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Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best answer for each question

We first learn about loving and caring relationships from our families. Family is defined as a domestic group of people with some degree of kinship - whether through blood, marriage, or adoption. Ideally, each child is nurtured, respected, and grows up to care for others and develop strong and healthy relationships. This does not mean that it is always easy to make and keep friends; it just means that we share the goal of having strong relationships.

"Family" includes your *siblings* and parents, as well as relatives who you may not interact with every day, such as your cousins, aunts, uncles, grandparents, and stepparents. *These* are probably the people you are closest to and with whom you spend the most time. Having healthy relationships with your family members is both important and difficult.

Families in the 21st century come in all shapes and sizes: traditional, single parent, blended (more than one family together in the same house), and gay and lesbian parents -just to name a few. No matter the "type" of family you have, there are going to be highs and lows - good times and bad. Many times, however, families become blocked in their relationships by hurt, anger, mistrust, and confusion. These are natural and normal, and few families do not have at least a few experiences with them. The worst time for most families, is during a divorce. By making a few simple changes in the way we look at the world and deal with other people, it is possible to create happier, more stable relationships. Families need to be units of mutual caring and support; they can be sources of lifelong strength for all individuals.

(Adapted from <http://www.pamf.org>)

Câu hỏi 1 (TH): What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. The importance of sharing housework in a family.
- B. The importance of having children in a family.
- C. The role of members in family.
- D. The healthy relationships among members in family.

Câu hỏi 2 (TH): Ideally, each child is nurtured, respected, and grows up_____?

- A. to keep in touch with the people around them.
- B. to keep a track of the people around them.
- C. to be familiar with the people around them.
- D. to be concerned about the people around them.

Câu hỏi 3 (NB): What does the word "**These**" in paragraph 2 refer to?

- A. good and bad times
- B. feelings
- C. relationships
- D. high and lows

Câu hỏi 4 (NB): Which of the following is closest in meaning to "*siblings*" in paragraph 2?

- A. brothers & sisters B. husband & wife C. children D. friends

Câu hỏi 5 (TH): According to the passage, which example below is probably NOT TRUE about the definition of family?

- A. wife & husband relationship B. step- father & daughter relationship
C. nanny & baby relationship D. god- mother & god-son relationship

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

- Câu hỏi 6 (NB):** A. finisheded B. noticeded C. approacheded D. supporteded
Câu hỏi 7 (NB): A. final B. identity C. applicant D. decide

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.

Câu hỏi 8 (NB): Marry and Janet are at the dancing club.

Marry: "You are a great dancer. I wish I could do half as well as you."

Janet: "_____. I'm an awful dancer."

- A. You've got to be kidding! B. You're too kind
C. Oh, thank you very much D. That's a nice compliment!

Câu hỏi 9 (NB): Hoa and Laura are talking about their volunteer work.

Hoa: "Thank you very much for helping the disadvantaged children here."

Laura: "_____."

A. What a pity! B. It's our pleasure. C. That's nice of you! D. Sorry, we don't know. *Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.*

Câu hỏi 10 (TH): Her style of dress was conservative. She never wears items that are too tight, short or low-cut.

- A. high-fashion B. up to date C. traditional D. trendy

Câu hỏi 11 (VD): There has been a hot debate among the scientists relating to the pros and cons of using robotic probes to study distant objects in space.

- A. problems and solutions B. causes and effects
C. solutions and limitations D. advantages and disadvantages

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

In the early twentieth century, an American woman named Emily Post wrote a book on etiquette.

This book explained the proper behavior Americans should follow in many different social (12) _____, from birthday parties to funerals. But in modern society, it is not simply to know the proper rules for behavior in your own country. It is necessary for people (13) _____ work or travel abroad to understand the rules of etiquette in other cultures as well.

Cultural (14) _____ can be found in such simple processes as giving or receiving a gift. In Western cultures, a gift can be given to the receiver with relatively little ceremony. When a gift is

offered, the receiver usually takes the gift and expresses his or her thanks. (15) _____, in some Asian countries, the act of gift-giving may appear confusing to Westerners. In Chinese culture, both the giver and receiver understand that the receiver will typically refuse to take the gift several times before he or she finally accepts it. In addition, to (16) _____ respect for the receiver, it is common in several Asian cultures to use both hands when offering a gift to another person.

(Source: *Reading Advantage* by Casey Malarcher)

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| Câu hỏi 12 (TH): | A. locations | B. situations | C. positions | D. conditions |
| Câu hỏi 13 (NB): | A. whom | B. where | C. whose | D. who |
| Câu hỏi 14 (TH): | A. different | B. differently | C. differences | D. differ |
| Câu hỏi 15 (TH): | A. However | B. Moreover | C. Otherwise | D. Therefore |
| Câu hỏi 16 (VD): | A. take | B. show | C. feel | D. get |

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) **OPPOSITE** in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

Câu hỏi 17 (TH): This restaurant was highly recommended for good service, delicious food and **kind-hearted** boss.

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| A. generous and gracious | B. ambitious and greedy |
| C. attentive and helpful | D. polite and friendly |

Câu hỏi 18 (TH): Vietnamese have a strong sense of **hospitality** and feel embarrassed if they cannot show their guests full respect by preparing for their interval.

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| A. friendliness | B. unfriendliness | C. generosity | D. politeness |
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Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is **CLOSEST** in meaning to each of the following questions.

Câu hỏi 19 (VDC): Despite his early retirement, he found no peace in life.

- A. Although he retired early, but he found no peace in life.
- B. He found no peace in life because he retired early.
- C. Early as he retired, he found no peace in life.
- D. His early retirement has brought him peace in life.

Câu hỏi 20 (VD): "Why don't you participate in the volunteer work in summer?", said Sophie.

- A. Sophie asked me why not participate in the volunteer work in summer.
- B. Sophie made me participate in the volunteer work in summer.
- C. Sophie suggested my participating in the volunteer work in summer.
- D. Sophie suggested me to participate in the volunteer work in summer.

Câu hỏi 21 (VD): He visited London three years ago.

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| A. He hasn't visited London for three years. | B. He was in London for three years. |
| C. He didn't visit London three years ago. | D. He has been in London for three years. |

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

It is an undeniable fact that a woman's place was once in the home. In the past, women were merely required to fulfill the role of mother and housewife. Today, this situation has changed

tremendously. If a woman possesses the attributes and qualities of her male counterpart, she will definitely be given equal opportunities in the career world without much bias. Therefore, women began to make the scene and, eventually, there was a steady flow of women leaving their homes. A certain vacuum or emptiness was thus created in the households. No more could the husbands turn to their wives after a hard day's work. Society **marveled** at the ability of women, but it also suffered at the realization of the important role that women play in their homes. Should women be allowed to work after marriage then? The answer is undoubtedly positive although this issue is highly debatable in terms of the nature of the professions involved. If a woman pursues her career but is at the same time able to care for her home and children, one simply cannot find any reason why she should not be allowed to do so.

A woman's influence is greatly needed in the home, on the children. What a child needs most is his mother's care because how the child is molded depends greatly on her. It is a real pity that women who leave their homes solely in search of a career seldom give a thought to this. The children, being helpless and dependent creatures, may have nobody to turn to at home, except servants or relatives. With the mother's back only after a hard day's toil, the children surely do not get much attention.

Whether a woman should continue to work after marriage would depend on the nature of her profession. It is a waste of resources if women, after seeking higher education, immediately abandon their careers after **matrimony**. A woman's effort can also contribute to the well-being and development of society. In the Malaysian context, a teacher is only required to work a five-day week with term holidays every now and then. Moreover, she is in school for only half of the day. The other half of the day can be devoted to her home. A teacher, besides educating the society, can fulfill the role of both mother and housewife. There are many other careers like those of nurses, clerks and typists where women can fulfill the double role.

Nevertheless, there are many professions which would not be advisable for women to indulge in after marriage. A public relations officer spends almost three-quarters of her time in her career. She has heavy tasks to shoulder which might require her to entertain others till odd hours at night. Women who venture into the business world should think twice before plunging into it. It would be beyond their means to fulfill two demanding roles at the same time.

As it is, a woman's most important responsibility still lies in her home. Without her around in the house, one just cannot bear to think of the consequences. Unless and until she can fulfill the basic role of a housewife and mother, she should not make a career her sole responsibility.

Câu hỏi 22 (TH): The word "*marveled*" in paragraph 1 could be best replaced by _____.

- A. was excited B. was amazed C. was frustrated D. was fascinated

Câu hỏi 23 (TH): According to the passage, what job is **NOT** suitable for women after getting married?

- A. typists B. public relations officers
C. nurses D. clerks

Câu hỏi 24 (TH): Which of the following about women is **NOT** true in paragraph 1?

- A. Women play an important role in their homes.
B. Women will have equality of job opportunities if they are as qualified as men.
C. Women's going out to work didn't change anything in the life of their families.

D. The main role of women in bygone days was childbearing and homemaking.

Câu hỏi 25 (TH): Why should a businesswoman have the second thought before starting her career?

A. Because she has heavy tasks to shoulder till very late at night.

B. Since she has to spend three quarters of her time on business.

C. Because she has to plunge into this job.

D. As it would be hard for her to fulfill the double role at the same time.

Câu hỏi 26 (TH): The word "*this*" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

A. the woman's influence at her home

B. the career that the woman wants to do

C. the child of the woman

D. the mother's care which is the most necessary for a child **Câu hỏi 27 (TH):** What is the best title of the passage?

A. The necessary characteristics for women to work after marriage.

B. Should women be allowed to work after marriage?

C. What jobs are suitable for women after marriage?

D. The role of women in society.

Câu hỏi 28 (TH): The word "*matrimony*" in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. marriage

B. divorce

C. celibate

D. remarriage

Câu hỏi 29 (VD): Which can be inferred from the last paragraph?

A. Women should fulfill their primary roles at home before making their own careers.

B. Women should not have their own careers.

C. Women should stay at home to fulfill their responsibilities.

D. Women should think of the consequences in their houses.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

Câu hỏi 30 (VD): George graduated with a good degree. However, he joined the ranks of the unemployed.

A. That George graduated with a good degree helped him join the ranks of the unemployed.

B. George joined the ranks of the unemployed because he graduated with a good degree.

C. If George graduated with a good degree, he would join the ranks of the unemployed.

D. Although George graduated with a good degree, he joined the ranks of the unemployed.

Câu hỏi 31 (VD): Electronic devices are bad for your eyes. Their radiation is very harmful. A. Electronic devices, which are bad for your eyes, their radiation is very harmful.

B. Electronic devices, whose radiation is very harmful, are bad for your eyes.

C. Electronic devices that their radiation is very harmful are bad for your eyes.

D. Electronic devices which their radiation is very harmful are bad for your eyes.

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

Câu hỏi 32 (TH): Both husband and wife should be responsible _____doing the household chores.

A. for B. with C. of D. to

Câu hỏi 33 (NB): They _____ enthusiastically when their teacher_____ in.

A. will discuss/ will come B. will have discussed/ comes

C. were discussing/ came D. discuss/ comes

Câu hỏi 34 (TH): Gestures such as waving and handshaking are _____forms of communication.

A. regular B. non-verbal C. direct D. verbal

Câu hỏi 35 (TH): His brother refuses to even listen to anyone else's point of view. He is very _____.

A. narrow-minded B. absent-minded C. open-minded D. kind-hearted

Câu hỏi 36 (VD): I finally _____the cold that I had had all week.

A. get over B. pass out C. pull through D. come down with

Câu hỏi 37 (TH): Some people are concerned with physical _____when choosing a wife or husband.

A. attract B. attractiveness C. attractive D. attractively

Câu hỏi 38 (NB): Everyone likes him, _____?

A. doesn't she B. don't they C. doesn't he D. don't you

Câu hỏi 39 (NB): If I _____ it was a formal party, I wouldn't have worn my old jeans and a jumper.

A. had been knowing B. could know C. knew D. had known

Câu hỏi 40 (TH): _____ his physical disability, he managed to finish the course with good results.

A. Despite B. Since C. Because of D. Although

Câu hỏi 41 (VDC): Mr. Park Hang Seo, a Korean coach, is considered a big _____in Vietnam football.

A. sandwich B. bread C. egg D. cheese

Câu hỏi 42 (TH): I deeply regret _____ to her so severely last night. She was badly hurt.

A. being spoken B. having spoken C. to be speaking D. to speak

Câu hỏi 43 (TH): Why don't you _____ these photos into your computer, because then you would have your own digital copies.

A. change B. put C. give D. scan

Câu hỏi 44 (TH): _____ in large quantities in the Middle East, oil became known as black gold because of the large profit it brought.

A. That when discovered B. Discovering

C. Discovered

D. Which was discovered

Câu hỏi 45 (TH): Mark Zuckerberg's enormous success has taken a lot of hard work and _____.

A. dedication

B. loyalty

C. reputation

D. indifference

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word which is stressed differently from the rest.

Câu hỏi 46 (NB):

A. relevant

B. attitude

C. assistant

D. argument

Câu hỏi 47 (NB):

A. promote

B. profile

C. prefer

D. regret

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined word or phrase in each sentence that needs correcting.

Câu hỏi 48 (VD): Jane's friends insist that she will stay at their house when she visits Toronto next weekend.

A. visits

B. that

C. next weekend

D. will stay at

Câu hỏi 49 (TH): The woman is famous not only for her beauty, intelligent but also for her hardworking.

A. not only

B. for

C. intelligent

D. hardworking

Câu hỏi 50 (TH): Most people consider it women's responsible to take care of children and do housework.

A. responsible

B. Most

C. do

D. of