

المذاكرة الأولى

اللغة الإنجليزية

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**A. Read the following text then do the tasks below:**

Someday people will live in space. By the end of this century, there will be permanent settlements that will allow people to lead a normal life in space. Hundreds of astronauts are going to work and live in the space station, which will take ten years to build. In some way, living on the moon will be easier than living in a space station and it will be cheaper because people won't bring everything from the Earth by rockets. The space city will be like a gigantic glass wheel that will contain buildings, factories and special meeting places. Inside it, people won't live differently from small towns on the Earth. It will have air so that inhabitants can breathe and they won't need to wear special space-suits inside the buildings. Scientists also believe that they will obtain water from a large ice lake on the moon. People won't have to do housework because robots will do that for them. Food won't be a problem, as settlers won't need to eat. Instead, they will take a pill three times a day. The first group of astronauts will live on the moon for six months and then they will return to the Earth and another group will travel. This will be repeated until the first settlers can finish establishing the new city. Life on the moon will be just the beginning. We hope they will use the knowledge we get there to plan expeditions to Mars, Mercury and even Pluto.

Choose the correct answer (a, b, c, or d) to complete the following:

(50 marks)

- It is possible for people to live on the moon -----.
a. nowadays b. by the end of this century
c. by 2030 d. by the end of this decade
- Space settlements will allow people to -----.
a. live a normal life on Earth
b. travel to Mars, Mercury, and Pluto
c. lead a normal life in space
d. build a space station
- Living on the moon will be cheaper than living in a space station because -----.
a. people won't need to bring everything from Earth
b. the moon doesn't have a large ice lake
c. robots will do all the housework
d. settlers won't need to eat

A. Read the following text then do the tasks below:

On March 27, 2013, John Sweeney, a plumber from Ireland, started a Facebook page called Suspended Coffees. His message was simple: Buy a cup of coffee for a stranger, because an act of kindness can change a life and make a difference. Eight hours later, the page had attracted more than 20,000 likes. Suspended coffee is a tradition that comes from Naples, Italy, and dates back to the 20th century. When customers buy coffee, they also pay in advance for a cup to be given to somebody else; usually someone who otherwise couldn't afford it. This initiative was forgotten, but then it revived again in 2011. That's when "Suspended Coffee Day" started to be celebrated each December. You can buy it for anyone in need. It can be for the homeless person you pass by every day on the street, a stressed student in the middle of exams, a mother of children who can't afford coffee. It may be a well-dressed man whom you may not think from his appearance that he's in need, but he may be in his third month of job hunting. It's not up to us to judge - if someone asks, then they're in need - no CV required.

Write true (T) or false (F): (50 marks)

- Suspended coffee is a tradition that originated in Ireland.
- Suspended coffee is a tradition that dates back to the 20th century.
- Suspended coffee can be bought for anyone in need.
- Suspended coffee can be bought for someone who appears well-dressed.
- Suspended coffee requires a CV to prove need.

4. The space city will look like a -----.
- a. gigantic glass wheel. b. small town on Earth.
c. factory. d. rocket.
5. The first group of astronauts will live for six months -----.
- a. on Earth. b. in the space station.
c. on the moon. d. in a small town on Earth.

C. Choose the correct answer. (200 marks)

11. Water ----- of hydrogen and oxygen.
a. consist b. is consisting c. consists d. are consisting
12. E-books will take the place ----- traditional books.
a. in b. about c. of d. above
13. He has no money; he has been unemployed ----- months.
a. for b. since c. a few d. these
14. I have ----- on my car.
a. fine b. income c. insurance d. benefit
15. It is important that ----- issues are addressed before autonomous vehicles are allowed on our roads.
a. this b. that c. much d. those
16. I was ----- when the plane took off.
a. employed b. manager c. existed d. astonished
17. The vowel sound heard in the word "bed" is -----.
a. /æ/ b. /b/ c. /i:/ d. /e/
18. Turn down the TV! Ahmed -----.
a. sleeps b. was sleeping c. is sleeping d. slept
19. How many people ----- there?
a. is b. are c. was d. be
20. He doesn't have ----- money.
a. many b. much c. a few d. some
21. We ----- for our holiday yet.
a. have planned b. have plan
c. hasn't planned d. haven't planned
22. She's very experienced now. She ----- been a volunteer for two years.
a. is b. have c. was d. has
23. There is someone at the door. I ----- open it.
a. will b. have c. am going to d. am
24. I ----- a doctor tomorrow.
a. will b. have c. am going to d. am
25. My mother hasn't cooked -----.
a. just b. already c. yet d. ever
26. You will need to ----- permission from the teacher if you want to leave the class.
a. normally b. breathe
c. establish d. obtain
27. The toilet isn't working. I need a/an -----.

D. Ask about the underlined words in each sentence. (40 marks)

31. Ahmed: -----?
Kareem: My father is a lawyer.
32. Ahmed: -----?
Kareem: He goes to work on foot.
33. Ahmed: -----?
Kareem: His office is downtown.
34. Ahmed: -----?
Kareem: I visit him in his office twice a week.

E. Find the mistake in each sentence. (20 marks)

35. I am have dinner right now.
a b c d
36. It's hard to found a job here.
a b c d
37. I have been a teacher since 5 years.
a b c d
38. her methods improve behaviour.
a b c d

F. Write a 50 word paragraph about the following topic. (40 marks)

A member of your family.

- How old is he\she?
- What is he\she like?
- What does he\she look like?
- What are his\her hobbies?
- What are his\her abilities?

- a. manager b. doctor c. astronaut d. plumber
28. I didn't see your bike, so I ----- you had gone out.
- a. assumed b. assume
- c. assumption d. assuming
29. ----- sun rises in the East.
- a. A b. The c. These d. An
30. There are changes in all ----- of life.
- a. farms b. aspects c. predictions d. none

End of Questions

