

НЭГДҮГЭЭР ХЭСЭГ

Санамж: Нэгдүгээр хэсэг нь 47 сонгох даалгавартай нийт 80 оноотой. Даалгавар тус бүр 5 сонгох хариулттай. Тэдгээрийн зөвхөн нэг зөв хариултыг сонгож хариултын хуудсанд будаж тэмдэглээрэй. **Хариултын хуудасны заавартай сайтар танилцаарай.**

АМЖИЛТ ХҮСЬЕ.

SECTION 1

GRAMMAR

Choose the correct answers to complete each sentence.

/13x1=13 points/

1. _____ Sahara is in the northern part of _____ Africa.
A. The / the B. _/ the C. A / an D. The / _ E. The / an
2. *Anna:* Hurry up! There's _____ time to waste. The bus will be here soon.
Tom: I'm nearly ready.
A. few B. a little C. little D. a few E. any
3. There was _____ in the cinema other than us.
A. no one B. someone C. anyone D. everyone E. each one
4. The higher the fence is, _____ the neighbour is.
A. best B. better C. the best D. good E. the better
5. In the city you can walk from point A to point B _____ than by car.
A. quicker B. quickly C. quick D. more quickly E. most quickly
6. Look! The bike is leaning _____ the garage wall
A. against B. with C. to D. at E. onto
7. Hard work is an essential key _____ success.
A. with B. for C. of D. to E. from
8. This time next week we _____ for our holiday.
A. will have been packing
B. will pack
C. will be packing
D. will have packed
E. going to pack
9. They _____ for two hours before they finally _____ their destination.
A. drove / reached
B. had been driving / reached
C. were driving / reached
D. had driven / had reached
E. drove / had reached

21. The particles that make up plasmas have electric charges, so plasmas can _____ electricity.
A. dissolve B. attract C. affect D. insulate E. conduct
22. Many groups are working to reduce _____ to protect pastureland in the Gobi region.
A. soil erosion B. hazards C. blizzard D. drought E. gale
23. In the tournament, Hannah _____ all her opponents and won the gold medal.
A. beat B. gained C. had D. granted E. rewarded
24. The little boy's eyes _____ when he saw his daddy.
A. flowed B. shone C. lightened D. lit up E. darkened
25. I was working on my presentation and suddenly the screen _____ black.
A. installed B. crashed C. went D. loaded E. turned

Choose the appropriate reaction of the man to what the woman says.

26. *Alice:* You were late for the meeting this morning!

Tom: I feel sorry for being tardy. The alarm didn't go off.

- A. denying B. refusing C. making an excuse D. requesting E. regretting

27. *Anna:* Would you like some black coffee?

John: I can't drink bitter coffee.

- A. opinion B. refusal C. offer D. confusion E. excuse

Choose the most suitable word to complete each collocation fork.

/4x3=12 points/

28. go on a _____
a balanced _____
a sensible _____

- A. meal
B. solution
C. plan
D. diet
E. date

29. _____ tears
_____ laughter
_____ song

- A. to let out
B. to make
C. to burst into
D. to bump into
E. to cry over

Choose the correct phrase to complete a student's comment on study skills.

30. I recognize a few words in the passage, therefore, I _____.
A. am not eager to learn new words
B. keep my mouth shut like a fish
C. find it easy to understand the whole content
D. never look up a new word in a dictionary
E. try hard to catch the meaning of every word

31. Choose the most possible solution to *air pollution*.

- A. temporary shelters
- B. dump sites
- C. organic products
- D. hybrid cars
- E. exhaust fumes

Choose the correct meaning for the underlined idioms.**/2x3=6 points/**32. Finally the department's solution to the problem hit the nail on the head.

- A. The staff's solution was not bad.
- B. The accident was caused by the failures.
- C. The staff did exactly right.
- D. The staff's act was quite smart.
- E. The staff hit the box of nails

33. The police will arrest the suspect by hook or by crook.

- A. They will use any method possible.
- B. They will use technological devices.
- C. They will mobilize all units.
- D. They will investigate all offenders.
- E. They will be on duty at check-points.

SECTION 3**COMMUNICATION****Read the conversations and choose the correct answers.****/2x1=2 points/**34. *Teller*: Can I help you?*Customer*: Yes, I'd like to _____ a withdrawal from my account, please.

- A. make
- B. get
- C. take
- D. open
- E. lend

35. *Son*: Dad, will you lend me some money to buy a new drone?*Father*: Well, money is rather _____ at the moment. Ask your mother.

- A. strong
- B. slim
- C. hard
- D. few
- E. tight

Choose the most polite form.**/1x2=2 points/**

36. Where is the bus station?

The most polite form: _____

- A. Can you tell me where is the bus station?
- B. Could you tell me where is the bus station?
- C. Could you tell me where the bus station is?
- D. Tell me, where is the bus station?
- E. Tell me, where is the bus station, please?

Choose the most appropriate phrase instead of the underlined word.

/1x3=3 points/

37. *Anna*: It's so difficult. Should I take the job or not?

John: I know it's difficult. But you have to decide one way or the other.

- A. make an effort
- B. make a decision
- C. make a habit
- D. make an excuse
- E. make a change

Read the short conversation and choose the correct answer.

/1x3=3 points/

38. *Tutor*: It was very good that you had a lot of statistics in your presentation.

John: Thank you. I seemed to be able to talk about them.

Anna: It was fine to listen to, but I couldn't write the notes down.

What does Anna mean?

- A. The presenter's speed was a bit slow sometimes.
- B. The presentation was very interesting.
- C. The presenter's pace was a bit quick at times.
- D. The presentation was easy to understand.
- E. There was a good time planning.

SECTION 4

READING

Task 1. Read the passage.

- (1) Why do some achieve more than others? Ask a successful person and they may point to their talents and hard work. Investor Warren Buffet, for instance, suggests that integrity, intelligence, and energy are essential, whereas for millionaire Marc Andreessen it's about motivation, drive, ethics, and curiosity. In short, what's on the inside is key. Research suggests that what's on the outside counts more than we think.
- (2) Person's intelligence and family background have much less impact after leaving university. Recent research into legal careers shows that while students from well-educated families tend to enter the profession more easily, the less advantaged students that enter usually earn more and work for better firms. Some causes of success clearly lie beyond academic achievement.
- (3) Admittedly, the capacity for hard work is probably important, too. A recent study found that people who earn less than \$20,000 a year spent more than a third of their time in passive leisure. By contrast, those earning more than \$100,000 a year spent less than a fifth of their time relaxing.
- (4) Indeed, new research suggests that a wide variety of external factors also assist high achievers. Rice University, in Texas, found that a person's looks and smile particularly help them to gain trust and so bring employment or promotion opportunities. A person's height and the depth of their voice are also significant, it would seem. Male Chief Executive Officers (CEO) are over 7 centimetres taller than the average man, according to Harvard University, and those with lower-pitched voices apparently have better social connection than other CEOs.

- (5) Self-presentation and the dressing way also play a role. For example, a typical pink shirt wearer earns \$1,000 more per year than males who wear more sober colours for work. Another study showed that women who wear make-up are far more likely to be taken seriously than those who don't, demonstrating that appearance itself bring rewards.
- (6) So, is style becoming more important than substance? Given the importance of the visual image in the modern media, it would not be surprising. Perhaps, teaching the art of making an impression on others may be as valuable to today's generation as a traditional schooling.

Read again and choose the correct answers.

/4x1=4 points/

39. What is the topic of the passage?
- Sources of success
 - The effects of good education
 - Dressing for success
 - The views of successful people
 - The impact of intelligence
40. What do the "internal or inside" factors mean?
- Wearing make-up
 - The world around us
 - Family background
 - Things people can see
 - Things people cannot see
41. Which statement agrees with the general information in the text?
- Parents are fully responsible for their offspring's career success.
 - Children often follow the career choice of parents.
 - The internal, external and appearance factors lead to success.
 - Pursuing promotion needs a good team support.
 - Successful career is only based on academic achievement.
42. Which people can become successful? People who _____.
- spend more than a third of their time in passive leisure
 - spend less than a fifth of their time relaxing
 - have well-educated families
 - have legal careers
 - share the views of successful people

/2x3=6 points/

43. According to the Harvard University research, which of the following group has better social connection?
- less advantaged students
 - hard workers
 - people with attractive appearance
 - taller men with lower-pitched voices
 - people with trustable look and smile

44. Which statement describes the author's opinion?

- A. Making impression on others can be valuable in career.
- B. Being talented can make people high achievers.
- C. Hard work may lead to high success.
- D. Attractive psychical appearance can be rewarding.
- E. Family background tend to determine future profession.

Task 2

Choose the most appropriate word for the game definition.

/2x1=2 points/

45. Riding bicycle: When someone rides a bicycle, he/she should move it pushing its _____ with his/her _____.

- A. pedals / hands
- B. helmet / hands
- C. tyres / feet
- D. brakes / feet
- E. pedals / feet

46. Volleyball is a game in which two teams _____ a ball with their hands backwards and forwards over a high net.

- A. possess
- B. kick
- C. bounce
- D hit
- E. roll

Complete the sentence with the most appropriate phrase.

/1x3=3 points/

47. Playing cards: To give cards to each person who is playing the game is to deal them. What would you say to know who is the dealer?

- A. Cut the cards to see who starts.
- B. You can't do, it's cheating.
- C. Whose turn is it to give the cards out?
- D. It's my turn to start the play.
- E. You have a really good hand.

ХОЁРДУГААР ХЭСЭГ

Санамж: Хоёрдугаар хэсэг нь 3 даалгавартай нийт 20 оноотой. **Хариултын хуудасны заавартай сайтар танилцаарай.**

2.1 Choose the correct form that best fits each blank.

/1x6=6 points/

A woman has lived in complete isolation in a large house on a hill in North Yorkshire for the last fifty years. She (a) _____ visits a nearby village to order food and she doesn't speak to anyone at all except for the shop assistant.

She must have been very (b) _____ when she was young and her clothes were probably (c) _____ 50 years ago. She must be 70 years old now. She gives the (d) _____ from the way she behaves that she must have been an (e) _____ once. But nobody in the village knows who she is and they are (f) _____ to find out unless she tells them.

- a) 1. occasional 2. occasion 3. occasionally 4. occasioned 5. occasioning
 b) 1. attracting 2. attraction 3. attract 4. attractively 5. attractive
 c) 1. fashionable 2. fashion 3. fashionably 4. fashioned 5. old-fashioned
 d) 1. impressionist 2. impressed 3. impressive 4. impression 5. impressionable
 e) 1. acting 2. actress 3. actor 4. act 5. acted
 f) 1. likely 2. like 3. liked 4. likeable 5. dislike

2.2 Choose the word that has similar meaning to the underlined word. Match the words (a-h) with their synonyms in each sentence in the column (1-8). /8x1=8 points/

- A. significant 1. He managed to convince the jury of his innocence.
 B. to pacify 2. Finally, her behavior began to irritate him.
 C. constant 3. The number of workers has declined during Covid-19 pandemic.
 D. rapid 4. She resembles her other very closely.
 E. to imitate 5. My computer makes a continuous low buzzing noise.
 F. to decrease 6. Mom would take me in her arms and soothe me.
 G. to provoke 7. Mining is the most important sector in our economics.
 H. to persuade 8. He thinks, he is a reasonably quick learner.

2.3 Choose the best word to fit each blank. /6x1=6 points/

The (a) _____ of one of America's favourite sports are a debatable and controversial topic, but the story goes that basketball was (b) _____ by James Naismith in 1891. What is most surprising is that he was not from the USA as most people seem to think. He was, in fact, Canadian.

Basketball is a popular team sport in which the players from each (c) _____ need to try to (d) _____ points by putting a large bouncy ball into a small hoop. Either two or three points are given to teams depending on their distance from the hoop while shooting.

Basketball players are usually very tall and strong. It is clear that (e) _____ is an advantage, but agility and awareness are also essential to become a(n) (f) _____ basketball player.

- a) 1. origins 2. conception 3. starts 4. inception 5. basics
 b) 1. fabricated 2. created 3. designed 4. fashioned 5. produced
 c) 1. set 2. half 3. side 4. part 5. form
 d) 1. mark 2. record 3. score 4. acquire 5. obtain
 e) 1. building 2. width 3. weight 4. length 5. height
 f) 1. able 2. accessible 3. inept 4. incompetent 5. valuable