# PART I: Fill-in-the-Blank Questions

Choose the correct answer.

8. My ___ are sensitive to the cold.
   A. teeth  B. tooth
   C. teeths  D. tooths

   A. is  B. be
   C. are  D. am

10. Ken likes to draw. He ___ an artist.
    A. be  B. is
    C. are  D. being

11. Ken is allergic to cats. He ___ a veterinarian.
    A. isn't  B. not is
    C. no is  D. is no

12. A: Do you know all these people?
    B: Yes, ___ are all my friends.
    A. you  B. we
    C. they  D. them

13. A: Why are they here?
    B: My roommate invited ___.
    A. they  B. these
    C. their  D. them

14. A: We can’t make spaghetti without garlic.
    Where is the garlic?
    B: It’s ___ the table.
    A. on  B. in
    C. at  D. of

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15. A: Hey, Jerry! When are you going to Europe?
   Jerry: I arrive in Munich ___ April 23rd.
   A. at B. in C. on D. of

16. A: When does your flight arrive?
   B: ___ 8:00 in the morning.
   A. at B. in C. on D. of

17. A: When are you returning to Taiwan?
   B: I'll be back ___ the fall.
   A. at B. in C. on D. of

18. Karl ___ Ken about a party.
   A. said B. say C. tell D. told

19. He ___ , "It should be a good party."
   A. said B. said him C. tells D. told

20. Karin doesn't like ___ housework.
   A. do B. make C. doing D. making

21. Jerry and Mary decide to go ___ for a jacket.
   A. for shopping B. shopping C. to shop D. for shop

22. Their teacher recommended ___ to Main Street.
   A. going B. to go C. them to go D. them going

23. ___ for the bus was not fun.
   A. Wait B. To wait C. Having waiting D. Waiting

24. Karin ___ to the hospital the other day to have knee surgery.
   A. has gone B. had gone C. went D. goes

25. Leslie had to work late, so she ___ pick Karin up from the hospital.
   A. couldn't B. can't C. wasn't able to D. didn't could

PART II: Error Identification
Each of the following sentences has one mistake. Choose the INCORRECT part of each sentence.

26. Many household in San Francisco pay for cable TV.
   A. A B. C D

27. Most people subscribe to a standard package, which includes a variety of channels.
   A. A B. C D

28. Others pay additional fees for premium channels like HBO.
   A. A B. C D

29. Because the technology is fairly new, it is still relatively expensive.
   A. A B. C D

30. Perhaps one day, all of San Francisco will be equipped in digital cable.
   A. A B. C D

PART III: Cloze
Choose the best answer to fill in each blank.

I come from England. In my country, it's normal to shake hands when we meet one ___(31)__. I was surprised when I ___(32)___ to Taiwan because my Taiwanese friends don't like to do that. They just nod when greeting each other. I also know a Japanese guy who is very polite. He nods several times when greeting me, and even bows ___(33)___
older people. Besides, some of my American friends like to hug when they meet, but others just wave or hold one hand in the air. ____(34)__. people are different ____(35)__. What's more interesting, women have different ways of greeting people than men. They are friendlier. They like to hug, and often ____(36)__. my cheek when we meet.

31.  
A. time  
B. other  
C. another  
D. day

32.  
A. lived  
B. came  
C. gone  
D. arrived

33.  
A. at  
B. in  
C. for  
D. to

34.  
A. Also  
B. In general  
C. Anyway  
D. In case

35.  
A. everywhere  
B. somewhere  
C. anywhere  
D. over there

36.  
A. shake  
B. bite  
C. kiss  
D. smile

37.  
A. canceled  
B. missed  
C. beat  
D. hurried

38.  
A. fair  
B. clever  
C. pleased  
D. gentle

39.  
A. recognized  
B. removed  
C. returned  
D. realized

40.  
A. talkative  
B. shy  
C. evil  
D. active

41.  
A. sat  
B. tripped  
C. laughed  
D. refused

PART IV: Reading Comprehension

Read the following paragraphs and answer the questions.

[42-45]
Bob and Will are talking about two girls they have noticed. Both the girls are cute. Bob wants to walk up to them and say hello, but Will is afraid. He thinks it would be too embarrassing, so Bob is trying to tell him what to say and do. Will says there's no chance it will work. While they are arguing the two girls walk up to them. Bob tells Will to shut up and act cool. The girls introduce themselves as Samantha and Nancy. Luckily, Bob knows how to say the right thing and tells the girls it's a pleasure to meet them.
42. What does Bob tell the girls?
A. It's a pleasure to meet them.
B. How to say the right thing.
C. To act cool and say nothing.
D. There's no chance.

43. Why is Will afraid?
A. Bob doesn't tell him what to say.
B. The girls might not notice him.
C. It will be embarrassing to talk to the girls.
D. He thinks Bob should shut up and act cool.

44. Which statement is NOT true?
A. Samantha is not afraid to introduce herself.
B. Will thinks Bob's advice might work.
C. Bob knows what to say when he meets a girl.
D. Nancy is a very pretty girl.

45. What does Bob want Will to do when they meet the girls?
A. Act cool.
B. Say the right thing.
C. Talk loudly.
D. Introduce himself.

46. People used to think that ________.
A. it was OK for men to cry
B. men should be encouraged to cry
C. men should never cry
D. men like to cry

47. What is one of the benefits of crying?
A. It proves that we have very strong emotions.
B. Tears help us get rid of poisons in our bodies.
C. People will pay attention to us if we shed tears.
D. Women always like men crying.

48. How does the brain respond to crying?
A. It releases chemicals.
B. It releases toxins.
C. It gets rid of toxins.
D. It doesn't respond.

49. What do many psychologists and therapists believe?
A. Crying causes many problems.
B. People who cry have psychological problems
C. We still can't accept men who cry.
D. It's not good for us to keep things inside.

50. The next time we want to cry, what should we do?
A. See a therapist or psychologist
B. Don't fight the feeling to cry
C. Make sure our sadness isn't showing
D. Just don't cry.

It's OK to Cry
You may have heard the old phrase, "Boys don't cry." In the past, people believed that males should never show their sadness. Today, however, many doctors believe that crying is perfectly normal and that it should even be encouraged, even with men!

Recent scientific studies have shown that tears actually help to rid the body of toxins that would otherwise stay within the body, potentially causing health problems. Crying has also been shown to release pain-relieving chemicals from the brain. Today, many therapists and psychologists believe that crying is a healthy outlet for strong emotions, especially sadness, depression, or grief. They say that it is unhealthy to keep these feelings bottled up inside. Keeping our feeling inside is thought to have a link with problems such as heart disease, anxiety, and depression, among others.

So, the next time you are sad, go ahead and find a place where you can be alone to shed some tears. You will feel better after a good cry. You may even feel healthier, too.
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