

Read the passage and choose the correct answers: The Hubble Space Telescope was named in honor of Edwin Hubble, a famous astronomer. Hubble was born in 1889. His early life was quite ordinary. There is little hint of the remarkable work he would eventually do. In fact, it appeared that Hubble was destined to be an athlete. He excelled in Math, science and sports in high school. He won a scholarship to the University of Chicago, where he earned another scholarship in physics. He graduated from the University of Chicago in 1910. He earned degrees in both Math and astronomy. He then went to Oxford University in England to study law, not his real love, astronomy, because of a promise he had made to his father. In 1913, he earned his degree in law and returned to the U.S. to start his own law office. But after just one year, he returned to his true interest - astronomy. He earned a doctorate in astronomy in 1917, then received an invitation to work at the Mt. Wilson Observatory in California. Hubble made four major contributions to astronomy. First, he found galaxies outside of ours. Second, he developed a way of grouping galaxies. He could determine their age, shape, brightness, and distance. By grouping galaxies, he made his third finding. He determined that galaxies are separate and take up unique areas in space. His fourth finding was his most important. He found that universe was constantly expanding or moving outward. This was a basis for the 'Bing Bang Theory'. Hubble received many honors and awards for his efforts; however, he never received the Nobel Prize because there was no Nobel Prize given to the field of astronomy. He died in 1953.

Câu 1 : What was true about Hubble's school days?

- A. His first choice at university was law
B. He played sports badly
C. He studied science so well that he could get scholarships
D. He was expected to become an astronomer

Câu 2 : Which of Hubble's findings was a basis for 'Bing Bang Theory'?

- A. Galaxies take up unique areas in space
B. The universe expands and moves outward
C. It is possible to group galaxies.
D. There are other galaxies outside of ours.

Câu 3 : What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. The life and contributions of Hubble
B. The history of astronomy
C. The development of the Hubble telescope
D. Hubble's school days

Câu 4 : Hubble did not receive the Nobel Prize because

- A. His contributions were not recognized
B. He had received so many awards
C. There was no Nobel Prize for astronomy
D. He did not invent the telescope

Câu 5 : The word 'destined' means

- A. made
B. influenced
C. planned
D. forced

Câu 6 : The parcel is easily broken, so you have to treat it _____.

- A. with caution
B. in position
C. under attention
D. with effort

Câu 7 : I _____ the sales manager now if I _____ such a terrible mistake

- A. would be / didn't make
B. will be/ haven't made
C. would be / had not made
D. would have been/ had not made

Câu 8 : The man was unconscious and we used some brandy to _____.

- A. bring him round
B. put him off
C. get him back
D. get him down

Câu 9 : She _____ in the mid-sentence because she was moved to tears.

- A. broke off
B. put up
C. took in
D. came away

Câu 10 : With the help of modern devices, those who suffer hearing or vision _____ find life easier

A. impairment B. disadvantage C. inconvenience D. deficiency

Câu 11 : Would you please send me the latest record _____ you mentioned in the press conference?

A. which B. that C. whose D. of which

Câu 12 : Many people get sick after _____ the fish _____ in the polluted waters.

A. they eat – catching B. having been eaten – being C. having eaten- are caught D. eating – caught
caught

Câu 13 : My dancing instructor is very _____ and loving teacher.

A. amazed B. dedicated C. impressed D. breath-taking

Câu 14 : What are you doing here? You _____ piano at this time of the day.

A. should be practicing B. can be practicing C. will be practicing D. might be practicing

Câu 15 : Immigrants always _____ different problems besides language

A. make up for B. come up against C. take up D. break into

Câu 16 : Mike agreed _____ by the reporters of The New York Times.

A. to be interviewed B. to interview C. to have interviewed D. being interviewed

Câu 17 : She is working for a _____ organization.

A. non-profit B. non-refundable C. non-specific D. non-negotiable

Câu 18 : She _____ the last flight to Hanoi tonight

A. takes B. was taking C. will be taking D. is taking

Câu 19 : Helen left her camping _____ behind when she went camping.

A. packet B. tools C. gear D. kit

Câu 20 : This material is non-flammable and can stand _____ heat.

A. up for B. up against C. for D. up to

Câu 21 : . _____ Lake Baikal is only _____ ninth largest lake in area at 385 miles (620km) in length and 46 miles (74km) in width

A. 0 – the B. the – a C. a – the D. the – the

Câu 22 : The murderer was arrested and sentenced _____ life.

A. of B. for C. in D. to

Câu 23 : I took the shot and _____ a photograph came out of the camera.

A. steadily B. instantly C. remarkably D. shortly

Câu 24 : The demonstrators made _____ protests against apartheid.

A. complete B. whole C. mass D. total

Câu 25 : When you are in the conference room, you are asked to _____ your voice when talking.

A. dwindle B. reduce C. lower D. degrade
Pick out the word whose stress pattern is different

Câu 26 : (26)

A. cooperative B. mosaic C. strategy D. amphibian

Câu 27 : (27)

A. creativity B. satisfaction C. geography D. technological

Câu 28 : (28)

A. diversity B. opportunity C. revolutionary D. reservation

Câu 29 : (29)

A. aspect B. comedy C. theatrical D. tragedy

Câu 30 : (30)

A. certain B. research C. mammal D. poison

Choose the best answer to fill in each blank: Flowers (I)_____ in summer and leaves gathered in autumn can be pressed and used to make beautiful designs, while larger flowers and sprays of leaves can be (II)_____ in an (III)_____ natural state by drying them, which is best done in the open air. (IV)_____ of dried flowers make really beautiful winter decorations and will sometimes last for year (V)_____ end.

Câu 31 : (I)

A. to be picked B. are picked C. picking D. picked

Câu 32 : (II)

A. reserved B. protected C. preserved D. conserved

Câu 33 : (III)

A. almost B. mostly C. most D. utmost

Câu 34 : (IV)

A. Bundles B. Puffs C. Bunches D. Buckets

Câu 35 : (V)

A. for B. at C. in D. on

Identify the mistake in each of the following sentences:

Câu 36 : I took an hour rewriting my essay in a more convincing way as the teacher had recommended..

A. took B. in C. as D. had recommended

Câu 37 : Annie, that I met in the summer camp, has become my best friend

A. that B. the C. has become D. my best

Câu 38 : It was not until Kate telephoned the Customer Service Assistance did she receive the refunds.

A. not until B. telephoned C. did she receive D. refunds

Câu 39 : My father never allows me going out after 10pm even though I am now 22.

A. allows B. going C. after D. even though

Câu 40 : I do not think you can put the washing machine here, for it takes on a lot of space.

A. do not think B. can C. for D. on

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