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I. READING

Employers are more and more interested in taking on students during their holiday periods. Students can do the easier tasks and free up time for their permanent employers to concentrate on the more demanding ones. Although there is little financial reward for students, it is a great chance to explore their interests and add to their CVs. However, few students know what jobs may be available.

Colleges sometimes advertise summer jobs on their notice-boards and in newspapers, and there are also well-known international organizations which can help. Students can also search the web, find an interesting company and e-mail the manager to ask what temporary jobs exist. This may sound time-consuming, but students then get to work in the company of their choice, so it's what I recommend.

As a science student, two years ago I spent ten weeks in a laboratory in California, helping a group of researchers with their work. To begin with, the job seemed uninteresting because my responsibilities were not clear, but when I started working on a range of projects, such as writing research papers and creating web pages, my attitude changed.

I was paid enough to cover all my daily needs, so I had no financial worries. One of my jobs was to prepare educational material for schools. This was an entirely new challenge which I enjoyed so much that I decided to train as a teacher rather than a researcher when I got back. My only regret was that I'd been too busy to learn more about the USA, but then a good summer job seldom leaves you much free time and you should be prepared for that.

Jack Ramsey

(Adapted from: Lucrecia Luque-Mortimer 'PET Testbuilder' Macmillan)

1. Jack wrote this text to ..... .

◯А) warn students about badly paid summer jobs
◯Б) offer students interesting summer jobs
◯В) describe the best summer jobs for students
◯Г) encourage students to look for summer jobs

2. Students can find information about summer jobs ..... .

◯А) in newspapers
◯Б) on the Internet
◯В) on the news on TV
◯Г) on notice-boards at colleges

3. Jack says that the best way to find a good summer job is to ..... .

◯А) ask their own colleges for help
◯Б) join an organized student programme
◯В) contact possible employers directly
◯Г) read the job advertisements in the press

4. Jack found the California job disappointing at first because he ..... .

◯А) wasn't sure what he had to do
◯Б) lacked good computer skills
◯В) had to work on too many projects
◯Г) didn't like research work

5. Jack could say:

◯А) 'A summer job is a good way of getting to see the world.'
◯Б) 'Students should be better paid for doing summer jobs.'
◯В) 'Students are often unaware of summer job opportunities.'
◯Г) 'Employers are unwilling to offer summer jobs to students.'

6. How did the California job benefit Jack?

◯А) It allowed him to save lots of money.
◯Б) It made him change his career plans.
◯В) It gave him contacts he could use later.
◯Г) It taught him what life was like in the USA.

7. Summer jobs enable students to ..... .

◯А) explore their interests
◯Б) concentrate on demanding employers
◯В) enrich their CVs
◯Г) earn some money

II. COMMUNICATION

8. A: Could you ask Mark to phone me in the afternoon?
B: .....

◯А) Not at all.
◯Б) Of course.
◯В) Sure.
◯Г) No problem.

9. A: I'm sorry, I can't come to your birthday party.
B: .....

◯А) What a shame!
◯Б) I'm not care!
◯В) What a pity!
◯Г) I'm sorry to hear that.

10. A: I'd like to lose weight a little.
B: .....

◯А) You mustn't be joking!
◯Б) If I were you, I'd take up yoga.
◯В) You shouldn't eat so many sweets.
◯Г) It's not my problem.

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11. A: Where shall we go on Saturday afternoon?
B: .....

◯А) Let's go swimming at the sports centre.
◯Б) What about watching a western on TV?
◯В) We shall rather do the shopping.
◯Г) Why don't we play football?

12. A: How much is the train ticket to Moscow?
B: .....

◯А) At half past eleven.
◯Б) About a hundred pounds.
◯В) Three and a half hours.
◯Г) Two return tickets, please.

III. VOCABULARY

13. ..... is a dairy product.

◯А) Butter ◯Б) Skimmed milk
◯В) Chocolate cake ◯Г) Cheese

14. A ..... is the person who controls the game e.g. in football and can give a penalty.

◯А) goalkeeper ◯Б) coach
◯В) referee ◯Г) spectator

15. This notice says that:

PLEASE GIVE UP YOUR SEAT TO PEOPLE CARRYING CHILDREN

◯А) you can only use this seat if you are carrying children
◯Б) if somebody carrying a child gets on, offer them your seat
◯В) people carrying children are requested to remain seated
◯Г) you should give this seat to a mother with a child

16. You should ..... the potatoes before you eat them.

◯А) melt ◯Б) peel
◯В) boil ◯Г) pour

17. The House of ..... is the part of the British Parliament.

◯А) Lords ◯Б) Senate
◯В) Commons ◯Г) Congress

18. Mr Canham is a ..... for the CNN. He's seldom at home - he has to go wherever things are happening.

◯А) editor ◯Б) presenter
◯В) interviewer ◯Г) reporter

19. Wayne Rooney ..... two goals in the final match of the World Cup.

◯А) scored ◯Б) won
◯В) shot ◯Г) set

IV. GRAMMAR

20. By the time I woke up, my sister ..... breakfast.

◯А) was eating ◯Б) had eaten
◯В) did ◯Г) had made

21. Don't be angry ..... me. It isn't my fault.

◯А) for ◯Б) about
◯В) with ◯Г) of

22. A: I have never eaten snails before.
B: .....

◯А) So have I. ◯Б) Neither have I.
◯В) So didn't I. ◯Г) Nor have I.

23. The weather was so nice yesterday.
We had ..... nice weather yesterday.

◯А) such ◯Б) such a
◯В) so ◯Г) so a

24. 'Did you do your homework yesterday?'
My Maths teacher asked me .....

◯А) if I had done my homework the day before.
◯Б) if I did my homework yesterday.
◯В) whether did I do my homework yesterday?
◯Г) whether I'd done my homework the previous day.

25. How much money do you spend a week ..... average?

◯А) for ◯Б) at
◯В) on ◯Г) in

26. Last year Sam ..... to ride his bike to school.

◯А) was young too ◯Б) wasn't old enough
◯В) wasn't enough old ◯Г) was too young

27. I didn't have enough money to buy a smartphone. I wish I ..... enough money to buy a smartphone.

◯А) didn't have ◯Б) have had
◯В) had ◯Г) had had

28. A: I think I've twisted my ankle.
B: .....

◯А) I'd go to the health centre if I were you.
◯Б) You should go to the doctor.
◯В) You'd better go to the doctor.
◯Г) You will go to the health centre when it will hurt you.

29. Our football team didn't play well and we lost the match. If our football team (1) ..... well, we (2) ..... the match.

◯А) (1) played; (2) wouldn't lost
◯Б) (1) would play; (2) hadn't lost
◯В) (1) had played; (2) wouldn't have lost
◯Г) (1) played; (2) wouldn't lose

30. Mike's family set ..... on a journey by Trans-Siberian Train.

◯А) out ◯Б) away
◯В) over ◯Г) off

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