Listening 1.
Choose the correct answer (a,b,c or d)

1. What is the name of the girl being interviewed?
   a. Alice
   b. Ellen
   c. Alex
   d. Nick

2. She says we should save water when……….
   a. washing cars.
   b. cleaning clothes.
   c. taking a bath.
   d. drinking water.

3. The girl's second suggestion is about……….
   a. separating different types of garbage.
   b. disposing of trash properly.
   c. having a family clean-up party.
   d. leaving the garbage.

4. By recycling paper, we can……….
   a. protect the forests.
   b. cut down on waste.
   c. save money.
   d. save people.

5. What does the girl do once a month?
   a. She visits a recycling center.
   b. She cleans a neighborhood park.
   c. She collects newspapers.
   d. She visits her parents.

Task 2.

6. What is the name of the school?
   a. English Study Center
   b. World English College
   c. English Language Center
   d. English Language college

7. What is the man's name?
   a. Jacob
   b. Joseph
   c. Joshua
   d. Simon

8. In what way is the man sick?
   a. He has a bad backache.
   b. He has a terrible cold.
   c. He has a high fever.
   d. He has smallpox.

9. He plans to return to work ……….
   a. tomorrow.
   b. in two days.
   c. next week.
   d. next month.

10. The woman is going to……….
    a. cancel the man's classes
    b. teach his classes herself
    c. ask another teacher to help
    d. fire the man.

Task 3.

11. The woman realizes that her brother is getting married……….
    a. tomorrow
    b. in a week
    c. next month
    d. next year

12. According to the conversation, what is his girlfriend like?
    a. She's a compassionate person.
    b. She's outgoing and friendly.
    c. The woman is very honest.
    d. she is very silly.

13. Jasmine, the man's girlfriend,……….
    a. has bright green hair
    b. wears a lot of crazy clothes
    c. has interesting body art
    d. is very ugly

14. The man probably isn't ready for marriage because he……….
    a. has been in many unsuccessful relationships
    b. doesn't have a good paying job to support them
    c. is still financially dependent on his parents
    d. does not have his own house.

15. The man and Jasmine……….
    a. agree a lot on the same family size
b. have similar views on the number of kids they want
c. don’t think alike at all on this subject
d. They often quarrel.

20. What does the couple decide to watch?
   a. a TV drama
   b. a sports event
   c. a talk show
   d. a performance

**Task 4.**

16. When is the reality showing on TV? What channel is showing the program?
   a. At 7:00 on channel 5
   b. At 7:30 on channel 7
   c. At 8:00 on channel 11
   d. At 8:00 on channel 12

17. Why does the man not want to watch the reality show?
   a. He watched the same program last week.
   b. He isn’t interested in show’s theme.
   c. He wants to go swimming instead.
   d. He wants to sleep.

18. How does the man feel about watching Star Wars on TV?
   a. He wouldn’t mind seeing it again.
   b. He’d like to watch it if he had more time.
   c. He’d prefer to watch something else.
   d. He wants to meet his girlfriend.

19. Which statement best describes the man's feelings about watching the home improvement show?
   a. He doesn’t want to watch because his wife will expect him to fix things around the house.
   b. He thinks that he will be able to get a better job by learning from the show.
   c. He thinks it is easier to get someone else to repair their problems around the house.

**Task 5.**

21. What is the man's name?
   a. His name is Mike.
   b. He goes by Nick.
   c. His friends call him Nate.
   d. His name is Simon.

22. Where is the man from?
   a. He's from Brownstone.
   b. His hometown is Brownsburg.
   c. He's originally from Brownsville.
   d. He is from Spain.

23. How old is the man?
   a. He’s in his early twenties.
   b. He’s in his mid-twenties.
   c. He's in his late twenties.
   d. He is 19.

24. Where did the man meet Sarah?
   a. He met her on a bus.
   b. They were introduced at a party.
   c. He saw her in a language class.
   d. He met her in the cinema.

25. Sarah's older sister is worried that Nick...........
   a. is a terrible language teacher
   b. is going to be a negative influence on her
   c. charges too much money for lessons
   d. spends much money

**Reading**

*Read the text and choose the correct answer (a,b,c or d)*

Despite the peace that temporarily reigned in Boston, the Sons of Liberty were continually trying to find ways to keep Parliament’s power over them in check. Furthermore, the tax on tea became more and more irritating. In 1773, Parliament authorized the Tea Act. Within the Tea Act, Parliament granted the East India Company a monopoly (the only business in a specific trade or product) over the American tea trade. Although the monopoly decreased the price of tea, Americans realized that Parliament was only regulating American trade, and had the power to interfere in American business whenever it suited them. Public protest of the Tea Act grew quickly through the colonies. Fearing a revolt, several ships carrying tea destined for New York and Philadelphia returned to England without unloading tea. On December 16, 1773, the Sons of Liberty, led by Samuel Adams, planned to show Parliament how they felt about the Tea Act. They boarded the British ship Dartmouth docked in Boston Harbor, dressed up as Indians, and dumped the entire load of tea into the water. This event came to be known as the Boston Tea Party. The historical significance of the Boston Tea Party is recognized more in the British response than in the event itself. As a result of the Boston
Tea Party, Parliament passed the following laws designed to punish the Americans. 1.) The Boston Harbor Bill. This bill closed the harbor to all commercial traffic until Americans paid for the tea they dumped. 2.) The Administration of Justice Act. This act required the extradition (transfer) of all royal officials charged with capital crimes in America to courts in Great Britain. 3.) Massachusetts Government Act. This act ended self-rule in the colonies and made all elected officers in America subject to British appointment. 4.) Quartering Act. This was simply a new version of the 1765 Quartering Act which required Americans to provide accommodations (housing, food, clothing etc.) to British soldiers if necessary. 5.) Quebec Act. This act extended the Canadian border (British territory) into the Ohio River Valley and eliminated lands that were claimed by Massachusetts, Virginia and Connecticut. These acts were called the Intolerable Acts in America and resulted in the formation of the Continental Congress.

26. Why did Americans oppose the Tea Act?
   a. It made tea more expensive.
   b. It made tea cheaper.
   c. It showed that parliament could interfere with American trade.
   d. The quality of tea had decreased.

27. What is a monopoly?
   a. When all the tea is gone.
   b. When there is only one business is a specific trade.
   c. The Sons of Liberty.
   d. When all businesses fail.

28. What does "authorized" mean in the following sentence? "In 1773, Parliament authorized the Tea Act".
   a. Found an author for.
   b. Wrote.
   c. Passed or allowed.
   d. Defended.

29. In which of the following sentences is the word "authorized" used correctly?
   a. The league authorized several new rules for the upcoming season.
   b. Many writers authorized their books in the form of a journal.
   c. I authorized my little brother when he was picked on.
   d. The winter will be authorized soon.

   a. The tax was too high.
   b. People refused to drink the tea.
   c. A revolt was possible.
   d. The ports were closed.

31. Which of the following is NOT true?
   a. The Sons of Liberty dressed up as Indians and threw the entire load of tea aboard the Dartmouth into Boston Harbor.
   c. The Intolerable Acts resulted in the formation of the Continental Congress.
   d. The Boston Tea Party was carried out to show the Americans how Parliament felt about the tea tax.

32. Which of the following reflects the Quartering Act?
   a. This act closed Boston Harbor to all commercial traffic.
   b. This act required all royal officials charged with crimes in America to be judged for those crimes in Great Britain.
   c. This act required American citizens to open their homes to British soldiers.
   d. This act eliminated American land claims in the Ohio River Valley.

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   b. This act eliminated land claims of Virginia and Massachusetts in the Ohio River valley.
   c. This act required American citizens to open their homes to British soldiers.
   d. This act ended self-rule in the colonies and made all elected officers in America subject to British appointment.

34. How many acts (laws) were passed?
   a. 10
   b. 8
   c. 5
   d. 2

35. What was the requirement of the second act?
   a. To authorize the Tea Act.
   b. To transfer all royal officials charged with capital crimes.
   c. To have Boston Tea Party.
   d. To work on Sundays.
Vocabulary and Grammar

Choose the correct answer (a, b, c or d)

36. I bought these jeans very cheaply in the
   a. bargains
   b. reductions
   c. sales
   d. label

37. You can’t tell what someone is like just from their..........
   a. character
   b. appearance
   c. personality
   d. looking

38. Did you hear about the volcanic........ last night?
   a. erupt
   b. eruption
   c. erupting
   d. erupted

39. The hotel was terrible, but the wonderful beach........our disappointment.
   a. got over
   b. faced up to
   c. saw to
   d. made up for

40. Our English teacher........us some different exercises for homework.
   a. set
   b. put
   c. obliged
   d. made

41. What is the meaning of the word ‘inappropriate’?
   a. free
   b. irrelevant
   c. being used
   d. out of stock

42. Showing the insulting attitude of people who believe that they are better than other people is called:
   a. reliable
   b. cheerful
   c. intelligent
   d. arrogant

43. Yesterday, our truck........out of gas again.
   a. robbed
   b. ruled
   c. ran
   d. finished

44. Most schools in my country no longer have........punishment.
   a. physical
   b. capital
   c. bodily
   d. corporal

45. The dog ............... its tail furiously when it saw the children.
   a. shook
   b. wagged
   c. moved
   d. rubbed

46. The police asked if there were any........ who had seen the crime.
   a. witnesses
   b. victims
   c. juries
   d. judges

47. Would you prefer........ potatoes or chips?
   a. poached
   b. ground
   c. mashed
   d. powdered

48. Can you give me the........ for this pie? It’s delicious.
   a. prescription
   b. instructions
   c. ingredients
   d. recipe

49. Is the hamburger for you to eat here, or to........
   a. take away
   b. go out
   c. carry on
   d. sit down

50. Peter sings every Sunday in the local church........
   a. concert
   b. choir
51. If you can’t find what you are looking for in the book, use the………..
   a. preface
   b. directory
   c. list
   d. index

52. The policemen following the robbers were in……….. clothes.
   a. plain
   b. ordinary
   c. normal
   d. simple

53. At the end of the story, the hero manages to arrest the………..
   a. offenders
   b. villains
   c. wrongs
   d. evils

54. I had to answer question A because it was………..
   a. compulsory
   b. need
   c. must
   d. obligation

55. If your dog damages your neighbor’s property, you could be ……….
   a. guilty
   b. payable
   c. liable
   d. illegal

56. After ten years in prison, George was ……… and set free.
   a. pardoned
   b. released
   c. innocent
   d. forgiven

57. We don’t have the CD, I’m afraid. It’s out of ………
   a. order
   b. stock
   c. shelf
   d. sale

59. I bought this bread four days ago and now it’s ………
   a. off
   b. bad
   c. stale
   d. rotten

60. Waiter, I can’t eat this meat. It’s under ……….
   a. developed
   b. done
   c. nourished
   d. weight

61. That was fantastic. Could I have a second ………, please.
   a. plate
   b. course
   c. helping
   d. service

62. The ship stopped because two passengers had fallen ……….
   a. overboard
   b. upside down
   c. underground
   d. inside out

63. Nick’s car ………off the icy road and fell into a ditch.
   a. crashed
   b. collided
   c. hit
   d. skidded

64. Turn the radio down a bit. The noise is really hard to ………
   a. put up with
   b. catch up on
   c. look forward to
   d. set in for

65. “How many calories do you consume on ………?” ”Too many.”
   a. usual
   b. common
   c. habit
   d. average

66. We couldn’t eat the meat because it had ……….
67. Have you made up your ........... yet? Do you know what you're going to do after you finish your studies?
   a. reason
   b. mind
   c. head
   d. decision

68. The euro has become a common ........... for the EU nations.
   a. cash
   b. coin
   c. capital
   d. currency

69. The ........... gave the new film a very good review.
   a. critics
   b. reporters
   c. announcers
   d. interviewers

70. He is quite an ........... . He has lots of friends.
   a. extrovert
   b. introvert
   c. reserved
   d. moody

71. I have put ........... some money in case of emergencies.
   a. out
   b. off
   c. up
   d. aside

72. I'll never forget the party. It was truly ........... event.
   a. a memorable
   b. a mindful
   c. an attending
   d. an expressing

73. If your camera is faulty, you should return it to the ........... .
   a. creator
   b. manufacturer
   c. inventor
   d. builder

74. This knife is really ........... I'll have to sharpen it.
   a. dull
   b. flat
   c. frank
   d. blunt

75. Don't forget to ........... your alarm clock for 6.00.
   a. put
   b. rig
   c. set
   d. go off

76. Martin hasn't quite ........... his illness yet.
   a. recovered
   b. got over
   c. looked after
   d. suffered

77. I bought these shoes in the sale. They were a real ........... .
   a. bargain
   b. cheap
   c. economy
   d. purchase

78. Nino's parents were very pleased when they read her school ........... .
   a. report
   b. papers
   c. diploma
   d. account

79. Please wipe your feet on the door ........... before you come in.
   a. mat
   b. rug
   c. carpet
   d. tile

80. I like the hat but it doesn't ........... me.
   Have you got the same thing in a larger size?
   a. dress
   b. fit
   c. match
   d. suit

81. When I came home late in the evening, my parents ........... .
   a. had already had dinner
   b. have already had dinner
c. have been having dinner  
   d. had dinner  
82. Nino was sure that she…………the exams successfully.  
   a. will pass  
   b. would pass  
   c. passed  
   d. has passed  
83. I’m very tired. I…………for three days.  
   a. travel  
   b. travelled  
   c. had travelled  
   d. have been travelling  
84. If you aren’t going to the USA,………..  
   a. I’m not too  
   b. I am not also  
   c. neither I am  
   d. neither am I  
85. The bills ………by Friday.  
   a. had paid  
   b. were paid  
   c. are being paid  
   d. will have been paid.  
86. If you want to go to the USA next year, you ………get a visa.  
   a. might  
   b. will have to  
   c. could  
   d. ought  
87. If I…………you like apple pies, I would have made it.  
   a. have known  
   b. had known  
   c. knew  
   d. would know  
88. “What does that man want?” “He wants to know what time …….. .”  
   a. does his train leave  
   b. his train leaves  
   c. leaves the train  
   d. will leave the train  
89. “It’s eight o’clock already!” “You’d better hurry then, ……..?”  
   a. wouldn’t you  
   b. should you  
   c. hadn’t you  
   d. could you  
90. Although the question was easy, ………. boys were able to answer it.  
   a. a little  
   b. every  
   c. a few  
   d. few