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English Language Entry Exam

Academic Year 2022

Courses: Navigation, Mechanical Engineering and Electronics and Telecommunications

Name _____ Course _____

Este exame contém 40 perguntas com 3 ou 4 alternativas de resposta cada uma. Escolha a alternativa correta e escreva a letra correspondente na grelha.

Write your answers here

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21.	22.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	32.	33.	34.	35.	36.	37.	38.	39.	40.

Section I

Reading

Questions 1 to 6 are based on the following document.

Read the passage and say whether the statements below are true, false or not stated.

YOU ASK ... WE ANSWER!

Question:

WHY DO WOMEN LIVE LONGER THAN MEN?

Answer:

Women generally live six years longer than men. Evidence suggests that boys are the weaker sex at birth, which means that more die in infancy. Also women do not have as much heart disease as men. In terms of lifestyle, men smoke more than women and thus more die of smoking-related diseases. They also drink more and are generally more aggressive in behaviour, particularly when driving cars, so they are more likely to die in accidents. Also, they generally have more dangerous occupations, such as building work.

Historically, women died in childbirth and men in wars. Hence nuns and philosophers often lived to great ages. Now, childbearing is less risky and there are fewer wars. The country with the highest life expectancy is Japan, where the average age for men is 76 and for women 82.

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Are the following statements true (T), false (F) or not stated (NS)?

Nr	Statements	T	F	NS
1.	More boys die as babies or small children than girls.	T	F	NS
2.	Women suffer more from heart disease and smoking-related diseases than men.	T	F	NS
3.	Men have more car accidents because they drink before they drive.	T	F	NS
4.	Nuns used to live for a long time because they didn't have children.	T	F	NS
5.	Nowadays having children is less dangerous to women's health than it used to be.	T	F	NS
6.	The difference in average life expectancy of women compared with men is greater in Japan than in other countries.	T	F	NS

Questions 7 to 10 are based on the following document.

We are a non-governmental organisation working in central and southern Africa and we currently looking for an administrator for our Mozambican operation. We have rural development and sanitation programmes in the north and centre of the country, but our headquarters is in Beira, where the successful candidate will be based. The post will involve financial management, procurement and purchasing of goods of our programmes, maintenance of our offices and residential accommodation for our staff, supervision and support staff.

The successful candidates will have several years of experience in administration, and will preferably have a qualification in financial management/accounting. He/she must have minimum of Grade 12. He/she should be fluent in Portuguese and English. We specially encourage applications from qualified female candidates.

Benefits include a competitive salary and a use of a car. Send a letter of application (in English) and CV to the director, Africa Action, Mozambique, C. P/ 2789, Beira.

7. What is this an advertisement for?

- A. A job in Central and Southern Africa
- B. An organization in Central and Southern Africa.
- C. A job in Mozambique.
- D. A job involving rural development and sanitation.

8. What will the post involve?

- A. Purchasing goods for staff
- B. Management of programmes.
- C. Supervision of international staff.
- D. Procuring goods for programmes

9. What qualifications are asked for?

- A. Grade 12 is desirable.
- B. Candidates must have relevant work experience.
- C. Candidates must be female
- D. Candidates must have a certificate of some kind in financial management/accounting.

10. To apply, what must you do?

- A. Send two documents to the director.
- B. Send an application form to the director.
- C. Send you CV in English to the director.
- D. Write a letter of an application to the director.

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Section II:

From questions 11 to 30 choose the best word or group of words to go in the blank in each sentence.

11. She tried to be serious, but she couldn't help _____.
A laughing B to laugh C laugh D that she laughed
12. Lance is _____ knowledgeable on this subject.
A Smartly B powerfully C firmly D highly
13. I need a good explanation of all the costs _____ in buying a new car.
A affected B involved C concerned D implied
14. There was a _____ debate about the Middle East, then they moved to a vote.
A lively B flexible C main D nimble
15. The doctor told him to lose weight quickly or pay the _____ later in life.
A fee B fine C price D cost
16. Jet lag causes problems with our _____ clock.
A biological B Botanical C natural D rhythmical
17. This species of seagull is not a _____ of the island, but will sometimes rest here a while.
A neighbour B national C citizen D resident
18. Doesn't it _____ you as strange that it's the middle of May and it's snowing?
A hit B occur C strike D . touch
19. I didn't stay behind because I wanted to, I did so because it was my _____.
A work B duty C shift D . chore
20. What angered me wasn't his resignation but the _____ in which he did it.
A method B Manner C aspect D . bearing
21. If you can't make _____ what's written, change the zoom level and it'll become clearer.
A for B Off C up D out
22. There's a _____ range of issues that we need to discuss as soon as possible.
A far B ample C wide D high
23. Despite being _____ in the battle, the soldier fought on and was awarded a medal for bravery.
A Enraged B wounded C flawed D bruised
24. The rain will _____ for most of the morning, but we are expecting a brighter afternoon.
A persist B insist C resist D consist
25. In the mating season, the male of the species calls out with a _____ gu-gu sound.

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- A separate B Distinctive C contrasting D individual

26. Marie Curie, one of the best-known _____ in working with radiation, died in 1934.

- A debutants B revolutionaries C pioneers D rebels

27. "Shall I stay here?" "I'd rather _____ with us".

- A. you come B you to come C you came D you would come

28. I'm thinking _____ a house. Do you think that is good?

- A. to buy B of to buy C of buying D buy

29. _____ a hotel, we looked for somewhere to have dinner.

- A. finding B after finding C having found D we found

30. I had no _____ a place to live. In fact was surprisingly easy.

- A. difficult to find B trouble finding C trouble to find D difficulty finding

Section III

In the following passage some words have been left out. From the words give below the passage, select the one that best completes each space (A, B, C or D).

Great Zimbabwe 31 _____ the ancient symbol of the nation of Zimbabwe. One of 32 _____ most famous sculptures, a stone bird, can be seen on the national flag, medals and coins. The Conical Tower at the heart of the Great Enclosure is 33 _____ on the stamps and banknotes.

Great Zimbabwe is the 34 _____ ancient building in Sub-Saharan Africa. The wall around the Great Enclosure is 35 _____ 250 metres long and uses 15000 tonnes of stone blocks. It is 36 _____ impressive and significant achievement 37 _____ of the objects found in the ruins prove it was built 38 _____ local Shona-speaking people.

Scientific dating shows that building in stone 39 _____ started at Great Zimbabwe by 1200 AD. The city reached its greatest wealth and power about 1300 AD. The population, well over 10000 people, made it the largest city in black Africa in its time. 40 _____, by 1500 AD it had lost its importance.

(adapted from a text in **Life at Great Zimbabwe** by Peter Garlake published by Mambo Press)

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| 31. A. is | B. are | C. has | D. have |
| 32. A. his | B. her | C. its | D. their |
| 33. A. represent | B. represented | C. representing | D. represents |
| 34. A. large | B. larger | C. largest | D. important |
| 35. A. more | B. less | C. fewer | D. over |
| 36. A. an | B. the | C. this | D. any |
| 37. A. some | B. many | C. all | D. none |
| 38. A. of | B. by | C. from | D. through |
| 39. A. is | B. has | C. have | D. had |
| 40. A. although | B. because | C. however | D. then |

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