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- (1) **Choose the correct sentence.**  
(A) Etiquette indicates the roles that attempt to control social interaction in the virtual world.  
(B) Netiquette indicates the rules that attempt to control social interaction in the virtual world.
- (2) **Choose the correct sentence.**  
(A) The faster a person is on the social scale, the more their money will reflect prestige norms.  
(B) The higher a person is on the social scale, the more their speech will reflect prestige norms.
- (3) **Names can cause problems, particularly if they .....**  
(A) don't fit in with the conventions of a community.  
(B) don't fit in with the conversions of immunity.
- (4) **The term *accent* refers to features of .....**  
(A) speakers' pronunciation that can signal their regional or social background.  
(B) speakers' pronunciation that can signal their economic or political background.
- (5) **Standard English is the dialect of ..... form of English.**  
(A) the lower social classes and is therefore the prestige  
(B) the higher social classes and is therefore the prestige
- (6) **Mexican Americans are almost always portrayed as .....**  
(A) vaunt; they are dung-pushers, single-members, and apes.  
(B) violent; they are drug-pushers, gang-members, pimps.
- (7) **Choose the correct sentence:**  
(A) Etymology is any set of beliefs which, to some people, disappears and looks unnatural.  
(B) Ideology is any set of beliefs which, to people who hold them, appears to be logical and natural.  
(C) Ideology is any set of beliefs which, to animals, appears to be illogical and unnatural
- (8) **Women's talk is usually labeled as .....**  
(A) 'charter' or 'gimps' about unimportant or 'trivial' rabbits  
(B) 'chatter' or 'gossip' about unimportant or 'trivial' topics  
(C) 'chapter' or 'geese' about unimportant or 'travel' topics
- (9) **Lippi-Green (1997: 215) points out that, in the .....**  
(A) United kingdom, lack of intelligence is associated with women with southern accents.  
(B) United States, intelligence is associated with women with southern accents.  
(C) United States, lack of intelligence is associated with women with southern accents.

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- (10) **Matched guise is a method investigating .....**  
(A) people's attitudes to similar languages  
(B) people's attitudes to different languages  
(C) people's personalities to different languages
- (11) **Difference Theory suggests that ..... at important stages of their lives.**  
(A) women and girls develop different styles of talking because they are segregated  
(B) women and men develop different styles of talking because they are segregated
- (12) **Choose the correct sentence**  
(A) The term *Ethnic majority* is used to refer to a group which has a socially minimal culture  
(B) The term *Ethnic majority* is used to refer to a group which has a socially dominant culture
- (13) **English only Movement promotes English as .....**  
(A) the language which identifies America  
(B) the language which unifies America
- (14) **Rhetoric is the art of .....**  
(A) using language so as to precede or to fluctuate others  
(B) using language so as to persuade or to influence others  
(C) using language so as to persuade and influence girls
- (15) **Reclamation is when members of ..... as positive markers of group identity.**  
(A) ethnic minorities attempt to reduce or remove the power of derogatory ethnic labeling by using those terms among themselves  
(B) ethnic majorities attempt to reduce the power of derogatory ethnic labeling by using those words among themselves
- (16) **Euphemism uses ..... than it actually appears**  
(A) tilted or offensive language to make something seem more positive  
(B) mild or inoffensive language to make something seem more positive  
(C) mild or inoffensive language to make something seem more negative
- (17) **A casual conversation between you and a close friend is .....**  
(A) an informal evidence which will be found in advance.  
(B) an informal event which won't be planned in advance.  
(C) an informal event which won't be planned in an adventure
- (18) **Codification of Standard English is a process where .....**  
(A) scholars describe and videotape the vocabulary and grammatical patterns of a language  
(B) women analyse and record the minority and majority groups of a language

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(C) scholars analyse and record the vocabulary and grammatical patterns of a language

- (19) **In the Hindu religion, a child can be given two names; the first name was believed.....**  
(A) to give the child the seventh present and the second was believed to defend him.  
(B) to give the child strength and the second was believed to protect him.
- (20) **Which of the following words is acceptable in Standard English?**  
(A) WC  
(B) All the above
- (21) **The term *Power* refers to the ability of its holders .....**  
(A) to force providence of other people to their cell  
(B) to force obedience of other people to their will
- (22) **.....refers to the background assumption embedded within a sentence or a phrase.**  
(A) Implicature  
(B) Presupposition  
(C) Imply
- (23) ***The Sapir-Whorf hypothesis* indicates that .....**  
(A) there is no link between culture or language.  
(B) there is a causative link between culture and language.
- (24) **The term *Prejudice* ..... toward people because of gender, social class, age, etc.**  
(A) refers to preconceived, usually unfavorable, judgments  
(B) refers to post-conceived, usually favorable, judgments
- (25) **The affective function of language expresses the speakers' or writers' .....**  
(A) feeding and attendance  
(B) feelings and attitudes  
(C) flying and turpitudes
- (26) **.....takes the difference in power between women and men as the main cause of discursal variation**  
(A) Minimalist Theory  
(B) Dominance Theory  
(C) Domineers Theory
- (27) ***Labels of identity* are imposed by people who may.....**  
(A) have a weak position.  
(B) live in the Gulf Countries.

(C) be in a more powerful position.

(28) **The *Media* can represent a powerful source in society because it .....**

(A) can select what counts as news, can't decide what gets on the television, and because it has become an interdependent part of all people's lives

(B) can select what counts as news, can decide who gets on the television, and because it has become an integral part of most people's lives

(29) **Choose the correct sentence.**

(A) Physical coercion is disassociated with editorial staff.

(B) Physical correction is associated with Dictation and dictionaries

(C) Physical coercion is associated with dictatorial regimes

(30) ***Advanced RP* refers to the .....what part of the country the speaker came from.**

(A) dialect used by the uneducated and the poor; it gives indication of

(B) accent used by the educated and the wealthy; it gives no indication of

(C) accent used by the eradicated and the filthy; it gives all indications of

(31) **Choose the product that involves an insult to females customers:**

(A)



(B)



(C)



(D)



(32) **Choose the correct sentence.**

(A) Politics is concerned with the tower to make detention, to control other people's money and education.

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(B) Politics is concerned with the power to make decisions, to control resources, to control other people's behaviour and values.

(33) The ..... use of language is usually used in poetry not in science.

(A) referential

(B)

(C) phatic

(D) None of the above

(34) Choose the correct sentence

(A) *Marked terms* refer to anything which deviates from the norm.

(B) *Marked terms* refer to anything which refutes the norm.

(C) *Unmarked terms* refer to anything which deviates from the norm.

(35) A sexist language represents men and women .....

(A) universally

(B) **unequally.**

(C) equally.

(D) scientifically.

(36) Choose the correct sentence

(A) *Hedges* are linguistic forms with delinquent assumptions

(B) *Hedges* are linguistic forms which defuse an assertion

(C) ***Hedges* are linguistic forms which dilute an assertion**

(D) *Hedges* are linguistic forms which deluge an assassin

(37) .....refers to the process in which speakers change their speech to make it more similar to that of their hearer.

(A) Linguistic divergence

(B) **Linguistic convergence**

(C) Linguistic maintenance

(D) None of the above

(38) Choose the correct sentence

(A) **Linguistic maintenance is a process in which speakers may choose not to converge, but instead to maintain their own variety.**

(B) Linguistic divergence is a process in which speakers may choose not to speak at all, but to maintain any variety.

(C) Linguistic maintenance is a process in which listeners choose to use the addressee's variety.

(39) Members of a gang may use certain expressions with each other that .....

(A) mark them as members of a particular outgroup

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- (B) mark them as members of a particular entrance or ingress
  - (C) mark them as members of a general jargon or dialect
  - (D) mark them as members of a particular gang or ingroup

(40) ***Audience design*** refers to the notion that speakers will take into account .....

- (A) whom they are adding to the list and alter their writing style accordingly.
- (B) whom they are watching and alter their reading style accordingly.
- (C) whom they are addressing and alter their speech style accordingly.

(41). .... is the actual use of language in both speech and writing.

- (A) Parrot
- (B) Parole
- (C) Patrol

(42) The link between the *signifier* and the *signified* is .....

- (A) arbiter
- (B) arbitrary
- (C) Arabic

(43) The word '*Black*' was often linked in the British media with .....

- (A) new and recent signs like fate, right, quiet
- (B) negative signs like hate, fight, riot
- (C) neglected signs like gate, sight, helot

(44) Choose the sentence with *multiple negation*.

- (A) Nadia did not hear anything
- (B) Nadia did not eat anything
- (C) Nadia didn't eat nothing.

(45) Saussure divided language into.....

- (A) two parts: langue and parole
- (B) three parts: langue, morphology, and grammar
- (C) two parts: syntax and phonetics

(46) ***Artificial intelligence*** is the study of how to make computers .....

- (A) more suffocated
- (B) more sophisticated .
- (C) more expensive .
- (D) more seriated .

(47) Some studies show that women use *hedges* because they .....

- (A) prefer to avoid working hard.
- (B) prefer to avoid conflict
- (C) like to provoke conflict

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(D) prefer to confront other people.

(48) **Choose the correct sentence**

(A) In the United Arab Emirates, negative and criminal stereotypes can be associated with Spanish-accented writers.

(B) In the United States, professional and honest stereotypes can be associated with Spanish-accented speakers.

(C) In the United States, negative and criminal stereotypes can be associated with Spanish -accented speakers.

(D) In the United Kingdom, Positive and intelligent stereotypes can be associated with Spanish-accented speakers.

(49) **Speakers tend to use their linguistic identity in order to disguise their membership, .....**

(A) to distort a particular regional group and to attack a group they want to belong to.

(B) to distance themselves from a particular social or regional group and to move closer to another group they want to belong to.

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