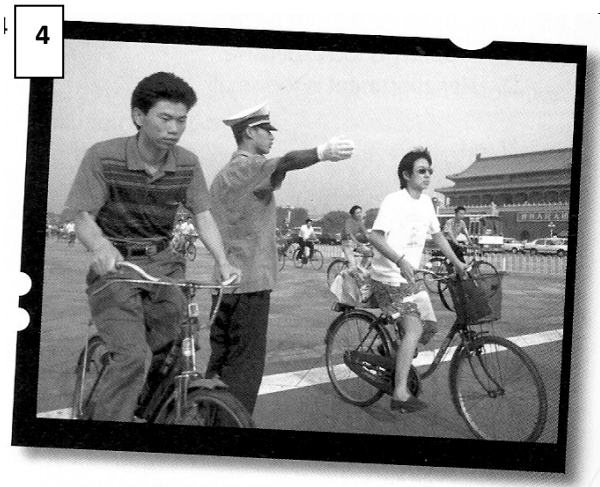
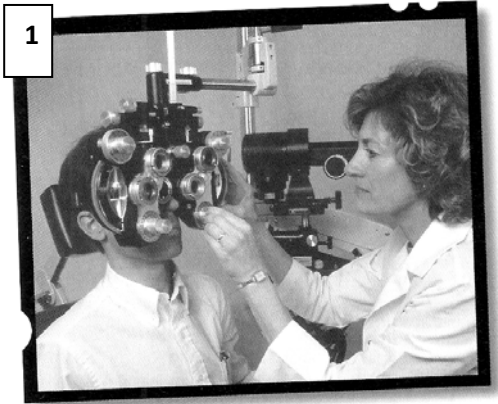


PRACTICE TEST 4

Listening Test

Part 1

Directions: Listen to the four recorded statements for each picture. Choose the statement that best describes what you see in the picture.



Part 2

Directions: You will hear ten recorded questions followed by three responses. Choose the best response for each question.

5 A B C

6 A B C

7 A B C

8 A B C

9 A B C

10 A B C

11 A B C

12 A B C

13 A B C

14 A B C

Part 3

Directions: Listen to the two conversations and answer the three questions that are asked about each conversation.

15 What has the woman recently done ?

- A Rented an apartment
- B Moved to another country
- C Sold her house
- D Purchased a home

18 What is the subject of this conversation?

- A Education
- B Travel restrictions
- C Work schedules
- D Itineraries

16 How have the prices evolved?

- A They have risen significantly
- B They have stabilized
- C They have dropped slightly
- D They have fallen sharply

19 When does Mary start work?

- A At 9:00
- B At 8:00
- C At 10:00
- D At 7:00

17 Why is the woman leaving the city?

- A There is too much noise
- B It is too far from her work
- C Property is too expensive
- D Her apartment is too small

20 Where does the man go every morning?

- A To school
- B To the station
- C To the store
- D To pick up his children

Part 4

Directions: Listen to the two short talks and answer three questions on each.

21 Who would be most likely to attend this seminar?

- A Employees
- B Managers
- C Aerobics instructors
- D Doctors

23 Which of the following would NOT be a benefit of the program?

- A Less absenteeism
- B Lower stress levels
- C More positive attitudes
- D Better opportunities for promotion

22 What is the speaker recommending?

- A The companies increase insurance cost
- B That employees eat healthy food on-the-job
- C That companies implement health program
- D That employees show greater loyalty

24 Why is this message being broadcast?

- A To remind voters of state elections
- B To alert drivers to road repairs
- C To inform the public about school programs
- D To warn residents of weather conditions

25 According to the report, who should be careful?

- A Drivers
- B School children
- C Road crews
- D Advisors

26 When will school begin tomorrow?

- A At normal time
- B At 6am.
- C Sixty minutes later than usual
- D Classes have been cancelled

Reading Test

Part 5

Directions: Choose the one word or phrase that best completes the sentence.

27 Students must sign up for classes this week in order to avoid _____ late fees.

- A paid
- B pay
- C to pay
- D paying

28 The weather service said that it _____ today .

- A is raining
- B rains
- C would rain
- D were to rain

29 Security measures are _____ enforced on the premises.

- A suddenly
- B slightly
- C strictly
- D safely

30 The architect reported that they were _____ progress on the condominium.

- A making
- B having
- C getting
- D doing

31 _____ the candidate had more votes, he lost the overall election.

- A Even
- B However
- C Even though
- D Despite

32 We look forward to _____ business with you again soon.

- A done
- B doing
- C does
- D do

33 If Steve _____ his driver's license with him, the police officer would not have issued him a traffic ticket.

- A has
- B has had
- C would have had
- D had had

34 The hospital requires that each patient _____ an admission form .

- A complete
- B completes
- C did complete
- D has completed

35 The governor _____ up with an innovative pollution reduction plan.

- A thought
- B came
- C let
- D found

36 Their lawyers feel that they _____ to accept the settlement.

- A should
- B would
- C ought
- D had better

37 Before _____ home, commuters are advised to check traffic conditions.

- A leave
- B to leave
- C leaving
- D left

38 The senior researcher _____ agree with the findings in the environmental impact statement?

- A is not
- B has not
- C does not
- D was not

Part 6

Directions: Four words or phrases are missing in the text. Choose the best answer to complete each empty space in the text.

Questions 39-42 refer to the following announcement.

Scottsdale Public Library Newsletter

Scottsdale Public Library is celebrating its 50th anniversary with a special exhibition tracing the evolution of the local community from 1850 to the present. The exhibition was inaugurated on Saturday by Bill Hewitt, the Scottsdale mayor, who _____ the audience that the library had

- 39** A told
B spoke
C said
D asked

Always brought Scottsdale's diverse communities closer together. "By giving everyone an opportunity to study, the library promotes mutual _____ among our citizens, which in turn leads the

- 40** A contribution
B decision
C understanding
D attitude

Enhancement of our community values, "he said _____ the library is a non-profit making

- 41** A Although
B Despite
C Yet
D But

Institution, it does accept donations from both private individuals and corporate sponsors. Indeed, without the support of many generous benefactors, the library _____ able to

- 42** A wouldn't be
B won't be
C wouldn't have been
D isn't

Acquire its unique collection of documents and photographs, many of which are on display at the exhibition.

Part 7

Directions: Read the following texts and choose the one best answer to each question.

Questions 43 - 45 refer to the notice

Renewal Notice

Drivers holding a State driver's license should apply for renewal of the license before it expires.

Licenses may be renewed as much as 90 days ahead of their expiration date.

The fee for a five-year license renewal is \$25.

A \$10 penalty will be charged if you renew your license more than 60 days after it has expired.

Remember: driving without a valid license is against the law.

You can be issued a ticket if you are caught driving with an expired license

43 Who would receive this notice?

- A. First time drivers
- B. People who have had their license suspended
- C. Drivers who have been issued a ticket
- D. Drivers whose license is about to expire

44 How much does it cost to renew a license?

- A. \$10
- B. \$25
- C. \$35
- D. \$60

45 According to the notice, how long are renewed licenses valid?

- A. Ninety days
- B. One year
- C. Five years
- D. Ten years

Questions 46 - 50 refer to the following web page and e-mail.

Welcome to the Smart Business Recycling website

This site can help your business reduce the amount of trash it generates and throws away. This practices will save your company money, conserve landfill space, and protect the environment by preserving natural resources.

Use the **Recycler Finder** on this site to access more than 100 recyclers that reuse everything form bottles, cans, papers and plastics, to computers, concrete, textiles, tires, and wood. This site also includes industry-specific tips for reducing trash as well as case studies of businesses that have already successfully implemented waste reduction techniques. In addition, on the **Best Practices** page you will find links to valuable websites and other resources to help reduce your trash.

Our **Business Recycling Consultants** can assist you in setting up or expanding waste prevention and recycling programs by visiting your business and providing recommendations for **Reducing Your Waste** at no charge. To reach us for questions, comments, or to schedule a site visit, simply give us a call at (360) 532-6999.

If you're serious about running your business more efficiently by generating and disposing of less trash, then you truly are a smart business. Glad you joined us!



Delete



Reply



Reply All



Forward



New



Mailboxes



Get Mail



Junk



To: Smart Business Recycling
contact@SBR.org
From: ncastori@municipal.gov.
Date: 8 May 10:03 PST
Subject: New Waste <management Guidelines

Dear Sir or Madam:

As head of the municipal Waste Management Task Force, I would like to applaud your efforts in helping us keep our communities green, safe and healthy.

I am writing because I have studied your website and noticed that you do not include specific information about handling potentially hazardous waste materials, such as laser printer cartridges, batteries, etc. The Task Force has recently defined new guidelines for the proper disposal of such materials and is currently designing a new treatment facility. I would be more than happy to meet one of your representatives in order to share with you this new handling, disposal and treatment recommendations that you can then include on your website.

Looking forward to our future collaboration.

Best regards,
Nick Castori
Certified Engineer
Waste Management Task force

46 What does this website give information about?

- A. Business opportunities
- B. Waste management practices
- C. Electricity savings
- D. Hiring techniques

47 Why should companies reduce trash?

- A. Landfills are empty
- B. There's an abundance of natural resources
- C. They would save money
- D. Recyclers do not accept office equipment

48 Which of the following is NOT mentioned on the website?

- A. Inviting a consultant to visit the company
- B. Checking the Best Practices link on the website
- C. Contacting the recommended recyclers
- D. Developing human resources

49 Who is Nick Castori?

- A. Director of Smart Business Recycling
- B. Leader of a task force
- C. Owner of a small business
- D. Webmaster of Smart Business Recycling's website

50 Why has he written the email?

- A. He's requesting more information
- B. He's applying for a job
- C. He'd like to supply additional information
- D. He's inquiring about purchasing equipment