I. 請選出最適當的答案以完成句子
1. Did you get the____ that I sent you from Sydney, Australia? ( A. scratch B. animal C. postcard)
2. Can we switch to another ____? I don't like to watch dramas. (A. channel B. article C. game show)
3. If you go to McDonald's for coffee, you can get a free ___. The second one is free. (A. snack B. hot dog C. refill)
4. Andre is going to ___ from college next year. He will find a job then. (A. graduate B. disconnect C. announce)
5. When I went to America, a _____ showed us many special places. (A. tour guide B. campus C. bet)
6. Put on your ______. It is cold outside. (A. sweater B. jeans C. outfit)
7. Do you have time now? Can I ____ this problem with you for a few minutes and see how we can solve it? (A. agree B. talk C. discuss)
8. Mary can speak ______. (A. a good English B. good English C. well English D. English good)
10. Let’s ____ a deal. (A. makes B. made C. making D. make)
11. He ran away ____ that girl came. (A. as soon as B. of C. while D. no sooner than)
12. We are going to show these two pictures ____ the same time. (A. under B. on C. for D. at)
13. My brother is ____ a shower. (A. taking B. took C. takes D. take)
14. The blue coat costs $1,000, and the red coat costs $1,500. The blue one is ____ than the other. (A. more cheap B. cheaper C. cheapest D. the cheapest)
15. We waited for John for nearly two hours, but he didn’t show _____. (A. off B. on C. in D. up)
16. Mary ___ Sam’s ___ and became the manager of this company. (A. took…over B. took….places C. took….place D. took… of)
17. Time is up! Now stop writing and ____ your answer paper ____ me. (A. hand… to B. turn….to C. take….to D. hand….on)
18. This is the _____ diamond I’ve ever seen. (A. most unique B. more unique C. unique D. one unique)
19. There’s no ____ this and that. (A. different to B. different between C. different to D. difference between)
20. I will ____ next month. (A. take marriage B. get married C. in marriage D. marrying)
21. He tried many times to call her, but ____ he failed. (A. at least  B. to concluded  C. since then  D. in the end)

22. Some officers in the navy are ____ the government. (A. doing bad  B. plotting against  C. attack against  D. plotting toward)

23. My father often ____ the importance of being on time. (A. emphasis  B. puts emphasis on  C. give emphasis in  D. takes emphasis on)

24. My mother and I caught the flu ____.(A. in turn  B. by turn  C. in turns  D. on the turn)

25. Many young people start smoking just because they want to show ____. (A. themselves  B. off  C. up  D. out)

26. I was so sorry to learn from your letter ____ June 1 that you are not satisfied with our company’s products. (A. of  B. at  C. in  D. to)

27. It is not easy to get along well with a ____ person, who hardly ever changes his mind. (A. stunning  B. stuffed  C. studded  D. stubborn)

28. It’s healthy to take a walk in the forest in the daylight, since green plants produce ____ by day. (A. orbit  B. oxygen  C. sulfur  D. dioxin)

29. Today, many people are still ____ because they don’t have enough food. (A. satisfying  B. searching  C. starving  D. starting)

30. Since I feel ____ , I think I’d better see a doctor right away. (A. out of order  B. off duty  C. under the weather  D. peaceful)

II. 請選出最適當的對話

31. I must move the chair to the living room. (A. No, the hair in the living room is ugly.  B. Yes, you should put the chair in the living room.  C. There are more chairs in the living room.)

32. Were you surprised? (A. Yes, I didn’t know you would do that.  B. Yes, I know you would do that.  C. What did you do?)

33. Why are there so many locks on the door? (A. I didn’t hear anybody.  B. Open it and let him in.  C. People like to protect what they have.)

34. Quit pushing me! (A. OK, when do you want me to start?  B. I’m not pushing you!  C. You need to be punished.)

35. I don’t think that you love me. (A. I’ll make you believe me.  B. I believe she is right.  C. When will he be leaving me?)

36. Why don’t you smoke cigarettes? (A. Because smoking is a bad habit.  B. somebody moved my cigarettes.  C. Cigarettes are too heavy.)

37. What do you know about him? (A. It’s eight o’clock.  B. He studies very hard.  C. They are good students.)

38. I want to change the color of my car. (A. First you need some paint.  B. You’d need
to get some pain.  C. Where can you get some pants?)

39. Tomorrow is a special day for us. (A. Yeah, it’s a very important day.   B. You’re right. It’s just another day.  C. Yeah, it sure was a long day.)

40. The birds are singing in the treetops. (A. Why do you want them to stop singing?   B. When did you eat a pet bird?  C. Yes, I love to hear them sing.)

III. 閱讀測驗

Part A
The word visionary doesn't even begin to describe Frederick Olmsted. Leading a distinguished career, Olmsted left a legacy that is as vibrant as when he created it more than a century ago. Biltmore Estate, one of his masterpieces, astonished the world with its colossal coverage of ground. Olmsted envisioned a series of small pleasure gardens around the mansion, but his wisdom lay in raising cattle for manure to be spread as fertilizer. Another spot that bears his mark is the U.S. Capitol Grounds. He planted a massive amount of trees, not only to honor the Capitol Building itself, but to mitigate the intimidating effect of this revered building. These trees "soften harsh lines" of the building, according to Holly Shimizu, executive director of the U.S. Botanic Garden. Shimizu also describes Olmsted as a person not in pursuit of "instant gratification", for "he had the restraint, the understanding, and the God-given gift that we simply cannot learn."

41. What is the best title of this passage?
   A. A Great Botanist.
   B. An Architect with Vision
   C. A Lifetime of Great Adventures.
   D. Philosophy of Landscape Design

42. Which of the following can we NOT infer about Olmsted from the passage?
   A. He was a master of landscape design.
   B. He was able to see what a design would look like decades later.
   C. He knew how to present the best effect of a design and at the same time honor things around it.
   D. His childhood suffering made him hardworking and undeterred.

43. Which of the following is closest in meaning with colossal?
   A. small
   B. massive
44. Frederick Olmsted was __________.
   A. the designer of the U.S. Capitol Building.
   B. the owner of Biltmore Estate.
   C. the executive director of the U.S. Botanic Garden.
   D. the designer of the U.S. Capitol Grounds.

45. The first sentence of this article implies that ______.
   A. Olmsted is not visionary in the least.
   B. Olmsted is more than a visionary.
   C. Olmsted didn't have good vision.
   D. Olmsted had good vision but poor eye-sight.

Part B
Portland, known as "the City of Roses," is one of the favorite places people would like to visit on the West Coast. Being about 70 miles from the Pacific Ocean, it's convenient for people to go to the beach. In addition, it is an old town with a long history, so you can keep yourself busy by going to one of the many galleries or museums. Also, Portland is famous for having over 240 parks, like Washington Park and Forest Park, both of which give you chances to enjoy nature. Tom McCall Waterfront Park, with its lawn and outdoor cafes, is the greatest place to take a walk. Among other things, because of many local pubs, nightlife in Portland is definitely terrific. In a word, Portland is really a city to visit and remember.

46. Where is Portland?
   A. In the East.
   B. In the West.
   C. In the North.
   D. In the South.

47. What ocean is 70 miles from Portland?
   A. The Pacific Ocean.
   B. The Atlantic Ocean.
   C. The Indian Ocean.
D. The Mediterranean Sea.

48. How can you learn about the history of "the City of Roses?"

   A. By going to the seashore.
   B. By visiting the ocean.
   C. By visiting the museums or galleries.
   D. By visiting the pubs.

49. How can you enjoy nature in Portland?

   A. By picking roses.
   B. By enjoying the nightlife.
   C. By taking a walk in the park.
   D. By going to the local pubs.

50. How many parks are there in Portland?

   A. About 20 parks.
   B. Over 2400 parks.
   C. About 24 parks.
   D. Over 240 parks.