

UNIT

1

VOCABULARY

A Match a word in column A, which has a relationship with a word in column B.

A

1. explorer
2. Thanksgiving
3. blast
4. typhoon
5. recipe
6. dust

B

- a. ingredients
- b. fun
- c. particle
- d. holiday
- e. compass
- f. disaster

B Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the words below. There is one extra word.

chilly

excerpt

recipe

navigation

head

float

civilization

1. If the egg _____ in a glass of water, it's not fresh.
2. A line of trucks were _____ out of town.
3. The days are still warm, but the evenings are getting _____.
4. Make sure to take compasses and other instruments of _____ with you.

5. This book explores the relationship between religion and _____.
6. This article is a(n) _____ from the full report prepared by the chairman of the committee.

GRAMMAR AND WRITING

C Fill in the blanks with *a little, a lot of, few, a few, fewer, many or much*.

A few years ago, I moved to a new neighborhood. There seemed to be very (1) few people in this area who were without telephones, so I expected to get a new phone quickly. I applied for one as soon as I moved into my new house. "We aren't supplying (2) _____ new phones in your area," an engineer told me. "(3) _____ people want new phones at the moment and the company is employing (4) _____ engineers than last year so as to save money. A new phone won't cost you (5) _____ money, but it will take (6) _____ time. We can't do anything for you before December." You need (7) _____ patience if you're waiting for a new phone and you need (8) _____ friends whose phones you can use as well. Fortunately, I had both. December came and went, but there was no sign of a phone. I went to the company's local office to protest. "They told me I'd have a phone by December," I protested. "Which year?" the assistant asked.

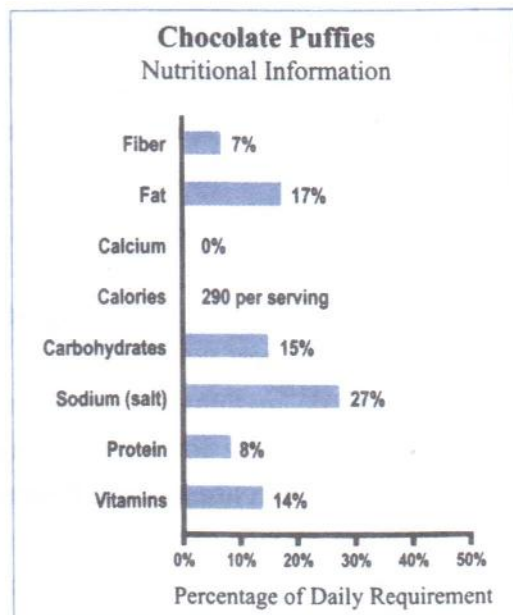
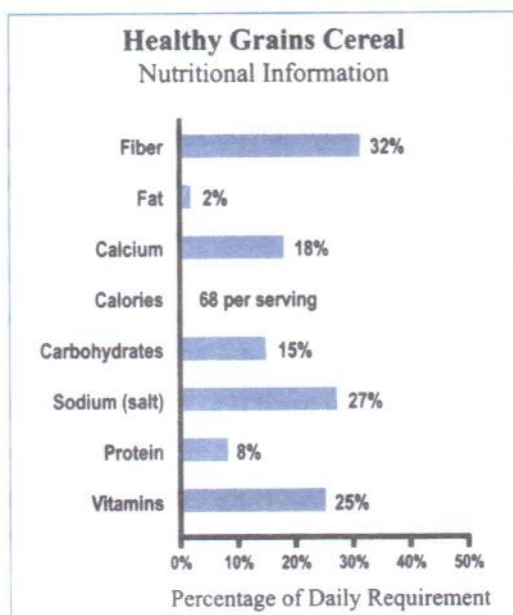


D Look at the following charts. Write short conversations like the example. Use quantity expressions.

A: Does Healthy Grains Cereal have much fiber?

B: Yes, it has plenty of fiber. What about Chocolate Puffies? How much fiber does it have?

A: It has only a little.



A: _____

B: _____

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A: _____

Study the following sentences:

- Was Columbus really the first explorer to discover the Americas?
- On May 25, 1969, Ra left Safi in Morocco.
- They crossed the Atlantic in 57 days.

Capital letters are used with:

1. The first word in a sentence.

The corner grocery was robbed last night.

2. Names of persons and the word *I*.

Last night, I saw a comedy starring Charles Chaplin.

3. Proper nouns e.g. countries, languages, seas, mountains, streets, etc.

Iran French the Black Sea Mount Everest Fifth Avenue

4. Names of days of the week, months, and holidays.

Monday January Christmas

5. Names that show family relationships.

Aunt Florence and Uncle Bill have bought a new house.

Grandmother and Mother are away on vacation.

But: Do not capitalize these words when they are preceded by a possessive word such as *my*, *your*, etc.

My aunt and my uncle have bought a new house.

His grandmother and his mother are away on vacation.

E

Read the following text and find the words which must be capitalized and the ones which are incorrectly capitalized.

Mount St. Helens, a Volcano in the state of Washington in the United States, erupted on may 18, 1980. Sixty-two people died due to the eruption. No one was surprised by the eruption on Mount St. Helens. Scientists had been predicting that an eruption was likely for almost two years before it happened.

- (5) In march 1980, a small eruption occurred and in April one side of the mountain started to swell and crack. The scientists issued warnings and asked people to clear the area. On may 18, the Mountain exploded. Hot gases burst out, followed by hot ash, which ran down the mountain slopes burning everything in its path. Two cubic kilometers of earth was thrown 60,000 feet straight up into the atmosphere. Cities and towns were covered with powder. The ash from the volcano was found as far away as the Atlantic ocean, on the other side of the continent.

- The top of the mountain was blown away and about 600 square Kilometers (230 miles) of land was destroyed, killing both animals and plants. Many thought it would take decades for the land to recover, but the return of life was remarkable. Today the slopes and valleys of Mount St. Helens once again have abundant wildlife.
- (15)

MULTIPLE-CHOICE REVIEW

VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. A simple question often asked by geography teachers is concerned with the number of _____ in the world.
a. entries b. particles c. recipes d. continents
2. The _____ from England to India used to take six months.
a. blast b. voyage c. typhoon d. thunder
3. I've read this book so many times that it's _____ apart.
a. making b. taking c. falling d. pushing
4. We sat by the _____ fire listening to the rain outside.
a. roaring b. deserted c. tropical d. portable
5. The roof of the cottage was made of dried _____.
a. axes b. raisins c. reeds d. fireworks

GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

6. I think that _____ lemon juice on fish makes it taste better.
a. little b. a little c. a few d. few

7. "Are there _____ more potatoes?"
 "Yes, there are _____ potatoes in the dish."
 a. little, any b. some, any c. any, some d. little, some
8. There are _____ athletes taking part in the International Games in London.
 a. a lot of b. enough of c. much d. a lot
9. Business is not good. Only _____ customers have come in today.
 a. a little b. little c. few d. a few
10. I've spent _____ of time thinking about the new project.
 a. much b. many c. a great deal d. a large number

Read the following sentences and identify the incorrect part.

11. Let me give you an advice: You'd better wear a dark blue suit to the interview.
 (a) (b) (c) (d)
12. I recommend that you read Professor Rushworth's new book as there is a lot of
 (a) (b) (c)
new informations in it.
 (d)
13. Tourists have been advised not to wear expensive jewelries in public places or
 (a) (b) (c)
they will become easy targets for thieves.
 (d)
14. The students thought the exam was too difficult. They complained that a few
 (a) (b)
people got high grades.
 (c) (d)
15. Much fruits contain large amounts of vitamin C, as well as sugar, which provides
 (a) (b) (c)
a lot of energy.
 (d)

UNIT

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Fill in the blanks with the name of each item.



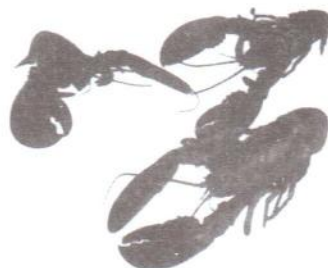
1. _____



2. _____



3. _____



4. _____



5. _____



6. _____

B Match a word in column A with a word in column B to make meaningful phrases.

A

1. mashed
2. garlic
3. roast
4. almond
5. beaten
6. pork

B

- a. beef
- b. eggs
- c. sauce
- d. chops
- e. potatoes
- f. cake

GRAMMAR AND WRITING

C Read the conversations in the chart. Check (✓) **OK** if the response is logical or **NOT OK** if the response is not.

	OK	NOT OK
1. A: I think the book is better than the movie. B: I agree. The movie is not as boring.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. A: These people have less money than we do. B: Yes. They're a lot wealthier.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. A: The weather is getting warmer and warmer. B: I think you're right. This winter is not as cold as winters in the past.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. A: That car gets a lot more miles per gallon than the old one. B: You're right. It's a lot less economical.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. A: This test was less difficult than the other tests. B: Yeah. It's the easiest test we've had.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. A: Why don't you do it? You have more time than me. B: That's not true! I'm just as busy as you are!	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. A: I don't think that table is big enough for ten people. B: You're right. Let's look for a smaller one.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. A: There are fewer French classes than Spanish classes. B: Yes. At this school, French is less popular.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



There are many common descriptive phrases with *as...as* in English. For example one of these phrases is *as free as a bird*. This phrase is used to express the idea that someone is or feels very free.

Match the adjectives in column A with the nouns in column B.

A

1. strong
2. old
3. cold
4. gentle
5. quiet
6. tough
7. hungry
8. light

B

- a. lamb
- b. feather
- c. mouse
- d. ice
- e. ox
- f. nails
- g. bear
- h. hills



as strong as an ox

Now complete the following sentences with one of the above descriptive phrases.

1. Can we turn up the heat? It's freezing in here. My hands _____.
2. I haven't had anything to eat all day. _____.
3. Wow! I can lift this bicycle with one hand. _____.
4. No one heard me come in. I didn't make any noise. _____.
5. Our dog is 16 or 17 years old. _____.
6. Don't be afraid of the dog. He's big and he looks mean, but he wouldn't hurt anyone. _____.
7. Don't try to move that big TV by yourself. It's really heavy. Ask Mike to help you. _____.
8. That old, retired army officer still insists on ordering everyone around. _____.

COMMA (Part 1)

Study the following sentences:

- The new dining room looks bigger, brighter, and prettier than the old one.
- Good choices are the roast chicken with mashed potatoes, the lobster, and the homemade spaghetti.

Some important uses of commas are as follows:

1. To separate items in a series.
He sells watches, necklaces, and earrings.
2. To separate adjectives that modify the same noun unless they are joined by *and*.
It was a short, easy exam.
The exam was short and easy.

But: Do not use a comma to separate adjectives that *do not* modify the same noun.

I built a red brick wall.

In this example, it is wrong to use a comma because *red* modifies not just *wall* but the phrase *brick wall*.

3. To separate any word, phrase, or clause that interrupts the flow of the sentence.
My excuse, wild as it was, didn't sound convincing.
This, as the professor argued, is not a good textbook for this course.
4. To separate any word, phrase, or clause that is an unnecessary part of the sentence.
My brother, a student at Ohio State University, is visiting me tonight.
5. To separate nouns used as direct address.
Sam, please tell the truth.
Please tell the truth, Sam.
6. To separate the numbers in a date.
June 6, 2005, is a day I will never forget.

But: Do not use commas if the day of the month is not specified, or if the day is given before the month.

June 2005 was my favorite time.

One day I will never forget is 6 June 2005.



In the following sentences, add commas where necessary.

1. Tom do you know where I can buy groceries in town?
2. The old kitchen cabinets were littered with dead insects crumbs and dust balls.
3. The exercise instructor told us to inhale exhale and relax.
4. He arrived in Tribbey Oklahoma on February 21 1934.
5. The crazy-looking car was painted pink black and green.
6. Astronomy as nothing else can do teaches men humility.
7. Would you mind George if we borrowed your picnic cooler this weekend?
8. Bach and Handel both born in 1685 were the two greatest baroque composers.
9. Cats and dogs like most animals love the taste of salt and will lick humans' hands to get it.
10. The police officer's dark blue eyes relaxed manner and pleasant smile made him easy to talk to.

MULTIPLE-CHOICE REVIEW

VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. A _____ is an ocean animal with two shells that fit together.
a. shark b. lobster c. shrimp d. scallop
2. Betty ordered onion soup and _____ chicken for dinner.
a. roast b. mashed c. baked d. dried
3. We're spending a larger _____ of our income on entertainment.
a. excerpt b. statistic c. portion d. origin
4. Human nature, in all its _____ forms, is a complex phenomenon to study.
a. practical b. annual c. varied d. popular
5. Pork is the meat taken from _____ eaten as food especially when it is fresh.
a. horses b. pigs c. deer d. sheep

GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

6. "My grades are getting better and _____."
"That's because you've been studying hard recently."
a. best b. the best c. the better d. better
7. There are _____ fish in the sea as ever came out of it.
a. as good b. better c. best d. so good
8. The _____ the children are, the more their parents expect from them.
a. oldest b. older c. elder d. eldest
9. Dr. Jones is certainly among the smartest men that I _____.
a. ever meet b. have ever met c. would ever meet d. had ever met
10. If Jimmy's throat gets much _____, I'll take him to the doctor's.
a. bad b. more badly c. worse d. the worst

Read the following sentences and identify the incorrect part.

11. There are not as much violin makers today as there were in the past.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
12. Certain types of snakes have been known to survive fats more as a year long.
(a) (b) (c)(d)
13. The damage caused by the hurricane was the worst than had ever occurred in that state.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
14. Most evergreens have needle-like leaves that require least water than regular leaves.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
15. The more advances and improvements are made in technology, the more convenient than the banking transactions become.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

UNIT

3

VOCABULARY

A Based on the way the underlined words are defined, check true or false.

1. Sportscasters are those who enjoy supporting their favorite teams.
2. Dishonest or unfair behavior during a sports game is called foul.
3. An athlete is a person who is good at sports and physical exercise.
4. When someone sprains his ankle, he suddenly twists it.
5. Consistent beliefs are those which change from time to time.
6. A transcript is an exact written or printed copy of something.

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B Add an appropriate suffix to the words below and complete the sentences that follow. There is one extra word.

confident	impress	absolute	evaluate
extend	strict	consistent	

1. The increased _____ of the immigration rules will make it harder than ever to settle in this country.
2. Inspectors will have to do a thorough _____ of the project before we can continue.

- Doctors are required to keep patients' records completely _____.
- The story received _____ coverage in the newspapers.
- The house was very untidy – it didn't create a very good _____, I'm afraid.
- The occasional mistake doesn't matter, but if you get it _____ wrong, you're in trouble.

GRAMMAR AND WRITING

C Read about these athletes. Then make a statement about each. Use the correct form of the words in the box.

accurate	fast	graceful	high
far	frequent	hard	slow

- Last month Tom ran a mile in twelve minutes. This month he's running a mile in eight minutes.

He's running faster and faster.

- Last month he ran three times a week. This month he's running every day.

- Last month Billy only threw the ball ten yards. This month he's throwing it thirteen yards.

- Last month when Jennifer shot baskets, she got only five balls in. Now when she shoots baskets, she gets at least eight balls in.

- Six months ago Hank jumped only four and a half feet. Now he's jumping almost six feet.

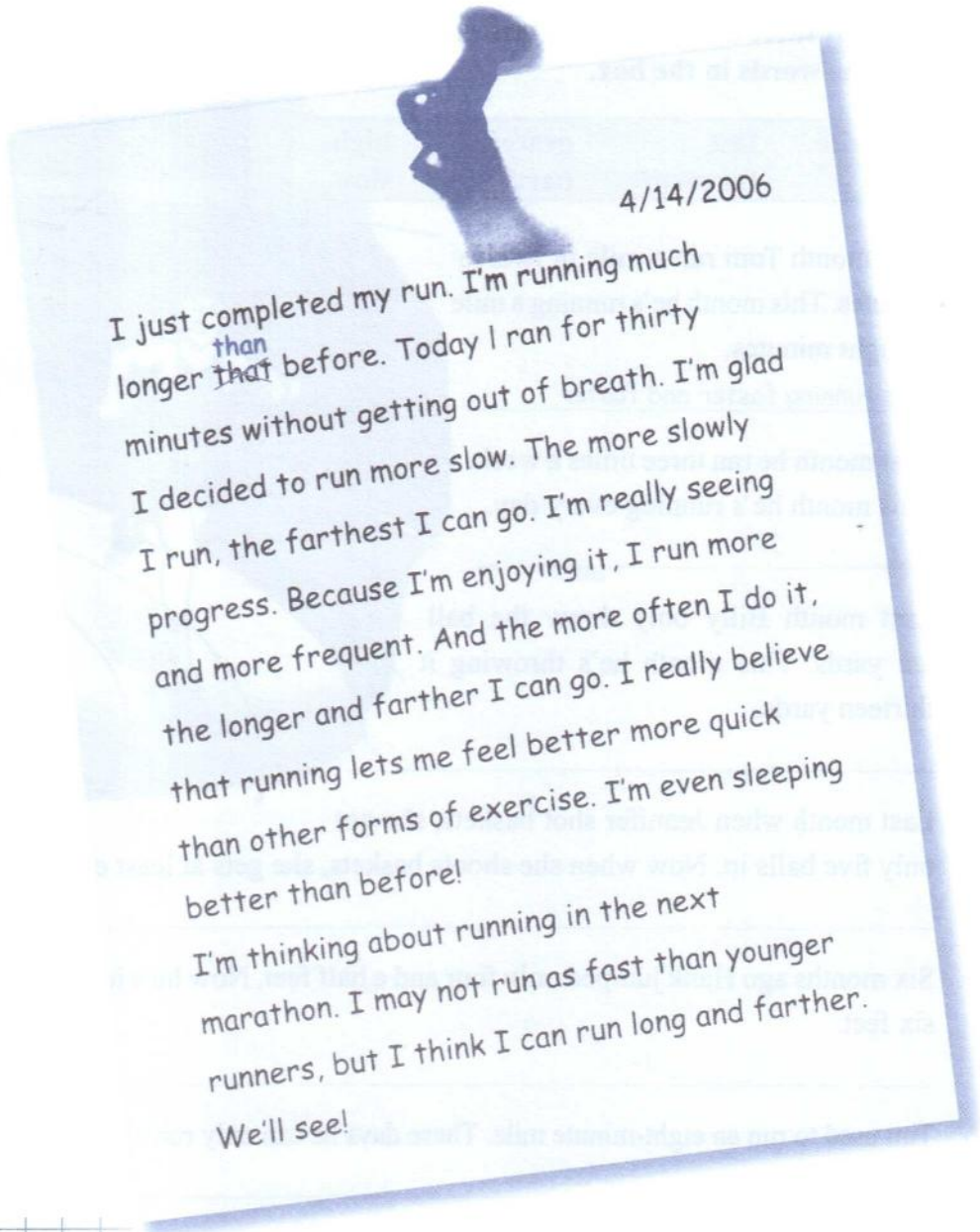
- Tim used to run an eight-minute mile. These days he can only run a ten-minute mile.



7. The ice-skating team of Sonia and Boris used to get four points for artistic impression. These days they are scoring more than five points.
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8. The members of the basketball team used to practice two hours a day. Now they're practicing three hours a day.
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Doris has been keeping an exercise journal. Read her journal entry. There are seven mistakes in the use of adverbs. Find and correct them.



COMMA (Part 2)

Study the following sentences:

- But with Jordan out, that's going to hurt the Bulls worse than the Lakers.
- At the end of the first half, the Bulls are leading 47 to 44.
- The more he plays, the better he looks.

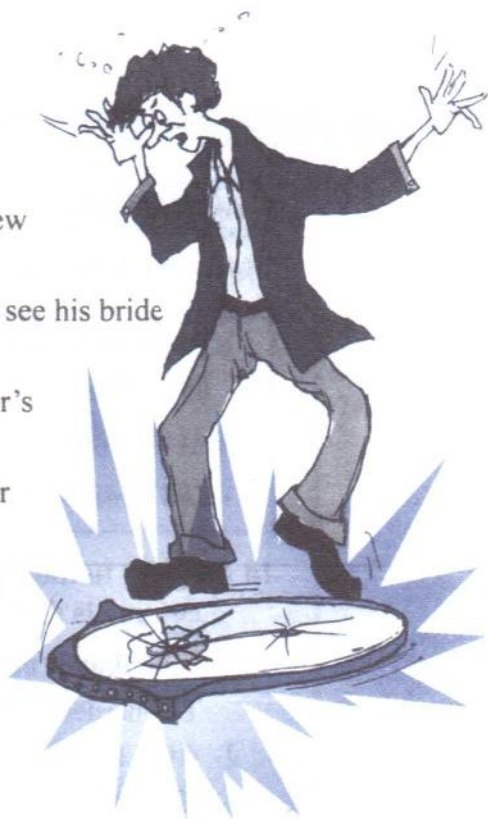
In addition to the points mentioned in the previous unit, the comma is used:

1. With double comparatives.
The harder he tried, the more he succeeded.
2. After a long phrase that begins a sentence.
Even after working on it the whole night, I didn't get the paper entirely finished.
3. Before conjunctions such as *and*, *but*, *or*, *yet*, *so*, and *for*.
Paul closed all the windows, but the predicted thunderstorm never arrived.
I like wearing comfortable clothes, so I buy oversized shirts and sweaters.
4. With expressions such as *on the other hand*, *to tell the truth*, *for example*, *in fact*, *of course*, etc.
It is necessary, of course, to leave now.
To tell the truth, I've never been to Australia.

IE In the following sentences, add commas where necessary.

1. Many years ago most people were superstitious.
2. People now know that superstitions are silly but many of these beliefs are still alive and well.
3. I know you believe dear friend that blowing out all the candles on your birthday will make your wish come true.

4. It is also said that if you break a mirror you face seven years of bad luck.
5. Or brides must wear something old something new something borrowed and something blue.
6. It is also strange as it may seem for the groom to see his bride before the wedding.
7. Don't step on a crack or you'll break your mother's back.
8. You've heard I'm sure that pulling out a gray hair causes ten more to grow.
9. Johann Wolfgang von Goethe a German novelist said that "superstition is the poetry of life."
10. In fact the more you read about superstitions the more you learn about other nations' traditional customs.



MULTIPLE-CHOICE REVIEW

VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. The plans should be drawn as _____ as possible, showing all the measurements.
a. accurately b. extremely c. annually d. absolutely
2. The mountaineers _____ on in spite of the bad weather conditions.
a. whirled b. battled c. vaulted d. shifted
3. _____ behavior, according to many experts, is a sign of emotional distress.
a. Extensive b. Consistent c. Exuberant d. Aggressive
4. Readers were asked to fill out a _____ on health issues.
a. transcript b. questionnaire c. statistic d. diary
5. This report reflects an intensive _____ of the health care program.
a. portion b. extension c. evaluation d. impression

GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

6. Emma is an excellent employee. She works _____, and she's very dependable.
a. as hard b. hard c. hardly d. harder
7. I was too nervous to go _____ than halfway up the tower.
a. more highly b. highest c. higher d. most highly
8. To our amazement, the student explained the problem _____ as the teacher.
a. as simply b. more simply c. simpler d. as simple
9. Do you have to wear those old jeans, Mike? Can't you dress _____?
a. smartest b. most smartly c. smarter d. more smartly
10. I suppose the new computer runs _____ than the old one.
a. smoother b. more smoothly c. the smoothest d. the most smoothly

Read the following sentences and identify the incorrect part.

11. Telegraph service across the Atlantic was successful established in 1866.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
12. Mike controlled the ball the best, kicked the ball the farthest, and ran the fastest
than all the players.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
13. The history course that I took last semester proved more difficultly than I had
expected.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
14. It is an awful long time since I last ate fish and chips at this luxurious
restaurant.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
15. Few American politicians have spoken more eloquent than William Jennings
Bryan.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

UNIT 4

VOCABULARY

- A** Which of the following words go with *strict* and which ones go with *severe*? Put in (✓) or (×).

	diet	illness	injury	rules	discipline	weather
severe						
strict	✓					

- B** Find a word from Unit Four, which acts as a close synonym for the words in parentheses.

- Mary's husband was (killed) _____ by gunmen as she watched.
- The paintings were (hidden) _____ beneath a thick layer of plaster.
- I have to reject the (idea) _____ that greed can be a good thing.
- Ben was unable to (convince) _____ the police that he had been elsewhere at the time of the crime.
- We try to make sure children don't feel (frightened) _____ on their first day at school.
- He's one of those (proud) _____ people who think that they're always right about everything.

C Put the verbs in parentheses into the future perfect or future progressive.

A: I think I 1 (work) _____ probably _____ this time next year.

B: Really? Have you got something planned?

A: Yes. I 2 (join) _____ the family company when I've got my degree.

B: Lucky you.

A: I wonder what we 3 (do) _____ in two years' time.

B: Who knows!

A: I expect we 4 (study) _____ still _____ English here.

B: Not me. I 5 (take) _____ my exams by then.

A: Lucky Ruth. Her flight left this morning so she 6 (arrive) _____ in Jamaica by now.

B: Yes. I wish I were with her, don't you?

A: Yes.

A: Shall we call Lorenzo and ask him for his advice?

B: Not now. He 7 (watch) _____ that stupid program that he never misses and he won't answer the phone.

A: Well, we 8 (finish) _____ this by the time he's ready to answer the phone, so that's no good.

A: I can't believe that I 9 (work) _____ here for ten years next week.

B: No. It seems like only yesterday that you began. The question is, 10 (work) _____ you _____ here in another ten years' time?

A: Who knows?

D Combine these sentences. Use the simple present tense and future forms (will / be going to).

1. Vera will finish her summer job. Then she's going to fly to Brazil.

Vera is going to fly to Brazil after she finishes her summer job.

2. Vera will save enough money from her summer job. Then she's going to buy a plane ticket.

As soon as _____

3. Vera's going to buy presents for her family. Then she's going to go home.

Before _____



4. Vera will arrive at the airport. Her father will be there to drive her home.
When _____
5. Vera and her father will get home. They'll immediately have dinner.
As soon as _____
6. They'll finish dinner. Then Vera will give her family the presents.
_____ after _____
7. Vera's brother will wash the dishes, and Vera's sister will dry them.
_____ while _____
8. The whole family will stay up talking. Then the clock will strike midnight.
_____ until _____
9. They'll all feel very tired. Then they'll go to bed.
By the time _____
10. Vera's head will hit the pillow, and she'll fall asleep immediately.
_____ as soon as _____

APOSTROPHE

Study the following examples:

- It's a bargain.
- They've just participated in a ritual that has existed for centuries.
- If you don't bargain, you'll have missed out on one of life's most interesting experiences.

The main uses of the apostrophe are as follows:

1. Use an apostrophe and -s to form the possessive of a noun, singular or plural, that does not end in -s.
the man's coat the women's suits
2. Use an apostrophe alone to form the possessive of a plural noun ending in -s.
the girls' clothes the Browns' house
3. Use an apostrophe and -s or the apostrophe alone to form the possessive of singular nouns ending in -s. Use the apostrophe and -s only when you would pronounce the -s.
James' hat or (if you would pronounce the s) James's hat
4. Use an apostrophe to indicate that letters or figures have been omitted.
o'clock (short for *of the clock*) In the '90s (short for 1990s)
5. Use an apostrophe with pronouns only when you are making a contraction.
It is = it's you are = you're she has = she's
6. Use an apostrophe to indicate the plural of letters, figures, and words used as word.
Dot your *i*'s five 8's *and*'s

Note that the letters, figures, and words are italicized, but the apostrophe and -s are not.



Add the necessary apostrophes to the following sentences.

1. Shelly said its been too long since weve visited my family or hers.
2. Zelda Fitzgeralds life is described in Nancy Mitfords *Zelda*.
3. Lisa didnt know that Mount McKinley is the United States highest mountain.
4. You must mind your *ps* and *qs* when you are with Uncle George.
5. Of all the people names in all the worlds countries, the most common is Muhammad.
6. There are two *es* and two *ds* in Hildegrades name, but not any *us*.
7. At the crowded intersection, several young men rushed out to wash the cars windshields.
8. Vonettes decision to study computer science is based on predictions of good opportunities for women in that field.

MULTIPLE-CHOICE REVIEW

VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. I'm speaking in my _____ as Secretary of Foreign Affairs.
a. territory b. ritual c. capacity d. display
2. Crowds of youths _____ the streets looking for trouble.
a. roamed b. shifted c. concealed d. vaulted
3. How can I _____ a place on the guest list for the big party?
a. persuade b. outrun c. bargain d. finagle
4. Mark _____ the shocking details of his night in jail.
a. intimidated b. narrated c. battled d. countered
5. Alice _____ out of her way to be kind to the newcomer.
a. jumped b. went c. kept d. ran

GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

6. Dennis usually _____ coffee with his breakfast, but this morning he _____ tea instead.
a. drinks, drinks b. is drinking, drinks
c. is drinking, is drinking d. drinks, is drinking

7. "I _____ make myself a sandwich. Do you want one?"
"No, thanks. I _____ have something later."
a. 'm going to, 'll
b. 'll, 'm going to
c. 'm going to, 'm going to
d. 'll, 'll
8. "Will we be delayed here in Boston for long?"
"I'm afraid so. The train _____ the station for an hour."
a. won't have left
b. won't be left
c. won't be leaving
d. won't have been leaving
9. "This job is endless."
"I know. By the end of May, we _____ the house for two months."
a. 'll have painted
b. 've painted
c. 'll paint
d. 'll have been painting
10. Sandy and Jeff will get married before Sandy _____.
a. will graduate
b. will have graduated
c. graduates
d. will be graduating

Read the following sentences and identify the incorrect part.

11. By the time you will read this letter, we will already have left.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
12. Tina's camping handbook suggests that we bring water purification tablets and
(a) (b) (c)
nylon ropes.
(d)
13. You've been studying Spanish for a long time, and I'm sure you're speaking
(a) (b) (c)
fluently in a few months.
(d)
14. Whether we like it or not, within a few years biotechnology transforms every
(a) (b) (c)
aspect of human life.
(d)
15. I can't believe that by next June you have been training at this gym for eleven
(a) (b) (c) (d)
years.

UNIT 5

VOCABULARY

A Complete the following table.

prefix	meaning	science	meaning
anthropo-	relating to humans	anthropology	scientific study of people, their beliefs, etc.
socio-			
geo-			
psycho-			
patho-			
eco-			

B Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the words below. There is one extra word.

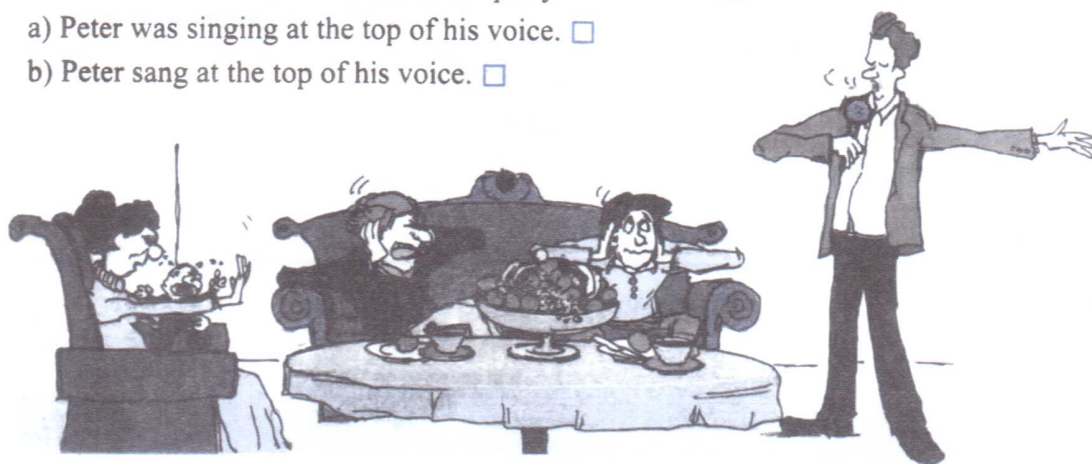
split	survey	memoir	commitment
attitude	devise	admire	

1. If you want to pass your exams, you'd better change your _____!
2. They have _____ a new plan for getting the jewels out of the country.
3. American families are _____ by large geographical distances.
4. We have made a(n) _____ to help the refugees and we will.
5. Nixon describes in his _____ the first time he met Pat Ryan.
6. Lewis and his wife were both _____ for their work on medieval literature.

GRAMMAR AND WRITING

C Read what each speaker is thinking about. Check (✓) the best sentence for the speaker to use.

1. I want to describe the situation at the party when I arrived.
 - a) Peter was singing at the top of his voice. ☐
 - b) Peter sang at the top of his voice. ☐

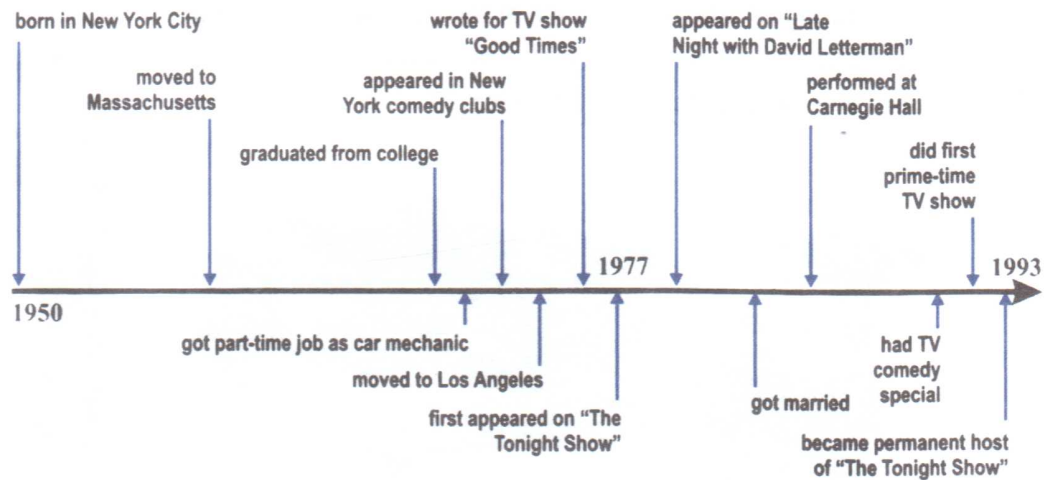


2. I'm thinking of the whole car journey.
 - a) The driver drove too fast. ☐
 - b) The driver was driving too fast. ☐
3. I want to tell you what sort of person he was.
 - a) He talked too much. ☐
 - b) He was talking too much. ☐

4. I want to show that I finished my dream.
 - a) I dreamt about a wonderful holiday. ☐
 - b) I was dreaming about a wonderful holiday. ☐
5. I want to show that I was interrupted.
 - a) I talked about her when she came into the room. ☐
 - b) I was talking about her when she came into the room. ☐
6. I want to show that different things happened at the same time.
 - a) He made a phone call, cooked supper, and drank a coffee. ☐
 - b) He was making a phone call, cooking supper and drinking a coffee. ☐
7. I want to show that different things happened one after another.
 - a) She was buying a new house, writing a novel and arranging the wedding. ☐
 - b) She bought a new house, wrote a novel and arranged the wedding. ☐
8. I want to describe the situation at the time I broke my arm.
 - a) I was carrying a big bag up some steps. ☐
 - b) I carried a big bag up some steps. ☐



Jay Leno is another late-night TV talk-show host. This timeline shows some important events in his life.



Use the timeline to determine the correct order of the events below. Then combine the phrases, using the past perfect to express the event that occurred first. Use commas when necessary.

1. moved to Massachusetts / graduated from college
By the time he graduated from college, he had moved to Massachusetts.
2. appeared in New York City comedy clubs / got a part-time job as a car mechanic
Before _____

3. moved to Los Angeles / wrote for TV
_____ after _____
4. appeared on "The Tonight Show" / wrote for the TV show "Good Times"
By the time _____
5. appeared on "The Tonight Show" / appeared on "Late Night with David Letterman"
_____ before _____
6. got married / appeared on "Late Night with David Letterman"
When _____ already _____
7. did his first prime-time TV show / performed at Carnegie Hall
By the time _____
8. had a TV comedy special / did his first prime-time TV show
_____ by the time _____
9. became the permanent host of "The Tonight Show" / appeared on "The Tonight Show" many times
_____ when _____

PUNCTUATION NOTE

COLON

Study the following sentences:

- He just picked a date out of the blue: June 13, 1998.
- By the time the wedding day rolled around, Weinlick had prepared everything: the rings, the musicians, and his tuxedo.

Use a colon at the end of a complete statement to introduce a list or an explanation.

- The store will close at noon on the following dates:
November 26, December 24, and December 31. (A list)
- Let me emphasize one point: I do not accept late papers.
(An explanation)



In the following sentences, add punctuation marks if needed. Some sentences are correct. (Review of Units 1-5)

1. Theories which try to explain the secret of fire walking fall into three categories physical psychological and religious.
2. If you're the last to leave Paul please switch off the lights.
3. June 30 2008 is the day I make the last payment on my car.
4. My father always worrying about money wanted me to get a job.
5. Most places don't let people burn leaves because of the danger of fire and the pollution to the air.
6. Theres some really cheap steak at the butchers this week.
7. An exciting story interesting characters and a faraway setting are the things I most look for in an adventure story.
8. While waiting to enter the movie theater, we studied the faces of the people just leaving to see if they had liked the show.
9. Bring these items to registration a ballpoint, your student ID, and a check made out to the college.
10. Abandoned by its owners we supposed the dog must have been without proper food for a week before we found it.

MULTIPLE-CHOICE REVIEW (Units 1-5)

VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. The judge _____ Harry winner of the competition.
a. countered b. trapped c. devised d. pronounced
2. Who was the youngest member of the British Everest _____ in 1974?
a. expedition b. civilization c. frustration d. evaluation
3. The brave soldiers crossed the river into enemy _____.
a. continent b. portion c. territory d. ritual
4. The young teacher is not very _____ in the way she treats the students.
a. gorgeous b. consistent c. arrogant d. chilly
5. The flight attendant announced that the plane would be landing in _____
20 minutes.
a. absolutely b. extensively c. extremely d. approximately

GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

6. I don't watch TV very much because there are _____ television programs that I enjoy.
a. very few b. a few c. a little d. very little
7. As soon as my friend introduced us, she _____ me about my salary.
a. was asking b. had asked c. has asked d. asked
8. Just because brothers and sisters fight when they're young doesn't mean they won't get along _____ as adults.
a. better than b. as good c. the best d. as well
9. Before Robert and Mike _____, they had both been ski instructors.
a. had retired b. retired c. would retire d. have retired
10. When the electric power went out, millions of people _____ the game on TV.
a. would watch b. have watched c. were watching d. have been watching

Read the following sentences and identify the incorrect part.

11. The chairman preferred not to spea until he has heard all the arguments.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
12. I did much more better in the last test than in this one.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
13. Where did you used to go out to eat when you were in Madrid?
(a) (b) (c) (d)
14. When he saw how they had reacted to his accusations, he felt surprising unhappy.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
15. Yesterday David crossed a street when a truck turned the corner very fast and almost hit him.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

Mid-Term Self-Test

A. VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. You'd better come with us tonight – I'm sure we'll have a _____.
a. globe b. blast c. treat d. voyage
2. _____ are a popular type of seafood in most restaurants around here.
a. Almonds b. Scallions c. Soufflés d. Shrimps
3. The _____ says you need four eggs and 250g of chocolate.
a. sequence b. diary c. recipe d. entry
4. Nancy _____ her ankle yesterday while she was playing squash.
a. vaulted b. battled c. sprained d. trapped
5. Dad's very _____ with us about table manners, particularly when we have guests.
a. strict b. chilly c. arrogant d. gorgeous
6. Both sides agreed to keep their financial agreement _____.
a. severe b. roaring c. exuberant d. confidential
7. A teacher _____ this game as a way of making math fun.
a. pronounced b. devised c. countered d. finagled

8. You will have about three hours to _____ around the town.
a. head b. roam c. float d. snore
9. Mrs. Brown is employed by them in an advisory _____.
a. notion b. survey c. capacity d. portion
10. I received a phone call from Jane right out of the _____.
a. blue b. green c. black d. yellow

B. GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

11. Our team didn't play _____ as I expected, so I was disappointed.
a. as good b. better c. the best d. as well
12. Thank you! That's _____ gift I've ever received.
a. the nicest b. a nicer c. the nicer d. a nicest
13. Sarah always _____ glasses. She can't see without them.
a. will wear b. wears c. is wearing d. will be wearing
14. While Harry was living in Toronto, Helen _____ in California.
a. has been living b. was living c. lived d. had lived
15. Paul _____ so much chocolate pudding that his trousers did not fit him anymore.
a. would eat b. has eaten c. would be eating d. had eaten
16. My days are so busy that I have _____ time for relaxation.
a. very little b. a little c. very few d. a few
17. "I _____ work today, I feel awful."
"Don't worry, I _____ call your boss and tell her you're sick."
a. am not going to, will b. will, am not going to
c. am not going to, am not going to d. will, will
18. There used _____ a beautiful old building where that car park is now.
a. to being b. being c. to be d. be
19. Carlos _____ his English course by this time next month.
a. will be completed b. has completed
c. will have completed d. completes

20. Lucky you! This time next week you _____ on a beach in Thailand.
- a. have been lying b. will be lying
c. have lain d. will have lain

Read the following sentences and identify the incorrect part.

21. Janice didn't own a car then because she hasn't learned to drive yet.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
22. They were going to drive to the beach, but they have changed their plans when
(a) (b) (c)
it started to rain.
(d)
23. Although Niagara Falls in the United States is not as high of Angel Falls in
(a) (b)
Venezuela, more tourists visit Niagara Falls because it is more accessible.
(c) (d)
24. As a child he received most of his educations at home, for he had no chance of
(a) (b) (c) (d)
attending school.
25. It is a wide accepted belief that the more one drinks orange juice, the less likely
(a) (b) (c) (d)
he is to catch colds.

C. READING COMPREHENSION

Read the following passage and choose the best answer to each question.

In America, where repairmen demand a lot of money for their work, "do-it-yourself" is a way of life. Many people repair their own cars, build their own garages, even remodel their own houses.

Soon they may also be writing their own books. In Hollywood, there is a company that publishes children's books with the help of computers. Although other book companies also publish that way, this particular company is very unusual. It "personalizes" the books by having the computer make the reader the leading character in the story. Here is how they do it. Let us say your child is named Jenny. She lives on Oak Drive in St. Louis, has a dog named Spot, a cat named Tabby, and three playmates whose names are Betsy, Sandy, and Jody. The computer uses this information to fill out a story that has already been prepared and illustrated. The story is then printed with standard equipment as a hardcover book. A child who

receives such a book might say, "This book is about me"; the company, therefore, calls itself the "Me-Books Publishing Company."

Children like the me-books because they like to see in print their own names and the names of their friends and their pets. But more importantly, "personalization" has been found to be an important tool in increasing enthusiasm for reading. Me-books are thus helping a child learn how to read, by appealing to that natural desire to see his own name in print.

26. What does the passage mainly discuss?
- Why Americans do their own repairs.
 - What attracts children.
 - A new way of publishing children's books.
 - The advantage of using computers for publishing books.
27. To support his idea in paragraph 1, the writer has
- made a comparison.
 - given an example.
 - told a real story.
 - mentioned the usefulness of computers.
28. In the books published by the "Me-Books Publishing Company," the main character
- is always named Jenny or Tabby.
 - has the same name as the reader's best friend.
 - is capable of doing all the repairs around the house.
 - has the same name as its reader.
29. According to the passage, which of the following is a child NOT likely to find in me-books?
- Names of his pet animals.
 - Some pictures.
 - Explanation of his school subjects.
 - Description of his neighborhood.
30. The word "enthusiasm" in line 17 means almost the same as
- "interest."
 - "preference."
 - "pride."
 - "doubt."



VOCABULARY



Complete the following table.

Verb	Noun	Adjective	Adverb
		responsive	
	attendance		
visualize			
			cooperatively
		beneficial	
resemble			



Fill in the blanks with one of the words from the table above.

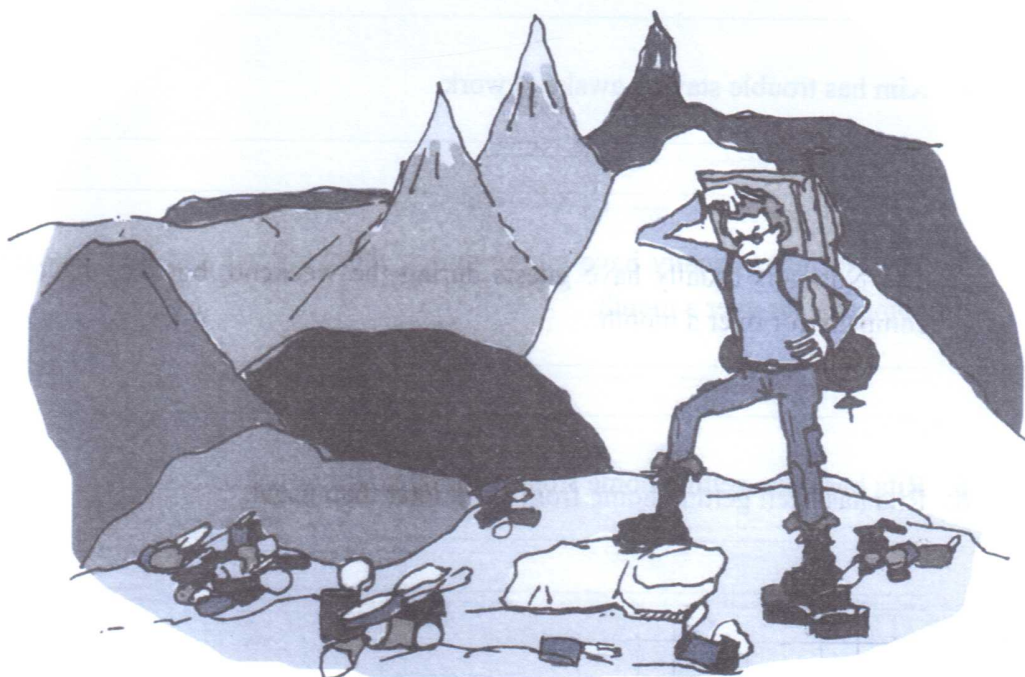
1. A(n) _____ waiter helped us order from the huge menu.
2. There was a clear family _____ between all the brothers.
3. It is always a great pleasure to lecture to a(n) _____ audience.
4. I will repeat the question for the _____ of those who weren't listening the first time.

5. Guide dogs open up the lives of the blind or _____ impaired.
6. Unfortunately, _____ to our advertisement have been disappointing.

GRAMMAR AND WRITING

C Read the following passage and choose the correct verb form.

David Clark, 25, (1) lives / is living most of the time in New York with his parents, but he is also the world's first mountaineering garbage collector. He (2) has already been making / has already made two trips to Mount Everest to collect rubbish left by expeditions there, and now he (3) aims / is aiming to be the youngest person to climb the world's highest mountain. It was while he (4) worked / was working in a climbing equipment shop that he (5) heard / was hearing about the rubbish left on Everest. He (6) was looking / looked for something really challenging to do and he liked the idea of being a garbage collector with a difference. He is amazed at the type of junk he (7) has found / has been finding. At 17,000 ft he (8) came / was coming across hundreds of cornflake packets, empty cans of tuna fish, and too many hypodermic needles and syringes. So far he (9) has been collecting / has collected enough rubbish to cover three soccer fields. For the last six months, David (10) has prepared / has been preparing to climb to the top of Everest. He (11) is training / trains hard in the Himalayas and has been on a strict diet. If he (12) succeeds / is succeeding, he will be the youngest British person ever to reach the top of Everest.



D Write sentences in the present perfect progressive about the situations below. Use *just*, *recently*, and *lately* when possible and join sentences with *and* or *because*. Use the phrases in the box.

go to parties / study enough
sleep well / have nightmares
eat too much / exercise enough
go straight home after work / go to the hospital to visit her uncle
not spend time with friends / paint their house
talk to his grandmother / not feel well

1. Julie used to be very fit, but she's gained a lot of weight.
She's been eating too much lately, and she hasn't been exercising enough.
2. Paulo has always been a good student, but suddenly he isn't doing well in school.

3. Rick looks worried.

4. Kim has trouble staying awake at work.

5. The Normans usually have guests during the weekend, but they haven't had company for over a month.

6. Rita has been getting home from work later than usual.

PUNCTUATION NOTE

HYPHEN

Study the following examples:

- There is now computer-controlled plastic surgery.
- Life is a never-ending circuit.

The hyphen brings two or more words together into a single compound word. It is mostly used:

1. To separate the parts of many compound words.
brother-in-law go-between
2. To join two or more words used as a single adjective modifier before a noun.
first-class service bluish-gray eyes

E Make hyphenated words out of the following combinations.

1. ideas that shake the world
world-shaking ideas
2. an apartment with six rooms

3. fingers stained with nicotine

4. peace talks that last all night

5. an experience that racked our nerves

6. shoppers who are budget minded

7. examinations that exhaust the mind

8. fibers which are made by man

MULTIPLE-CHOICE REVIEW

VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. The TV was too _____ to fit into the trunk of the car.
a. antique b. bulky c. vague d. bizarre
2. Don't take them very seriously – their last win was just a _____.
a. circuit b. shot c. trap d. fluke
3. Don't go in the kitchen, I've just finished _____ the floor.
a. wagging b. fetching c. coining d. mopping
4. The _____ reason for this omission, as they argue, is lack of time.
a. principal b. awkward c. beneficial d. consistent
5. The losses this year are a(n) _____, and the company will continue to grow.
a. reception b. exploration c. aberration d. corporation

GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

6. Daniel is doing some of the work. He's _____ very helpful at the moment.
a. to be b. being c. been d. to have been
7. We _____ baby-name books for weeks, but we haven't chosen a name for our baby yet.
a. 're reading b. 'd been reading c. 've read d. 've been reading
8. Jim _____ soccer only a couple of times, so he's not very good at it.
a. had played b. is playing c. has played d. has been playing
9. They _____ the new bridge by the end of the year.
a. will have completed b. have completed
c. will be completing d. have been completing
10. The prisoner _____ the food suspiciously. He _____ it is poisonous.
a. is tasting, thinks b. tastes, thinks
c. is tasting, is thinking d. tastes, is thinking

Read the following sentences and identify the incorrect part.

11. Ricardo's English is perfect because he has been speaking English since
(a) (b) (c)
he has been a young boy.
(d)
12. Unemployment is rising steadily since the huge increase in oil prices.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
13. We've always wanted a house in the country, but we are disagreeing on where it
(a) (b) (c)
should be.
(d)
14. It says in this article that by the year 2020, scientists will be perfecting an
(a) (b) (c)
electric car.
(d)
15. Over the past years, my father had had the opportunity to travel to many remote
(a) (b) (c) (d)
areas of the world.

UNIT 7

VOCABULARY

A Match a word in column A, which has a relationship with a word in column B.

A

1. priest
2. portrait
3. episode
4. suffer
5. murderer
6. pregnancy

B

- a. serial
- b. pain
- c. birth
- d. altar
- e. criminal
- f. artist

B Add an appropriate suffix to the words below and complete the sentences that follow. There is one extra word.

awe	urge	medic	commercial
assume	dispute	critic	

1. One of the refugees was in _____ need of medical attention.
2. I don't mean to be over _____, but isn't all of this completely unnecessary?
3. It's claimed that Russia produces the best athletes in the world, but I think that's

4. The market research shows that the product will succeed _____.
5. All the spectators were amazed by the young athlete's _____ performance.
6. A lot of people make the _____ that poverty only exists in the Third World.

GRAMMAR AND WRITING

C Read the description of a burglary suspect and look at the four pictures. Complete the conversation with the correct words and the names of the men in the pictures.

21-year-old white male
short, curly blond hair
no scars or other distinguishing features



Allen



Bob



Chet



Dave

Detective: Look at these four photos. It's possible that one of them could be 1 (must/could) the man we're looking for. Take your time.

Witness 1: Hmm. What do you think? 2 (Could/Must) it be this man?

Witness 2: It 3 (can't/must) be 4 (Name). He has a scar on his face. What about 5 (Name)? He has short blond hair and looks twenty-one.

Witness 1: I'm not sure. It 6 (could/must) be. But it 7 (might/must) so be 8 (Name). He also has blond hair and looks twenty-one.

Witness 2: But he has long hair.

Witness 1: The photo 9 (could/couldn't) be old. Maybe he cut it.

Witness 2: That's true. Well, it definitely _____ be _____. He's too
10 (couldn't/might not) 11 (Name)
old. Maybe we could look at some more photos.

D Read this invitation. Use the information in the invitation to complete the phone conversation.

YOU ARE INVITED TO A PARTY!

FOR: Scott's SURPRISE graduation barbecue

DATE: June 11

TIME: 2:00 P.M. sharp!

PLACE: 20 Greenport Avenue

RSVP by May 15, Please don't call here!
Leave a message at 555 - 3234.

No Gifts, Please!
(but please bring something to eat)

Wanda: Hi, Tania.

Tania: Hi, Wanda. What's up?

Wanda: Aunt Rosa's having a graduation party for Scott. She didn't have your new address, so she asked me to call and invite you. It's on June 11. Can you come?

Tania: Sure. Just give me all the information. (What time / be there?)

What time should I be there?

(1)

Wanda: Let's see. I have the invitation right here.

(2)

Tania: (What / wear?)

(3)

Wanda: Something casual. It's a barbecue.

Tania: (bring a gift?)

(4)

Wanda: _____ The invitation says "no gifts."

(5)

Tania: OK. What about food? (bring something to eat?)

(6)

Wanda: _____

(7)

Oh, and the invitation says "RSVP." In other words, Aunt Rosa wants a response.

Tania: (When / I respond?)

_____ (8)
Wanda: _____

_____ (9)
Tania: (call Aunt Rosa?)

_____ (10)
Wanda: _____ I forgot to tell you. It's a surprise party!

_____ (11)
Tania: OK. (Who / call?)

_____ (12)
Wanda: _____

_____ (13)
Tania: Fine. Sounds like fun. I'll see you there. Thanks for calling.

Wanda: No problem. See you there.

PUNCTUATION NOTE

QUOTATION MARKS (Part 1)

Study the following sentences:

- You shouldn't miss tonight's "Medics."
- In "It Has to Be You," baseball star Rob Gold can't hit a ball anymore.
- "You'd Better Not Look" will keep you in the dark until the very end.

1. Quotation marks are used to set off titles of short works such as articles in books, newspapers, or magazines; chapters in a book; short stories; poems; songs; and episodes of TV serials. Remember that all these titles are capitalized.

Yesterday, we read "The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock" in our poetry class.

"The Lottery" is a classic short story by Shirley Jackson.

2. Quotation marks are also used to set off technical terms or words used in a special sense.

The "platoon system" changed the game of football.

His "castle" was in reality a cozy little mouse trap.



Add the necessary capitalization and punctuation marks.

1. My favorite childhood song was Don't Be Cruel.
2. This book contains a deeply moving poem titled On Wenlock Edge.
3. Have you read The Use of force, a short story by William Carlos Williams?
4. We read the chapter Pulling Up Roots in Gail Sheehy's new book.
5. The poem when I have fears appears in most collections of Romantic poems.
6. Here, stoked means fantastically happy on a surfboard.
7. *Unique* means one of a kind. Do not use it to mean remarkable or unusual.
8. The sociology test will cover the first two chapters culture and diversity and social stratification.

MULTIPLE-CHOICE REVIEW

VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. We are all curious to know whether Mike and Betty will _____ a way to the altar or not.
a. take b. make c. find d. choose
2. In times of _____ you find out who your real friends are.
a. assumption b. prestige c. crisis d. extinction
3. Paul killed his landlord in a(n) _____ over money.
a. romance b. dispute c. episode d. portrait
4. Please don't leave me alone with Harvey. The guy _____ me the creeps.
a. calls b. gets c. brings d. gives
5. The majority of American movies are _____ into other languages.
a. dubbed b. coined c. devised d. admired

GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

6. Because it was Emily's birthday yesterday, she _____ do any of her regular chores.
a. ought not to b. mustn't c. might not d. didn't have to

7. When I was younger, I _____ stay up late without getting sleepy, but now I always go to bed early.
a. must b. could c. might d. should
8. You _____ miss "The Simpsons" tomorrow night. I hear that it's going to be a really funny show.
a. wouldn't b. couldn't c. shouldn't d. may not
9. You'd better _____ so many personal phone calls at work, or you'll lose your job.
a. not to make b. don't make c. not make d. not making
10. Nick _____ be touring Scotland. I saw him here this morning.
a. can't b. ought not to c. wouldn't d. doesn't have to

Read the following sentences and identify the incorrect part.

11. If you have an aquarium, you don't have to give your fish too much food or they will die.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
12. He shouldn't be the murderer. His feet look bigger than the footprints found at the scene of the crime.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
13. When the new road is built, I can be able to drive to work in no more than twenty minutes.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
14. Clarissa should think her mother is wise because she frequently asks her mother for advice.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
15. I must put together my daughter's tricycle because it came from the factory unassembled. It was a hard task which I could not do in the end.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

UNIT

8

VOCABULARY

A Complete the following table.

Verb	Noun	Adjective	Adverb
		cognitive	
	destruction		
			regrettably
speculate			
	logic		
		paralytic	

B Fill in the blanks with one of the words from the table above.

1. Our forecast of demand for next year can only be _____.
2. _____, due to lack of money, there will be no school play this year.
3. Professor Cohen is writing a book on human learning, memory, and _____.
4. Doctors believe a drug overdose caused _____ of the central nervous system.

5. There must, _____, be an end to this problem, but we haven't reached it yet.
6. Don't forget that jealousy can be a very _____ emotion.

GRAMMAR AND WRITING

C Read each situation. Choose *could* + verb or *could have* + verb.

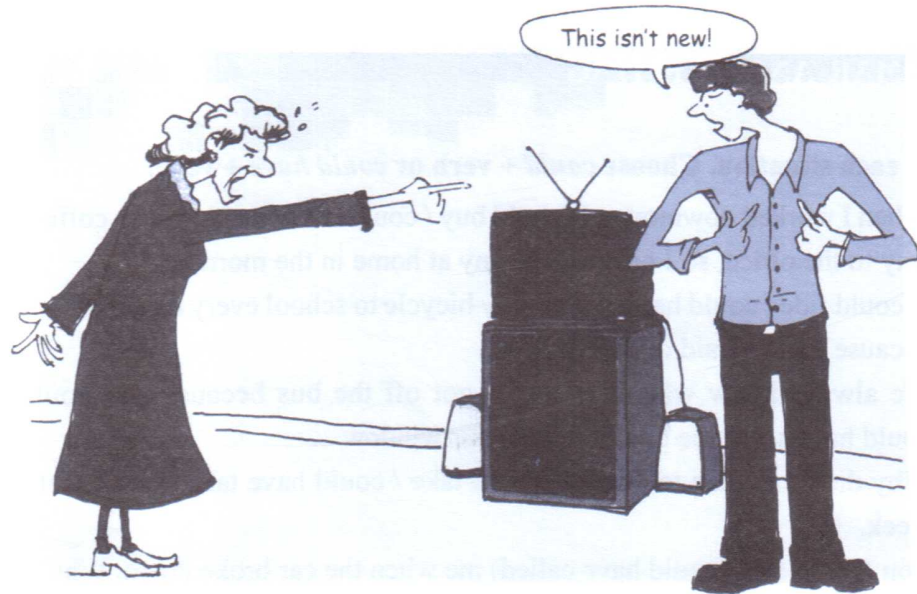
1. When I worked downtown, I (*could buy* / *could have bought*) fresh coffee on my way to the office, so I never made any at home in the morning.
2. I (*could ride* / *could have ridden*) my bicycle to school every day, but I never did because I was afraid of the traffic.
3. We always knew when my father got off the bus because we (*could see* / *could have seen*) the bus stop from our window.
4. Why didn't anyone tell me? I (*could take* / *could have taken*) my vacation last week.
5. You (*could call* / *could have called*) me when the car broke down. Why did you leave the car on the side of the road instead?
6. After years of devoted work, Mr. Bailey finally (*could get* / *could have gotten*) a raise in salary last April.
7. I (*could go* / *could have gone*) to the movies with my friends, but I decided to study instead.
8. We (*could feel* / *could have felt*) the spray on our faces as the boat raced through the water.

D Look at these pointers for resolving conflicts in families. Then write sentences about each situation, using the words in parentheses and the language from the chart.

Conflicts That Nobody Loses		
Situation	Do	Don't
One of you is a saver and one is a spender. You fight about money.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create a budget with some "personal" money for each partner. • Treat your partner's attitudes with respect. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deny your purchases. • Accuse your partner of irresponsibility.
You dislike spending time with your spouse's family.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plan ahead and schedule time alone with each other. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sulk. • Pretend to be sick.
Your child won't clean up his or her room.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Start with small tasks. • Provide containers to help organize the toys. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expect 100 percent change overnight. • Yell. • Give up and do it yourself.

1. When Tom's wife asked him about a new shirt, he said it wasn't new.

Tom shouldn't have denied his purchase.



2. Cora and Tom planned a budget without any spending money for either of them.

(ought to / create)

3. When Cora refused to spend money on a new TV, Tom called her a skinflint.

(might / treat)

4. When Tom bought a new TV anyway, Cora told him he was irresponsible.

(should / accuse)

5. On Friday, Kayla and Josh hadn't decided what they were going to do on the weekend. Josh suggested visiting his parents.

(should / plan)

6. By Sunday, they hadn't spent any time alone together.

(could / schedule)

7. On Saturday, at Kayla's sister's house, Josh wouldn't talk to anybody.

(should / sulk)

8. As they were leaving for Josh's parents' house on Sunday, Kayla said she had a headache and wanted to go home.

(ought to / pretend to be sick)

9. Fred's room is a mess. His parents told him to clean the whole room immediately, and Fred's very upset.

(might / start)

10. Fred can't decide where to put his toys.

(could / provide)

11. Fred's father cleaned it up himself on Saturday.

(should / give up / do)

12. His mother told him never to mess up his room again.

(should / expect)

PUNCTUATION NOTE

QUOTATION MARKS (Part 2)

Study the following sentences:

- "I could have prevented the injury," she keeps telling herself.
- An Italian proverb notes, "When the ship has sunk, everyone knows how they could have saved it."

Quotation marks are used to set off the exact words of a speaker or writer.

- "I feel as though I've been here before," Sheila murmured to her husband.
- The biology professor said, "Ants are a lot like human beings."
- "What a beautiful diamond necklace Judy is wearing!" I exclaimed.

Important Hints:

1. Every quotation begins with a capital letter.
2. A comma sets off the quoted part from the rest of the sentence.
3. Other punctuation marks such as commas, periods, question marks, and exclamation marks always go *inside* quotation marks.

E Add quotation marks, commas, and capitalizations where necessary.

1. This hamburger is raw! cried Leon.
2. Beatrice asked, do you give a discount to senior citizens?
3. I don't know why Robin Hood robbed only the rich said the comedian.
4. Jean says she's too busy to come out tonight said Maria.
5. Don't move me the man begged. I think my back is broken.
6. The girl said hysterically it's David. They've killed him.
7. In that case Robert said wouldn't it be better to go out?
8. As one critic has remarked Martin's watercolors can be called imaginative yet realistic.

MULTIPLE-CHOICE REVIEW

VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. She carefully _____ each jar with its contents and the date.
a. labeled b. dubbed c. fetched d. mopped
2. Whole blocks of the city were in _____ after the war.
a. specifics b. episodes c. shots d. ruins
3. Ruth _____ deeply and looked at the ceiling.
a. bargained b. sighed c. marched d. roamed
4. There is _____ that Jonathan may have left the country.
a. speculation b. aberration c. cooperation d. exploration
5. After two years of therapy, Duane was able to conquer his eating _____.
a. dispute b. paralysis c. disorder d. cognition

GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

6. "I'm angry with Sarah for not reminding us about the meeting."
"Yes, she _____ us about it."
a. should have reminded b. should remind
c. would have reminded d. would remind

7. You're not coming tonight? It's already seven o'clock! You _____ let me know sooner.
a. might b. had to c. might have d. must
8. There are no clean socks. I ought _____ the laundry yesterday.
a. to have done b. to do c. have done d. do
9. I _____ French at last night's party, but you know I was too shy.
a. would speak b. would've spoken
c. could speak d. could've spoken
10. Jonathan _____ his medical checkups, but he hated going to the dentist.
a. mustn't skip b. mustn't have skipped
c. shouldn't skip d. shouldn't have skipped

Read the following sentences and identify the incorrect part.

11. We ought to have looked at more apartments before we rent this one.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
12. Do you think that Edward should borrow his friend's car last night when he
(a) (b)
hadn't asked his friend for permission?
(c) (d)
13. Mike shouldn't of worked so hard all his life, but he had to earn enough money
(a) (b) (c) (d)
for his family.
14. "Lee went to cooking school, and became a chef on a cruise ship."
(a)
"Couldn't he has opened a restaurant and started his own business?"
(b) (c) (d)
15. "I can't sleep sometimes. My neighbors play music all night."
(a) (b)
"That's a nuisance. They shouldn't have played music like this."
(c) (d)

UNIT 9

VOCABULARY

A Match a word in A with a line in B and a word in C.

A	B	C
animal type	characteristic	example
reptiles	living both on land and in water	mouse
mammals	a pocket in which the babies are carried	snake
rodents	a hard outer shell and several pairs of legs	monkey
amphibians	cold-blooded and covered by scales	lobster
marsupials	strong sharp front teeth	frog
crustaceans	giving birth to live babies which are fed on milk	kangaroo

B

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the words below. There is one extra word.

carve	soar	credit	orbit
encounter	costume	fascinate	

1. What _____ me most about him is his accent. Where does it come from?
2. A bus ride from New York to Miami brings _____ with all kinds of people.
3. All the guests attended the party in Victorian _____.
4. Some students have the habit of _____ their names on their school desks.
5. Housing prices had _____ a further twenty per cent.
6. Once in space, the spacecraft went into _____ around the Earth.

GRAMMAR AND WRITING

C

Try to solve a murder mystery using the information in the box. Read some of the things they said and correct the mistakes. One extract has no mistake but the others have one each.

The rich businessman Henry Farrington was found dead from gunshot wounds in his own home. Shots were heard at 3.00 P.M. and size 44 footprints were found near the body.

1. Thomas could be done it. He wanted his father's money to pay his debts.

2. I think the farmer, Jack, Thomas's friend, can have done it because we know he had a gun. He was in love.

3. No, Jack mustn't have done it. He has an alibi. He was in town.

4. What about Charlotte, Henry's daughter? She could have killed him because Henry hated her.

5. Yeah, but Alice might do it. She hated Henry because he didn't pay her much.

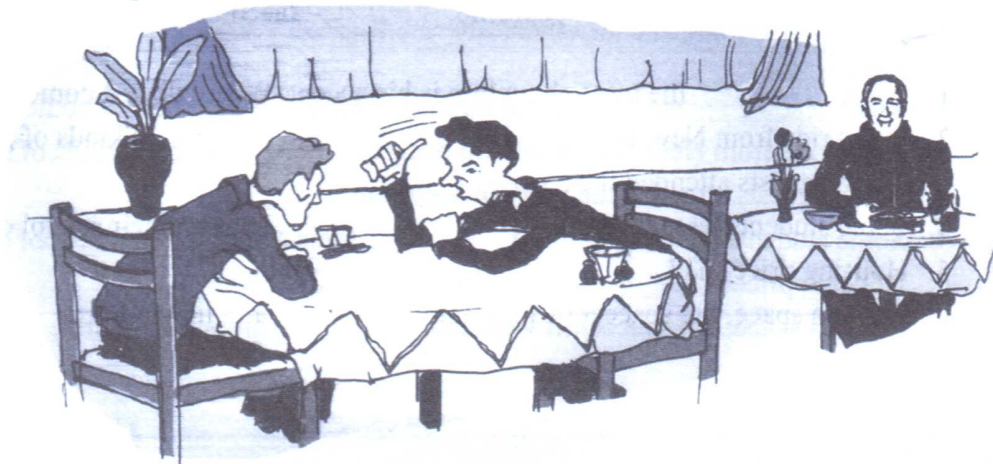
6. Or Edie, his wife – she might wanted to kill him because her marriage was unhappy.

7. No, Edie mustn't have done it. Her feet weren't size 44, surely? That's a man's size.



Who do you think the murderer was? Why?

D Imagine that some students told the class they had these experiences. Write two sentences giving your response, the first one expressing disbelief. Use the modals in parentheses.



1. "We saw Anthony Quinn last night." (could, must)
 - a. They couldn't have seen Anthony Quinn because he's been dead for many years.
 - b. They must have seen someone who looked like Anthony Quinn.
2. "We've finished the homework." (could, may / start)
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
3. "The trip from New York to Washington, D.C., takes about three hours by train. We got there in less than an hour." (can, might / less than three hours)
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
4. "Rick robbed the bank." (could, someone else / must)
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
5. "We won a million dollars in the Publisher's Contest. We didn't receive an advertisement." (can, must / advertisement)
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
6. "The President called us. He wants us to visit him in the White House." (can, must / joke)
 - a. _____
 - b. _____

7. "Kim cooked a three-course meal by herself. Her mother didn't help."
(can, must / help)

a. _____
b. _____

8. "Lee completed the race in under an hour." (could, might / an hour and a half)

a. _____
b. _____

PUNCTUATION NOTE

ITALICS

Study the following sentences:

- In his book *Chariots of the Gods?* von Däniken argues that ancient cultures had contact with visitors from other planets.
- In a later book, *In Search of Ancient Gods*, von Däniken sees additional evidence in a famous map.

In printed works, titles of books (except the Bible), magazines, newspapers, works of art, long poems, plays, movies, and names of aircraft and ships are italicized. In handwriting, these titles are underlined.

- I think Hemingway's best novel is *A Farewell to Arms*.
- The *Mona Lisa* is my favorite painting.
- His source material was taken from *Time*, *Newsweek*, and the *New York Times*.

Italics (underlining) is also used to distinguish letters, figures, and words when they refer to themselves rather than to the ideas or things they usually represent.

- Do not leave the *o* out of *sophomore*.
- Your 3's look like 5's.



Read the following short passage and underline the words that should be italicized.

I was returning home on the America when I read Euripides' Medea. The play was of course in translation, by Murray, I believe; it was reprinted in Riley's Great Plays of Greece and Rome. I admire Medea the play and Medea the woman. Both have a quality that our contemporary primitivism misses. Characters in modern plays are neurotic; Medea was savagely mad.

MULTIPLE-CHOICE REVIEW

VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. This treatment _____ a significant advance in the field of cancer research.
a. fascinates b. cooperates c. speculates d. represents
2. It was a(n) _____ mountain road, full of stones and huge holes.
a. alien b. gigantic c. geometric d. rough
3. About 30 million people live along the Californian coastal _____.
a. strip b. chariot c. orbit d. diameter
4. A(n) _____ is an imaginary creature that is large and frightening.
a. reptile b. dinosaur c. monster d. admiral
5. Most of the committee members are _____ about the results of the survey.
a. primitive b. skeptical c. typical d. abrupt

GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

6. Diane didn't buy her brother a birthday card. She _____ about it.
a. should forget b. should have forgotten
c. must forget d. must have forgotten

UNIT 10

VOCABULARY

A Find a word from Unit Ten, which acts as a close synonym for the words or phrases in parentheses.

1. We were all (amazed) _____ at the depth of understanding the child showed.
2. I (hate) _____ warm milk – it makes me feel sick.
3. Du Pont's 1988 survey showed a (very surprising) _____ change in the attitude of male employees.
4. Joe and Alice are making (well-planned) _____ preparations for their wedding.
5. The interests of both sides may not be (the same) _____, but they do overlap considerably.
6. Thomas is a friendly (carefree) _____ type of guy whom everyone wants to associate with.

B Complete the following sentences by unscrambling the words in parentheses.

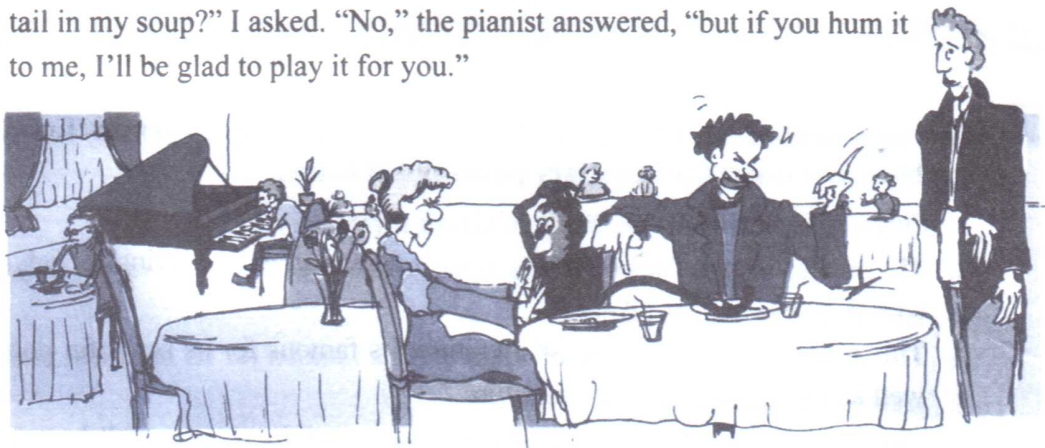
1. He has long hair and a (asrc) _____ under his left eye.
2. It was such a shame when Martha and Jamie (ovdcried) _____ each other.
3. Sheila's (pvoaeidt) _____ parents were very understanding about her desire to find her natural mother.

4. This new evidence would hopefully prove his (ceenncion) _____.
5. Italy is a country rich in cultural (gheirete) _____.
6. Maria went to Spain (psideet) _____ the fact that the doctor had told her to rest.

GRAMMAR AND WRITING

C Fill in the blanks with suitable additions and responses.

"What are you having to start with?" I asked my wife. "I don't know," she said. "I'm not very hungry." "(1) _____," I answered, "but I think I'll start with soup." "(2) _____," my wife said. The waiter took our order. "My wife would like some soup and (3) _____," I said. When the waiter brought the soup, I noticed a monkey sitting on a chair beside me. Suddenly, the monkey's tail was in my soup! "Waiter! Waiter!" I cried. "There's a monkey's tail in my soup, and I can't remove it," I said. "(4) _____," the waiter replied. "This monkey belongs to the restaurant pianist, and he won't let anyone touch it." I was very angry, and (5) _____ my wife. I spoke to the pianist. "Do you know there's a monkey's tail in my soup?" I asked. "No," the pianist answered, "but if you hum it to me, I'll be glad to play it for you."



D Read this paragraph. Underline the parts that are repetitive. Then rewrite the paragraph combining sentences where possible.

The United States and the United Kingdom have many similarities and differences. One of the similarities is language. People in the United States speak English. People in the United Kingdom speak English. Some people say that Americans don't speak very clearly. Some people say that the British speak very clearly. American and British food is also similar in some ways. Americans like to eat meat and potatoes.

The British like to eat meat and potatoes. The two countries also have similar holidays. Christmas is a very important holiday in both countries. Most Americans don't work on Christmas. Most British people don't work on Christmas. One big difference is the political system. The United Kingdom has a queen. The United States doesn't have a king or a queen. In the United States voters elect a president. In the United Kingdom voters don't elect a president. They elect a prime minister.

People in the United States speak English, and so do people in the United Kingdom.

PUNCTUATION: REVIEW



One punctuation mark is omitted in each of the following sentences. Locate the problem and insert the necessary punctuation mark.

1. Odyssey is a famous epic poem of Greek mythology.
2. The professor said, The poem tells of the wanderings and sufferings of Odysseus, who is also known as Ulysses.
3. This poem is a great classic of literature; its famous for its beautiful poetry as well as its exciting tales of adventure.
4. The author was Homer, who wrote this poem and the equally well-known Iliad in the ninth century B.C.
5. The story begins at the end of the Trojan war as Odysseus and his band of Greeks prepare to sail back to their home in Ithaca.
6. It would take Odysseus if you can believe it ten years to get back.
7. He and his companions encounter many obstacles people, creatures, and gods who seek to kill them.
8. A one-eyed giant called the Cyclops eats several of Odysseus men and imprisons the rest in his cave.

9. Odysseus blinds the giant, and his men must sneak out of the cave by tying themselves under the bellies of the Cyclops sheep.
10. The sea-god Neptune the Cyclops' father tries to sink the Greek ships in a storm.
11. Many of Odysseus' sailors are eaten by cannibals called lestrigonians.
12. For a year, Odysseus and his men remain captives of the beautiful sorceress Circe on her enchanted island.
13. Circe turns Odysseus' twenty two companions into pigs but finally lets them go.
14. The Sirens half women and half birds enticed sailors to their doom with their sweet songs.
15. Odysseus evades their charms by putting wax in his mens ears and lashing himself to the mast of the ship, where he can enjoy the songs but resist temptation.
16. Next, he manages to get past two more monsters Scylla and Charybdis.
17. Scylla is a six headed female monster, with six mouths containing three rows of sharp teeth.
18. Did you know that Charybdis is a dangerous whirlpool.
19. This is a great story! exclaimed the students.
20. It's amazing that a poem so old can be so action packed.

MULTIPLE-CHOICE REVIEW (Units 1-10)

VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. The large _____ from his aunt meant that he could buy his own boat.
a. artifact b. inheritance c. costume d. heredity
2. A _____ is a piece of rock in space that produces a bright light as it travels close to Earth.
a. chariot b. monster c. circuit d. meteor
3. There is concern that the giant panda will soon become _____.
a. extinct b. identical c. awesome d. typical
4. Altman is much _____ for his unique technical skills.
a. labeled b. trapped c. admired d. fascinated

5. To our amazement, the interview ended so _____ that we could hardly call it an interview.
- a. absolutely b. extremely c. extensively d. abruptly

GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

6. By the end of this week, Henry _____ regularly for six months.
- a. has been exercising b. will be exercising
c. has exercised d. will have been exercising
7. "Jennifer ate at home last night."
"_____. I saw him having dinner in the school cafeteria."
- a. But Mike didn't b. Mike didn't either
c. Neither did Mike d. So Mike did
8. Because of the emphasis on nutrition in recent years, Americans now consume _____ chicken and fish.
- a. a large number of b. many
c. a great deal of d. plenty
9. Although many spectators believed that the Australian gymnast, with her amazing flexibility and control, _____ the gold medal, the Olympic judges awarded it to the Romanian instead.
- a. should win b. should have won
c. must win d. must have won
10. The customer complained that the lamps had not been delivered yet, and _____.
- a. the chairs weren't either b. the chairs, too
c. neither had the chairs d. neither the chairs had

Read the following sentences and identify the incorrect part.

11. The Mayan Indians, archaeologists are thinking, originated around 1000
(a) (b)
B.C. in northern Guatemala, where evidence of an early agricultural people
(c)
has been found.
(d)
12. For some time after the explosion Jack couldn't hear, and neither couldn't he see.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

13. Detective Holmes realized that Spencer must not have committed the murder on July 4th because Spencer himself had died on July 3rd.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
14. Travelers are usually discouraged by a medical advice from visiting those areas where cholera and malaria are epidemic.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
15. We can begin the meeting when Josephina brings the report that she has prepared last week.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

Remedial Test 1

A. VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. Steven took his son to the zoo as a birthday _____.
a. blast b. diary c. treat d. recipe
2. Government crime _____ indicate that the murder rate is falling.
a. statistics b. particles c. entries d. memoirs
3. A(n) _____ is a flat, pale nut with a slightly sweet taste.
a. lobster b. scallop c. muffin d. almond
4. Stacy knew _____ nothing about the business when she started.
a. absolutely b. extremely c. extensively d. abruptly
5. The two British players both won their first-round matches in _____ style.
a. confidential b. aggressive c. practical d. severe
6. Nancy had _____ bravely against cancer for many years.
a. shifted b. vaulted c. marched d. battled
7. Designs for the new sports hall are on _____ in the library.
a. altar b. display c. credit d. heritage

8. Not wanting to make his wife anxious, Jeremy _____ his debts from his wife.
a. bargained b. sprained c. concealed d. finagled
9. I'll stick to my _____ on this matter. I'm sure I'm right.
a. glasses b. gears c. guns d. gloves
10. Many philosophers have the _____ that human beings are basically good.
a. notion b. capacity c. ritual d. staple
11. I can't _____ what this room looked like before it was decorated.
a. admire b. navigate c. counter d. visualize
12. This new discovery should prove _____ to many AIDS patients.
a. consistent b. beneficial c. awkward d. cooperative
13. I'm working on the _____ that the money will come through.
a. consumption b. evaluation c. assumption d. cognition
14. Please take this into consideration – Kate doesn't take any kind of _____ very well.
a. criticism b. disorder c. survey d. attitude
15. Eileen _____ all her video cassettes with the name and date.
a. fetches b. carves c. wags d. labels

B. GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

16. I know the exams are _____ time of year for you, but you ought to be patient with the students.
a. busiest b. most busily c. the busiest d. the most busily
17. The more we control the pollution, _____ the environment will be.
a. cleaner b. the cleaner c. cleanest d. the cleanest
18. Helen usually does the shopping, but I _____ it today as she isn't well.
a. doing b. do c. being done d. am doing
19. It was a fine day and the roads were crowded because a lot of people _____ to the seaside.
a. are rushing b. rush c. were rushing d. have rushed

20. The shops here don't deliver. We _____ carry everything home ourselves.
a. might b. could c. are able to d. have to
21. There are a lot of reasons why I don't want to work here. Here are _____ of them.
a. few b. little c. a few d. a little
22. Tom didn't realize how much the cost of living had gone up while he _____ abroad.
a. had lived b. had been living
c. has lived d. has been living
23. They couldn't give me _____ information about the delay in our flight.
a. a great deal of b. some
c. a large number of d. much
24. At last there was silence from the back of the car. All the children _____ asleep.
a. had fallen b. had been falling
c. have fallen d. have been falling
25. July 10th is my wedding anniversary. Next month, my husband and I _____ for twenty years.
a. have been married b. have been marrying
c. will have been married d. will have been marrying
26. "Did you remember to book seats?"
"Oh no, I forgot. I _____ for them now."
a. telephone b. am going to telephone
c. am telephoning d. will telephone
27. I _____ for Mr. Thomson next week as his own secretary will be away.
a. will be working b. will have been working
c. will have worked d. have worked
28. Linda _____ all day because she has failed all her exams.
a. has been crying b. is crying
c. had been crying d. cries
29. You _____ your passport before now. As it is, I cannot allow you to leave the country.
a. should renew b. should have renewed
c. must renew d. must have renewed

30. I don't know why Stella didn't ring. She _____ without me.
- a. ought to have gone b. might have gone
c. ought to go d. might go

Each sentence below has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order for the sentence to be correct.

31. His collection of antiques is as valuable than that owned by the best museums.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
32. You had better to see a doctor if you're still feeling ill today.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
33. Judging from the architecture, I think this photo might be taken in Spain.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
34. The state with the most large production of tobacco products is North Carolina.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
35. The coach said that they should have gone to the gym every day next week to get in shape for the game.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
36. Robinson Crusoe spent twenty years with his friend Man Friday on a uninhabited island.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
37. Mike doesn't want to waste his time working in a restaurant, and neither doesn't his brother.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
38. Often when the weather is too hot, people are very thirsty but not terrible hungry.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
39. I have bought a new house last year, but I haven't sold my old house yet, so at the moment I have two houses.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
40. Intelligence is the ability to use thought and knowledges to understand things and solve problems.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

C. READING COMPREHENSION

Read the following passage and choose the best answer to each question.

Why don't birds get lost on their long migratory flights? Scientists have puzzled over this question for many years. Now they're beginning to fill in the blanks.

Not long ago, experiments showed that birds rely on the sun to guide them during daylight hours. But what about birds that fly mainly by night? Tests with artificial stars have proved that certain night-flying birds are able to follow the stars in their long distance flights.

One such bird – a warbler – had spent its lifetime in a cage and had never flown under a natural sky. Yet it showed an inborn ability to use the stars for guidance. The bird's cage was placed under an artificial star-filled sky at migration time. The bird tried to fly in the same direction as that taken by his outdoor cousins. Any changes in the position of the make-believe stars caused a change in the direction of his flight. Scientists think that warblers, when flying in daylight, use the sun for guidance. But the stars are apparently their principal means of flying. What do they do when the stars are hidden by clouds?

Apparently, they find their way by such landmarks as mountain ranges, coastlines, and river courses. But when it's too dark to see these, the warblers circle helplessly, unable to reach their destination.

41. Birds that fly mainly at night follow
 - a. the stars.
 - b. the moon.
 - c. artificial stars.
 - d. city lights.
42. What does "make-believe" in line 11 probably mean?
 - a. Natural.
 - b. Hidden.
 - c. Unreal.
 - d. Guiding.
43. In total darkness, warblers
 - a. use landmarks.
 - b. can't fly purposefully.
 - c. use mountain ranges.
 - d. get hopeless.
44. The experiment with the warbler indicated that
 - a. birds have to be taught to migrate.
 - b. a bird that has been caged can't migrate.
 - c. there are still many birds that aren't free.
 - d. some birds instinctively follow stars while flying.
45. Under artificial stars, the bird in the cage
 - a. changed direction more than other birds.
 - b. flew as fast as his outdoor cousins.
 - c. flew in the same direction as free birds.
 - d. changed direction in order not to get lost.

REMEDIAL TEST 2

A. VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. Look at Tim – he's _____ on his back in the pool.
a. vaulting b. marching c. floating d. roaming
2. Aunt Rachel always gets us _____ Christmas presents.
a. roaring b. practical c. exuberant d. strict
3. Mary told me _____ that she is going to retire early.
a. annually b. consistently c. confidentially d. absolutely
4. I tried to argue, but he _____ that the plans were not yet finished.
a. countered b. narrated c. visualized d. snored
5. The long summer vacation had a(n) _____ effect on his health.
a. tropical b. oriental c. original d. beneficial
6. The meat was declared unfit for human _____.
a. evaluation b. consumption c. contribution d. expedition
7. If you leave early for Christmas, you'll _____ on all the partying.
a. strike up b. bargain c. outrun d. miss out

8. Buildings were bombed in an attempt to _____ the opposition.
a. intimidate b. speculate c. fascinate d. navigate
9. I spent some time yesterday taking _____ of my good and bad qualities.
a. stride b. store c. stock d. strike
10. She went through her usual _____ of making sure all the doors were locked before she went to bed.
a. sequence b. ritual c. notion d. display
11. The farmer had to call the _____ out to treat a sick cow.
a. alien b. vet c. vendor d. buddy
12. Most women feel sick in the mornings during their first months of _____.
a. pregnancy b. commitment c. coincidence d. drudgery
13. Many scientists remain _____ about the value of this research program.
a. identical b. primitive c. gorgeous d. skeptical
14. Diet and exercise can influence a person's weight but _____ is also a factor.
a. inheritance b. heredity c. heritage d. nurture
15. Bowls and other _____ were discovered during the excavations.
a. costumes b. meteors c. artifacts d. chariots

B. GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

16. Your job _____ be very demanding, but at least it isn't boring.
a. may b. must c. has to d. ought to
17. The more encouragement Edna got, _____ she tried to succeed.
a. the hardest b. hardest c. the harder d. harder
18. Fortunately, I didn't have _____ difficulty with this exercise.
a. some b. much c. a lot of d. many
19. Lots of people have tried to climb Everest, but _____ have succeeded.
a. a little b. a few c. very little d. very few
20. I'm tired of working in this office. I _____ of changing my job.
a. am thinking b. had thought c. think d. thought

21. At the inquiry into the plane crash, the pilot said in evidence that he _____ this type of aircraft for ten years.
- a. had been flying b. was flying
c. has been flying d. is flying
22. "Don't you know what the book is about?"
"No, I _____ it yet."
- a. haven't been reading b. hadn't been reading
c. haven't read d. hadn't read
23. By the time the passengers arrive, the ship _____.
a. has left b. will have left
c. is leaving d. has been leaving
24. "I'm catching the 6:30 train."
"So am I. I _____ you a lift to the station."
- a. have given b. will give
c. will have given d. am going to give
25. Mr. Pitt _____ at the meeting tonight because he had to go to hospital unexpectedly.
a. has not spoken b. will not have spoken
c. has not been speaking d. won't be speaking
26. The teacher said that Emma _____ hard during the term and deserved to pass all her exams.
a. had been working b. was working
c. has been working d. is working
27. By January, my father _____ at the same job for thirty years.
a. will have been working b. has been working
c. will be working d. is working
28. The port of Mocca gave its name to what is possibly _____ coffee in the world.
a. most distinctive b. the most distinctive
c. more distinctive d. the more distinctive
29. "The teacher looked very pleased today."
"Yes, he _____ a raise."
- a. ought to have gotten b. ought to get
c. might have gotten d. might get

30. You had better _____ Mr. Murphy today as he seems a bit irritable.
- | | |
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| a. not to visit | b. not visit |
| c. not visiting | d. don't visit |

Each sentence below has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order for the sentence to be correct.

31. Much linguists do not associate themselves with a particular school or theory.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
32. A common held belief is that man has evolved from lower forms of life.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
33. Northern Mexico generally receives the less rain than does Central Mexico.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
34. I was amazed to hear that Chris had won first prize, and so did Tom.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
35. Harry slept more comfortable than his sister because he had a softer bed.
(a) (b) (c) (d)
36. Dr. Littlewood is planning on moving to a warmer climate as soon as he will retire
(a) (b) (c) (d)
next year.
37. The police officer gave some advices on crime prevention at the community
(a) (b) (c) (d)
meeting.
38. After Eli Whitney has invented the cotton gin in 1973, the cotton market
(a) (b) (c)
boomed.
(d)
39. Most pines grow rapidly and form straight, tall trunks that are ideally for
(a) (b) (c) (d)
lumber.
40. The kangaroo travels at speeds up to 20 miles the hour by jumping on its powerful
(a) (b) (c) (d)
hind legs.

C. READING COMPREHENSION

Read the following passage and choose the best answer to each question.

Underwater exploration was once difficult and dangerous work. People were limited in how deep they could go and how long they could stay under the water. If scientists wanted to study fish and sea animals, they had to make a lot of guesses.

Of course, there have been submarines or underwater ships for over 200 years, but before 1930, there were none specially built for underwater exploration.

William Beebe, an American naturalist, changed all that with his invention of the bathysphere in 1930. In 1934, this special submarine went down to a depth of nearly a kilometer.

In 1948, August Piccard, a Swiss scientist, invented the bathyscaphe. With this underwater ship, oceanographers could safely go down to much greater depths and study the animals and fish close up. The bathyscaphe can go down 10 kilometers to explore the deepest parts of the ocean.

Since the invention of the bathyscaphe, many other kinds of oceanographic submarines have been invented. Today, there are even underwater laboratories, which are built on the ocean floor. Scientists can live and work in these for a long time.

The ocean was once an unknown world. Now, because of the bathyscaphe, underwater laboratories, and many new kinds of oceanographic submarines, we are finding out about this unknown underwater world and the plants and animals that live in it.

41. What is the passage mainly about?
- a. History of studying fish and sea animals.
 - b. Underwater laboratories on the ocean floor.
 - c. Piccard's and Beebe's studies as naturalists.
 - d. Underwater exploration with underwater ships.
42. Who invented the submarine specially designed for underwater exploration?
- a. An American naturalist in 1930.
 - b. A Swiss scientist in 1930.
 - c. An American naturalist in 1934.
 - d. A Swiss scientist in 1948.

43. Which of the following is NOT true?
- a. With Piccard's invention, scientists could build underwater laboratories.
 - b. With Piccard's invention, scientists could stay longer underwater.
 - c. With Piccard's invention, scientists could go down many kilometers underwater.
 - d. With Piccard's invention, scientists could sail across the ocean.
44. According to the passage, what did the bathyscaphe allow scientists to do?
- a. To study sea animals close up.
 - b. To go down more than ten kilometers safely.
 - c. To find treasures on the deepest ocean floors.
 - d. To stay on the ocean floor for many months.
45. What became possible as a result of Piccard's invention?
- a. Exploring the deepest parts of the ocean.
 - b. Studying fish and sea animals.
 - c. Going down one kilometer.
 - d. Making geographical explorations.

REMEDIAL TEST 3

A. VOCABULARY

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

1. She didn't realize the vase was cracked, and when she picked it up, it _____ apart in her hands.
a. went b. pulled c. fell d. set
2. A _____ is a small, round, sweet cake that often contains fruit.
a. muffin b. lobster c. soufflé d. scallop
3. The _____ of the house wants the contracts exchanged before the end of the month.
a. ancestor b. vendor c. priest d. host
4. The computer factory represents only a small _____ of the company's business.
a. excerpt b. blast c. circuit d. portion
5. The manager gives the _____ that he really doesn't care.
a. impression b. evaluation c. speculation d. aggression
6. The fire was moving so fast that you couldn't _____ it.
a. mug b. conceal c. outrun d. shift

7. Students have spoken of their growing _____ with school administrators.
a. hospitality b. territory c. frustration d. drudgery
8. The journey from here to Paris took _____ seven hours.
a. extremely b. approximately c. abruptly d. extensively
9. I can't stand his _____ disregard for other people's opinions.
a. primitive b. gorgeous c. awesome d. arrogant
10. He did finally come with us, although it took a long time to _____ him.
a. persuade b. represent c. admire d. fetch
11. We were all anxious to know when Peter and Nancy would _____ the knot.
a. grip b. tie c. fasten d. seize
12. The camera has a lot of small buttons, which makes it rather _____ to use.
a. prestigious b. typical c. gigantic d. awkward
13. Gabriel, my nephew, is looking for a career in law _____.
a. enforcement b. heredity c. heritage d. inheritance
14. I wish I were an eagle _____ high above those cliffs.
a. marching b. roaming c. soaring d. navigating
15. Several of the women _____ one another closely.
a. split b. resemble c. visualize d. fascinate

B. GRAMMAR

Read the following sentences and choose the best answer.

16. The _____ we get going, the sooner we'll finish.
a. most quickly b. quickest c. more quickly d. quickly
17. I'm afraid my salary leaves me _____ money to spend on entertainment.
a. a little b. a few c. little d. few
18. It took me _____ of time to finish the report, yet I could hand it in on time.
a. much b. any c. a great deal d. many

19. "Have you heard from Elena these days?"

"Yes, she writes to me occasionally and in fact she _____ to stay with me next month."

- a. comes b. is coming c. came d. has come

20. The more tournaments she wins, the _____ she plays.

- a. most confident b. more confident
c. most confidently d. more confidently

21. By the time we get home, I _____ for five hours.

- a. have been driving b. will be driving
c. am driving d. will have been driving

22. I _____ the doorbell six times, but no one has answered.

- a. have rung b. had rung
c. have been ringing d. had been ringing

23. We _____ our program the moment we have any further news of the situation.

- a. interrupt b. have interrupted
c. will interrupt d. are interrupting

24. You'll disappoint her if you don't go. Now that you've promised, she _____ you.

- a. expected b. expects
c. has expected d. will be expecting

25. By the time the policeman arrived, the criminal _____.

- a. has escaped b. had escaped
c. has been escaping d. had been escaping

26. I'd better _____ a note, so they'll know I'll be late.

- a. leave b. left c. to leave d. leaving

27. "Where's Amanda? She's late."

"She _____ stuck in rush-hour traffic."

- a. may have gotten b. ought to get
c. may get d. ought to have gotten

28. He had a strong Yorkshire accent although he came from London. He _____ in Yorkshire for a long time.

- a. must live b. must have lived
c. should live d. should have lived

29. The ancient Olympic Games _____ as amateur contests, but in time became professional.

- a. were beginning b. began
c. would begin d. have begun

30. When I arrived, everyone was asleep. Fortunately, I _____ wake up my sister and she let me in.

- a. ought to b. might c. was able to d. must

Each sentence below has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order for the sentence to be correct.

31. It was general believed at the time that both men were guilty.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

32. The Smiths have just bought some new garden furnitures.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

33. The party didn't go on as long that I thought it would.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

34. We had walked least than three kilometers when Robert said he wanted to rest.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

35. There's not a lot flour left, but you're welcome to the little there is.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

36. While you are playing tennis on Sunday, I will have worked in the garden.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

37. When he finally arrived, we have been waiting for him for over three hours.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

38. I was astonished to hear Joe had failed all his exams, and neither were his parents.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

39. Belgian chocolate is considered by many to be more finer than any other in the world.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

40. Since beginning of the age of computers, technological advances have increased tenfold.
(a) (b) (c) (d)

C. READING COMPREHENSION

Read the following passage and choose the best answer to each question.

In spite of ill health and a physical incapacity that threatened her career, Carson McCullers completed a novel in the summer of 1961 that made the best-seller list before its official publication date due to prepublication sales.

In an interview at her home, the noted novelist looked back on some of her problems of recent years and spoke without emotion of her latest book *Clock Without Hands*, her first in fifteen years. "For many years I had been thinking of the novel and finally wrote it this past year." The tall, frail novelist, forty-three years old in 1961, suffered a series of strokes in her twenties that left her partially incapacitated, and she admits also that a mental block kept her from writing for many years after the strokes.

Mrs. McCullers once wrote that "writing is a wandering, dreaming occupation," but beyond the admission that she works "very hard" at her writing, she is shy about discussing her work. She is remote from literary fashions, and she has never learned to intellectualize her art, but she reads her critics and takes them seriously.

Clock Without Hands depicts Mrs. McCullers' native South and the slow passing of the old way of life through the lives of a dying pharmacist, a white judge and former congressman, his rebellious grandson, and two Negroes. Among her earlier noted works are *Member of the Wedding*, *The Heart Is a Lonely Hunter*, and *Ballad of a Sad Café*.

41. *Clock Without Hands* was Carson McCullers' first important
- a. novel in 1943.
 - b. literary work.
 - c. work in fifteen years.
 - d. work since she was twenty.
42. The novel made the best-seller list
- a. one month after publication.
 - b. immediately upon publication.
 - c. before publication.
 - d. before completion.

43. Mrs. McCullers' comments about *Clock Without Hands* were
- a. enthusiastic.
 - b. defensive.
 - c. shy and self-conscious.
 - d. unemotional.
44. She once described writing as
- a. a way of life.
 - b. a very hard job.
 - c. a pleasant occupation.
 - d. an art based on craftsmanship.
45. According to the passage, Mrs. McCullers
- a. pays attention to her critics.
 - b. intellectualizes her art.
 - c. discusses her work with interest.
 - d. follows literary fashions.