Sky

A rare phenomenon appeared 1 Mongolia. It looked like there 2 three suns in the sky! 3 sun in the middle was real! The two 4 suns on the left and on the right were the 5 smaller reflections.

6 phenomenon appears only in very specific conditions. The temperature must be 7 than -30°C and the air 8 be filled with clouds and vapour (a mass of very small drops of water in the air).

1	A) on	B) in	C) at	D) of
2	A) is	B) are	C) were	D) was
3	A) A	B) The	C) An	D) -
4	A) another	B) others	C) other's	D) other
5	A) sun's	B) sun	C) suns	D) suns'
6	A) Those	B) These	C) That	D) This
7	A) lowest	B) low	C) lower	D) lowers
8	A) must	B) might	C) have to	D) had to

5. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Video from Space

An astronaut Alexander Gerst at 1 International Space Station (ISS) took an image every 2 seconds of the Earth. Then 3 played the images back quickly and 4 a time-lapse video. The video shows 5 the Earth spins.

6 the time it takes to play one football match, the ISS circles the planet 7. During a 90-minute period, astronauts 8 pass from daytime to nighttime and back again.

1	A) the	B) a	C) an	D) -
2	A) little	B) some	C) any	D) few
3	A) him	B) his	C) he	D) himself
4	A) create	B) created	C) creates	D) creating
5	A) who	B) what	C) how	D) whose
6	A) In	B) Off	C) On	D) At
7	A) complete	B) completely	C) incomplete	D) uncompleted
8	A) able to	B) might	C) has to	D) can

6. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Cockroach Farm in China

Most people don't like cockroaches, but one man from China 1 an exception. He has a cockroach farm 2 brings him a fortune.

He 3 nearly one square mile of the bugs, and one kilo of 4 sells for \$16. People use cockroach shells and oil in Chinese medicine to treat a lot of diseases. However, 5 medical products 6 nothing about the cockroaches on their information packets. 7 reason why is clear.

But, the farmer is proud of his cockroach farm 8.

1	A) is	B) was	C) are	D) were
2	A) whom	B) who	C) whose	D) which
3	A) have	B) has	C) had	D) having
4	A) their	B) they	C) them	D) theirs
5	A) that	B) this	C) they	D) these
6	A) said	B) says	C) say	D) saying
7	A) The	B) A	C) An	D) -
8	A) anywhere	B) anyway	C) anybody	D) anymore

7. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Plastic Galapagos Islands

The world's throwaway culture is slowly turning the Galapagos Islands into a plastic wasteland.

Plastics from South America and 1 Pacific Ocean are littering the beaches 2. Plastic bottles are the 3 common, and local experts 4 currently looking into the effects 5 the plastics 6 on plants and animals.

The islands are home to hundreds 7 endemic species. Hopefully, people will 8 action to save the Galapagos.

1	A) -	B) a	C) an	D) the
2	A) their	B) there	C) where	D) here
3	A) most	B) more	C) many	D) much
4	A) was	B) is	C) are	D) were
5	A) those	B) what	C) this	D) that
6	A) has	B) have	C) having	D) had
7	A) from	B) off	C) of	D) at
8	A) take	B) takes	C) took	D) taken

8. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Typhoon Jebi

1 than a million Japanese had to evacuate as Typhoon Jebi is coming. 2 brings 160-kilometre-per-hour winds, and it 3 the strongest typhoon 4 1993.

Airports and train stations are 5 because 6 water. Water flooded 7 runway at the Kansai International Airport.

A 8 tanker even was hit with a lot of force of wind into the side of a bridge.

1	A) Most	B) Many	C) Much	D) More
2	A) It	B) They	C) Its	D) Them
3	A) were	B) are	C) is	D) be
4	A) till	B) since	C) untill	D) through
5	A) closing	B) close	C) closes	D) closed
6	A) of	B) from	C) off	D) at
7	A) -	B) a	C) the	D) an
8	A) bigger	B) big	C) biggest	D) the biggest

9. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Big Piece of Moon

A huge lunar meteorite crashed 1 to Earth thousands of years ago, and people discovered 2 in a desert in Mauritania last year. Mauritania is a country in Northwestern Africa.

Now 3 5.4-kilogram rock 4 going on auction, and people think that it 5 sell for 6 than 500,000 dollars because it is so big. Lunar meteorites are usually about as big 7 an apple, and it is something special to hold a piece of the moon 8 your hands too.

1	A) at	B) up	C) in	D) down
2	A) him	B) it	C) its	D) he
3	A) an	B) a	C) the	D) -
4	A) is	B) are	C) was	D) were
5	A) shall	B) will	C) would	D) should
6	A) many	B) most	C) much	D) more
7	A) as	B) so	C) for	D) to
8	A) of	B) on	C) in	D) off

10. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Spiders in Greece

In western Greece, thousands of spiders 1 a 300-metre web near a lagoon. The webs are beautiful and creepy at the same time, as 2 cover trees and boats.

It is possible 3 there are so 4 spiders because there 5 more mosquitoes. The spiders are 6 small and are not dangerous to people or plants.

A biology professor said that 7 spiders are mating under the cloudy web and will soon die because 8 incoming cooler weather.

1	A) making	B) makes	C) made	D) to make
2	A) they	B) their	C) them	D) theirs
3	A) where	B) how	C) what	D) that
4	A) much	B) many	C) more	D) most
5	A) are	B) is	C) was	D) were
6	A) few	B) any	C) very	D) lot
7	A) a	B) the	C) an	D) -
8	A) on	B) in	C) off	D) of

11. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

City for Walking

The city of Pontevedra __1__ the northwest of Spain is great for walking and cycling. __2__ cars are banned in __3__ city centre, and 73 per cent of journeys in the city are __4__ on foot or __5__ bike.

Since the 1990s, the city has been changing. 70 per cent of public space __6__ for people and only 30 per cent for __7__. There has not been a deadly road accident __8__ 2001, and the CO2 emission levels dropped by 67 per cent since the 1990s.

1	A) on	B) in	C) at	D) off
2	A) A lot	B) Much	C) Lots	D) Most
3	A) the	B) a	C) an	D) -
4	A) makes	B) make	C) made	D) making
5	A) into	B) of	C) away	D) by
6	A) are	B) is	C) were	D) to be
7	A) ar's	B) car	C) cars	D) cars'
8	A) since	B) also	C) almost	D) through

12. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Two Record Climbers

Two record-setting climbers landed __1__ Kathmandu, __2__ capital of Nepal. They both __3__ from Mount Everest. One of __4__ is a Sherpa guide __5__ climbed Mount Everest for a record 22nd time. He is 48 years old and __6__ already planning his next trip.

The __7__ man was Australian Steve Plain who climbed the __8__ peaks on all seven continents in just 117 days. He is looking forward to going home and resting.

1	A) on	B) in	C) at	D) of
2	A) the	B) a	C) an	D) -
3	A) returning	B) returns	C) return	D) returned
4	A) their	B) they	C) them	D) theirs
5	A) whom	B) who	C) whose	D) what
6	A) were	B) was	C) is	D) are
7	A) second	B) two	C) three	D) third
8	A) the highest	B) high	C) higher	D) highest

13. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Man was lost for 19 days

A 72-year-old hunter was lost in a forest 1 California. He 2 after hard 19 days. That is a long time and 3 man did all he could to survive. He kept 4 warm by wrapping leaves around his body. He 5 squirrels, frogs and snakes to get energy.

People started looking for the man 6 he was lost, but it 7 the official search 8 found him. A group of hunters found him in a canyon. The old man is now recovering in a hospital.

1	A) on	B) in	C) at	D) from
2	A) was rescued	B) is rescued	C) to be rescued	D) had rescued
3	A) -	B) an	C) a	D) the
4	A) him	B) his	C) himself	D) he
5	A) eat	B) ate	C) eats	D) eaten
6	A) when	B) which	C) why	D) whose
7	A) isn't	B) aren't	C) wasn't	D) weren't
8	A) this	B) those	C) these	D) that

14. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Water

Water 1 one of the commonest of all substances, and without 2 life would be impossible. 3 seas and oceans cover about seven tenths of the Earth's surface. But water is also contained in the soil, in the atmosphere and in all living things. 4 than half of the human body 5 of water, which also forms a large part of the food we eat, especially vegetables and fruit. Man 6 live for nine days or more without food, but we cannot live for many days without water.

Water exists 7 a substance in three states: ice, which melts at 0 degrees centigrade, liquid water, and steam, 8 is formed when water boils at 100 degrees centigrade.

1	A) are	B) were	C) is	D) was
2	A) it	B) its	C) she	D) her
3	A) A	B) An	C) -	D) The
4	A) Most	B) More	C) Much	D) Many
5	A) consisting	B) consisted	C) consists	D) consist
6	A) can	B) must	C) may	D) might
7	A) so	B) as	C) so as	D) so that
8	A) who	B) why	C) when	D) which

15. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**Birds**

___1___ lot of birds and animals move from country to country and from continent to continent during the year. Some move ___2___ summer is over and it becomes colder and some when there ___3___ no food to eat. Many birds ___4___ find food under the snow, so they fly ___5___ Africa and other warm countries. When winter ___6___ some birds can fly ___7___ than 7000 kilometers in a day. These birds come back in spring and ___8___ never see winter.

1	A) The	B) A	C) -	D) An
2	A) who	B) what	C) when	D) why
3	A) was	B) were	C) are	D) is
4	A) can't	B) shouldn't	C) mustn't	D) mightn't
5	A) at	B) to	C) on	D) of
6	A) coming	B) came	C) come	D) comes
7	A) most	B) many	C) more	D) much
8	A) they	B) their	C) theirs	D) them

16. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**Dolphin surprised a girl**

There was a shocking moment for a young girl. Children were feeding sea animals at SeaWorld when one dolphin ___1___ a fish together with the girl's arm. Dolphins ___2___ for being friendly and intelligent but the girl's parents weren't happy about the ___3___ behaviour.

The parents wanted to share this video so others ___4___ make a decision about the risks connected with such activity. The girl was injured but the injuries ___5___ very bad.

SeaWorld officials said ___6___ animal care staff was ___7___ the attraction when this happened and immediately responded and helped ___8___ young girl.

1	A) takes	B) take	C) took	D) taken
2	A) are known	B) was known	C) has known	D) have known
3	A) dolphins'	B) dolphin	C) dolphins	D) dolphin's
4	A) may	B) can	C) be to	D) has to
5	A) weren't	B) aren't	C) isn't	D) wasn't
6	A) then	B) this	C) that	D) than
7	A) to	B) at	C) of	D) above
8	A) -	B) a	C) an	D) the

17. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**Interesting Facts About Giraffes**

Giraffes 1 interesting animals. They have long necks, so they 2 reach the tops of trees. They eat flowers, fruit, climbing plants, and the twigs and leaves from trees. 3 they eat about 140 4 of food a day, they can go for weeks without drinking water. They get a 5 of water from plants they eat too.

They have very long tongues and 6 tongues are useful. Because they are so long, they can grab objects with 7. Even though giraffes 8 have vocal cords, they can communicate, but people can't hear their communication.

1	A) was	B) is	C) are	D) be
2	A) can	B) must	C) should	D) would
3	A) However	B) Through	C) Almost	D) Although
4	A) pound	B) pounds	C) pound's	D) pounds'
5	A) lot	B) lots	C) much	D) many
6	A) that	B) this	C) these	D) those
7	A) they	B) them	C) their	D) theirs
8	A) not done	B) doesn't	C) didn't	D) don't

18. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**The First Cell Phone**

The first cell phone call took place 1 1973. A man named Martin Cooper 2 the first call. He was working for the Motorola communications company. When Cooper placed the call, he was walking down a street in New York. People stared at 3 and wondered about 4 behavior. This was before cordless phones, so it looked very strange.

It took another ten years before Motorola had a phone to sell to the public. 5 phone weighed 6 a pound (45 kilogram), and it was very expensive. Now, as you know, cell phones 7 small enough to put in a pocket, and 8 of people around the world have them.

1	A) in	B) on	C) at	D) of
2	A) makes	B) make	C) made	D) making
3	A) he	B) him	C) his	D) himself
4	A) -	B) a	C) an	D) the
5	A) These	B) Those	C) That	D) They
6	A) about	B) also	C) through	D) though
7	A) were	B) is	C) was	D) are
8	A) million	B) millions	C) million's	D) millions'

19. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**China's Little Paris**

It looks like the Eiffel Tower. Moreover, that looks like Paris. However, it is actually 1 China and it is the second 2 model of the Eiffel Tower in the world.

In fact, 3 whole development 4 created in a Parisian style, which includes housing, a commercial area complete with sculptures and fountains.

Originally, 5 in 2001, in recent years, many of 6 commercial spaces have been left empty. Developers decline to say 7 empty spaces they have, but they 8 confident that the Chinese's love affair with all European things will see China's Little Paris filled again.

1	A) of	B) on	C) in	D) at
2	A) largest	B) larger	C) large	D) the large
3	A) they	B) those	C) these	D) this
4	A) have been	B) has been	C) be	D) been
5	A) built	B) builds	C) build	D) will build
6	A) an	B) a	C) the	D) -
7	A) how much	B) how many	C) how long	D) how far
8	A) is	B) to be	C) was	D) are

20. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**How Some Animals Stay Cool**

How do animals stay cool 1 hot weather? Many animals 2 sweat like humans, so they have other ways to cool 3.

Dogs, for example, have a 4 fur and can become very hot. They stay cool mainly by panting. By the way, if you don't know what panting means, this 5 sound of panting.

Cats lick their paws and chests. When their fur is wet, they become cooler.

Elephants have very 6 ears. When they are hot, they 7 flap their huge ears. 8 flapping ear acts like a fan and it cools them. Elephants also like to roll in the mud to stay cool.

1	A) on	B) in	C) at	D) of
2	A) not done	B) doesn't	C) didn't	D) don't
3	A) themselves	B) theirs	C) their	D) they
4	A) much	B) many	C) lot of	D) more
5	A) were	B) are	C) was	D) is
6	A) larger	B) large	C) largest	D) the largest
7	A) must	B) have to	C) can	D) ought to
8	A) The	B) A	C) An	D) -

21. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Hair Facts

Here are 1 interesting facts about 2 hair. Human hair 3 about one-half inch per month or 15 centimeters a year. The hair on our scalp 4 dead. That's 5 it doesn't hurt when we get a haircut. The average 6 has about 100,000 strands of hair. Every day we lose 75 to 150 strands of hair. One strand of hair grows for two to seven years. After it stops growing, it rests for a while and 7 falls out. Hair grows faster in warmer weather, and women's hair grows 8 than men's hair.

1	A) some	B) any	C) much	D) lot
2	A) us	B) we	C) our	D) ours
3	A) growing	B) grows	C) grew	D) grown
4	A) were	B) be	C) was	D) is
5	A) where	B) what	C) why	D) how
6	A) person	B) persons	C) person's	D) persons'
7	A) that	B) than	C) them	D) then
8	A) fast	B) faster	C) fastest	D) the fastest

22. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Man Rides a Bike on a Rope

A man performed a dangerous action in the French Alps at an altitude of 2,700 1. People hung a rope 2 two mountains 112 metres high in the air. 3 man tried to ride on a bike 4 one side to the other. He fell during 5 first try, but he 6 a security rope, so he got back up and tried again. 7 time, he 8 successful.

1	A) meters	B) meter	C) meter's	D) meters'
2	A) though	B) almost	C) between	D) through
3	A) A	B) The	C) An	D) -
4	A) on	B) at	C) of	D) from
5	A) him	B) he	C) his	D) himself
6	A) wore	B) wear	C) worn	D) wearing
7	A) There	B) These	C) Those	D) This
8	A) were	B) was	C) are	D) Be

23. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Two men and an Escalator

Two elderly men __1__ walking down an escalator __2__ somebody shouted, "Free burgers!" The men, as well __3__ others, wanted the burgers, and the men started to run up __4__ escalator the wrong way.

It was not easy for __5__ to get to the top. They tripped and __6__ several times. The people at the Polish shopping center filmed and watched the two __7__. After they finally reached the top, they received cheers __8__ the crowd.

1	A) is	B) was	C) were	D) be
2	A) when	B) why	C) who	D) whose
3	A) for	B) so	C) to	D) as
4	A) a	B) the	C) -	D) an
5	A) them	B) they	C) their	D) theirs
6	A) fallen	B) fall	C) fell	D) falling
7	A) man	B) men	C) man's	D) men's
8	A) off	B) at	C) on	D) from

24. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Emotions of Dogs

People thought that the expressions of dogs __1__ reflexive. However, __2__ new study shows otherwise.

Dogs produce more expressions __3__ they know that people are watching __4__. This means __5__ the expressions are a way of communication with humans.

The study was __6__ on 24 __7__ of different breeds by the University of Portsmouth __8__ England.

1	A) be	B) was	C) is	D) were
2	A) an	B) the	C) a	D) -
3	A) why	B) when	C) where	D) who
4	A) them	B) they	C) their	D) theirs
5	A) what	B) that	C) than	D) then
6	A) did	B) do	C) done	D) does
7	A) dogs	B) dog	C) dog's	D) dogs'
8	A) off	B) on	C) at	D) in

25. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

New Supersonic Plane

At the Dubai Airshow, American company Boom showed people for the ___1___ time ___2___ plans for a supersonic jet – a plane which can move ___3___ than sound. By the end of 2023, you could ___4___ from London to New York in ___5___ three hours.

One ticket would cost as much ___6___ a standard business class ticket, ___7___ company says. With new materials and engines, the company says that it ___8___ fly supersonic for 75 per cent less than the Concord.

1	A) first	B) one	C) ones	D) one's
2	A) it	B) it's	C) its	D) it is
3	A) fast	B) faster	C) fastest	D) the fastest
4	A) flown	B) flies	C) flew	D) fly
5	A) still	B) also	C) just	D) though
6	A) as	B) so	C) for	D) to
7	A) -	B) a	C) an	D) the
8	A) Might	B) can	C) have to	D) be to

26. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Turtles in Mexico

Around 300 sea ___1___ got caught in an illegal fishing net off Mexico's southern Pacific coast. All of ___2___ died from asphyxiation – without oxygen or toxic algae. They ___3___ buried in sand on a beach.

Killing sea turtles is a crime ___4___ Mexico, and police are looking into ___5___ set the illegal 120-metre net. Fishermen ___6___ that the net was local. It is possible ___7___ tuna fishing ship set it without telling ___8___.

1	A) turtles'	B) turtle	C) turtle's	D) turtles
2	A) theirs	B) them	C) they	D) their
3	A) is	B) are	C) were	D) was
4	A) in	B) at	C) on	D) off
5	A) whom	B) who	C) what	D) whose
6	A) say	B) saying	C) says	D) said
7	A) the	B) an	C) a	D) -
8	A) anyone	B) somehow	C) anyway	D) whatever

27. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Wildlife Photos

The Natural History Museum __1__ London is holding a competition called __2__ Wildlife Photographer of the Year to find the __3__ photos of wildlife. It released 13 finalist images, and one of __4__ will win the best prize.

__5__ photos show animals in __6__ natural environments – the places __7__ they live, in zoos, or interacting with unusual things. The animals __8__ seals, foxes, fish, eagles, wild cats, bears, and seahorses.

1	A) at	B) on	C) in	D) of
2	A) the	B) a	C) -	D) an
3	A) good	B) best	C) well	D) better
4	A) those	B) this	C) that	D) these
5	A) Some	B) Any	C) Little	D) Much
6	A) theirs	B) they	C) them	D) their
7	A) why	B) when	C) where	D) who
8	A) is	B) are	C) was	D) were

28. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Biggest Dog in World

Freddy the Great Dane of __1__ UK is the world's __2__ dog, according to the Guinness Book of World Records. At four years old, he is 2.2 metres tall when he stands on __3__ back legs and he weighs 92 __4__.

His owner said that Freddy __5__ the smallest baby from a group of babies and that she __6__ no idea that he would get so big. She spends 12,258 dollars per year __7__ food for Freddy and his sister. The two of them __8__ have destroyed 26 sofas!

1	A) an	B) a	C) the	D) -
2	A) biggest	B) bigger	C) big	D) the big
3	A) him	B) he	C) his	D) himself
4	A) kilogram	B) kilograms	C) kilogram's	D) kilograms'
5	A) was	B) were	C) be	D) are
6	A) might	B) can	C) may	D) had
7	A) in	B) on	C) of	D) from
8	A) till	B) still	C) untill	D) also

29. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

An artist paints on water

Zohra is a Tunisian artist __1__ uses a very old style of painting called Ebru.

Ebru is from the 15th century and __2__ comes from old Iran, Persia, and old Turkey, Ottoman Turkey. Since __3__ time, it moved to more countries, for example, India or China, where artists __4__ different colors and ways to make it.

Zohra uses __5__ pan of oily water, and she adds dyes to __6__ beautifully colored patterns. She then takes a piece of paper or canvas and moves the pattern onto it. Zohra said that it __7__ not easy to learn the style. She spent __8__ years in another country to study Ebru.

1	A) who	B) what	C) whose	D) how
2	A) it is	B) it's	C) its	D) it
3	A) this	B) that	C) those	D) these
4	A) use	B) used	C) using	D) uses
5	A) an	B) the	C) -	D) a
6	A) makes	B) make	C) making	D) made
7	A) were	B) to be	C) was	D) are
8	A) many	B) more	C) much	D) most

30. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

A Mystery at the Library

Emma loved __1__ books, so she __2__ a lot of time at the library. One day, she noticed __3__ old book __4__ a missing cover. __5__ she opened the book, she found a note inside __6__. The note had strange symbols and a small map. Curious, Emma asked the librarian about it, but he had __7__ seen the book before. She decided to follow the map, hoping to solve the __8__.

1	A) reads	B) readings	C) read	D) reading
2	A) spends	B) spent	C) spend	D) spending
3	A) the	B) -	C) a	D) an
4	A) to	B) in	C) with	D) on
5	A) How	B) What	C) When	D) Why
6	A) itself	B) its	C) it's	D) it
7	A) seldom	B) every	C) ever	D) never
8	A) book	B) librarian	C) library	D) mystery

31. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**A Famous Chocolate Factory**

There is a famous chocolate factory __1__ Switzerland. It __2__ chocolate that is loved by many people around __3__ world. The factory uses only the __4__ ingredients and has been __5__ chocolate for over 100 years. The __6__ of the factory, Jean-Pierre, started __7__ business with a small shop. He wanted to make chocolate that __8__ different from other chocolates. Today, the factory is still family-owned, and Jean-Pierre's grandchildren work there.

1	A) at	B) on	C) in	D) by
2	A) make	B) made	C) makes	D) making
3	A) -	B) the	C) an	D) a
4	A) good	B) the best	C) better	D) best
5	A) makes	B) made	C) make	D) making
6	A) factory	B) chocolate	C) people	D) founder
7	A) he	B) him	C) himself	D) his
8	A) are	B) was	C) were	D) to be

32. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**The world is getting warmer.**

The world has __1__ by half a degree centigrade over the past 100 years. __2__ Earth could get warmer by __3__, without help from people. __4__ climate scientists think there __5__ another reason for the change in temperature. They think that __6__ activities like cutting down the trees, producing trash, and burning fuels like coal and oil are helping make the Earth warmer. Just because the weather has been __7__ for a month or two does not mean that global warming has arrived. But scientists think __8__ as we use more gasoline and electricity, the Earth is going to get warmer.

1	A) warming	B) warmed	C) warm	D) warms
2	A) An	B) A	C) The	D) -
3	A) it	B) itself	C) its	D) it's
4	A) A lot	B) Lots	C) Many	D) Much
5	A) are	B) to be	C) is	D) were
6	A) human	B) animal	C) insect	D) nature
7	A) hot	B) hotter	C) hottest	D) the hottest
8	A) than	B) that	C) that's	D) then

33. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Child labor

__1__ children laborers around __2__ world __3__ busy doing extreme forms of work that are dangerous for __4__ health. They are also being robbed of their rights, including not only the right to __5__ to the highest level through education, but also the right to a __6__. They __7__ work as many as 12 hours a day, work under dangerous conditions such as factories with harmful smokes in the air, handle dangerous materials, and use tools and machines __8__ are not designed for them.

1	A) Most	B) a lot	C) Much	D) lots
2	A) an	B) a	C) the	D) -
3	A) is	B) was	C) to be	D) are
4	A) their	B) themselves	C) they	D) them
5	A) developed	B) develop	C) developing	D) develops
6	A) children	B) childish	C) child	D) childhood
7	A) seldom	B) ever	C) often	D) never
8	A) which	B) when	C) why	D) where

34. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Robots in Daily Life

__1__ robots are not only __2__ science fiction, they __3__ now part of daily life. Some robot __4__ houses or help in hospitals. In factories, robots __5__ difficult or sometimes dangerous jobs. Robots __6__ work all day without getting tired. People create __7__ machines to help with many tasks. In the future, robots may become even more __8__.

1	A) -	B) An	C) A	D) The
2	A) near	B) on	C) in	D) at
3	A) was	B) are	C) to be	D) is
4	A) speak	B) listen	C) read	D) clean
5	A) did	B) doing	C) done	D) do
6	A) has to	B) had	C) can	D) could
7	A) smarter	B) smartest	C) the smarter	D) smart
8	A) helpful	B) help	C) helps	D) helpless

35. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**Working from Home**

Today, __1__ people prefer to work from home using __2__ internet. They __3__ join meetings online and __4__ emails instead of going to an office.

Working __5__ home can save __6__ time and money. People don't need to travel, so they have more free __7__. But some people feel __8__ or find it hard to focus. So, it's important to find balance.

1	A) lots	B) many	C) a lot	D) much
2	A) the	B) -	C) a	D) an
3	A) could	B) has to	C) have	D) can
4	A) sending	B) send	C) sends	D) sent
5	A) of	B) for	C) on	D) from
6	A) they	B) theirs	C) them	D) their
7	A) time	B) people	C) travel	D) emails
8	A) safe	B) lonely	C) interested	D) smart

36. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**Protecting Wild Animals**

__1__ wild animals __2__ in danger because people cut down forests or hunt __3__. Some __4__ lose their homes and food. It is important to protect our nature and all animals. People __5__ visit zoos or special parks that help animals live __6__. We must learn to live __7__ nature, not against it. Every __8__ action can help to protect the nature and all animals.

1	A) Much	B) Many	C) Lots	D) A lot
2	A) was	B) are	C) is	D) been
3	A) they	B) theirs	C) them	D) their
4	A) homes	B) animals	C) people	D) forests
5	A) could	B) shall	C) will	D) can
6	A) safe	B) safely	C) safeguard	D) safeless
7	A) over	B) before	C) with	D) under
8	A) small	B) the smaller	C) smaller	D) smallest

37. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**Exercise makes you feel good**

Exercising is an excellent way to feel happy, whether you are exercising on ___1___ own or with a group. If you have had a hard day ___2___ school, or just feel unhappy, exercising can help you feel ___3___. That is because ___4___ you exercise, your body can release endorphins, chemicals that create a happy ___5___. In addition, when you are breathing more ___6___ into your lungs, your brain enjoys ___7___ extra oxygen. And when you are active and running around, sometimes it is hard to think about what ___8___ bothering you.

1	A) yourself	B) you	C) yours	D) your
2	A) at	B) near	C) under	D) over
3	A) best	B) the best	C) better	D) good
4	A) when	B) who	C) where	D) what
5	A) feel	B) felt	C) feeling	D) feels
6	A) group	B) air	C) exercise	D) school
7	A) -	B) the	C) an	D) a
8	A) were	B) are	C) to be	D) was

38. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.**Recycling in Everyday Life**

___1___ recycle is very important for protecting the environment. People can recycle papers, glass, and also metal. ___2___ we recycle, we use ___3___ energy and create less ___4___.

Many cities ___5___ special bins for recycling. ___6___ home, we ___7___ separate trash and clean used materials. We know that, recycling helps nature and solves resources. Everyone can do a ___8___ part to help the planet.

1	A) -	B) The	C) An	D) A
2	A) Who	B) Where	C) When	D) Why
3	A) many	B) little	C) few	D) less
4	A) waste	B) glass	C) paper	D) energy
5	A) has	B) had	C) having	D) have
6	A) To	B) At	C) On	D) In
7	A) can	B) had to	C) has to	D) could
8	A) small	B) smaller	C) the smallest	D) smallest

39. Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

The importance of Water

__1__ water is necessary for all living things. People need clean __2__ to drink, cook and wash. __3__ some countries, there is not enough fresh water. It __4__ important to save water and not waste it. We __5__ turn off the tap when brushing teeth, or use water __6__ in __7__ garden. Saving water __8__ the Earth.

1	A) An	B) -	C) A	D) The
2	A) food	B) fruit	C) vegetable	D) water
3	A) At	B) On	C) Near	D) In
4	A) is	B) are	C) been	D) were
5	A) can	B) has to	C) will	D) would
6	A) care	B) carefully	C) careless	D) careful
7	A) the	B) -	C) a	D) an
8	A) helped	B) helps	C) helping	D) help

Read the question and choose the right answer 1-190.

1 I was ... tired last night, so I went to bed earlier than usual.

- A) feel
- B) feeling
- C) feels
- D) felt

2 He is very selfish. He doesn't care ... other people.

- A) on
- B) more
- C) off
- D) about

3 We stayed at the ... hotel in the town.

- A) cheapest
- B) cheaper
- C) cheap
- D) cheaply

4 The ... of the house is in a very bad condition. I think we ought to repair it.

- A) decor
- B) garden
- C) roof
- D) temperature

5 We have to wait until he ...

- A) shall arrive
- B) arrive
- C) arrives
- D) will arrive

6 She bought some beautiful cups ... her kitchen.

- A) at
- B) for
- C) from
- D) in

7 They leave the ... way they can.

- A) quick
- B) quickly
- C) quicker
- D) quickest

8 The movie was extremely ...

- A) boring
- B) greeting
- C) sleeping
- D) finding

9 I can't find my umbrella. I think somebody ... it by mistake.

- A) has taken
- B) have taken
- C) took
- D) takes

10 Karim climbed up the ladder to get ... the roof.

- A) from
- B) into
- C) on to
- D) out of

11 The Dead Sea is the ... sea in the World.

- A) salty
- B) saltiest
- C) saltier
- D) salt

12 In Arabia the usual way of ... is by camel.

- A) shopping
- B) looking
- C) driving
- D) traveling

13 Having found a hotel, we looked for somewhere ... dinner.

- A) to have
- B) have
- C) had
- D) having

14 Please remember to lock the door when you go ...

- A) on
- B) in
- C) out
- D) of

15 ... people learn to swim when they are children.

- A) Less
- B) Most
- C) Much
- D) A lot

16 The bus was completely ... There was nobody on it.

- A) busy
- B) full
- C) free
- D) empty

17 I usually ... some coffee and toast for my breakfast.

- A) had
- B) have
- C) having
- D) has

18 It's all ... your hands.

- A) of
- B) on
- C) at
- D) in

19 Tajik popular musicians play on ... stage.

- A) a new
- B) new
- C) newer
- D) newest

20 If Zarina wants to ... her exam, she will have to study harder.

- A) give
- B) get
- C) pass
- D) receive

21 Jamshed ... for a company that makes furniture.

- A) working
- B) work
- C) works
- D) worked

22 Virtual reality can bring you ...

- A) whatever
- B) anywhere
- C) however
- D) whenever

23 The ... common cause of a sore throat is a viral infection.

- A) much
- B) more
- C) many
- D) most

24 If people drove more carefully, there would be fewer ...

- A) accidents
- B) celebrations
- C) picnics
- D) triumphs

25 I ... from Madina since she left Dushanbe.

- A) wasn't hearing
- B) didn't hear
- C) haven't heard
- D) not hear

26 They will have shipped the goods ... your telegram arrived.

- A) what
- B) when
- C) why
- D) how

27 Happiness is ... than money.

- A) the important
- B) important
- C) the most important
- D) more important

28 ... has changed a lot in the last thirty years.

- A) Life
- B) Manner
- C) Health
- D) Freedom

29 I ... not seen you for many years.

- A) was
- B) am
- C) did
- D) have

30 Nigina had a terrible headache ... night.

- A) last
- B) next
- C) till
- D) before

31 China has got the ... population in the world.

- A) larger
- B) largest
- C) large
- D) more large

32 The violin is a musical instrument which makes the most beautiful ...

- A) screams
- B) voices
- C) sounds
- D) cries

33 Father ... a newspaper while Zafar prepared his homework.

- A) reads
- B) was reading
- C) has read
- D) is reading

34 The city hadn't made a great impression ... me.

- A) of
- B) at
- C) on
- D) in

35 The Mona Liza is the most famous ... in the world.

- A) writer
- B) artist
- C) actress
- D) painting

36 The conference was well-organized. Everything began and finished ... time.

- A) on
- B) at
- C) of
- D) off

37 My neighbour's house is full of ... things.

- A) most interesting
- B) interesting
- C) the most interesting
- D) more interesting

38 It's a reasonably cheap restaurant and the ... is extremely tasty.

- A) cook
- B) chief
- C) food
- D) waiter

39 Most people learn to swim when they ... children.

- A) is
- B) are
- C) were
- D) was

40 It's difficult to listen if everyone is speaking ... the same time.

- A) of
- B) on
- C) in
- D) at

41 There are ... people at this meeting than at the last one.

- A) fewest
- B) few
- C) fewer
- D) the fewest

42 Aziza passed her ... because she studied very hard.

- A) exam
- B) lesson
- C) party
- D) event

43 We ... good friends. We knew each other well.

- A) were
- B) are
- C) be
- D) was

44 Remember to turn ... the light.

- A) in
- B) at
- C) off
- D) of

45 The sooner we leave, the ... we will arrive.

- A) earl
- B) early
- C) earliest
- D) earlier

46 I thought the ... on my plate didn't look fresh.

- A) salt
- B) food
- C) spoon
- D) service

47 There ... millions of stars in space.

- A) were
- B) is
- C) are
- D) was

48 We've heard the news ... the radio.

- A) by
- B) on
- C) at
- D) of

49 Don't walk so ...! I can't keep up with you.

- A) the fastest
- B) faster
- C) fastest
- D) fast

50 I'm surprised you haven't heard of her. She is quite ...

- A) well-known
- B) well-kept
- C) well-paid
- D) well-informed

51 Anisa still works here, but Zamira ... work here anymore.

- A) not
- B) don't
- C) didn't
- D) doesn't

52 I feel like going ... this evening.

- A) out
- B) into
- C) of
- D) at

53 Jafar has enough experience to do his job ...

- A) good
- B) well
- C) best
- D) better

54 The ... is still waiting on the runway.

- A) bus
- B) train
- C) plane
- D) truck

55 Doctors ... patients in hospitals.

- A) treats
- B) treat
- C) treating
- D) treated

56 Salima ... doing her home work at the moment.

- A) are
- B) was
- C) is
- D) were

57 A woman got ... the car and drove off.

- A) into
- B) onto
- C) out of
- D) off

58 The city centre was ... crowded than usual.

- A) the least
- B) little
- C) least
- D) less

59 Some animals see much ... than humans.

- A) better
- B) best
- C) good
- D) the best

60 Munira looks ... than she really is.

- A) young
- B) younger
- C) youngest
- D) the youngest

61 Rustam usually cuts his own hair. He doesn't go to a ...

- A) beautician
- B) robber
- C) visagiste
- D) barber

62 Can you hear those people? What ... they talking about?

- A) were
- B) are
- C) do
- D) is

63 African elephants are ... than Asian elephants.

- A) the biggest
- B) big
- C) biggest
- D) bigger

64 This white laptop ... to our teacher.

- A) belongs
- B) uses
- C) buys
- D) works

65 It's essential that everyone should be here ... time.

- A) from
- B) at
- C) on
- D) of

66 It was so hot that we ... concentrate.

- A) aren't able to
- B) can't
- C) couldn't
- D) won't able to

67 There are 25 questions ... this test.

- A) on
- B) in
- C) at
- D) of

68 It looks ... good.

- A) prettier
- B) prettily
- C) prettiest
- D) pretty

69 A mathematician is a person who ... math.

- A) studies
- B) study
- C) studied
- D) studying

70 The plants ... die if people don't water them.

- A) shall
- B) will
- C) would
- D) should

71 My friend is interested ... literature.

- A) on
- B) at
- C) with
- D) in

72 The blue whale makes ... sound than the polar bear.

- A) louder
- B) loud
- C) loudest
- D) the loudest

73 My friend is a very terrible ...

- A) cooking
- B) cooker
- C) cook
- D) cooks

74 I spent ... money last month that I had to go to the bank.

- A) very much
- B) so many
- C) so much
- D) very many

75 He isn't good at ... his car.

- A) going
- B) driving
- C) doing
- D) moving

76 The performance ... at 10 a.m.

- A) shown
- B) show
- C) be shown
- D) will be shown

77 Fred ... never seen such a beautiful sunset before he went to the island.

- A) had
- B) having
- C) have
- D) has

78 Their favorite singer is Sting, ... he?

- A) isn't
- B) wasn't
- C) doesn't
- D) is

79 I asked him ...

- A) to go not away
- B) to not go away
- C) not to go away
- D) doesn't go away

80 I'll speak to him when he ...

- A) will arrive
- B) arrives
- C) is arriving
- D) would arrive

81 Is ... absent today?

- A) some
- B) somebody
- C) nobody
- D) anybody

82 Our holiday was too short. The time passed very ...

- A) quickest
- B) quick
- C) quicker
- D) quickly

83 I was disappointed that my exam results were so ...

- A) bad
- B) excellent
- C) high
- D) good

84 A flock of birds ... against the wind.

- A) fly
- B) flew
- C) flown
- D) flying

85 Ozar and Firuz go swimming ... Wednesday.

- A) at
- B) in
- C) on
- D) of

86 Doctors recommend that everyone ... eat plenty of fruit.

- A) would
- B) should
- C) must
- D) can

87 Our team ... the game because we played very badly.

- A) gained
- B) won
- C) got
- D) lost

88 Zebo is very good at languages. She ... four languages very well.

- A) spoke
- B) speak
- C) speaks
- D) speaking

89 Farhod has gone away. He'll be back ... a week.

- A) in
- B) on
- C) at
- D) of

90 I play ... the guitar very well.

- A) with
- B) on
- C) –
- D) at

91 My computer has broken. I need to buy ... one.

- A) the newest
- B) newest
- C) newer
- D) a new

92 The bus driver was ... injured.

- A) a serious
- B) seriously
- C) serious
- D) the seriousness

93 We ... just finished our project.

- A) have
- B) to have
- C) had
- D) has

94 I usually have some coffee and toast ... my breakfast.

- A) at
- B) on
- C) for
- D) in

95 The person who interviewed me was very ...

- A) friend
- B) friendly
- C) friendlier
- D) friendliest

96 The man on the motorbike isn't wearing a helmet. That's ...

- A) famous
- B) enormous
- C) obvious
- D) dangerous

97 Aziza ... reading a book when doorbell rang.

- A) is
- B) was
- C) to be
- D) were

98 Be ...! The floor has been polished.

- A) careful
- B) more carefully
- C) carefully
- D) most carefully

99 The phone has been ringing for five minutes. I wish somebody would ... it.

- A) receive
- B) give
- C) answer
- D) get

100 We need a filter. The water ... very dirty.

- A) be
- B) are
- C) is
- D) was

101 Sunlight is the light ... sun.

- A) off
- B) from
- C) over
- D) on

102 I am very pleased that my English is getting ...

- A) good
- B) best
- C) the best
- D) better

103 I have a I'd better go to the dentist.

- A) toothache
- B) headache
- C) backache
- D) heartache

104 Nowadays many doctors advise ... in the countryside.

- A) live
- B) living
- C) lives
- D) lived

105 This is the ... expensive sweater in the store.

- A) least
- B) less
- C) little
- D) littles

106 Do you think it's worth ... this film.

- A) doing
- B) crying
- C) watching
- D) visiting

107 In Tajikistan a person ... drive a car when he/she is 18.

- A) has to
- B) must
- C) can
- D) able to

108 Alisher was really depressed ... he watched that film.

- A) since
- B) after
- C) untill
- D) still

- 109** Saodat and Saida are the ... friends, but they don't meet each other very often.
A) the best
B) good
C) better
D) best
-
- 110** Printing was invented many centuries ago in ... China.
A) ancient
B) modern
C) new
D) current
-
- 111** Olim has already ... his project.
A) finished
B) finish
C) finishes
D) finishing
-
- 112** Jafar would like pizza ... dinner tonight.
A) in
B) on
C) for
D) at
-
- 113** The journalist who interviewed me was very ...
A) friend
B) friendly
C) friendlier
D) friendliest
-
- 114** Amina speaks in a louder ... than the last time.
A) intonation
B) sound
C) emotion
D) voice

115 Aisha ... on her coat and left for work.

- A) to put
- B) puts
- C) putting
- D) put

116 In the competition, Mirzo was nervous and played ... than usual.

- A) bad
- B) worse
- C) worst
- D) badly

117 I liked to read books about voyages in my ...

- A) friendship
- B) neighbourhood
- C) childhood
- D) relationship

118 Very few people ... healthy food.

- A) eating
- B) eat
- C) eaten
- D) to eat

119 Don't look ... me the way like that!

- A) on
- B) for
- C) through
- D) at

120 I hope I've got ... mistakes in my test today.

- A) less
- B) fewest
- C) fewer
- D) little

121 We live near a busy Planes fly over our house every five minutes.

- A) airport
- B) station
- C) road
- D) railway

122 It's nine o'clock. The pupils ... a lesson.

- A) are having
- B) had
- C) will be having
- D) have had

123 Most of shops in the centre are open ... Sunday.

- A) at
- B) in
- C) on
- D) of

124 Karim knows Paris very well. He has been there ... times.

- A) more
- B) most
- C) much
- D) many

125 They have ... me of the time of shipment of the goods.

- A) retold
- B) informed
- C) listened
- D) heard

126 The girl is ... the plants.

- A) water
- B) watered
- C) watering
- D) waters

127 The student hasn't attended the lectures ... two weeks.

- A) till
- B) for
- C) since
- D) while

128 The frozen earth is too ... for digging.

- A) hardness
- B) harder
- C) hardest
- D) hard

129 Rustam is a man of his word. He always keeps his ...

- A) promise
- B) support
- C) attitude
- D) help

130 I ... Jamshed yesterday, he was on his way home.

- A) seen
- B) see
- C) seeing
- D) saw

131 Anisa speaks ... Farhod during the lessons.

- A) to
- B) of
- C) at
- D) on

132 There are no problems for me because I find these questions very ...

- A) the easiest
- B) easy
- C) easiest
- D) easier

133 55 modern words recently added to the Oxford ...

- A) city
- B) university
- C) dictionary
- D) vocabulary

134 Firuz has never ... Indian food.

- A) eat
- B) eaten
- C) eats
- D) eating

135 Aisha and Saida ... excited about their new project.

- A) are
- B) is
- C) was
- D) to be

136 I usually ... excited before a big game.

- A) feel
- B) feels
- C) felt
- D) feeling

137 She is improving her skills because she ... every day.

- A) rests
- B) sleeps
- C) practices
- D) lies

138 You ... very thoughtful and considerate to your friends.

- A) are
- B) is
- C) was
- D) to be

139 We often ... spending time with friends on weekends.

- A) enjoys
- B) enjoy
- C) are enjoy
- D) has enjoyed

140 They are getting good grades because they ... all the classes.

- A) escape
- B) skip
- C) interrupt
- D) attend

141 You ... study for the exam to get a good grade.

- A) has to
- B) be to
- C) should
- D) ought

142 When I ... short of money I ask my parents for help.

- A) am
- B) were
- C) is
- D) to be

143 They must ... They have been working all day.

- A) to be tired
- B) tired
- C) be tired
- D) to tired

144 He is getting smarter because he... hard.

- A) rests
- B) sleeps
- C) eats
- D) studies

145 She spoke in a very low voice, but I ... understand what she said.

- A) must
- B) can
- C) could
- D) has to

146 What would you do if you ... me?

- A) was
- B) were
- C) had been
- D) am

147 You can't ... after having such a big meal.

- A) hungry
- B) be hungry
- C) hunger
- D) to be hungry

148 He is getting better because he ... the doctors recommend.

- A) follows
- B) escapes
- C) reads
- D) ignores

149 You have been travelling all day. You ... be tired.

- A) has
- B) had
- C) have
- D) must

150 I wish I ... so rude to her yesterday.

- A) wasn't
- B) weren't
- C) hadn't been
- D) haven't been

151 She can't It's after ten o'clock.

- A) to come
- B) be coming
- C) have come
- D) come

152 I am getting sick because I ... cold water every day.

- A) drink
- B) swim
- C) wash
- D) clean

153 I have not phoned Ann for ages. I ... phone her tonight.

- A) might
- B) must
- C) has
- D) have

154 I am feeling good. If I ... tired, I would have gone home.

- A) were
- B) has been
- C) had been
- D) have

155 If Mary ... the work by six o'clock, she will come to the party.

- A) finished
- B) finishes
- C) has finished
- D) is finishing

156 She is becoming tired because she ... to bed late.

- A) stays
- B) sleeps
- C) goes
- D) smiles

157 He cannot come out with us this evening. He ... to work.

- A) might
- B) could
- C) must
- D) has

158 If she were slimmer, she ... much more attractive.

- A) would be
- B) would have been
- C) was
- D) will be

159 I don't mind ... out.

- A) eat
- B) eating
- C) against eating
- D) to eat

160 He is getting fat because she ... to much in the evening

- A) eats
- B) smiles
- C) moves
- D) speaks

161 We do not have much time. We ... hurry.

- A) should to
- B) have
- C) must
- D) might to

162 Very often people behave as though they ... alone in the universe.

- A) are being
- B) are
- C) have been
- D) to be

163 The government intend ... social programmes.

- A) start
- B) starts
- C) at starting
- D) to start

164 He is doing well because he ... every evening.

- A) exercises
- B) sleeps
- C) eats
- D) speaks

165 I am afraid I ... come to the party next week.

- A) has not
- B) could not
- C) have not
- D) will not

166 If I ... you, I would never give up.

- A) were
- B) was
- C) am
- D) have been

167 A man asked me how ... to the railway station.

- A) get
- B) to get
- C) getting
- D) can get

168 She is improving her math because she ... in the evenings.

- A) eats
- B) listens
- C) studies
- D) rests

169 Last year when John was 10, he ... speak three foreign languages.

- A) could
- B) may
- C) must
- D) has to

170 My friend Davlat ... going to play volleyball.

- A) is
- B) are
- C) were
- D) have been

171 I think he ... volleyball even more than football.

- A) reads
- B) eats
- C) likes
- D) thinks

172 I ... playing and being with my family.

- A) breath
- B) feel
- C) think
- D) enjoy

173 I ... like to learn to ride a horse, but on the other hand I am a little scared.

- A) would
- B) will
- C) can
- D) must

174 He ... coughing badly, he is ill.

- A) am
- B) is
- C) were
- D) been

175 I always ... by train, but my sister is found of car.

- A) traveled
- B) travels
- C) travel
- D) traveling

176 It ... me an hour to get to work.

- A) takes
- B) goes
- C) walks
- D) travels

177 ... you buy two packets of tea?

- A) Has to
- B) Had to
- C) Have to
- D) Could

178 Open the front door and you ... in the hall.

- A) are
- B) were
- C) was
- D) been

179 I ... a comfortable seat near the window.

- A) has
- B) had
- C) have been
- D) having

180 We ... a taxi and went straight to hotel.

- A) took
- B) watched
- C) lifted
- D) draw

181 You ... see a lot of ships from different countries there.

- A) should
- B) has to
- C) can
- D) would

182 There ... a piano in the living-room.

- A) were
- B) are
- C) is
- D) been

183 She always ... the door when she leaves the house.

- A) lock
- B) locks
- C) locked
- D) locking

184 She ... a lot of English books in class.

- A) reads
- B) plays
- C) walks
- D) thinks

185 Why are you shouting? I ... hear you well.

- A) could
- B) have to
- C) has to
- D) can

186 It's difficult to ... who is right.

- A) decides
- B) decide
- C) deciding
- D) decided

187 I am ... of my uncle.

- A) proud
- B) take
- C) check
- D) like

188 She ... play the piano very well.

- A) has
- B) have to
- C) can
- D) might to

189 If Malika wants to pass her exam, she will has to study ...

- A) harder
- B) hardest
- C) hardening
- D) hardness

190 Dogs are very ... pets.

- A) official
- B) formal
- C) punctual
- D) loyal

1 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) word	1) a sequentially located sentences having main idea and semantic completeness
B) phrase	2) a speech which tells you what someone said, but does not use the person's actual words
C) sentence	3) a group of two or more words that not form a complete sentence
D) text	4) a group of words that expresses a statement, question, command, or wish
	5) a single unit of language that has meaning and can be spoken or written

2 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) adventure	1) the action of travelling
B) pleasure	2) the way of getting knowledge
C) festival	3) a feeling of happy satisfaction and enjoyment
D) travel	4) an unusual and exciting or daring experience
	5) a day or period of celebration

3 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) smallness	1) an absence or cessation of motion; stillness
B) calmness	2) a part that is smaller or narrower than the rest
C) weakness	3) an atmosphere of depression and melancholy
D) gloominess	4) a place having little or no light
	5) the condition or quality of being weak

4 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) faith	1) the process of remembering
B) memory	2) the system of words that people use
C) language	3) skill that you get from experience or education
D) knowledge	4) work created by artists
	5) strong belief

5 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) physics	1) a medical doctor, who has general skill and is not a surgeon
B) physicist	2) the branch of biology that deals with the normal functions of living organisms
C) physician	3) a medical specialist who performs surgery
D) physiology	4) the branch of science concerned with the matter and energy
	5) an expert or student of physics

6 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) snowfall	1) an instrument for measuring atmospheric pressure
B) barometer	2) a storm with heavy rain
C) rainstorm	3) a person who reports and forecast the weather
D) weatherman	4) a line of different colours in the sky
	5) an amount of snow that falls in a particular period of time

7 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) scientist	1) a person who creates something for the first time
B) lecturer	2) a person who is trained in a science
C) inventor	3) a person who creates art
D) discoverer	4) a person who talks or speaks to a group of people
	5) a person who makes a discovery

8 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) happiness	1) the quality of being friendly
B) usefulness	2) the state of upset
C) liveness	3) the quality or fact of being useful
D) kindness	4) the quality or condition of being alive
	5) the state of being happy

9 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) treatment	1) the act, process, or result of developing
B) environment	2) the process of paying someone
C) management	3) the surroundings in which a person, animal, or plant lives
D) development	4) the act of treating someone or something
	5) the act or art of managing

10 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) population	1) the action or power of evoking interest in or liking for someone or something
B) delegation	2) a strong desire to do or achieve something
C) attraction	3) situation in which political system changes completely
D) ambition	4) people who live in particular area
	5) a group of people who have been tasked with a special job

11 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) guest	1) a person who works
B) worker	2) a person who owns something
C) owner	3) a person who collects certain things as a hobby
D) collector	4) a person who sings opera
	5) a person who is invited to visit someone's home

12 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) nation	1) to leave a country or region to live elsewhere
B) position	2) the whole system or set of rules made by the government
C) solution	3) a community of people made up of one or more nationalities
D) emigration	4) a place where someone or some-thing is located or has been put
	5) a means of solving a problem or dealing with a difficult situation

13 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) water	1) frozen water
B) steam	2) the liquid that descends from clouds as rains, forms streams, lakes, seas
C) ice	3) a living organism
D) soil	4) a gas that forms when water boils
	5) the upper layer of earth

14 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) vein	1) a large organ in the body that cleans the blood
B) liver	2) the organ inside the head that controls thought
C) brain	3) the red liquid that circulates in the arteries and veins
D) blood	4) the upper front part of the body of humans
	5) a blood vessel

15 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) difficulty	1) the quality or state of being popular
B) passivity	2) a thing that is hard to accomplish, deal with, or understand
C) popularity	3) the people with common interests living in a particular area broadly
D) community	4) the quality or state of being active
	5) the quality or state of being passive

16 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) action	1) the process of trying out new ideas
B) education	2) the process of sewing
C) explanation	3) the process of doing something
D) experimentation	4) the process of educating or being educated
	5) the process of making some-thing clear to understand

17 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) bust
- B) monument
- C) architecture
- D) building

Column B

- 1) the process of breaking something
- 2) a structure that has roof and walls
- 3) a building or a statue, that honors a person or event
- 4) the art or science of building
- 5) a sculptured representation of the upper part of the human figure

18 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) way
- B) fear
- C) belief
- D) choice

Column B

- 1) an unpleasant emotion caused by the threat of danger, pain, or harm
- 2) a feeling of certainty that something exists, is true, or is good
- 3) an act of choosing between two or more possibilities
- 4) an act of learning and spending time discovering information
- 5) a route, direction, or path

19 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) leadership
- B) citizenship
- C) partnership
- D) scholarship

Column B

- 1) a grant-in-aid to a student
- 2) a financial support for homeless
- 3) the action of leading a group of people or an organization
- 4) the status of being a citizen
- 5) the state of being a partner

20 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) lie
- B) life
- C) love
- D) luxury

Column B

- 1) a strong affection for another
- 2) a great comfort
- 3) an unhappy event
- 4) an untrue statement
- 5) a period from birth to death

21 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) ask
- B) agree
- C) invite
- D) explain

Column B

- 1) to make something clear or easy to understand
- 2) to speak too proudly or happily
- 3) to call on for an answer
- 4) to have the same opinion
- 5) to ask or request someone to go somewhere

22 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) world
- B) water
- C) coal
- D) iron

Column B

- 1) the clear liquid that has no colour, taste, or smell
- 2) a black or dark-brown combustible mineral substance
- 3) a strong, hard magnetic silver-grey metal
- 4) something hard that you must rub
- 5) the earth and all the people and things on it

23 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) rule
- B) slang
- C) word
- D) speech

Column B

- 1) a letter or group of letters that has meaning
- 2) the communication or expression of thoughts in spoken words
- 3) the collection of short and funny stories
- 4) a statement explaining what someone can or cannot do
- 5) very informal language that is usually spoken rather than written

24 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) life
- B) baby
- C) family
- D) mother

Column B

- 1) a group of people who are related to each other
- 2) the period from birth to death
- 3) a group of people working together
- 4) a very young child
- 5) a woman who gives birth to a child

25 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) verb
- B) noun
- C) synonym
- D) antonym

Column B

- 1) a word that has the opposite meaning of another word
- 2) a word that describes other word
- 3) a word that is the name of something
- 4) a word that has the same meaning as another word
- 5) a word that shows an action

26 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) biology
- B) history
- C) physics
- D) geography

Column B

- 1) the science that deals with countries, cities, rivers, mountains
- 2) the science that deals with chemical elements
- 3) the science that records and analyzes past events
- 4) the science of life and living organism
- 5) the science that deals with matter and energy

27 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) injection
- B) infection
- C) epidemic
- D) immunity

Column B

- 1) a disease caused by germs or bacteria
- 2) the act of forcing a liquid drug into someone by using a special needle
- 3) the ability of an organism to resist disease
- 4) the act of treating sick or injured people
- 5) the rapid spread of disease to a large number of people within a short time

28 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) mistake
- B) answer
- C) question
- D) conclusion

Column B

- 1) an act of asking
- 2) an error in action
- 3) a professional action
- 4) a correct response
- 5) a reasoned judgment

29 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) lifeway
- B) lifeform
- C) lifeboat
- D) lifetime

Column B

- 1) the duration of a time
- 2) the reason of warming
- 3) a kind of organism
- 4) a boat for rescue
- 5) a manner of living

30 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) Greenpeace
- B) Greenberg
- C) greengrocer
- D) greenhouse

Column B

- 1) a surname common in North America
- 2) an organization that stresses the need to maintain a balance between human progress and environmental conservation
- 3) a glass building in which heat and humidity can be regulated in order to grow plants
- 4) leads to success
- 5) a retailer of fresh vegetables and fruits

31 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) success
- B) incident
- C) knowledge
- D) science

Column B

- 1) an unexpected and usually unpleasant thing that happens
- 2) information, understanding, or skill that you get from experience or education
- 3) knowledge or study of the natural world
- 4) the fixed period of time
- 5) the fact of getting or achieving wealth, respect, or fame

32 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) risk
- B) wish
- C) belief
- D) reflex

Column B

- 1) feeling that something is true or real
- 2) something that you do automatically and without thinking, as a habit
- 3) feeling of fear and discomfort
- 4) a situation involving exposure to danger
- 5) a desire for something

33 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) report
- B) import
- C) support
- D) comfort

Column B

- 1) to help someone emotionally or in a practical way
- 2) a state or situation in which you are relaxed
- 3) to show that you are absolutely wrong
- 4) an account or statement describing in detail an event
- 5) a good brought into one country from another one

34 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) crew
- B) band
- C) team
- D) crowd

Column B

- 1) a group of musicians who play modern music together
- 2) a group of people who work together toward a common goal
- 3) a large group of people who gathered closely together
- 4) a large group of people sworn to render a verdict
- 5) a group of people who work on and operate a ship, aircraft and etc.

35 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) example
- B) proverb
- C) intonation
- D) illustration

Column B

- 1) a short popular saying
- 2) a picture in a book, magazine, etc
- 3) an activity that you do in order to learn something
- 4) a model that should be followed
- 5) the rise or fall the sound of your voice

36 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) reality
- B) movie
- C) hero
- D) enemy

Column B

- 1) a person who attacks or tries to harm another
- 2) the container of fresh water
- 3) a recording of moving that tells a story
- 4) a person who is admired for great or brave acts
- 5) the true situation that exists

37 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) education
- B) explanation
- C) a storyteller
- D) a record holder

Column B

- 1) the process of making something clear to understand
- 2) the process of educating or being educated
- 3) is a person who breaks records
- 4) a large group of flying insects.
- 5) is a person who tells stories

38 Match the sentences in Column A with their continuations in Column B.**Column A**

- A) Aziz went to the bank in order to
- B) Zebo went to the hospital in order to
- C) Rustam watches television in English in order to
- D) Saodat needs to go to the bookstore in order to

Column B

- 1) buy school supplies.
- 2) eat lunch.
- 3) cash a check.
- 4) visit her sick friend.
- 5) improve his English.

39 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) scientist
- B) lecturer
- C) inventor
- D) discoverer

Column B

- 1) a person who makes a discovery
- 2) a person who creates art
- 3) a person who is trained in a science
- 4) a person who talks or speaks to a group of people
- 5) a person who creates something for the first time

40 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) adventure
- B) pleasure
- C) festival
- D) travel

Column B

- 1) a feeling of happy satisfaction and enjoyment
- 2) a day or period of celebration
- 3) the action of travelling
- 4) the way of getting knowledge
- 5) an unusual and exciting or daring experience

41 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) happiness	1) the activity of making, buying, or selling goods in exchange for money
B) kindness	2) having lived or existed for a relatively long time
C) business	3) having very little or no light
D) oldness	4) an experience that makes you happy
	5) the quality of being kind

42 Match the sentences in Column A with the continuations in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) Zuhra can speak German,	1) can't it?
B) Aziza can't speak French,	2) could she?
C) Lola could speak Latin,	3) can she?
D) Fatima couldn't speak English,	4) couldn't she?
	5) can't she?

43 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) water	1) a gas that forms when water boils
B) steam	2) frozen water
C) ice	3) the upper layer of earth
D) soil	4) a living organism
	5) the liquid that descends from clouds as rains, forms streams, lakes, seas

44 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) dictionary	1) a collection of test material
B) encyclopedia	2) a collection of words in one or more specific languages
C) the abc-book	3) a book giving information on many subjects
D) the Guinness Book	4) a book, teaching the alphabet
	5) a book, published every year, all the records achieved in a wide range

45 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) example
- B) proverb
- C) intonation
- D) illustration

Column B

- 1) the rise or fall the sound of your voice
- 2) a model that should be followed
- 3) a picture in a book, magazine, etc.
- 4) an activity that you do in order to learn something
- 5) a short popular saying

46 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.**Column A**

- A) guest
- B) worker
- C) owner
- D) collector

Column B

- 1) a person who collects certain things as a hobby
- 2) a person who sings opera
- 3) a person who owns something
- 4) a person who works
- 5) a person who is invited to visit someone's home

47 Match the sentences in Column A with the continuations in Column B.**Column A**

- A) He is unemployed.
- B) We were very unfortunate.
- C) She was very helpful.
- D) Your hair is too long.

Column B

- 1) We had bad luck.
- 2) She gave us some useful advice.
- 3) You shouldn't have it cut.
- 4) You must decorate them.
- 5) He can't get a job.

48 Match the sentences in Column A with the continuations in Column B.**Column A**

- A) Bad driving causes
- B) Careless using of fire causes
- C) Active living helps to
- D) Unhealthy eating leads to

Column B

- 1) live longer.
- 2) serious disease.
- 3) read faster.
- 4) road accidents.
- 5) a fire.

49 Match the sentences in Column A with the continuations in Column B.**Column A**

- A) These scissors
- B) The results of exams
- C) Ten pounds
- D) Three days

Column B

- 1) isn't enough time for a holiday.
- 2) isn't too hot for me.
- 3) aren't very sharp.
- 4) aren't satisfactory.
- 5) isn't enough money for me.

50 Match the sentences in Column A with the continuations in Column B.

Column A

- A) What kind of books
- B) How long have you
- C) What are you going to
- D) What kind of movies

Column B

- 1) do you like to watch?
- 2) been a cute pup?
- 3) do you like to read?
- 4) been living in this city?
- 5) do over vacation?

51 Match the sentences in Column A with the continuations in Column B.

Column A

- A) The girl is glad that
- B) The mother is worried that
- C) The man is sure that
- D) The students are pleased that

Column B

- 1) her son has the flu.
- 2) his parrot will be back.
- 3) they were invited to the conference.
- 4) it was missed.
- 5) her teacher is really good.

52 Match the sentences in Column A with the continuations in Column B.

Column A

- A) Have you ever caught
- B) Have you ever done
- C) Have you ever broken
- D) Have you ever cut

Column B

- 1) the window?
- 2) your own hair?
- 3) for two years?
- 4) a two-headed snake?
- 5) volunteer work?

53 Match the sentences in Column A with the continuations in Column B.

Column A

- A) How
- B) What
- C) Why
- D) Who

Column B

- 1) haven't you been at office today?
- 2) far is your school?
- 3) is always in time for the meeting?
- 4) is the nearest telephoning?
- 5) exams have you passed?

54 Match the sentences in Column A with the continuations in Column B.

Column A

- A) Can you lend me
- B) Can you help me to
- C) Can you speak
- D) Can you control

Column B

- 1) three languages?
- 2) five countries?
- 3) your temper?
- 4) some money?
- 5) prepare for exam?

55 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) David, where did you go last week?
- B) Really? Did you go to Europe?
- C) What cities did you go?
- D) Did you go to Berlin?

Column B

- 1) No, I didn't go there. I'd like to go to Berlin next time.
- 2) That's what I've heard.
- 3) I went on a trip with my family.
- 4) Yes, it was exciting!
- 5) London, Paris and a few other cities.

56 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) I need some flowers for my mother. It is her birthday.
- B) How much are the roses?
- C) That sounds like a good deal.
- D) I'll take a dozen.

Column B

- 1) Yes, they are on sale today.
- 2) Very well. We have some fresh red roses.
- 3) Splendid. I'm sure your mother will love them.
- 4) No, the roses will be fine.
- 5) 50 somoni per dozen.

57 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) Ozar, what's wrong with you?
- B) Did you visit the doctor?
- C) Look, I'm going to the drug store now, can I get anything to you?
- D) Sure. Anything else?

Column B

- 1) Ok, I'll be back in about an hour.
- 2) No, thanks.
- 3) Not yet.
- 4) Yes, if it's not too much trouble, would you get some tissues to me?
- 5) I'm starting a cold.

58 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) The weather is great isn't it?
- B) I wish it was like this more frequently.
- C) So where are you going now?
- D) What time is he arriving?

Column B

- 1) Me too.
- 2) Yes, it's absolutely beautiful today.
- 3) Since 2018.
- 4) I'm going to the airport to meet a friend of mine. He is coming from Washington.
- 5) At 4 pm.

59 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) Do you have a car?
- B) Is it new?
- C) So, it's pretty old now.
- D) Do you take a good care of your car?

Column B

- 1) I change the oil twice a year.
- 2) Yes, I periodically take it for technical inspection.
- 3) Yes, I have a white Mercedes.
- 4) It was new in 2005.
- 5) Yes, it is. But it still looks good.

60 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B, to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) Are you going back to Dushanbe after you graduate?
- B) Do you know where you'd like to work?
- C) That's be really cool. I'd like to be a translator too, but my English is not good enough.
- D) Thanks. Where are you going now?

Column B

- 1) Not yet, but I want to be an English translator.
- 2) Don't worry about that. Your English is better than most of my classmates.
- 3) I think so. I'll probably go back home and try to get a job.
- 4) Ok. Good luck.
- 5) I'm going to the library. I have to take an exam tomorrow.

61 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) Excuse me, officer. Can you help me?
- B) Can you tell me the way to Somoni Square?
- C) How much time does it take me to get there?
- D) Thanks a lot.

Column B

- 1) But I'm afraid it is closed.
- 2) Only a few minutes.
- 3) Yes, of course. Go down this street and turn to the right.
- 4) It's nothing at all.
- 5) Sure. What do you want?

62 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) Why are you driving so fast?
- B) Don't ever be in a hurry when you're driving.
- C) Because most accidents are because people are in a hurry.
- D) I read a lot about it.

Column B

- 1) Wow! You are very curious.
- 2) That's not my fault.
- 3) I'm in a hurry.
- 4) Why not?
- 5) How do you know that?

63 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) The weather is great isn't it?
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- D) What time is he arriving?

Column B

- 1) At 4 pm.
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- 3) Yes, it's absolutely beautiful today.
- 4) Me too.
- 5) I'm going to the airport to meet a friend of mine. He is coming from Washington.

- 64 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.**

Column A

- A) Why do you watch so much TV?
- B) But it's harmful for your health.
- C) I've read it in the journal.
- D) Medical journal. If you want I'll give it to you.

Column B

- 1) What journal have you read it?
- 2) I like it.
- 3) Yes, thank you.
- 4) Interesting programs.
- 5) Why do you think so?

- 65 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.**

Column A

- A) When is the train to Liverpool, please?
- B) Which platform?
- C) How much is the return ticket?
- D) Thank you.

Column B

- 1) Platform seven.
- 2) At 3.15 a.m., madam.
- 3) The trip was great!
- 4) That will be 14 pounds.
- 5) You're welcome.

- 66 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.**

Column A

- A) When are you going on vacation?
- B) Really? The day after tomorrow?
That's very soon.
- C) How long are you going to stay there?
- D) When are you coming back?

Column B

- 1) About 2 weeks.
- 2) I'm coming back on the 17th.
- 3) Have a nice trip.
- 4) I'm leaving on Sunday.
We're going to Canada.
- 5) Yes, I know.

- 67 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.**

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- 3) It was new in 2005.
- 4) Yes, it is. But it still looks good.
- 5) Yes, I have a white Mercedes.

68 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) Hello, Zarina.
- B) I've been looking for you.
Where have you been?
- C) That sounds like fun.
- D) Where did you meet all these kids?

Column B

- 1) I spent the whole day with dozens of little children!
- 2) Hello, Lola.
- 3) Yes, I can imagine.
- 4) Yes, it was fun, but exhausting!
Kids have so much energy.
- 5) I met them at the primary school down the street.

69 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) Ozar, what's wrong with you?
- B) Did you visit the doctor?
- C) Look, I'm going to the drug store now, can I get anything to you?
- D) Sure. Anything else?

Column B

- 1) No, thanks.
- 2) Ok, I'll be back in about an hour.
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Column B

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- 4) Yes, they are on sale today.
- 5) Very well. We have some fresh red roses.

71 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

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- B) Really? Did you go to Europe?
- C) What cities did you go?
- D) Did you go to Berlin?

Column B

- 1) No, I didn't go there. I'd like to go to Berlin next time.
- 2) That's what I've heard
- 3) I went on a trip with my family.
- 4) Yes, it was exciting!
- 5) London, Paris and a few other cities.

72 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) I think you're a very good companion.
- B) Would you have dinner with me?
- C) Can I pick you up Friday afternoon?
- D) We'll go to a French restaurant.

Column B

- 1) Where shall we go?
- 2) Thank you.
- 3) I've never been to a French restaurant.
- 4) I think you'll love the food.
- 5) I would like to.

73 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) Hi, Ozar! It's Ruslan.
- B) Ozar, are you free on Friday, I have a birthday party?
- C) What time are you going there?
- D) Can you come to my house after the dentist?

Column B

- 1) With great pleasure.
- 2) I think it's the sun-niest day of the year!
- 3) Hi, Ruslan.
- 4) I'm going to the dentist on Friday.
- 5) At four o'clock.

74 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) What countries have you been to?
- B) When were you in Norway?
- C) I've been to Uzbekistan.
- D) In the Central Asia.

Column B

- 1) Where is it situated?
- 2) I've been to Norway and Finland.
- 3) Wow! I haven't ever been there.
- 4) The climate is mild.
- 5) Three years ago. What countries have you been to?

75 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) Are you going back to Dushanbe after you graduate?
- B) Do you know where you'd like to work?
- C) That's be really cool. I'd like to be a translator too, but my English is not good enough.
- D) Thanks. Where are you going now?

Column B

- 1) Ok. Good luck.
- 2) I'm going to the library. I have to take an exam tomorrow.
- 3) I think so. I'll probably go back home and try to get a job.
- 4) Not yet, but I want to be an English translator.
- 5) Don't worry about that. Your English is better than most of my classmates.

76 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A

- A) Hello. How can I help you?
- B) Would you like one way or round trip?
- C) When will you be leaving?
- D) In about 2 hours.

Column B

- 1) When does the next plane leave?
- 2) The ticket price is 120 dollars.
- 3) I'd like a ticket for this flight, please.
- 4) I'd like to buy a ticket to New York.
- 5) Round trip.

77 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) chance
- B) success
- C) result
- D) goal

Column B

- 1) achievement
- 2) possibility
- 3) wisdom
- 4) effect
- 5) aim

78 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) regard
- B) desire
- C) retire
- D) require

Column B

- 1) wish
- 2) respect
- 3) hate
- 4) leave
- 5) need

79 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) cash
- B) price
- C) value
- D) sort

Column B

- 1) change
- 2) type
- 3) money
- 4) cost
- 5) worth

80 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) style
- B) reason
- C) behavior
- D) character

Column B

- 1) cause
- 2) manner
- 3) personality
- 4) aspect
- 5) conduct

81 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) endless
- B) careless
- C) helpless
- D) fearless

Column B

- 1) dependent
- 2) brave
- 3) tramp
- 4) infinity
- 5) inattentive

82 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) education
- B) skill
- C) process
- D) statistics

Column B

- 1) rule
- 2) procedure
- 3) schooling
- 4) data
- 5) experience

83 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) occupation
- B) question
- C) solution
- D) invention

Column B

- 1) discovery
- 2) study
- 3) problem
- 4) profession
- 5) answer

84 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) tradition
- B) nation
- C) definition
- D) destination

Column B

- 1) population
- 2) explanation
- 3) endpoint
- 4) mixture
- 5) custom

85 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) separately
- B) accidentally
- C) automatically
- D) professionally

Column B

- 1) mechanically
- 2) individually
- 3) by hard
- 4) by accident
- 5) skillfully

86 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) happiness
- B) kindness
- C) business
- D) oldness

Column B

- 1) goodwill
- 2) gladness
- 3) seniority
- 4) depression
- 5) commerce

87 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) vegetarian
- B) gourmet
- C) enthusiast
- D) realist

Column B

- 1) fan
- 2) pragmatist
- 3) evil
- 4) vegan
- 5) foodie

88 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) miracle
- B) belief
- C) assistance
- D) wisdom

Column B

- 1) kindness
- 2) help
- 3) wonder
- 4) understanding
- 5) faith

89 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) beauty
- B) goodwill
- C) honesty
- D) curiosity

Column B

- 1) kindness
- 2) attractiveness
- 3) expression
- 4) honor
- 5) interest

90 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) ecology
- B) ideology
- C) technology
- D) mythology

Column B

- 1) engineering
- 2) have a talk
- 3) legend
- 4) natural science
- 5) belief

91 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) metro
- B) highway
- C) crossroad
- D) automobile

Column B

- 1) station
- 2) vehicle
- 3) subway
- 4) road
- 5) circle

92 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) whoever
- B) however
- C) wherever
- D) whatever

Column B

- 1) anywhere
- 2) the reason why
- 3) anything
- 4) the one who
- 5) but

93 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A

- A) discussion
- B) conclusion
- C) mission
- D) illusion

Column B

- 1) instrumentation
- 2) hallucination
- 3) conversation
- 4) decision
- 5) assignment

94 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) well-known
- B) well-paid
- C) well-kept
- D) well-informed

Column B

- 1) profitable
- 2) popular
- 3) specially
- 4) orderly
- 5) knowledgeable

95 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) plan
- B) offer
- C) problem
- D) action

Column B

- 1) suggestion
- 2) idea
- 3) deed
- 4) product
- 5) difficulty

96 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) territory
- B) terminal
- C) schedule
- D) luggage

Column B

- 1) timetable
- 2) baggage
- 3) custom
- 4) land
- 5) platform

97 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) infinity
- B) activity
- C) ability
- D) authority

Column B

- 1) officials
- 2) capacity
- 3) action
- 4) helpless
- 5) endlessness

98 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) problem
- B) power
- C) chance
- D) desire

Column B

- 1) activity
- 2) wish
- 3) difficulty
- 4) strength
- 5) opportunity

99 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) separately
- B) accidentally
- C) automatically
- D) professionally

Column B

- 1) mechanically
- 2) by hard
- 3) skillfully
- 4) individually
- 5) by accident

100 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) tradition
- B) nation
- C) definition
- D) destination

Column B

- 1) mixture
- 2) endpoint
- 3) custom
- 4) population
- 5) explanation

101 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) occupation
- B) question
- C) solution
- D) invention

Column B

- 1) problem
- 2) profession
- 3) study
- 4) answer
- 5) discovery

102 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) cash
- B) price
- C) value
- D) sort

Column B

- 1) cost
- 2) money
- 3) type
- 4) change
- 5) worth

103 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) chance
- B) success
- C) result
- D) goal

Column B

- 1) wisdom
- 2) effect
- 3) possibility
- 4) aim
- 5) achievement

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- A) education
- B) skill
- C) process
- D) statistics

Column B

- 1) experience
- 2) schooling
- 3) data
- 4) rule
- 5) procedure

105 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) endless
- B) careless
- C) helpless
- D) fearless

Column B

- 1) dependent
- 2) brave
- 3) tramp
- 4) infinity
- 5) inattentive

106 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) style
- B) reason
- C) behavior
- D) character

Column B

- 1) personality
- 2) aspect
- 3) cause
- 4) conduct
- 5) manner

107 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) miracle
- B) belief
- C) assistance
- D) wisdom

Column B

- 1) help
- 2) understanding
- 3) faith
- 4) wonder
- 5) kindness

108 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.**Column A**

- A) happiness
- B) kindness
- C) business
- D) oldness

Column B

- 1) goodwill
- 2) commerce
- 3) depression
- 4) seniority
- 5) gladness

**НАМУНАИ СУБТЕСТИ ЗАБОНИ АНГЛИСӢ
ОБРАЗЕЦ СУБТЕСТА ПО АНГЛИЙСКОМУ ЯЗЫКУ**

Read the text and choose the right answer 1-8.

Lion Tug of War

A zoo in England sells people a chance to play tug of war – a game in which a group of grown-ups pull the opposite ends of rope with tigers and lions. A keeper from the zoo said that they saw that other zoos do it, so they tried it too.

He says that it is an exercise for the animals and an education for the people – they can really understand how big and strong these cats are.

However, some people criticize the zoo. They say that it is not normal for the animals and that the zoo is doing it just to earn money and be special.

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- 1 In the ... zoo people can play tug of war with tigers and lions.**
- A) UK
 - B) US
 - C) CIS
 - D) UAE
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- 2 Tug of war is a game in which ... pull the opposite ends of rope with lions.**
- A) children
 - B) pupils
 - C) babies
 - D) adults
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- 3 People can play tug of war in ... zoos too.**
- A) another
 - B) others
 - C) other
 - D) another's
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- 4 A zoo keeper considers that the game is a good ... for the animals.**
- A) activity
 - B) ability
 - C) facility
 - D) security
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- 5 Playing tug of war, people can understand the ... of these cats.**
- A) length
 - B) strength
 - C) width
 - D) faith
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6 Some people don't ... the zoo's idea.

- A) export
- B) report
- C) support
- D) deport

7 A group of people considers that the purpose of zoo is to make ...

- A) a charity
- B) a profit
- C) an exercise
- D) an education

8 The story is about ... game.

- A) an ordinary
- B) an unable
- C) a plenary
- D) an unusual

Read the text and choose the right answer 9 – 16.

Three Suns in the Sky

A rare phenomenon appeared 9 Mongolia. It looked like there 10 three suns in the sky! 11 sun in the middle was real! The two 12 suns on the left and on the right were the 13 smaller reflections.

14 phenomenon appears only in very specific conditions. The temperature must be 15 than -30°C and the air 16 be filled with clouds and vapour (a mass of very small drops of water in the air).

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| 9 | A) on | B) in | C) at | D) of |
| 10 | A) is | B) are | C) were | D) was |
| 11 | A) A | B) The | C) An | D) - |
| 12 | A) another | B) others | C) other's | D) other |
| 13 | A) sun's | B) sun | C) suns | D) suns' |
| 14 | A) Those | B) These | C) That | D) This |
| 15 | A) lowest | B) low | C) lower | D) lowers |
| 16 | A) must | B) might | C) have to | D) had to |

17 Hiroki is Chinese. He's ... Beijing.

- A) for
- B) from
- C) at
- D) of

18 My friends ... at home last night.

- A) are
- B) be
- C) was
- D) were

19 I was very ... in the story.

- A) interested
- B) interest
- C) interesting
- D) interests

20 ... is bad for your health.

- A) To smoke
- B) Smoker
- C) Smoking
- D) To smoking

21 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A

- A) way
- B) fear
- C) belief
- D) choice

Column B

- 1) a feeling of certainty that something exists, is true, or is good
- 2) an act of choosing between two or more possibilities
- 3) an act of learning and spending time discovering information
- 4) a route, direction, or path
- 5) an unpleasant emotion caused by the threat of danger, pain, or harm

22 Match the words in Column A with the definitions in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) recipe	1) an illness that affects a person
B) patient	2) an instruction for taking medicine
C) disease	3) a drug or other preparation for the treatment or prevention of disease
D) medicine	4) a person who treats sick or injured people
	5) a person who receives medical care or treatment

23 Match the sentences in Column A with the continuations in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) Can you lend me	1) five countries?
B) Can you help me to	2) your temper?
C) Can you speak	3) some money?
D) Can you control	4) prepare for exam?
	5) three languages?

24 Match the sentences in Column A with the sentences in Column B to form a dialogue.

Column A	Column B
A) Do you like to live here?	1) It is not too big, and it is not too small.
B) Is Pasadena a big city?	2) Yes, I like to live in Pasadena.
C) What is the weather like in Pasadena?	3) The people are very friendly.
D) What about the people of Pasadena?	4) It has great Universities.
	5) The weather is fine all year long.

25 Match the words in Column A with the synonyms in Column B.

Column A	Column B
A) trade	1) bazaar
B) industry	2) exchange
C) volute	3) manufacturing
D) market	4) commerce
	5) currency