

A -Read the following text, then choose the correct answer A, B, C or D: (60 marks)

Success is no accident. It is hard work, perseverance, learning, studying, sacrifice and most of all, love of what you are doing or learning to do. Success, by definition, means to accomplish your goals. Some people define success by measures such as wealth, position or status and one's capabilities. It is also believed by many people that a successful person must be rich, but in many cases, money cannot buy you success. In fact, there are some factors which help us be successful. Start by setting your goals. Having a goal is an essential thing, but it should be a smart goal a successful person must be rich,. It requires to stretch your capabilities and to stay committed and remind yourself that it is not the end of the road. One step more, if there was only one secret to success, it would be preparation. It will set you in the best position to execute the task with the least difficulty. Timing also is a crucial ingredient to success. The only method of obtaining good timing is through repetition or experience. Furthermore, one needs confidence to be successful. He has to start with smaller tasks that have a higher chance of success to build up confidence. Parents should help their young children to build up confidence and become and happy in their life. They should discover at an early age the talents of their children and help them to grow their gift and take care of their needs and interests. Actions are louder than words. When you take action, you trigger all kinds of things that will inevitably carry you to success. Every step taken by you in the direction of your dreams and goals brings you closer at jet speed. Nothing happens until you take action. To be successful, you have to do what successful people do. All highly successful people are highly action-oriented people. It is said: "Success is 10% inspiration and 90 % perspiration." The golden rule to achieve success is to keep learning. These are three dangerous words: "I know that." If you have read or heard about something, you do not know. If you are not rich and successful the way you want, then you do not know.

1. Success is.....

- a- perseverance and learning b- studying and sacrifice
c-a and b d. to be lazy

2. is to accomplish your goals.

- a- Success b- Failure c-losing d- sleeping

3. Having a goal is..... to be succeeded...

- a-important b-not important c-not necessary d-unimportant

4. The only way of obtaining good timing is ...

- a- repetition b- experience c-a and b d-sleeping

5. To achieve success, the golden rule is...

- a-to stop learning b- never stop learning
c- not to continue learning d-to give up

6. To leave a memorable trace, you must be.....

- a- honest and trustful b-useful and generous
c- a and b d-careless and useless

B -Read the following text, then choose the correct answer A or B: (60 marks)

One of the most destructive moments in our lives is failure. When we work hard and keep faith with clear heart and soul to accomplish something and fail, it will surely have negative consequences for our lives. When we fail, life turns upside down. Everything seems to disappear into thin air. However, most people don't realise that failure acts as a stepping-stone towards success. They don't know that we can learn more about our lives when we fail. Throughout history, there have been many famous people who had once the greatest failures in their lives, but later they could learn from their experience and were able to reach the top. Thomas Edison is by far one of the most famous inventors in history. He holds 1,093 patents to his name. However, when attempting to invent a commercially-viable electric lightbulb, he failed over 10,000 times. When asked by a reporter how it felt to fail so many times, he merely stated, "I have not failed 10,000 times. I have not failed once. I have succeeded in proving that those 10,000 ways will not work. When I have eliminated the ways that will not work, I will find the way that will work."

Albert Einstein, one of the greatest thinkers of our time, didn't speak until he was four-years old. He also failed his entrance exam to the Swiss Federal Polytechnic school located in Zurich at sixteen-years old. And, even his father, up until the time of his death, considered his son to be a major failure. After eventually graduating from college, Einstein actually worked as an insurance salesman, but quit after some time because he failed at that as well.

Walt Disney is the creative genius who brought us the likes of Mickey Mouse, Donald Duck and Snow White. He created the Walt Disney Company after his own namesake. Yet, he faced many failures. His first company, Laugh-O-Gram went bankrupt. It wasn't until 5 years later and plenty of heartache - after he created Mickey Mouse - did he begin to experience a small amount of success and fame.

7. When we fail, it will surely have negative consequences for our lives.

- | | |
|---------|----------|
| a. True | b. False |
|---------|----------|

8. Failure acts as a stepping-stone towards success.

- | | |
|---------|----------|
| a. True | b. False |
|---------|----------|

9. People can learn more about their lives when they fail.

- | | |
|---------|----------|
| a. True | b. False |
|---------|----------|

10. Thomas Edison gave up when he failed to prove the ways that will not work.

- | | |
|---------|----------|
| A. True | b. False |
|---------|----------|

11. Albert Einstein didn't speak until he was four-years old.

- | | |
|---------|----------|
| a. True | b. False |
|---------|----------|

12. The main idea of the text is to never give up until we fulfill our dreams.

- | | |
|---------|----------|
| a. True | b. False |
|---------|----------|

II. Choose a , b , c , or d . (130 marks)**13-Certain to happen and cannot be avoided.**

a-sacrifice b-inevitably c-trigger d- inspiration

14-To initiate or activate something.

a-Sacrifice b-inevitably c-trigger d- inspiration

15. He retired after failing as a/an employee.a- eliminated b- insurance
c- stepping – stone d- mind boggling**16. He useless methods until he finally succeeded.**a- eliminated b- insurance
c- stepping – stone d- mind boggling**17-Don't I think he will lose the match.**a- back the wrong horse b- join the ranks of
c- on a roll d- ace a test**18. My dream of going to Cambridge University**a- dead in the water b- join the ranks of
c- on a roll d- ace a test**19. This is our fifth win in the game! We are**a-backing the wrong horse b- joining the ranks of
c-on a roll d- dead in the water**20.The (ed) in the word (passed) is pronounced:**

a-/it/ b-/t/ c-/d/ d-/id/

21.The (ed) in the word (wanted) is pronounced:

a-/it/ b-/t/ c-/d/ d-/id/

22.I..... it for at least three years. Maybe longer.

a- am having b- have c- have had d- had

23.I can't phone for an ambulance – I my mobile.

a. loses b. have lost c. has lost d. lost

24.Why are you crying? Because my brother an accident.

a-has b- had c- has had d-have had

25.Rami, you look tired. Yes, I the grass.

a-have been cutting b- cut c-cuts d- had cut

26.She on that manuscript for two years now.a- works b- worked
c-has been working d-work**27.A few weeks ago, a woman to report a robbery at her house.**

a- calls b- called c- has called d-was calling

28.At the age of 24, Gandhito South Africa.a- moves b- moved
c- was moving d-has been moving**29.I always..... the TV news when I lived abroad.**d. will watch c. have watched
b. am watching d. watched**30- A. I've got low marks in the exam.**

B-.....

a-We are proud of you. b-I can't decide yet.
b-You mustn't let this depress you. d-Well done!**31-A-My brother has won the prize.**

B-.....

a-I'm sorry. b-It's inconvenient.
c-Congratulation! d- This won't happen again.**32.Did anything happen while you.....TV?**a- are watching b- watch
c- were watching d- watched**33. As I was sleeping at night, my mobile phone**a- rings b-is ringing
c- rang d-was ringing**34. I knew her because I her several times.**a- visited b- had visited
c-am visiting d- have been visiting**35. Salma as a waitress for three years when he met her.**a. had been working b. have worked
c. works d-has been working**III- A- Ask about the underlined word in each sentence: (12 marks)**

36.Maria:.....?

Sofia: We have been playing football for three years.

37.Maria:?

Sofia: We usually play in the school playground.

38.Maria:.....?

Sofia: We played against the Youth team.

39.Sofia:?

Maria: We play football once a week.

E- Find the mistake in each sentence: (8 Marks)40. She like to practice English every day.

A b c d

41. They didn't finished their project last month.

A b c d

42. Sami and Rami is playing computer games right now.

A b c d

43. I am thinking that the weather will be fine tomorrow.

A b c d

Be positive and stay away from negative people, then
you will be happy and successful.