

REVISION FOR THE FIRST SEMESTER**A. MULTIPLE CHOICES:**

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

- Question 1. A. describe B. patience C. cucumber D. landscape
 Question 2. A. excellent B. expensive C. excursion D. excuse
 Question 3. A. dangerous B. exchange C. geography D. language
 Question 4. A. worried B. relieved C. exhausted D. surprised
 Question 5. A. ending B. entertain C. benefit D. talent
 Question 6. A. attracted B. crowded C. formed D. expected
 Question 7. A. knowledge B. kettle C. kangaroo D. ankle
 Question 8. A. stories B. sports C. owners D. headphones
 Question 9. A. violent B. visible C. village D. invitation

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word which differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions.

- Question 10. A. frightened B. injured C. confused D. guilty
 Question 11. A. emotions B. refuse C. graduation D. collector
 Question 12. A. understand B. marathon C. sentences D. restaurant
 Question 13. A. impossible B. continuous C. ability D. university
 Question 14. A. thrilling B. remote C. venue D. ready
 Question 15. A. moving B. holiday C. medical D. embarrass
 Question 16. A. engine B. become C. silence D. offer

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

- Question 17. The children were _____ that they had behaved so badly.
 A. ashamed B. rare C. moving D. serious
- Question 18. The system will allow for 100% source capture of exhaust _____ from all district-operated vehicles.
 A. pollutants B. fog C. air D. fumes
- Question 19. Make sure your car runs on unleaded petrol and your home uses sources of _____ energy.
 A. recycling B. reused C. renewable D. recyclable
- Question 20. My son feels very happy when he sees that _____ with a lot of cute animals.
 A. thriller film B. animation C. biopic D. horror film
- Question 21. Don't worry about falling off the climbing wall - you'll be wearing a _____.
 A. safety harness B. rucksack C. pole D. life jacket
- Question 22. He's an/ a _____ man. He makes me laugh.
 A. amusing B. happy C. unusual D. relieved
- Question 23. I was _____ when my dad shouted at me.
 A. disappointed B. unhappy C. anxious D. shocked
- Question 24. David missed his family and his friends. He felt really _____.
 A. interesting B. homesick C. unlucky D. tiring
- Question 25. The film was so _____. However my father saw it from beginning to end.
 A. excited B. fascinating C. fascinated D. boring
- Question 26. If you go out to sea on a boat, it's a good idea to wear a _____.
 A. jet - skiing B. dinghy C. life jacket D. captain
- Question 27. If we continue to _____ the world's resources at this rate, there will soon be none left.
 A. use up B. damage C. finish D. throw away
- Question 28. In the mountains you'll need some strong walking _____.

- A. boots B. ropes C. rucksack D. ropes
- Question 29.** I felt _____ to find my wallet in the café where I had left it.
A. relieved B. shocked C. confused D. embarrassed
- Question 30.** My uncle was _____ that it was so easy to learn how to use the computer.
A. brilliant B. enormous C. astonished D. terrified
- Question 31.** Sadly, the _____ of many species in the wild is already in doubt.
A. surviving B. survive C. survivor D. survival
- Question 32.** Before you go to the cinema, you can watch the trailer and read _____ of the film.
A. critic B. disaster C. reviews D. character
- Question 33.** I was _____ when I got my results. I passed, but I thought I'd do better.
A. amused B. suspicious C. delighted D. envious
- Question 34.** They tied a _____ around my waist and pulled me up.
A. safety harness B. kayaking C. life jacket D. rope
- Question 35.** It's really hard to write because my wrist really _____.
A. burns B. hurts C. bruises D. cuts
- Question 36.** Brian looks very _____. Has he done something wrong?
A. moving B. reserved C. embarrassed D. polite
- Question 37.** If you go hiking in the countryside, take a _____ so that you can carry things in it.
A. dinghy B. rucksack C. kayaking D. pole
- Question 38.** There's a love story in it, and it's very funny. I suppose you'd call it a _____.
A. thriller B. detective film C. horror film D. romantic comedy
- Question 39.** I was _____ to learn that the director of that gripping film has won the first prize.
A. interested B. interest C. interesting D. interests
- Question 40.** Everyone knows about pollution problems, but not many people have _____ any solution.
A. got round to B. come up with C. thought over D. looked into
- Question 41.** That's a _____ result. Well done!
A. terrified B. terrific C. thrilling D. disgusting
- Question 42.** We were very _____ when we saw the accident.
A. homesick B. shocked C. unhappy D. annoyed
- Question 43.** When I went out to the sea with my friends, I dropped my hat over the side of the _____.
A. pole B. safety harness C. paddle D. dinghy
- Question 44.** When I'm walking on rocky ground, my _____ stop me from falling over.
A. rucksack B. poles C. life jacket D. helmets
- Question 45.** When I went kayaking, I broke my _____ and had to use my hands to get to the edge of the river.
A. paddles B. boots C. dinghies D. poles
- Question 46.** Paula was _____ because her parents gave her sister a bigger present.
A. excited B. ashamed C. jealous D. proud
- Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.**
- Question 47.** He dropped a quarter _____ the slot and waited for something to happen.
A. a B. for C. to D. into
- Question 48.** The new documentary will be shown _____ TV tomorrow evening.
A. in B. at C. on D. over
- Question 49.** "Lorna graduated _____ Freiburg University." Kate said.
A. on B. from C. of D. for
- Question 50.** He drove so fast that I really felt my life was _____ danger.
A. in B. for C. out of D. about
- Question 51.** She died _____ a heart attack as she was trying to carry a heavy box.
A. to B. of C. on D. for
- Question 52.** Feeling depressed is nothing to be ashamed _____.

- A. about B. of C. in D. for
- Question 53.** The four levels _____ happiness represent your personal priorities and how you relate to others.
- A. for B. of C. to D. with
- Question 54.** Every time, I went home alone. I felt my life was _____ danger.
- A. with B. of C. in D. for
- Question 55.** The drought has made farmers anxious _____ the harvest.
- A. about B. of C. to D. up
- Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.**
- Question 56.** People had gathered in the school yard and were talking _____.
- A. excite B. excitingly C. excitedly D. excited
- Question 57.** A bomb _____ in a crowded metro station this morning, killing five people.
- A. exploding B. exploded C. explosion D. explodes
- Question 58.** The weather continued to be _____.
- A. raining B. rainy C. rained D. rain
- Question 59.** The data collected from the survey is very important for the _____ of their research.
- A. completing B. completed C. complete D. completion
- Question 60.** The kids _____ themselves playing hide-and-seek last night.
- A. amuse B. amused C. amusement D. amusing
- Question 61.** The professor talks too fast and writes _____ on the board.
- A. illegibly B. legibility C. illegible D. legibly
- Question 62.** The tree had come down on the day of the big _____.
- A. stormy B. storm C. storms D. storming
- Question 63.** I didn't like the present, but I tried to hide my _____.
- A. disappointed B. disappointing C. disappoint D. disappointment
- Question 64.** They made an _____ attempt to get the rules changed.
- A. effective B. efficiency C. effect D. ineffective
- Question 65.** I thought a lot of the violence in the movie was totally _____.
- A. necessarily B. needed C. unnecessary D. need
- Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.**
- Question 66.** The weather was totally _____ yesterday. It ruined our picnic.
- A. displeasing B. pleasant C. unpleasing D. unpleasant
- Question 67.** I'm sorry but there are _____ opportunities in this town.
- A. little B. fews C. a few D. a little
- Question 68.** You _____ wash those tomatoes. They've already washed.
- A. won't B. mightn't C. needn't D. shouldn't
- Question 69.** Mr. Brown is very rich. He _____ work hard for a living.
- A. can't B. shouldn't C. doesn't have to D. mustn't
- Question 70.** Your handwriting is _____. I can't read anything.
- A. unlegible B. dislegible C. illegible D. legible
- Question 71.** How _____ bottles of soda are there in the fridge?
- A. any B. much C. some D. many
- Question 72.** Her office is _____ away than mine.
- A. farer B. father C. more far D. farther
- Question 73.** You _____ walk on thin ice.
- A. needn't B. mightn't C. oughtn't D. mustn't
- Question 74.** How _____ money do you have left?
- A. much B. a lot C. many D. lots of
- Question 75.** Jupiter is _____ planet in the solar system.

- A. biggest. B. the bigger C. the biggest D. bigger
- Question 76.** My bedroom is _____ room in my house.
A. more tidier B. the tidiest C. tidier than D. the most tidy
- Question 77.** My outfit looks _____ than hers.
A. simple B. more simple C. as simple D. simpler
- Question 78.** English is thought to be _____ than Math.
A. the more hard B. harder C. hardest D. the hardest
- Question 79.** It is _____ in the city than it is in the country.
A. noisily B. more noisier C. noisier D. noisy
- Question 80.** He had _____ friends in California.
A. lots B. any C. a little D. a few
- Question 81.** She is too young and _____ to vote.
A. disresponsible B. irresponsive C. irresponsible D. responsible
- Question 82.** This road is _____ than that road.
A. narrower B. the most narrow C. more narrower D. narrow
- Question 83.** There aren't _____ oranges on the table.
A. much B. an C. some D. any
- Question 84.** I have ___ respect for Johnny Depp, who has been trying his best to balance his life and his career.
A. a lots of B. lots C. lots of D. a lot of
- Question 85.** She runs _____ in my class.
A. the most slowly B. the most slow C. the slowly D. the slowest
- Question 86.** The task seemed _____ at first, but we completed it on time.
A. possible B. impossible C. dispossible D. impossible
- Question 87.** Ted's flight to Amsterdam took more than 11 hours. He ___ be exhausted after such a long flight.
A. should B. must C. can D. had better
- Question 88.** Rich people _____ have a driving license, they can afford a chauffeur!
A. can't B. needn't C. couldn't D. mustn't
- Question 89.** My sister dances _____ than me.
A. gooder B. more goo C. better D. weller
- Question 90.** It is _____ to drive a car without a license.
A. illegal B. dislegal C. illegal D. legal
- Question 91.** It was _____ day of the year.
A. coldest B. the coldest C. the colder D. colder
- Question 92.** I'm afraid he's had _____ experience as a bartender.
A. few B. little C. a few D. a littles
- Question 93.** She sings _____ among the singers I have known.
A. the most beautifully B. the more beautifully C. the most beautiful D. the more beautiful
- Question 94.** You _____ be kidding. That can't be true.
A. have to B. should C. ought to D. must
- Question 95.** She hasn't eaten anything since yesterday. She _____ be really hungry.
A. can B. might C. will D. must
- Question 96.** I understand your situation perfectly. You _____ explain further.
A. needn't explain B. mustn't explain C. must explain D. need to explain
- Question 97.** We've got plenty of time. We _____ leave yet.
A. shouldn't B. don't need C. needn't D. won't
- Question 98.** The English test was _____ than I thought it would be.
A. the easier B. easier C. more easy D. easiest
- Question 99.** Applicants often _____ complete an application form before they have a job interview.
A. have to B. may C. might D. must

- Question 100.** Jim gave me a letter to post. I _____ remember to post it.
 A. need B. must C. needn't D. oughtn't
- Question 101.** He drives _____ his brother.
 A. more carefully B. more careful than C. more carefully than D. as careful as
- Question 102.** My house is _____ hers.
 A. cheaper B. more cheap than C. cheaper than D. cheap than
- Question 103.** Tom is _____ than David.
 A. handsome B. more handsome C. the more handsome D. the most handsome
- Question 104.** There are _____ people who would like to come to Ed Sheeran's concert.
 A. lots B. a lot of C. a lots of D. much
- Question 105.** The police believed that the eyewitness was _____ with them because some of the details he told did not match.
 A. dishonest B. anxious C. invisible D. negative
- Question 106.** A boat is _____ than a plane.
 A. slowest B. more slower C. more slow D. slower
- Question 107.** I think you misunderstood my point. That's an _____ comment.
 A. irrelevance B. disrelevant C. irrelevant D. relevant
- Question 108.** Mary is _____ responsible as Peter.
 A. as B. much C. more D. the most
- Question 109.** I think I'll have _____ milk before I go to bed.
 A. a little B. a C. a few D. many
- Question 110.** It was _____ of you to ignore your teacher's instructions.
 A. dispolite B. unpolite C. polite D. impolite
- Question 111.** Several athletes tested positive for _____ performance-enhancing drugs.
 A. incorrect B. unacceptable C. impolite D. illegal
- Question 112.** My new sofa is _____ than the old one.
 A. more comfortable B. comfortable C. more comfortabler D. comfortably
- Question 113.** It's _____ to expect students to learn everything in one day.
 A. disrealistic B. realistic C. unrealistic D. irrealistic
- Question 114.** She is _____ singer I've ever met.
 A. worse B. badly C. the worst D. bad
- Question 115.** He did the test _____ I did.
 A. more badly than B. as bad as C. worse than D. badder than
- Question 116.** There isn't _____ I can do for you.
 A. many B. much C. some D. any
- Question 117.** He felt completely _____ with his exam results.
 A. unsatisfy B. satisfied C. dissatisfied D. insatisfied
- Question 118.** She is _____ student in my class.
 A. most hard-working B. as hard-working C. the most hard-working D. more hard-working

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to choose the word or phrase that best fits each other numbered blanks.

HOW FOREIGNERS SEE THE BRITISH?

What is a typical British person like? People who come to Britain from other countries probably have a few expectations: British people are polite, rather reserved, and enjoy drinking tea and standing in queues! But how accurate is this (119) _____? In an online survey of 1,402 foreign nationals living in the UK, just over half said that the British (120) _____ their expectations.

The survey also asked which aspects of the British character the foreign nationals liked and disliked. British people's good (121) _____ were popular with 49% and 40% liked the ability to queue. Many agreed that the British are reserved and for 32% this was a good (122) _____ -but for 19% it was negative. Other negative aspects were the British sense of humour (31%) and British culture in general (28%). However, 77% said they liked British people in general and 61% said that their (123) _____ of the British got better as a result of living in the UK.

(Adapted from *English 10 Friends Global* by Vu My Lan et al)

- Question 119.** A. argument B. property C. qualification D. stereotype
Question 120. A. matched B. spread C. connected B. drew
Question 121. A. memories B. movements C. moments D. manners
Question 122. A. perception B. quality C. problem D. occurrence
Question 123. A. definition B. opinion C. image D. concept

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Extreme sports are often the subject of discussions based on (124) _____ which sport can be called extreme. Despite the great (125) _____ among young people, these sports are not used in schools. They are mainly practiced on an individual (126) _____, although in many cases you can get the help of a professional trainer.

The main extreme sports are base jumping, bump jumping, diving, skydiving, extreme skiing, snowboarding, gliding, mountain biking, surfing, and windsurfing. These sports are widely different than those we are (127) _____ with. Besides them not being a group sports, they are not including any opponents. The only real opponent to the person who is (128) _____ in these sports is the person itself and the nature that surrounds it.

(Adapted from <https://www.opptrends.com>)

- Question 124.** A. establishing B. resuming C. controlling D. determining
Question 125. A. success B. creation C. popularity D. lifestyle
Question 126. A. rate B. level C. cost D. route
Question 127. A. familiar B. eager C. valuable D. interested
Question 128. A. employing B. operating C. constructing D. participating

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GLOBAL WARMING - FACT FILE

Earth is the only planet in our galaxy that can support life. Scientists (129) _____ that Earth is home to about 300,000 plant species, over 600,000 species of fungi, and about ten million animal species. Guess you could say we're the life of the party. Earth spins around a tilted axis or an (130) _____ line that runs through the planet from the South Pole to the North Pole. If the planet were angled any differently, or if Earth were even just a little closer to or (131) _____ from the sun, temperatures would shift drastically. And that would make life here (132) _____. About 95 percent of the Earth's oceans (which make up more than 70 percent of the planet) remain unexplored. Scientists estimate almost a million undiscovered species could live in these unseen seas. Some lands, like parts of the rain forests in New Guinea, are also uncharted. This means that many things on Earth have yet to be (133) _____.

(Adapted from <https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/>)

- Question 129.** A. predicate B. predict C. anticipate D. estimate
Question 130. A. unimaginable B. imaginary C. imaginative D. imaginable
Question 131. A. farthest B. farther C. far D. farer
Question 132. A. important B. imminent C. impolite D. impossible
Question 133. A. discovered B. uncovered C. undiscovered D. covered

B. LISTENING:

Track 1.39

Examiner So, which film shall we see? I quite fancy the romantic comedy. They're usually very funny and I think it'll be easy to follow.

Student Sorry, but I'm not a big fan of romantic comedies. The stories are always so silly! I'd prefer the horror film. As you can see in the poster, someone is trying to escape and it looks really exciting.

E Oh, I don't agree. I'm not keen on scary films.

S Oh, OK. What about the period drama?

E Yes, I quite like them.

S Shall we settle on that, then? It starts at seven. What time shall we meet up? I can come to your house at

six, if you like, and we can take the bus into town.

E I'll already be in town so I'd rather meet at the cinema. Let's meet there at 6.15.

S 6.15 is a bit too early. What about 6.30?

E OK. 6.30.

S That's agreed then. Shall we invite anyone else? I think Donna likes period dramas.

E To be honest, I don't get on very well with Donna. Can we invite someone else?

S How about Tom?

E Yes, that's a great idea. I'll text him and see if he wants to come.

Track 2.11

Radio presenter In our studio today, we are talking to Yuka Tanaka, Professor in Meteorology, who has been researching the impacts of El Niño and the effect that global warming might have on future El Niño events. Yuka, what can you tell us about your research?

Yuka Well, we know that El Niño events have become more severe over the past 25 years. The 2015 event contributed to a record number of typhoons in the Central Pacific – 16 were recorded that year, and it is estimated that over 60 million people suffered from hunger and malnutrition in 2016 due to droughts influenced by El Niño.

RP And are they getting worse because of global warming?

Yuka It's possible, yes, and it's likely to affect the events in the future. What we don't know is whether the events will become stronger or more frequent.

RP So, what can we do to prepare for the next El Niño?

Yuka Well, the good thing is that scientists can predict when they are coming and we CAN prepare. It's important to give early warnings to communities. Having an evacuation plan is essential. And of course, in the long term, this is just another reason why we all need to focus on 'global warming' and do everything we can to stop it getting worse.

C. WRITING:

Exercise 1: S + haven't/hasn't + V₃/V_{ed}

→ S + last + V₂/V_{ed}

→ **The last time + S + V₂/V_{ed} + was + time** (for → ago, since → in/when)

1. She hasn't visited her grandparents for 2 years.

→ She last _____

→ The last time _____

2. We haven't gone to the cinema for a long time.

→ _____

→ _____

3. He hasn't called me since 2020.

→ _____

→ _____

4. I haven't eaten pizza for three months.

→ _____

→ _____

5. They haven't played football since they left school.

→ _____

→ _____

6. She hasn't seen her teacher for years.

→ _____

→ _____

7. We haven't had a holiday since 2022.

→ _____

→ _____

8. I haven't read that book for a long time.

→ _____

→ _____

9. He hasn't driven a new car for months.

→ _____

→ _____

10. They haven't been late for class for 2 weeks.

→ _____

→ _____

11. I haven't talked to my cousin for years.

→ _____

→ _____

12. She hasn't eaten meat since she was ten.

→ _____

→ _____

13. We haven't watched TV since we went to bed.

→ _____

→ _____

14. He hasn't gone swimming for a week.

→ _____

→ _____

15. I haven't heard from my friend for a long time.

→ _____

→ _____

16. They haven't had a party since December.

→ _____

→ _____

17. I haven't gone out with my friends since we were 18.

→ _____

→ _____

18. She hasn't studied English since 2020.

→ _____

→ _____

19. We haven't met him since we moved to New York.

→ _____

→ _____

20. He hasn't cleaned his room for two weeks.

→ _____

→ _____

Exercise 2: Modal verb in passive voice

1. Students mustn't eat food in class.

→ _____

2. The boy should wear sneakers when he plays football.

→ _____

3. The man can't repair my bike today.

→ _____

4. The authority will build a new supermarket in this area next summer.

→ _____

5. Students have to prepare the lesson at home.

→ _____

6. Visitors must leave umbrellas outside.

→ _____

7. Each student will write an essay on gender equality.

→ _____

8. The man had to report the accident to the police.

→ _____

9. Sam could not read the sentence fluently.

→ _____

10. The boy should take more exercise every day.

→ _____

11. Sam will send some letters next week.

→ _____

12. The children mustn't eat mushroom when they were too young.

→ _____

13. These students must take the exam next week.

→ _____

14. Mary can speak English fluently.

→ _____

15. Members may keep books for 3 weeks.

→ _____

16. We should clean the room every day.

→ _____

17. She might win the competition easily.

→ _____

18. You should water the plants regularly.

→ _____

19. You should return the borrowed books to the library.

→ _____

20. The chef must prepare the special dish

→ _____

Exercise 3: as + adj + as → so sánh hơn

1. An apple is not as sweet as a cherry.

→ _____

2. A fish is not as big as a elephant.

→ _____

3. My grandmother is not as old as that old lady.

→ _____

4. Julia was not as beautiful as her sister.

→ _____

5. He is not as intelligent as his friend.

→ _____

6. Lan's hair is not as long as my hair.

→ _____

7. This dress is not as pretty as that dress.

→ _____

8. Hung is not as friendly as Minh.

→ _____

9. The pizza was not as delicious as the chicken soup.

→ _____

10. The old car is not as fast as the new car.

→ _____

11. My house is not as big as your house.

→ _____

12. The black car is not as cheap as the red car.

→ _____

13. This film is not as interesting as that film.

→ _____

14. My kitchen is not as small as your kitchen.

→ _____

15. Jim is not as fat as Jack.

→ _____

16. This book was not as expensive as that book.

→ _____

17. My cats are not as intelligent as his cats.

→ _____

18. This hotel isn't as comfortable as that hotel.

→ _____

19. English is not as easy as Maths.

→ _____

20. The black dress is not as expensive as the white dress.

→ _____

Exercise 4: TOO → ENOUGH

1. It's too late for us to catch the last bus.

→ _____

2. The suitcase is too heavy for me to carry.

→ _____

3. She is too young to watch that movie.

→ _____

4. The book was too expensive for me to buy.

→ _____

5. The coffee is too hot to drink right now.

→ _____

6. The movie was too boring for us to watch.

→ _____

7. The child is too short to reach the ceiling.

→ _____

8. He is too poor to buy the car.

→ _____

9. Homework is too difficult for him to do.

→ _____

10. This bed is too small for two people to sleep in.

→ _____

11. She was too young to drink wine.

→ _____

12. It is too cold for us to go outside.

→ _____

13. The water was too dirty for us to swim.

→ _____

14. I am too weak to lift this box.

→ _____

15. he boy is too short to be a goal keeper.

→ _____

16. The room is too noisy for us to study.

→ _____

17. That sentence was too long for me to memorize.

→ _____

18. The house is too expensive for us to afford.

→ _____

19. Bill is too foolish to understand what I say.

→ _____

20. The land is too bad to grow crops.

→ _____