

**ĐỀ CƯƠNG ÔN TẬP KIỂM TRA GIỮA KỲ 2 - ANH 12
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READING SECTION

Part 1. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions

1. Television remains one of the most popular forms of entertainment in the modern world, appealing to millions of viewers every day. It offers a variety of reasons to tune in, ranging from relaxation and information to social connection and education.

After a long, hectic day, it's often necessary to disconnect from your thoughts to unwind. Watching TV is a great way to do this, as it provides a welcome distraction from your day. There is a show for everyone whether it's an undemanding comedy or a true-crime documentary. Moreover, **immersing** yourself in a different narrative or setting can help you temporarily forget your worries and recharge mentally.

There are hundreds of great educational TV shows to keep you informed and up-to-date. These programmes cover a wide range of topics, from science and history to current events and cultural documentaries. Shows like these often feature experts and researchers, providing viewers with accurate and reliable information. Additionally, they present complex ideas in an engaging and easy-to-understand format, making learning enjoyable for people of all ages. Watching educational TV can also inspire curiosity and encourage further exploration of the topics discussed.

When a new TV show becomes popular, you can be certain that everyone will be talking about it. There will almost certainly be a ton of stories, memes, and jokes about it on the Internet. As a result, watching TV allows people to engage in conversations about the latest cultural phenomena. Watching the latest shows means you'll know what everyone is talking about and can easily join in the conversation.

(Adapted from <https://stacyknows.com/why-do-people-watch-tv-7-common-reasons/>)

Question 1. Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 2?

- A. To relax after a busy day, you often need to take a break from overthinking.
- B. Relaxing after a hectic day requires ignoring your thoughts completely.
- C. A long day can only be managed by distracting yourself with physical activities.
- D. After a stressful day, it's best to avoid reflecting on your emotions.

Question 2. What can be inferred about educational TV programmes from paragraph 3?

- A. They are only suitable for children and students.
- B. They make complicated subjects easier for viewers to understand.
- C. They focus mainly on entertainment rather than education.
- D. They rarely provide reliable information.

Question 3. The word "immersing" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to ____.

- A. avoiding
- B. deeply involving
- C. briefly watching
- D. ignoring

Question 4. Which of the following can be inferred from paragraph 4 about popular TV shows?

- A. People who do not watch popular shows may find it harder to join conversations.
- B. Popular TV shows are usually educational.
- C. The Internet prevents people from discussing TV shows.
- D. Watching popular shows guarantees social success.

Question 5. Which of the following best summarises the passage?

- A. Watching TV is a way to disconnect and unwind, while also offering educational content and social connection.
- B. One type of entertainment that primarily allows individuals to unwind and take in a range of

shows is television.

C. People watch TV just to relax and escape from their busy lives, without any interest in educational shows or socialising.

D. TV viewing is purely for amusement and has little educational or social benefit.

2. Artificial intelligence (AI) and related technologies are increasingly prevalent in business and society; besides, they have been applied to education. These technologies have the potential to transform many aspects of the teaching - learning process.

Basic activities in education like grading can be automated with the help of AI. At educational institutes, marking a large number of tests and assignments is **tedious** work. Teachers often find that grading takes up a considerable amount of time which can be used to interact with students and prepare for class. AI, at present, may not be able to actually replace human grading; however, it's getting pretty close. Nearly all kinds of multiple choice and fill-in-the-blank testing can now be performed by AI-driven machines, and automated grading of student writing may not be far behind. Essay-grading softwares are still in their infancy, yet **they** will be fully developed over the coming years, allowing teachers to focus 'more on classroom activities and professional development.

Learners can also get additional support from AI. For instance, tutoring programs based on artificial intelligence already exist to help students with basic courses of mathematics, writing, foreign language, etc. With the rapid pace of technological advancement in recent years, sophisticated tutoring systems which can help students learn high order thinking and stimulate their creativity will not be **a pipe dream**. Moreover, AI programs can give learners useful feedback and assistance. Some schools, especially those with online courses, are using AI systems to monitor students' progress. These systems not only offer students advice on individual courses but also help students choose majors in accordance with areas where they succeed or struggle. For better or worse, AI systems have taken place in certain types of classroom activities.

In the next decades, their influences will extend significantly, which offers both teacher and students a much wider range of services.

(Adapted from www.qualifacie)

Question 1: What does the word "they" in paragraph 2 refer to?

A. essays

B. classroom activities

C. machines

D. grading software

Question 2: What does the word "tedious" in the passage mostly mean?

A. admirable

B. economical

C. boring

D. costly

Question 3: Which of the following statements is **TRUE** according to the passage?

A. Teachers focus more on classroom activities than professional development.

B. Teachers lack time to interact with students and prepare for class.

C. Learners can receive useful feedback and help from AI programs.

D. All kinds of multiple choice questions are graded by machines.

Question 4: What can machines driven by AI can do, according to paragraph 2?

A. find out all the mistakes in students' papers

B. be fully developed by teacher

C. grade almost all types of fill-in-the-blank questions

D. mark students' writing automatically

Question 5: What does the passage mainly discuss?

A. The potential of applying technologies to teaching

B. The various form of AI.

C. The changes made by AI in education.

D. AI and related technologies

3. Radio, a form of mass media and sound communication by radio waves, usually transmits music, news, and other types of programs from single broadcast stations to many individual listeners equipped with radio receivers. From its birth early in the 20th century, broadcast radio **astonished** and delighted the public by providing news and entertainment faster than ever before. From about 1920 to 1945, radio developed into the first electronic mass medium, along with newspapers, magazines, and motion pictures, an entire generation of mass culture. About 1945 the appearance of television began to transform radio's content and role. Broadcast radio remained the most widely available electronic mass medium in the world, though its importance in modern life did not match that of television, and in the early 21st century, it faced yet more competitive pressure from digital satellite- and Internet-based audio services.

Based on the human voice, radio is a uniquely personal medium, invoking a listener's imagination to fill in mental images around the broadcast sounds. More readily and in a more widespread fashion than any other medium, radio can soothe listeners with comforting dialogue or background music, or **it** can bring them back into reality with breaking news. Since the birth of this medium, commercial broadcast companies as well as government organs have made conscious use of its unique attributes to create programs that attract and hold listeners' attention.

Adapted from: <https://www.britannica.com/topic/radio>

Question 1: What would be the best title for the passage?

- A. The Evolution of Mass Media
- B. The Impact of Television on Radio
- C. The Evolution and Impact of Radio as a Medium
- D. The Decline of Radio in the 21st Century

Question 2: What did radio provide to the public that astonished and delighted them?

- A. visual effects
- B. news and entertainment
- C. satellite communication
- D. mass culture

Question 3: The word "**astonished**" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

- A. sold
- B. stayed
- C. declined
- D. impressed

Question 4: The word "**it**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. radio
- B. dialogue
- C. music
- D. medium

Question 5: Which of the following is NOT true?

- A. Radio faced competitive pressure from digital satellite- and Internet-based audio services.
- B. Radio developed into the first electronic mass medium from 1920 to 1945.
- C. The appearance of television did not impact the role and content of radio.
- D. Radio can help listeners feel calm with dialogue or background music.

4. Artificial Intelligence (AI) refers to the simulation of human intelligence by machines, enabling them to perform tasks that typically require human **cognitive** functions such as learning, reasoning, problem-solving, and decision-making. AI has rapidly transformed various sectors, including healthcare, finance, education, and transportation, bringing both opportunities and challenges.

In healthcare, AI is used to assist in diagnosing diseases, predicting patient outcomes, and developing personalized treatments. In finance, AI helps detect fraud, automate trading, and improve customer service. AI-driven tools in education create personalized learning experiences, while autonomous vehicles and smart traffic systems in transportation are making travel more efficient and safe.

However, the rise of AI also raises ethical concerns. One major issue is the potential displacement of jobs as AI systems replace human labor in certain industries. There's also concern about data privacy, as AI relies on vast amounts of personal data for machine learning. Additionally, biases in AI algorithms can lead to unfair treatment in areas like hiring, lending, or law enforcement.

Despite these challenges, AI holds immense promise for improving lives and boosting efficiency. It is essential for governments, industries, and researchers to collaborate on developing ethical guidelines and policies that promote responsible AI use. As AI continues to evolve, its impact

on society will depend on how well we balance innovation with ethical considerations, ensuring that the benefits are widely shared.

Question 1: What is the main focus of the article?

- A. The use of AI in finance
- B. The ethical concerns associated with AI
- C. The overall impact of AI on different sectors and society
- D. The future of AI in education

Question 2: In the 1st paragraph, what does the word "**cognitive**" most closely mean?

- A. Emotional B. Logical C. Mental D. Physical

Question 3: What does "AI" refer to in the article?

- A. Autonomous Innovations B. Artificial Intelligence
- C. Advanced Information D. Algorithmic Integration

Question 4: According to the article, which sector uses AI to assist in diagnosing diseases and developing treatments?

- A. Finance B. Transportation C. Healthcare D. Education

Question 5: Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a use of AI in the article?

- A. AI improving customer service in finance B. AI being used in autonomous vehicles
- C. AI detecting fraud in online gaming D. AI creating personalized learning experiences

Part 2. Read the advertisement below and choose the best word (A, B, C, or D) to fill in each blank.

1. AI INNOVATION EXPO 2026 – Join the Future!

Are you curious about how artificial intelligence is transforming our world? The AI Innovation Expo 2026 is a must-attend event for students, teachers, and technology enthusiasts who want to explore the latest (1) _____ in AI development.

This exciting event will bring together leading researchers and industry experts to share their knowledge and (2) _____ into emerging technologies. Participants will have the opportunity to attend workshops, interactive demonstrations, and inspiring talks designed to (3) _____ creativity and critical thinking.

In addition, the Expo provides excellent networking opportunities, allowing attendees to (4) _____ with professionals from top tech companies and universities. Whether you are a beginner or already have experience in coding and robotics, this event will broaden your (5) _____ of artificial intelligence and its real-world applications.

Register now and be part of the technological revolution!

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| Question 1. A. trends | B. hobbies | C. traditions | D. habits |
| Question 2. A. complaints | B. doubts | C. insights | D. jokes |
| Question 3. A. stimulate | B. reduce | C. ignore | D. limit |
| Question 4. A. compete | B. compare | C. argue | D. connect |
| Question 5. A. confusion | B. understanding | C. fear | D. argument |

2. AI has become increasingly important in today's world as it has the potential to (1)..... many industries, including healthcare, finance, education, and more. The impact of AI on our lives, including its use in the digitalisation of society, is significant.

AI has played a major role in the digitalisation of society, as it has (2)..... us to collect, process, and analyse large amounts of data at a faster pace than ever before. This has led to the creation of new technologies, improved business processes, and greater efficiency in many industries. AI has had a significant impact on various forms of media, from text to video. AI-powered technologies such as natural language processing, image and speech (3)..... computer vision have revolutionised the way we (4)..... media. This demonstrated the potential of AI, as it can be utilised to create new and

unique characters and storylines in the film industry or special effects, automate tasks, and even generate entire movies. The use of AI in smartphone technology has grown rapidly in recent years. AI-powered personal assistants, such as Siri and Google Assistant, which are being used to improve users' experience and to offer more personalised recommendations and services, have also become a (5)..... of many people's daily lives.

- Question 1:** A. privatize B. naturalize C. criticise D. revolutionize
Question 2: A. Activated B. affected C. enabled D. controlled
Question 3: A. industrialization B. recognition C. solution D. demonstration
Question 4: A. interact with B. connected with C. linked to D. look at
Question 5: A. staple B. feature C. element D. option

3. The word "robot" was first used in 1920. It comes from the Czech word 'robota', _____ means 'forced labour' used in a play by Karel Čapek to describe artificial people. In 1949, the British inventor William Grey Walter introduced the first machine which could slowly move in _____ to light stimulus. The first robot to use Artificial Intelligence was known as Shakey.

Twenty years later, a walking robot called Dante, which was _____ of climbing steep slopes, was built to go into active volcanoes. The late 1990s marked a _____ in the history of robots when Kismet, a robotic head designed to provoke and react to emotions, was created.

Since the beginning of the 21st century, more robots have been created to improve our life. The first self-driving car was launched on 8 October 2005. In 2012, the A.I expert Geoffrey Hinton and his team created the first accurate visual recognition system. In 2016, Sophia, a human-like robot, was introduced. Sophia can _____ human gestures and facial expressions and is able to answer certain questions and to make simple conversations.

(Adapted from *Global Success*)

- Question 1.** A. who B. which C. where D. whose
Question 2. A. response B. security C. application D. platform
Question 3. A. able B. intelligent C. capable D. talented
Question 4. A. milestone B. portfolio C. recognition D. command
Question 5. A. upgrade B. upload C. provoke D. imitate

4. Explore the Vibrant World of Culture!

Discover the rich tapestry of global cultures at our upcoming festival! This event (1)_____ diversity through art, music, and cuisine from around the world. Having showcased (2) _____ in the past, we invite you to immerse yourself in this unforgettable experience.

Join us for a day filled with exciting performances and interactive workshops. To learn (3)_____ different traditions is a privilege for most people (4)_____ to broaden their horizons. Engage with local artisans, taste exotic dishes, and enjoy live music that will uplift your spirit.

Our mission is to promote understanding and appreciation of cultural heritage. Don't miss the chance to connect with people from (5)_____ backgrounds and create lasting memories. Come and experience the beauty of culture in every form—together, we can celebrate our shared humanity!

- Question 1:** A. celebrates B. makes C. does D. brings
Question 2: A. numerous artists talented B. talented numerous artists
C. artists numerous talented D. numerous talented artists
Question 3: A. at B. in C. about D. from
Question 4: A. to hope B. hoped C. was hoped D. hoping
Question 5: A. variously B. various C. variety D. vary

WRITING SECTION

Part 1. Choose the sentence that has the same meaning as the given one.

Question 1. The school had a group of IT experts update its AI system.

- A. The school had its AI system updated by a group of IT experts.
- B. The school updated its AI system by a group of IT experts.
- C. The AI system was updating the school with IT experts.
- D. A group of IT experts had the school update the AI system.

Question 2. The company had its new AI application developed by its engineers.

- A. The engineers developed a new AI application without the company's request.
- B. The company developed a new AI application by its engineers.
- C. The company had its engineers develop a new AI application.
- D. The engineers got the company to develop a new AI application.

Question 3. The company had its AI robot tested by experienced engineers before launching it.

- A. The company tested its AI robot with experienced engineers.
- B. Experienced engineers tested the AI robot without the company's request.
- C. The company had experienced engineers test its AI robot before launching it.
- D. Experienced engineers had the company test the AI robot before launching it.

Question 4. The news spread so quickly that everyone on social media was talking about it.

- A. It was such quick news that everyone on social media was talking about it.
- B. It was such quickly spreading news that everyone on social media was talking about it.
- C. It was such quick news that everyone on social media talked about it.
- D. It was such quickly news that everyone on social media was talking about it.

Question 5. The news anchor didn't have enough information about the event, but she spoke confidently about it.

- A. The news anchor spoke as if she has enough information about the event.
- B. The news anchor spoke as if she had enough information about the event.
- C. The news anchor spoke as if she will have enough information about the event.
- D. The news anchor spoke as if she having enough information about the event.

Question 6. The manager had a team of programmers design the company's AI website.

- A. The company's AI website was designed by the manager.
- B. The manager designed the company's AI website himself.
- C. The manager had the company's AI website designed by a team of programmers.
- D. A team of programmers had the manager design the AI website.

Question 7. The school had its online learning platform upgraded last month.

- A. The school upgraded the online learning platform itself.
- B. The school got someone to upgrade its online learning platform last month.
- C. The online learning platform upgraded the school last month.
- D. Someone upgraded last month by the school.

Question 8. The company had cybersecurity experts check its data system regularly.

- A. Cybersecurity experts regularly checked the company's data system at its request.
- B. The company checked cybersecurity experts regularly.
- C. The data system had experts check the company.
- D. Cybersecurity experts asked the company to check the system.

Question 9. The online post was so interesting that thousands of users shared it immediately.

- A. It was such an interesting online post that thousands of users shared it immediately.
- B. It was so interested online post that users shared immediately.
- C. The post was interesting enough sharing immediately.
- D. Such interesting was the online post users shared it.

Question 10. She explained the new AI technology although she didn't understand anything about it.

- A. She explained the new AI technology because she understood everything about it.
- B. She explained the new AI technology as though she understands everything about it.
- C. She explained the new AI technology as though she understood everything about it.
- D. She explained the new AI technology although she understood everything about it.

Question 11. My dishwasher has been broken down. Someone is going to repair it tomorrow.

- A. My dishwasher makes unsatisfactory sound, so I am going to repair it tomorrow.
- B. If my dishwasher has been broken down, someone is going to repair it tomorrow.
- C. I'm going to have my dishwasher repaired tomorrow.
- D. The dishwasher which makes unsatisfactory sound is going to be repaired

Question 12. My dad had someone repair our robot vacuum cleaner.

- A. My dad had our robot vacuum cleaner repaired.
- B. My dad got our robot vacuum cleaner repair.
- C. My dad repaired our robot vacuum cleaner.
- D. Our robot vacuum cleaner is repaired by my dad.

Question 13. The shop arranged for a robot to put together our furniture in 10 minutes.

- A. The shop had our furniture put together in 10 minutes by a robot
- B. The shop had a robot to put our furniture together
- C. The shop had to put together our furniture in 10 minutes
- D. The shop had put together our furniture in 10 minutes

Question 14. Alba is an advanced robot. She can talk and express emotions like humans.

- A. Alba is an advanced robot, but she cannot talk and express emotions like humans.
- B. Although Alba can talk and express emotions like humans, she is not an advanced robot.
- C. Alba is such an advanced robot that she can talk and express emotions like humans.
- D. Alba is so an advanced robot that she can talk and express emotions like humans.

Question 15. He reported the news. He had firsthand experience.

- A. He reported the news as if he had firsthand experience.
- B. He reported the news as if he has firsthand experience.
- C. He reported the news as he had firsthand experience.
- D. He reported the news as if he will have firsthand experience.

Question 16. Why don't we get someone to fix our computer?

- A. Fixing our computer is someone else's duty.
- B. Let's have someone to fix our computer.
- C. Someone will have our computer fixed.
- D. Why don't we have our computer fixed?

Question 17. My car needed servicing, so I took it to a garage.

- A. I took my car to a garage to have it serviced.
- B. I took my car, which needed to be servicing, to a garage.
- C. I had a garage get serviced my car.
- D. My car was taken to a garage to have it serviced.

Question 18. As long as you stay calm, you have nothing to fear from the talk show.

- A. You have remained calm for a long time in spite of your fear of the interview.
- B. Even if you are afraid of the interview, it is important not to let it show.
- C. Interviews are only intimidating for people who are not extremely calm.
- D. Provided you do not get nervous, the interview won't go badly for you.

Question 19. He was so addicted to social networks that he quitted all other outdoor activities.

- A. He was not addicted enough to quit all other outdoor activities.
- B. He was such an addict to social networks that he quitted all other outdoor activities.
- C. The social networks are too addictive for him to quit all other outdoor activities.
- D. He had quitted all other outdoor activities before he became addicted to social networks.

Question 20. Unless humans stop poaching, many rare animals will become extinct.

- A. When humans stop poaching, a lot of rare animals will become extinct.
- B. If people don't stop poaching, many rare animals will become extinct.
- C. As soon as humans stop poaching, a lot of rare animals will become extinct.
- D. Provided that humans stop poaching, many rare animals will become extinct.

Part 2. Choose the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions.

Question 1:

- a. I am writing to ask for more information about the AI workshop.
- b. I look forward to your reply.
- c. Dear Sir or Madam,
- d. Yours sincerely,
- e. I would like to know the registration fee and schedule.

- A. c – a – e – b – d
- B. a – c – e – b – d
- C. c – e – a – b – d
- D. a – e – c – d – b

Question 2:

- a. As a result, many people now prefer reading news online instead of buying traditional printed newspapers.
- b. First, they provide updated information very quickly, often just minutes after events happen.
- c. Online newspapers are becoming more and more popular nowadays, especially among young people.
- d. Second, they are easy to access on smartphones and other digital devices anytime and anywhere.
- e. For these reasons, digital media has become more attractive and convenient for modern readers.

- A. b – c – d – a – e
- B. c – d – b – a – e
- C. c – b – d – a – e
- D. c – b – a – d – e

Question 3:

- a. I hope you will have a chance to learn more about this amazing technology in the future.
- b. Dear Minh,
- c. In my opinion, artificial intelligence is changing the way we live, work, and study.
- d. For example, AI can help students search for information, translate languages, and even practise speaking skills.
- e. I am writing to tell you about what I have learned about artificial intelligence in my English class.
- f. Best regards,

Nam

- A. b – c – e – d – a – f
- B. e – b – c – d – a – f
- C. b – e – d – c – a – f
- D. b – e – c – d – a – f

Question 4:

- a. **Lan:** Yes, I have. I usually read online newspapers because they update the news very quickly. What about you?
- b. **Nam:** I often watch television news in the evening to keep myself informed.
- c. **Lan:** That's interesting. Television is still a reliable source of information.
- d. **Nam:** Hi, Lan. Have you followed the latest news about social media trends?

- A. d – a – b – c
- B. d – b – a – c
- C. a – d – b – c
- D. d – a – c – b

Question 5:

- a. **Lan:** Of course. What would you like to know?
- b. **Minh:** I'm wondering how AI is used in education.
- c. **Lan:** It can personalise learning and help students improve their skills more effectively.

d. **Minh:** Excuse me, Lan. May I ask you something about artificial intelligence?

e. **Minh:** That sounds really useful for students today.

A. d – b – a – c – e

B. a – d – b – c – e

C. d – a – b – c – e

D. d – a – c – b – e

Question 6:

a. First, what are the university entry requirements for international students in the UK?

b. Regards,

c. Dear Kevin, I hope you well! I am writing to ask you for some advice on higher education in your country.

d. What's more, what types of accommodation are available for international students?

e. Do I have to take any university entrance examinations if I have a certificate of secondary school graduation and a transcript of marks for all subjects? f. I wish you and your family the best.

A. c – e – a – d – f – b B. c – a – e – f – d – b C. c – a – e – d – f – b D. c – a – b – f – d – e

Question 7:

a. Finally, traditional media are more credible and reliable.

b. First, traditional media such as newspapers, television, and radio are still accessible to a wide audience, especially in areas with limited internet access.

c. Moreover, traditional media can generate high earnings from advertising, as opposed to digital platforms.

d. This is because the information there is often fact-checked, whereas digital platforms can be sources of fake news and bias.

e. Traditional mass media won't be replaced by modern ones for several reasons.

A. e – b – c – a – d

B. e – b – a – d – c

C. e – b – c – d – a

D. b – c – a – d – e

Question 8:

a. After logging in, go to the “GPT-3.5” section and click on “Create.” This is your next step after signing in.

b. Once you've set those details, head over to the “Chat” tab. This is where you get to actually talk to your chatbot.

c. Finally, start chatting! Type in your questions or prompts, and see how your chatbot responds based on what you've set up earlier.

d. First, go to the OpenAI website and sign into your account. This is where you start.

e. Now, set up your chatbot by choosing its name, what it's for, and the language it should use. This happens right after you click “Create.”

A. d-e-a-b-c

B. d-a-e-b-c

C. d-c-a-b-e

D. d-a-b-e-c

Question 9:

a. Then discover how AI can personalize learning experiences for every student.

b. First, explore innovative AI technologies reshaping classrooms worldwide.

c. Together with the use for your students, learn practical strategies for integrating AI tools into your teaching practices.

d. Here's what you'll learn in the workshop on AI.

e. Finally, engage in hands-on activities and interactive discussions led by AI experts.

A. d – a – b – e – c

B. d – b – a – c – e

C. b – e – a – c – d

D. b – c – a – e – d

Question 10:

Hi Lan,

a. Thanks for inviting me to your family picnic. It was so nice!

b. I really enjoyed meeting your cousins and your brother.

c. Also, the food was delicious! Did you help make the sandwiches?

d. I hope we can do this again soon. Let me know when you're free.

e. I hope you had a great time with everyone too!

Your friend,

A. a – c – b – d – e

B. a – b – c – d – e

C. d – a – e – b – c

D. e – c – b – d – a

Question 11:

a. I am writing to request more information about your media literacy seminar.

b. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

c. Dear Sir or Madam,

d. Yours sincerely,

e. I would like to know the topics covered and the participation fee.

A. c – a – e – b – d

B. a – c – e – b – d

C. c – e – a – b – d

D. a – e – c – d – b

Question 12:

a. The robotic vacuum will move around the room, avoiding obstacles with its sensors.

b. Place the robotic vacuum cleaner on the floor in the room you want to clean. Then do the following steps.

c. Remember to empty the dustbin regularly to maintain optimal performance.

d. Once cleaning is complete, the vacuum will return to its charging station automatically.

e. First, turn the cleaner on by pressing the power button and press the "start" button to begin cleaning.

A. e – b – d – a – c

B. b – e – a – d – c

C. b – c – d – b – a

D. e – b – a – d – c

Question 13:

Hi Gemma,

a. Still, it was interesting to read about the potential of AI in improving study methods.

b. Thanks so much for sharing those articles about using AI for learning and education.

c. By the way, we should try using one of these AI tools together sometime. What do you think?

d. It's fascinating how AI can support personalized learning experiences, but right now, I'm focusing more on my research projects, so I haven't had the chance to explore these tools in depth.

e. Thanks also for the recommendation about the AI-powered platforms for language learning — they seem much more engaging than the apps I've been using.

Write back soon.

Billy

A. d-b-a-c-e

B. b-d-a-e-c

C. a-d-b-c-e

D. a-c-d-b-e

Question 14:

a. Mark: Hi, Nam! Thanks. You look so tech-savvy, too. Have you been using AI for learning lately?

b. Nam: Hi, Mark! It's been such a long time. You look so smart!

c. Nam: Yes, I have. I use AI-driven platforms to practice English every day and get personalized lessons.

A. c-a-b

B. b-c-a

C. c-b-a

D. b-a-c

Question 15:

a. Alex: Why AI-powered platforms?

b. Sue: I'm going to use AI-powered learning platforms.

c. Alex: I think AI-powered platforms are too complicated. I don't think I'll try them.

d. Sue: They provide personalized lessons and instant feedback, helping me learn more effectively and at my own pace.

e. Alex: How are you going to improve your learning skills?

A. e-b-a-d-c

B. c-e-d-b-a

C. d-b-a-e-c

D. b-d-e-a-c

Question 16:

a. Nam: Hi, Jessica. I'm so excited as I've never met a talking robot before. Let's have a photo taken together!

b. Teacher: Hello, class. Please meet Jessica. She's a human-like robot and will be your guide today.

c. Jessica: Good morning, everybody. Welcome to the New Tech Centre.

[Adapted from Global Success]

A. a-b-c

B. b-a-c

C. c-a-b

D. b-c-a

Question 17:

- a. Alex: That makes sense, but I don't think AI is suitable for basic tasks.
- b. Nick: Definitely. A doctor's job is such a tedious one that AI will likely take over.
- c. Nick: You're right. Basic jobs may be perfect for AI, but humans may not want to relinquish control of more boring tasks.
- d. Alex: Do you think AI will affect the role of doctors?

[Adapted from I Learn Smart World]

A. d-c-a-b

B. d-b-a-c

C. d-b-c-a

D. a-d-c-b

Question 18:

Dear Emily,

- a. I hope you're doing well! I just got back from an amazing trip to Italy and had to tell you about it.
- b. If you ever get the chance to visit Italy, you should go! I'd love for us to travel together someday.
- c. I loved the food, especially the pizza in Naples!
- d. It was the perfect getaway and a much-needed break from routine.
- e. The locals were so welcoming, and learning a few Italian phrases helped.
- f. The views at the Amalfi Coast were breathtaking, and I explored beautiful cities like Venice and Rome.

Take care,

Sarah

A. a-f-e-d-c-b

B. a-e-d-c-b-f

C. a-f-c-d-e-b

D. a-f-c-e-d-b

Question 19:

- a. Additionally, choosing eco-friendly products and supporting renewable energy sources, such as solar or wind power, contributes to a greener planet.
- b. Planting trees helps reduce carbon dioxide levels and improves air quality.
- c. Simple actions like reducing plastic use, recycling, and conserving water can make a significant difference.
- d. It's important for individuals, businesses, and governments to work together to preserve natural resources, reduce pollution, and combat climate change for future generations.
- e. Protecting the environment is crucial for ensuring a healthy and sustainable future.

[Adapted from World Wildlife Fund and United Nations Environment Programme materials]

A. e-c-b-a-d

B. e-a-c-d-b

C. e-c-a-b-d

D. d-e-a-c-b

Question 20:

- a. As AI continues to advance, it holds the potential to revolutionize fields such as healthcare, education, and business, though ethical considerations about job displacement and privacy are increasingly important.
- b. Initially focused on basic problem-solving and calculations, AI now powers complex systems, from virtual assistants like Siri and Alexa to self-driving cars and advanced medical diagnostics.
- c. Artificial Intelligence (AI) has rapidly evolved, transforming industries and everyday life.
- d. Machine learning and deep learning technologies enable AI to analyze vast amounts of data, improving its decision-making abilities.

[Adapted from Forbes and MIT Technology Review]

A. c-b-d-a

B. c-d-a-b

C. b-c-a-d

D. c-a-d-b

USE OF LANGUAGE SECTION

Part 1. Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 1. Many companies spend a lot of money on **commercials** during prime time to promote their products.

The word “**commercials**” is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. interviews B. news reports C. advertisements D. documentaries

Question 2. Artificial intelligence enables machines to perform complex tasks **automatically**.

The word “**automatically**” is opposite in meaning to _____.

- A. manually B. efficiently C. intelligently D. quickly

Question 3. Modern AI systems are _____ of analyzing large amounts of data in a short time.

- A. interested B. capable C. responsible D. aware

Question 4. In the age of social media, it is important to rely on _____ news sources to avoid misinformation.

- A. credible B. dramatic C. entertaining D. popular

Question 5. The national TV channel will _____ the football match live tonight.

- A. publish B. print C. deliver D. broadcast

Question 6. Many students use online platforms to access educational resources anytime and anywhere.

The word “**access**” is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. create B. obtain C. protect D. ignore

Question 7. Robots can assist humans in **dangerous** environments to reduce potential risks.

The word “**dangerous**” is opposite in meaning to _____.

- A. harmful B. risky C. safe D. challenging

Question 8. Scientists are trying to the ways to reduce pollution from aircraft.

- A. work out B. call out C. turn out D. break out

Question 9. A.I technologies are at the forefront of the....., transforming industries and societies.

- A. space exploration B. critical thinking C. human interaction D. digital revolution

Question 10. It's difficult to think of ways to people's attention to the show.

- A. attract B. pull C. decide D. promote

Question 11. A.I. algorithms can also help to **detect** faces and other features in photo sent to social networking sites and automatically organize them.

The word “**detect**” is CLOSEST in meaning to _____

- A. categorize B. connect C. recognize D. remind

Question 12. The library **reduced** the number of print newspapers and magazines that they used to subscribe to.

The word “**reduced**” is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. increased B. decreased C. dropped D. fell

Question 13. There are concerns that AI might eventually _____ all of our jobs.

- A. turn on B. drop out C. take over D. carry out

Question 14. I am in charge _____ the publicity for the music show event.

- A. for B. of C. on D. at

Question 15. Television is different from radio in that it broadcasts both audio and _____ content.

- A. visual B. sound C. interactive D. digital

Question 16: The most important thing is to keep yourself **occupied**.

The word “occupied” is CLOSEST in meaning to _____

- A. busy B. comfortable C. free D. relaxed

Question 17: With the final examinations coming very soon his **anxiety** was rising to almost unbearable limits.

The word “**anxiety**” is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

A. joy B. confidence C. boredom D. apprehension

Question 18: Email and instant messaging services have_____ global communication.

A. revolutionised B. revolutionary C. revolution D. revolutionarily

Question 19: Unluckily, David's dangerous and incredible journey in search of the Blue Fairy is in_____.

A. advance B. danger C. end D. vain

Question 20: Modern AI systems are _____ of analyzing large amounts of data in a short time.

A. interested B. capable C. responsible D. aware

Part 2. Read the following advertisement and choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to fill in each blank.

1. Join the Future Robotics Exhibition 2026!

Are you interested in technology and innovation? The Future Robotics Exhibition 2026 (1) _____ place this Saturday at the City Exhibition Centre. This exciting event will introduce the latest AI-powered robots designed for education, healthcare, and daily life.

The exhibition is (2) _____ fascinating that thousands of visitors are expected to attend. You can explore different robot models (3) _____ join interactive workshops led by leading engineers.

Don't miss the chance to meet (4) _____ famous robotics expert from Japan.

Participants will gain valuable knowledge and practical experience. Register now to experience the (5) _____ (amaze) world of modern robotics!

Question 1. A. takes B. is taking C. will take D. took

Question 2. A. so B. such C. too D. very

Question 3. A. but B. or C. and D. because

Question 4. A. a B. an C. the D. Ø

Question 5. A. amaze B. amazing C. amazed D. amazement

2. STAYING FIT WITH TECHNOLOGY

"How do I stay in shape? Is this workout too (1) _____ for me?" These are common questions that many people ask themselves before starting a new fitness routine. A fitness app (2) _____ a new feature helping you find workout partners. When you sign up, you can share your fitness goals (3) _____ other users of the app. You will also be able to see other users' goals and progress. Then you can decide who you want to exercise with. If you aim to improve strength training and (4) _____ muscle, check out people's fitness routines. (5) _____ you tend to do cardio workouts and running, find people with similar interests in their profiles! The app suggests various best workout plans that can help you achieve your fitness goals.

Question 1: A. tiring B. tired C. tire D. tiresome

Question 2: A. introduced B. has introduced C. introducing D. to introduce

Question 3: A. To B. by C. for D. with

Question 4: A. build B. make C. grow D. create

Question 5: A. So B. If C. As if D. As though

3. The Rapid Evolution of Artificial Intelligence

- ☐ In the modern era, the development of Artificial Intelligence (AI) has progressed at an unprecedented pace. (26) _____ technological advancements, AI is now integrated into almost every aspect of daily life, from healthcare to finance.
- ☐ The amount of data available for AI systems has increased exponentially, allowing them to learn and adapt more (27) _____. As AI evolves, certain technologies stand out, particularly in natural language processing and image recognition.
- ☐ (28) _____ breakthrough has been the creation of AI-driven autonomous vehicles, (29) _____ promise to revolutionize transportation. This growth in AI has brought about

significant changes in industries, creating new opportunities in fields (30)_____ robotics and machine learning.

- Question 1.** A. Thanks to B. In addition C. Because D. although
Question 2. A. efficiently B. efficient C. efficiency D. inefficient
Question 3. A. Others B. Other C. The others D. Another
Question 4. A. which B. who C. that D. whom
Question 5. A. like B. so C. such D. too

4. Save the Earth, One Step at a Time!

Save the Earth, One Step at a Time!

Let's explore what we can do in our daily lives to help protect the environment.

Key Facts:

- Every year, over 8 million tonnes of plastic enter our oceans, threatening (1) _____ life and ecosystems.
- Transport is a significant contributor to greenhouse gas emissions, especially air travel, which can account for up to 10% of your yearly carbon footprint.

What You Can Do:

1. **Eat Sustainably:** Choose a plant-based diet when possible. Reducing meat and dairy consumption not only (2) _____ on greenhouse gas emissions (3) _____ also helps prevent deforestation for animal feed crops.
2. **Reduce Waste:** Avoid single-use plastics. Opt for reusable bags, containers, and water bottles. Every time you (4) _____, you prevent more plastic waste from ending up in landfills or oceans.
3. **Travel Responsibly:** Whenever possible, walk or bike short distances. If traveling longer distances, (5) _____ public transport or trains instead of flights to save a large amount of carbon emissions.

[Adapted from WWF, Global Stewards]

- Question 1:** A. aquatic B. wildlife C. marine D. coastal
Question 2: A. gets down B. cuts down C. breaks up D. breaks down
Question 3: A. and B. or C. so D. but
Question 4: A. reuse B. recycle C. reduce D. refill
Question 5: A. avoid B. consider C. ignore D. prefer

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