

Part A: Grammar & Vocabulary

- 1- If he his money, he will be able to buy a bike next year.
 1) will save 2) save 3) can save 4) saved
- 2- We are repeatedly told that these plants quickly if we water them on a regular basis.
 1) have grown 2) are growing 3) grow 4) would grow
- 3- Our neighbor's dog is very big and my sister is usually when she sees it.
 1) frightened 2) frightening 3) much frightened 4) very frightening
- 4- The goal of education is not to teach you to your bread, but to make you become a useful member of society.
 1) earn 2) store 3) serve 4) direct
- 5- There is only one thing that makes a dream impossible to: the fear of failure.
 1) depend 2) reflect 3) include 4) achieve
- 6- Sara wasn't at school last week, with the that she missed an important test.
 1) craft 2) result 3) income 4) reason
- 7- He was taken by ambulance to Milad Hospital, where his condition was described as
 1) creative 2) satisfactory 3) truthful 4) medical
- 8- You can hardly expect a pay when you've only been working for the company for two weeks!
 1) discount 2) tile 3) prize 4) rise
- 9- We can realize the truth of that old saying: begins at home.
 1) pride 2) decoration 3) charity 4) progress
- 10- Pictures are scanned into a form of digital information that computers can
 1) recognize 2) appreciate 3) influence 4) predict
- 11- The greatness of a nation and its progress can be judged by the way its animals are treated.
 1) former 2) economic 3) moral 4) touching

Part B: Cloze Test

Iran has long been famous for its architecture, painting and ...(12)... . Early architects in Iran built magnificent mosques and palaces. They ...(13)... the walls and domes with highly colored mosaic and tile designs. Traditional Persian painting features delicate detail work and jewel-like colors. Iranian ...(14)... workers make beautiful jewelry, pottery and metal ware. Their hand-woven Persian carpets are prized throughout the world for their ...(15)... patterns and soft colors.

- 12- 1) pottery 2) miracle 3) hobby 4) service
- 13- 1) diversified 2) discounted 3) reflected 4) decorated
- 14- 1) calligraphic 2) crafts 3) productive 4) general
- 15- 1) inclusive 2) sociable 3) unique 4) total

Part C: Reading Comprehension

How often one hears children wishing they were grown-up, and old people wishing they were young again. Each age has its pleasures and its pains, and the happiest person is the one who enjoys what each age gives him properly.

Childhood is a time when there are few responsibilities to make life difficult. A child finds pleasure in playing in the rain, or in the snow. But a child has his pain: he is not so free to do as he wishes as he thinks older people are.

When the young man starts to earn his own living, he becomes free from the discipline of school and parents. If he breaks the laws of society as he used to break the laws of his parents, he may go to prison. If, however, he works hard and keeps out of trouble, he can have the great happiness of seeing himself make steady progress in his job and of building up for himself his own position in society.

With old age should come wisdom and the ability to help others with advice wisely given. They can watch their children and their grandchildren growing up around them. They feel the happiness of having come through the battle of life safely and of having reached a time when they can lie back and rest, leaving others to continue the fight.

- 16- According to the passage, the happiest person is the one who
 1) enjoys the time of his childhood 2) gets the most advantage of his age
 3) starts to earn his own living 4) keeps out of trouble all through his life
- 17- Which of the following statements about old people is supported by the passage?
 1) They are usually satisfied with their past. 2) They like to have young friends.
 3) They have the same wishes as young people. 4) They are not as wise as middle-aged people.

18- According to the passage, it is true that

- 1) children are free to do as they wish
- 2) one should fight as long as one is alive
- 3) children never taste the difficulties of life
- 4) when one gets retired, one will be less troubled in the battle of life

19- According to the passage, young people

- 1) wish they were children
- 2) find pleasure in playing games
- 3) do not like the jobs their parents have
- 4) become free from the childhood discipline after finding a job

20- The passage says that old people can usually help others by

- 1) looking after themselves
- 2) giving them good advice
- 3) not being dependent on them financially
- 4) not asking young people to follow their way of life