I. 词彙測驗

1. I can’t believe Kimberly __ nine hundred dollars for her new bag. She must be out of her mind!
   (A) takes  (B) uses  (C) spent  (D) cost

2. Taiwanese government hopes to promote the __ cooperation between Taiwan and mainland China with the signing of ECFA.
   (A) political  (B) educational  (C) cultural  (D) economic

3. The president has made a __ choice by appointing Lakewood the new manager. Lakewood will make an excellent manager.
   (A) sensitive  (B) sensual  (C) sensible  (D) sensational

4. Don’t think he’ll help you for sure. That’s only your __ thinking.
   (A) hopeful  (B) doubtful  (C) thoughtful  (D) wishful

5. Thanks to the company’s new __ plan, workers now feel secure about their retire life.
   (A) pension  (B) study  (C) lesson  (D) defense

6. The city’s bus drivers are on __ for higher pay today. Unprepared visitors have to either take a taxi or walk to their destination.
   (A) duty  (B) strike  (C) tour  (D) display

7. Herman is an __ person who always says what he feels. That’s why some people think he is offensive.
   (A) outstanding  (B) outspoken  (C) outpouring  (D) outrageous

8. Filling out application forms is a necessary __ for me. I hate doing it, but I need to get a job.
   (A) pain  (B) option  (C) evil  (D) bargain

9. At the end of the semester Miss Lai asked all the students to fill in a questionnaire to give __ on her teaching.
   (A) drawback  (B) fallback  (C) feedback  (D) kickback

10. All freshmen must take classes in Chinese, English and calculus. They are a __ at our school.
    (A) obligation  (B) selection  (C) option  (D) requirement
11. My doctor gave me some pills for my headache. However, they have the side __ of sleepiness.
(A) effect  (B) efficient  (C) affect  (D) affection

12. Although the painting is not signed or dated, it is generally __ to Leonardo da Vinci.
(A) believed  (B) dedicated  (C) contributed  (D) attributed

13. As a popular singer, Rosanna always has a busy __.
(A) schedule  (B) timetable  (C) itinerary  (D) calendar

14. During the worldwide economic __, many businesses were shut down and a great number of workers lost their jobs.
(A) depression  (B) illusion  (C) boom  (D) uprising

15. For the past six months Lou has been waiting for the right __ to tell Sue that he loves her.
(A) rue  (B) cue  (C) due  (D) hue

II. 綜合測驗

16. You don’t know the difference between __ LCD and __ liquid crystal display? Don’t you don’t know they are __ same thing?
(A) a, a, the  (B) an, a, the  (C) an, a, a  (D) a, an, a

17. I need to get my car __ before weekend so I can pick up my fiancée at the airport on Sunday.
(A) to fix  (B) will fix  (C) be fixed  (D) fixed

18. There is only one ticket left, either you or Sue __ to wait __ 10:30.
(A) has, for  (B) has, until  (C) have, for  (D) have, until

19. Everybody likes Professor Chang. His lecture is so __ that nobody will fall asleep in class.
(A) interested  (B) interest  (C) interestingly  (D) interesting

20. This is __ you and me. Promise me you won’t tell anybody about it.
(A) among  (B) beside  (C) between  (D) inside

21. Do you know that Taipei is my second hometown? I had lived there __ 10 years.
(A) for  (B) since  (C) in  (D) during

(A) do  (B) didn’t  (C) are  (D) hasn’t

23. They have decided __ the flea market indoors if it rains on weekend.
(A) to move  (B) moving  (C) moved  (D) move

24. Would you look __ my dog while I look __ the vet’s phone number in the yellow pages?
(A) at, up (B) about, up to  (C) after, up  (D) out, up to

25. Our office hours are from 10 am to 5 pm, Monday through Friday, __ on holidays. We have a day off
on New Year’s Day.
(A) except  (B) besides  (C) including  (D) aside

26. We plan to play card games to ___ time while waiting in line.
(A) gain  (B) kill  (C) buy  (D) lose

27. I don’t mean to be hard on you. But you really should ___ the music and solve your own problems.
(A) play  (B) face  (C) choose  (D) listen to

28. You’d better not take so many classes at a time. Don’t ___ more than you can ___.
(A) swallow, offer  (B) eat, taste  (C) bite, chew  (D) gobble, crumble

29. I know it’s risky, but you’ll never know if you don’t try. Everybody needs to ___ sometimes.
(A) get a goal  (B) make a wish  (C) take a chance  (D) have a ride

30. You are right. Two ___ are better than one. I will ask Saul Sean to help me.
(A) hands  (B) hops  (C) hearts  (D) heads

III. 文意選填

第 31 至 35 題為題組

The Super Bowl is one of the most-watched American television broadcasts. Every year 80 to 90 million Americans stay tuned to watch the Super Bowl in their living rooms. In a larger ___ , the Summer Olympics, which are ___ more than 20 sports, attract billions of television audiences around the world.

But what is the most-watched single sporting event in the world? The best guess is probably the quadrennial FIFA World Cup. This tournament that ___ 32 teams has been held every four years since 1930, with the exception of 1942 and 1946 when it was ___ by the outbreak of the Second World War. Ever since its first television broadcast in 1954, the World Cup has become the world’s most-watched single sporting event. In 2006, the cumulative audience of all matches held in Germany is estimated to be 26.29 billion. 715.1 million viewers, a ___ of the world population, watched the final match of this tournament.

31 (A) portion  (B) area  (C) piece  (D) scale
32 (A) based on  (B) concluded with  (C) comprised of  (D) divided by
33 (A) evolves  (B) revolves  (C) dissolves  (D) involves
34 (A) interrupted  (B) forsaken  (C) canceled  (D) banned
35 (A) nine  (B) ninth  (C) ninety  (D) nineteen

第 36 至 40 題為題組

Different cultures have different foods. There is one notorious Chinese delicacy known to the Westerners for its strong odor sometimes compared to blue cheese. However, people who really ___ it said it smells like rotten cabbage. Love it or hate it, this thing called stinky tofu has earned an unshakable ___ at roadside stands and night markets in Chinese speaking countries.
Stinky tofu is made in different ways in 38 parts of China. Changsha is famous for dried stinky tofu, and in Shanghai, stinky tofu is fried and typically served with a spicy or sweet sauce. In Tianjin, stinky tofu has a mild aroma, 39 in Chongqing, stinky tofu is spicier, and is sometimes dipped into Sichuan spicy hot pots. In Hong Kong, stinky tofu is a characteristic street food, along with fish balls and beef balls. It is generally greasier than its mainland counterparts. Stinky tofu is also one of the most popular snacks in Taiwan, where it is served deep fried, grilled, steamed or prepared in other 40 and creative ways.

36 (A) like (B) alike (C) unlike (D) dislike
37 (A) place (B) delight (C) structure (D) theory
38 (A) various (B) remote (C) separable (D) Essential
39 (A) otherwise (B) whereas (C) therefore (D) Regardless
40 (A) unconditional (B) perspective (C) unconventional (D) inconvenient

IV. 閱讀測驗

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Classes begin on February 22 and end on June 25. Classes at the same level are offered on the same day unless otherwise specified: 100—Monday, 200—Tuesday, 300—Wednesday, 400—Thursday, and 500—Friday. Classes are offered either from 10:00 to 12:00 or from 14:00 to 16:00: 100 and 200—morning and 300 and higher—afternoon.

* Students must take CAL 101 and CAL 102 before taking CAL.201
** CHN 200 is for junior and senior students only.
There's no need to panic if you or your child is diagnosed with an LD (learning disability). A learning disability doesn't have anything to do with a person's intelligence. Such successful people as Thomas Edison, Walt Disney and Tom Cruise all had learning disabilities.

Learning disabilities are problems that affect the brain's ability for receiving, processing, analyzing, or storing information. Students with these problems cannot learn as quickly as someone who isn't affected by learning disabilities. There are many kinds of learning disabilities. Most of these students are not affected by just one learning disability. Some learning disabilities can interfere with a person's ability to concentrate or focus and can cause someone's mind to wander too much. Other learning disabilities can make it difficult for a student to read, write, spell, or solve math problems.

Learning disabilities are hard to diagnose because you cannot tell that someone is affected by the problems by looking at that person. Learning disabilities typically first show up when a person has difficulty speaking, reading, writing, solving a math problem, communicating with a parent, or paying attention in class. Some kids' are diagnosed with learning disabilities in elementary school when a teacher notices a kid cannot follow directions for a game or is struggling to do some easy work. However, some kids develop sophisticated ways of covering up their learning issues, so learning disabilities don't show up
until the teen years when schoolwork and life get more complicated.

Having trouble studying for a test is not necessarily a sign of a learning disability. There are as many learning styles as there are individuals. For example, some people are kinetic learners that learn by doing and practicing, some are auditory learners that learn by listening, and other visual learners who prefer to read material. Some people are just naturally slower readers or learners than others, but they still perform well for their age and abilities. Sometimes, people who seem to have a learning disability are simply late bloomers; they will eventually catch up with, or even surpass their peers.

46. What does the passage say about people diagnosed with a learning disability?

(A) They don’t have to be panic.
(B) They will never have a chance to succeed.
(C) They need to work harder than others.
(D) They should go to see a doctor.

47. Why are some cases of learning disabilities hard to diagnose?

(A) Some teachers find it hard to diagnose learning disabilities.
(B) Some kids are good at covering up their problems.
(C) Some learning disabilities are simply too complicated.
(D) Some learning disabilities are impossible to diagnose.

48. According to the passage, which of the following statements is INCORRECT?

(A) Most students with disabilities are affected by just one learning problem.
(B) Having problem concentrating in class is a sign of a learning disability.
(C) A learning disability has nothing to do with a person’s intelligence.
(D) Kids with learning disabilities cannot learn as quickly as others.

49. “Late bloomer” is closest in meaning with which of the following?

(A) Someone who is late for school.
(B) Someone who is slow.
(C) Someone whose capabilities are slow to develop.
(D) Someone who is affected by a learning disability.

50. Which of the following about this passage is NOT true?

(A) Learning disabilities can only be diagnosed in elementary school.
(B) Some slow readers still perform well for their age.
(C) There are different types of learners.
(D) There are different types of learning disabilities.