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❖ For Questions (1-14), read the following texts carefully, then choose from a, b, c or d the correct answer that completes the sentence below each text.

1. Ali ibn Nafi' is also known as 'Ziryab' (or 'Blackbird', because of his beautiful voice). He was a gifted pupil of a famous musician from Baghdad, and it was his talent for music that led him to Cordoba in the ninth century CE. He was the guest of the Umayyad ruler there.

Ali ibn Nafi' is known as 'Blackbird' because -----

- a) his voice was beautiful b) he was a gifted pupil
c) he was the guest of the Umayyad ruler d) he had a talent for music

2. Energy will be provided by solar power and wind farms, and there are also plans to build the world's largest hydrogen plant. A desalination plant will be used to provide the city's water, with 80% of water used being recycled.

The advantage of the desalination unit is to -----

- a) provide the city's water
b) build the world's largest plant
c) provide the city's wind farms
d) build the world's wind farms

3. One of the many things which Ibn Bassal achieved was *A Book of Agriculture*. The book consisted of sixteen chapters which explain how best to grow trees, fruit and vegetables. The most famous chapter of all was the one that described how to treat different types of soil. Ibn Bassal also worked out how to irrigate the land by finding underground water.

The sentence which contains the title of Ibn Bassal's book is ----- .

- a) Ibn Bassal also worked out how to irrigate the land by finding underground water
- b) The most famous chapter of all was the one that described how to treat different type of soil
- c) The book consisted of sixteen chapters which explain how best to grow trees, fruit and vegetables
- d) One of the many things which Ibn Bassal achieved was *A Book of Agriculture*

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4. Ali ibn Nafi' is the person who established the first music school in the world in Cordoba, Al-Andalus, teaching musical harmony and composition. **He** revolutionised musical theory, and is also the person who introduced the oud to Europe.

The underlined pronoun (He) refers to ----- .

- a) musical harmony b) the oud c) Al-Andalus d) Ali ibn Nafi'

5. The book consisted of sixteen chapters which explain how best to grow trees, fruit and vegetables. Ibn Bassal also worked out how to irrigate the land by finding underground water and digging wells. He designed water pumps and irrigation systems. All of these things were passed on through his writing.

Ibn Bassal worked out how to irrigate the land by ----- .

- a) using old water pumps and irrigation systems
b) digging wells and finding underground water
c) finding underground water and using old water pumps
d) explaining how best to grow trees, fruit and vegetables in his book

6. **Interviewer:** 'Can you tell us about your last meeting in China?'

Mr Ghanem: 'Of course! I arrived on time. You must not arrive late, as this shows disrespect. Then, when I met the company director, I shook hands with him gently. I began the meeting by making small talk about my interesting experience in China. I never told a joke, as this may not be translated correctly or could cause offence'.

What could cause offence during a business meeting in China is ----- .

- a) arriving late b) telling jokes c) shaking hands d) making a small talk

7. Al-Kindi was a physician, philosopher, mathematician, chemist, musician and astronomer a true polymath. He made ground-breaking discoveries in many of these fields, but it is probably his work in arithmetic and geometry that has made him most famous.

Fatima al-Fihri was the daughter of a wealthy businessman. She used her father's inheritance to build a learning centre in Fez, Morocco. This learning center became Morocco's top university, and it is where many students from all over the world come to study.

-The most suitable title for the above text is ----- .

- a) Adventurous people b) The importance of Islamic achievements in history
c)) Modern Islamic achievements d) The importance of foreign scientists

8. Plan your presentation carefully, not just what you will say, but how you will say it. It is always a good idea to have a list of your main points, in case something interrupts you, or you simply freeze with nerves (it happens!). Then practise it, if possible in front of colleagues. Make changes and practise it again. Remember to speak slowly and clearly.

The advice that is presented in the above text for making a sales pitch is ----- .

- a) doing your research correctly b) making changes repeatedly
c) preparing and practising carefully d) using friendly comments

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According to Mr. Ghanem, one mustn't arrive late at a meeting in China because this ----- .

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| a) shows disrespect | b) causes offence |
| c) may not cause offence | d) may not be translated correctly |

10. Two of Jordan's largest exports are chemicals and fertilisers. Pharmaceuticals and other industries represent 30% of Jordan's Gross Domestic Product (GDP), and 75% of Jordan's pharmaceuticals are exported. However, the majority (65%) of the economy is dominated by services, mostly travel and tourism.

What represents 30% of Jordan Gross Domestic Products are -----.

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| a) chemicals and fertilisers | b) travel and tourism |
| c) pharmaceuticals and other industries | d) travel and chemicals |

11. Jordan is rich in potash and phosphate, and the extraction industry for these minerals is one of the largest in the world. Not surprisingly, two of Jordan's largest exports are chemicals and fertilisers.

The extraction industry for ----- in Jordan is one of the largest in the world.

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|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| a) potash and phosphate | b) fertilisers and phosphate |
| c) chemicals and fertilisers | d) chemicals and phosphate |

12. Whether you're selling a new type of toothpaste to a chain of pharmacies, the latest computer software to a school or a new kind of package holiday to a travel agency – you need to know how to make a sales pitch. You also need to know who the target market is-for example, the age group or income of the people who might buy it.

The expression which means "an organized trip with everything included in the price (travel, accommodation, food)" is -----

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| a) age group | b) sales pitch | c) package holiday | d) department store |
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13. Unless you have a language degree, you will not be able to become an interpreter. If you get an interview for a job, you will need to show that you have good listening skills and a clear speaking voice.

A person will not ----- unless he/she has a language degree.

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| a) have good listening skills | b) have a clear speaking voice |
| c) be able to become an interpreter | d) get an interview for a job |

14. My name is Fatima Musa and I have worked as an interpreter for five years. Many students have emailed me about my work because they want to know what it would be like to do my job. I have always been fond of languages. My father worked in many different countries when I was young and we usually travelled with him.

The underlined pronoun 'they' refers to ----- .

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| a) languages | b) an interpreter | c) countries | d) students |
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❖ For sentences (15-26), read each sentence carefully then choose from a, b, c or d the correct answer that completes each sentence.

15. A place where no cars are allowed is a ----- zone.
a) solar power b) car-free c) zero-waste d) carbon footprint
16. The words "philosopher" and "geometry" can be grouped in two categories which are ----- .
a) subjects and people specialized in certain field studies
b) achievements and scientists
c) influential scientists and great achievements
d) contributions and inventions
17. One of the following is the least essential in a business meeting ----- .
a) being prepared for detailed questions
b) doing a deal
c) making a small talk
d) telling a joke
18. The ----- of the new aircraft will start next year.
a) production b) productive c) productional d) productively
19. My father teaches Maths. He is a ----- .
a) previous b) mathematician c) conflict d) seminar
20. Scientists around the world are working to ----- a remedy for cancer.
a) discovery b) discoverable c) discoverer d) discover
21. When you are ready for something, you are ----- for it.
a) prepared b) joined c) earned d) negotiated
22. The customer wanted to ----- over the price of the car.
a) cause b) negotiate c) qualify d) fertilise
23. Ahmad is a ----- journalist, he has worked for many journals.
a) qualify b) qualifying c) qualified d) qualification
24. Suha studies hard. I'm sure she will ----- .
a) success b) successfully c) successful d) succeed
25. Fadi has now learned English well enough that he can perform interviews without an ----- .
a) interpret b) interpreted c) interpretable d) interpreter
26. The word that means "a class on a particular subject, usually given as a form of training" is ----- .
a) regional b) seminar c) translation d) surveyor

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❖ For questions (27-36), read the following sentences then choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d to complete each sentence below.

27. The person ----- won the prize for Art last year was Sara.
a) which b) where c) who d) when
28. The country ----- the scientists did their research was Jordan.
a) whose b) where c) who d) when
29. It was the month of Ramadan ----- Ibn Sina died.
a) which b) who c) where d) when
30. I'm hungry. I wish I ----- breakfast before I went to school.
a) had eaten b) has eaten c) hadn't eaten d) hasn't eaten
31. Kareem regrets the deal now. He wishes he ----- done it.
a) haven't b) hasn't c) have d) hadn't
32. We aren't old enough to travel alone. If only we ----- older.
a) was b) were c) weren't d) wasn't
33. People get a huge feeling of satisfaction when they ----- others.
a) helped b) has helped c) help d) helps
34. Jordan needs to import a lot of oil. If only it ----- larger oil reserves.
a) has b) had had c) have d) had
35. ----- me how to play the drum.
a) It was my uncle who taught
b) It is my uncle teaching
c) My uncle who taught
d) It was my uncle taught
36. ----- earlier, they would have finished by now.
a) If only they had started
b) She wishes they had started
c) If only they have started
d) She wishes she had started
37. Choose from a, b, c or d the best sentence that completes the sentence below using the third conditional.
I wasn't thirsty. I didn't drink the lemonade.
If I-----
a) was thirsty, I would drink lemonade
b) had been thirsty, I would have drunk the lemonade
c) would have been thirsty, I drank the lemonade
d) might have been thirsty, I drank the lemonade

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38. Choose from a, b, c or d the correct cleft sentence that stresses the information in bold in the following sentence:

My father has influenced me most.

- a) I was the person who has been influenced most by my father.
- b) It was me who has been influenced most by my father.
- c) The person who has influenced me most is my father.
- d) The person who has been most influenced by my father is me.

❖ **For sentences (39-50), read the following sentences then choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d to complete each sentence below.**

39. The sentence that has the correct order of the words and phrases below is ----- .

(at /studies/college/failed/exams/and/ was/ Ahmad/his/consequently/to start/unable/his)

- a) Ahmad failed his exams and was consequently unable to start his studies at college.
- b) And was consequently unable to start his studies at college. Ahmad failed his exams.
- c) Ahmad failed and was consequently unable to start his studies at college his exams.
- d) Unable to start his studies at college and was consequently Ahmad failed his exams.

40. The suitable sentence which represents a thesis statement for a summary of an article is -----

- a) The article discusses Masdar City, which is an example of a 'megaproject'.
- b) She used her father's inheritance to build a learning center.
- c) As farmers followed his instructions and advice, the land become fertile.
- d) Biological waste will be used as an energy source too, and industrial waste will be recycled.

41. Projects range from motorways, airports --- stations, etc. to entire city complexes ----

- a) : / .
- b) ; / ?
- c) . / ?
- d) , / .

42. The Arab world has many famous chemists in its history, but the person who is known as the founder of chemistry is probably ----- ibn Hayyan -----

- a) jabir / .
- b) Jabir / .
- c) jabir / ?
- d) Jabir / ?

43. If you are polite -----you won't cause offence or upset anybody -----

- a) ? / .
- b) , / ?
- c) , / .
- d) . / ,

44. You also need to know who the ----- is - for example, the age group or income of the people who might ----- it.

- a) target market / buy
- b) target marcet / bought
- c) targit marcet / will buy
- d) terget market / would buy

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45. We highly ----- this restaurant to anyone who likes Indian food.
a) respond b) recommend c) comprehend d) proceed
46. I recently stayed in this hotel for a few nights, ----- it didn't entirely live up to expectations.
a) and b) because of c) also d) secondly
47. The sentence that best describes a person's ideal job is ----- .
a) I am not very passionate about renewable energy
b) My biggest strength is that I am very efficient at working under pressure
c) My biggest weakness is the lack of real-life experience
d) It is the one by which I can use my creative abilities to support other professionals
48. The strategy which helps in structuring a paragraph is----- .
a) covering each paragraph in more than one idea
b) introducing the topic in the second sentence of each paragraph
c) explaining ideas in more detail in the next sentence of the paragraph
d) summarizing ideas in the third sentence of the paragraph
49. The informal sentence among the following is ----- .
a) I wish I hadn't given up the piano
b) I am pleased to meet you
c) Salem is a difficult person
d) Tala is an attractive woman
50. The sentence that contains a linking word that shows cause is ----- .
a) The school bus was caught in the traffic, so we missed the first class
b) Hazem has never been to the beach, therefore he is not sure if he will enjoy it
c) Alia worked hard; consequently, she did very well in her exams
d) The school bus was late due to the traffic

THE END