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**Read the following text and choose the correct answer a, b, c or d: (60 marks)**

Most people think that education is limited to schools only, but the truth is that there are lessons that we can only learn from life, and they may be more important than those learnt at schools. Life lessons are sometimes painful before they are acquired, and in order to avoid this, we must benefit from the experiences of others. We shouldn't pay too much attention to the trivial things that are not important and waste our time and effort. Since life is so unpredictable, we must not live on expectations only and meet everything new in life with optimism and positive thinking. There is no word more boring and monotonous than the word "I". We must be confident of ourselves, but that doesn't mean we talk about ourselves and our accomplishments all the time, as this inherits vanity. Human relationships are also important because without love and support from family and friends, you will not feel happy and will not achieve success in life. Man by nature makes mistakes, so be tolerant and seek excuses for those around you, and if someone comes to you with an apology, do not stop him, and do not carry in your heart any envy of anyone. There are no alternatives to exercising, eating well, fresh air and sunshine.

**I. Choose the correct answer from a b c or d**

1. Most people think that ..... Is limited to schools only.

- a. health      b. sport      c. learning      d. reading

2. The lessons that we can only learn from life are very .....

- a. worthless      b. valuable      c. trivial      d. worse

3. Acquired means to attain.

- a. True      b. False

4. We have to meet everything new in life with ..... thinking.

- a. optimism      b. positive      c. reality      d. both a and b

5. Life's painful lessons can be avoided by People by means of ..... the experiences of others.

- a. neglecting      b. refusing      c. mocking      d. benefiting from

6. trivial means:

- a. a mark that something has been in a place      b. not serious, important or valuable  
c. too much pride in one's self      d. modesty

**Read the following text and choose the correct answer a, b, c or d: (60 marks)**

Throughout history, various societies and cultures have developed different views in their approach to illnesses and diseases. One of the most important periods in the development of medicine at all, especially medieval medicine, which lasted from the 9th to the 13<sup>th</sup> century, is called "the Golden Age of Arabic Medicine". The books of Arabic science that came about in this period are not only by Muslim authors, because Arab civilization is the result of consecutive and continuous efforts of various nations, regardless of the religion, race and colour of the skin, who lived and produced in the Arab region. In ancient times, people used to cure sickness by using plants, herbs and other materials. In countries such as Egypt, Greece, Rome, Mesopotamia, India and China, medicine was magical and mythological and diseases were attributed mostly to the supernatural forces.

**II. Choose the correct answer from a b c or d**

7. Various societies and cultures have developed different ..... in their approach to illnesses and diseases.

- a. kinds      b. opinions      c. thoughts      d. realities

8. One of the most important periods in the development of medicine at all was .....

- a. old ages      b. first ages      c. the Golden Age of Arabic Medicine      d. modern ages

9. In ancient times, people used to cure sickness by using ....., ..... and other materials.

- a. plants      b. grass      c. plants      d. both a and c

10. The practice of medicine during the Middle Ages was .....

- a. classical      b. normal      c. real      d. experimental

11. Before hospitals developed, ..... were treated mostly in temples.

- a. healthy      b. people      c. sick      d. men

12. consecutive means:

- a. a response of body tissues to injury of the body      b. connected with ancient myths or stories  
c. following one another without any interruption      d. medicines and treatment that cure a disease

**III. Choose the correct answer from a b c or d: (130 marks)**

13. Future plans and ..... have a great importance in a person's life.

- a. decisions                      b. decisively                      c. decisive                      d. decide

14. We need to..... people so that they understand the importance of a good and a healthy diet.

- a. educational                      b. education                      c. educationally                      d. educate

15. She didn't really ..... her workmates in her previous job.

- a. keep up with                      b. get into                      c. fit in                      d. follow through

16. After a long tax season, getting on extra week off with pay is .....

- a. at death's door                      b. on the mend                      c. just what the doctor ordered                      d. go under the knife

17. She has been ..... yoga recently.

- a. getting into                      b. running into                      c. follow through                      d. fit in

18. If you study hard enough, you will be able to a ..... with no troubles.

- a. ace the test                      b. be dead in the water                      c. on a roll                      d. back the wrong horse

19. In a few years our company should be able to ..... the world's most developed nations.

- a. join the ranks of                      b. on a roll                      c. ace the test                      d. dead in the water

20. A few weeks ago, a woman ..... to report a robbery at her house.

- a. called                      b. has called                      c. had called                      d. was calling

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- a. called                      b. has called                      c. is calling                      d. was calling

22. Times ..... hard and the family had been struggling for some time.

- a. are                      b. will be                      c. were                      d. had

23. what ..... after you woke up?

- a. have been doing                      b. did you do                      c. do you do                      d. have you done

24. What ..... when your husband came home?

- a. have been doing                      b. are you doing                      c. did you do                      d. were you doing

25. If that itchy rash doesn't go away, you should go to a

- a. pediatrician                      b. dermatologist                      c. ophthalmologist                      d. allergist.

26. The sound of the ed in the verb "mended" is pronounced:

- a. /t/                      b. /d/                      c. /id/                      d. all

**IV. Ask about the underlined words in each sentence: (12 Marks)**

27. A: .....

B: Yes, we have been to England.

28. A: .....

B. We have been living here for twenty years.

29. A: .....

B. I went there by bus.

**V. Choose the wrong word or phrase from the letters a b c or d: (8 marks)**

30. One of a most destructive moments in our lives is success.

- A                      B                      C                      D

31. We didn't know what to do in first, but it certainly made us think.

- A                      B                      C                      D

**VI. Write a paragraph of no more than 80 words about the following topic: (30 marks)**

**Your Future career**

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**III- Complete the following paragraph by filling in the gaps: (18 marks)**

Today, more and more people in Syria 14..... using computers for activities at home, at school or at work. Such is the demand that 15..... government launched a scheme to allow Syrians to purchase them more easily. Many people are using computers 16..... all sorts of things – writing letters, searching the Internet or just playing games.

**Fill in the spaces with words from the list.**

**Use each word once only: (24 marks)**

weights - lamp - other - lead - ropes

He took two pieces of 17. .... that were of the same weight and tied them to two 18. .... of equal length. He fixed the ropes to a chair. He gave his father one rope to hold at the end with the weight; he held the 19..... rope higher than his father's. They let go of the 20. .... at the same time.

**V- Complete the following dialogue by writing suitable questions or answers: (32 marks)**

21. Rana: .....?

Maya: I've got my computer from a local shop.

22. Rana: .....?

Maya: I have had it for ten years.

23. Rana: .....?

Maya: It costs 50,000 Syrian pounds.

24. Rana: What do you use your computer for ?

Maya: .....

**VI- Rewrite the following sentences as required in brackets: (32 marks)**

25. I am not good at maths. (use I wish)

26. We don't spend much time together. (use I wish)

27. My brother waste too much paper. (use I wish)

28. We have to start our work very early in the morning. (use I wish)

**VII- Complete the following sentences using clauses: (14marks)**

29. I went to see Sami in the hospital because .....

30. If I were a doctor, .....

**VIII- Choose the correct words in brackets: (18 marks)**

31. The jury said that he wasn't (guilt, guilty)

32. I am looking forward (to, at) summer holiday.

33. The rules clearly say we must not leave rubbish outside our homes. Look, it is in (black, blue) and white.

**IX- Correct the verbs in brackets: (18 marks)**

34. I (not see) him for over a week.

35. My father retired last year. He (work) for the same company all his life.

36. In 1975, my family (leave) England on an aeroplane.

**X- Translation:**

**Translate into Arabic: (10 marks)**

37. Recycling glass also reduces the environmental damage caused by mining raw materials.

**Translate into English: (8 marks)**

38. كان عليه ان يدفع غرامة لأنه كان يقود بدون تأمين

**XI- Composition: (50 marks)**

**A significant event that changed your life.**

**End of Questions**

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**I- Read the following text then do the tasks below:**

The Geneva Convention is a set of international laws that protect injured soldiers and civilians during war. The law makes sure that every person is treated well and with respect. The first treaty was written in 1864 but it is often changed due to different types of war. It was significantly updated in 1949 after World War Two. Syria is one of 200 countries in the world that agrees to follow the laws of the Geneva Convention. The agreement is important because during war a country might need help from neutral organizations to care for the wounded. The Red Crescent is one of the organisations that provides aid during times of war. It also helps injured people during peacetime, and you may have seen ambulances with the Red Crescent symbol in the street. Countries who follow the laws of the Geneva Convention must not attack civilians, and they are not allowed to fight someone who is already hurt. It is illegal to ignore these rules, and a country found guilty of committing war crimes will be tried in a court of law and can be severely punished. All soldiers, civilians and prisoners may receive medical help from doctors and nurses. They can be taken to a hospital without being attacked. Food can also be given to people involved in a conflict. Under the Geneva Convention it does not matter what religion, gender or nationality a person is or what his political views are; if someone is sick he must be treated without prejudice.

**\*Answer the following questions: (18marks)**

1. What is the Red Crescent?
2. How does the Geneva Convention help the victims of war?
3. What is forbidden under the rules of the convention?

**\*Find words in the text which mean the following: (10 marks)**

4. very harshly
5. help

**\*Rewrite these sentences about the text to correct the information: (12 marks)**

6. The Geneva Convention was first written in the eighteenth century.
7. All countries have agreed to follow the laws of the Geneva Convention.

**II-Read the following text then do the tasks below:**

For a human being to go into space, survive and conduct important research, there needs to be careful organisation and planning. Daily life inside an airtight space shuttle or space station requires much more than just oxygen and heat. People require the correct atmosphere, a mechanism for removing the carbon dioxide that living things produce, and a reliable means of day-to-day living in microgravity (ways of eating, drinking and washing, for example). For humans to survive in space for months at a time, all these things need to be very carefully planned. If, for example, the carbon dioxide extractor doesn't work, or the system for maintaining the correct atmosphere breaks down, then they will die. All the correct materials, food, oxygen cylinders and fuels have to be prepared and supplied correctly. All the machinery and seals that keep the air in, the cabin pressure correct and that protect the astronauts from the freezing cold vacuum of space have to work perfectly every second of every minute.

**\*Choose the correct answer: (12 marks)**

8. Microgravity means .....
- a. very weak gravity
  - b. no gravity
  - c. very strong gravity
9. Astronauts will die if the carbon dioxide extractor .....
- a. is provided
  - b. is planned
  - c. doesn't work

**\*Match the underlined words from the text to the definitions below: (12 marks)**

10. not allowing air to escape or pass through.
11. stay alive.

**\*Complete the following sentences with information from the text: (12 marks)**

12. Extra supplies can't be carried on a space station because of .....
13. Seals and machinery on a space station must .....

**III- Complete the following paragraph by filling in the gaps: (18 marks)**

In 1975, my family left England on ....14.... aeroplane. Five hours later we arrived ....15.... Damascus, Syria. My mother was worried about the plane journey ....16.... she is scared of flying.

**IV- Fill in the spaces with words from the list. Use each word once only: (24 marks)**

first – swinging – heard - eighteen - point

At the age of 17....., Galileo made his 18..... discovery. He was in a church when he heard a strange noise. He noticed that the oil lamp was 19..... backwards and forwards. He also 20..... the lamp chain hitting against the wall, and it seemed to him that they were both moving at the same time .

**V- Complete the following dialogue by writing suitable questions or answers: (32 marks)**

21. Rana: .....

Maya: The first paper was made 2000 years ago.

22. Rana: .....

Maya: Wood pulp is used to make new paper.

23. Rana: .....

Maya: We should recycle old paper because the modern world uses so much paper.

24. Rana: Why is it important to recycle paper?

Maya: .....

**VI- Rewrite the following sentences as required in brackets: (32 marks)**

25. I can't sing well. (use I wish)

26. My brother spends many hours talking on the phone. (use I wish)

27. People drive very fast in the city centre. (use I wish)

28. There are many adverts on television. (use I wish)

**VII- Complete the following sentences using clauses: (14marks)**

29. I went to the doctor this morning because ...

30. If you break the law, .....

**VIII- Choose the correct words in brackets: (18 marks)**

31. Some human activity are (**destroying**, **destruction**) the natural world.

32. I am looking forward (**to**, **at**) summer holiday.

33. It's almost impossible to get a passport quickly. There is so much (**red**, **blue**) tape.

**IX- Correct the verbs in brackets: (18 marks)**

34. I (**play**) football all morning.

35. Ruba didn't feel very confident about taking her driving test. She (**fail**) twice.

36. In 1854 a quarter of the population of Ireland (**emigrate**) abroad.

**X- Translation:**

**Translate into Arabic: (10 marks)**

37. The heat produced by burning solid waste can be used to generate electricity.

**Translate into English: (8 marks)**

38. تهاجر حيوانات كثيرة الى الشمال لإيجاد الطعام.

**XI- Composition: (50 marks)**

- Should motorists who drive fast in residential areas be banned from driving?

**End of Questions**

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