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Programme : CERTIFICATE IN BUSINESS STUDIES (CBSI)

Course : **ENL1002: ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

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Time : 11:00am – 1:00pm Reading Time : Nil

Duration : 2 Hours

Special Instructions :

This paper consists of **FOUR (4)** sections. Answer ALL FOUR sections in the answer booklet provided.

Materials permitted :

Non-Programmable Calculator

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Answer booklet

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SECTION A (25 marks)

Directions: Circle the item that will best complete the sentence from the choices in the parentheses. (10 marks)

1. He (correct, correctly) defined the terms. The answer sounded (correctly, correct).
2. She (quickly, quick) adjusted the fees. She adapted (quick, quickly) to any situation.
3. He measured the floor (exact, exactly). They proved to be (perfectly, perfect) measurements.
4. The stillness of the tomb was (awfully, awful). The tomb was (awfully, awful) still.
5. It was a (dangerously, dangerous) lake to swim in. The man was (dangerous, dangerously) drunk.
6. She performed (magnificent, magnificently). It was a (magnificent, magnificently) beautiful performance.
7. Her voice sounds (beautifully, beautiful). She sang the song (exact, exactly) as it was written.

8. The girl sang (beautiful, beautifully) The song is a (beautiful, beautifully) rendition.

9. Mike wrote too (slow, slowly) on the exam. He always writes (slow, slowly).

10. Talk (softly, soft) or don't talk at all. The music played (softly, soft).

Rewrite the sentences into one sentence using the correct relative pronouns; where, whose, which, who, when (5 marks)

11. The man lives next door. He is very friendly.

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12. Yesterday I met a boy. His mother is a teacher.

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13. Mr Smith is going to go to Moscow . It is the capital of Russia

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14. I remember my twentieth birthday. It was the day my cat broke my favourite vase.

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15. At the end of the road is the General Hospital. I go there every week for my checkup.

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Complete the sentences using the present perfect continuous and add since or for. (5 marks)

16. Maria _____ (learn) English _____ two years.

17. I _____ (write) letters _____ 8:00.

18. Robert and Jane _____ (travel) around Europe _____ five weeks.

19. We _____ (go) to Ireland for our holidays _____ 1968.

20. It _____ (rain) _____ this morning.

Complete the sentences using present perfect or present perfect continuous. (5 marks)

21. The Browns _____ (build) a house for some time.

22. John _____ (write) his novel since last year.

23. The painters _____ (paint) the town hall.

24. I _____ (watch) 4 cartoons on TV already.

25. The boy _____ (sit) with his grandmother in the hospital since evening.

SECTION B (25 marks)**Put in the infinitive or the gerund (-ing) form of the verb in brackets (10 marks)**

1. I was overjoyed _____(see) you at the party.
2. The nuclear station is not likely _____(blow up) although it may shut down.
3. I've forgotten _____(buy) flowers for my girlfriend's birthday.
4. I simply can't afford _____(waste) time trying to explain this to you.
5. Janice was sad _____(see) such poverty when she visited India.
6. It is possible _____(work) all day without being disturbed.
7. You are free _____(leave) any time you want to.
8. You should be able to practise _____(sing) every day.
9. Scientists are hoping _____(discover) a new chemical element.
10. I don't mind people _____(ask) me questions.

Choose the correct preposition (10 marks)

11. His life depends _____ a heart transplant.
(a) on (b) in (c) out (d) over
12. The police ran _____ the thieves but didn't catch them.
(a) into (b) for (c) around (d) after

13. Could you turn left _____ the next junction?

- (a) in (b) on (c) at (d) through

14. He is the fastest man _____ the world.

- (a) of (b) in (c) on (d) by

15. How often do you borrow _____ the library?

- (a) from (b) off (c) in (d) at

16. She took the bottle down _____ the shelf.

- (a) from (b) with (c) at (d) in

17. In order to get to the supermarket I had to drive _____ your house.

- (a) along (b) into (c) through (d) past

18. You shouldn't look _____ the sun directly.

- (a) at (b) into (c) by (d) in

19. The Isle of Skye lies _____ the west coast of Scotland.

- (a) on (b) at (c) off (d) in

20. Are you looking for anything _____ particular?.

- (a) on (b) at (c) off (d) in

Circle the wrong word and write the correct word at the space provided

(5 marks)

21. The work have to be done by Monday. _____

22. The car and truck is in the backyard. _____

23. Yesterday, after the party, we go home. _____

24. What time does the wedding starts? _____

25. He makes a sandwich right now. _____

SECTION C (25 marks)

Directions: Read the passage. Then answer the questions below.

Fruit Fly Fix

Para 1 It is breakfast time. You have been looking forward to eating a nice ripe banana ever since you woke up. Just when you reach for the delicious piece of fruit on your counter, you see something that makes you much less hungry: a swarm of fruit flies!

Para 2 Fruit flies are tiny insects that are attracted to ripe or rotting fruits and vegetables. The flies not only eat the fruit, they also lay their eggs there. A single fruit fly can lay up to 500 eggs on the surface of a piece of fruit. Within eight days, the fruit flies that hatch from these eggs are

full adults that can then lay their own eggs. As you can see, what might start out as a small fruit fly problem can become very large very quickly.

Para 3 Although there is a chance fruit flies can carry germs on to your food, this is not very likely. Fruit flies are annoying, but they probably will not hurt you. However they are such a nuisance, most people want to get rid of these pesky bugs as quickly as possible. Some people use pesticide sprays on the fruit flies. Although this will kill the flies, it will also spread harmful poison all over your kitchen. Luckily, there is also a completely safe way for you to get rid of fruit flies in your house.

Para 4 The first step is for you to remove all fruits or vegetables from your counter. Store these items in the refrigerator or in sealed containers. Clean up any spilled juice or bits of food that might be on the floor. Take out the trash and empty the recycling bin. Wash any dirty dishes that are in your sink. Doing all of these things will stop new fruit flies from finding food or places to lay their eggs.

Para 5 Next, make a trap to catch all of the remaining fruit flies in your house. First, fill a small bowl with a few tablespoons of vinegar. Then, put a piece of very ripe or rotting fruit into the vinegar. Cover the bowl very tightly with a sheet of plastic wrap and poke a few very small holes in

the wrap with a fork. If all goes according to plan, the flies will enter the trap through the holes but will be unable to fly back out. This trap will catch all of the remaining fruit flies. You can either kill these flies or release them outdoors. Fruit flies can be a pest, but they do not have to make you crazy. With a little effort, you can get existing flies out of your house and prevent new ones from taking over your kitchen.

Answer these questions

1) In reading this passage, we learn that fruit flies (1 mark)

I. die immediately after they lay their eggs

II. can grow into adults after only 8 days

III. are mostly harmless

A. I only

B. I and II only

C. II and III only

D. I, II, and III

2) As used in paragraph 3, a nuisance is something that (1 mark)

A. bothers you

B. can be dangerous

C. grows fast

D. is very small

3. Why do people want to get rid of the fruit flies?

(2 marks)

4. According to the passage, why should you not use pesticide spray to kill fruit flies?

(3 marks)

5. What do fruit flies do to your fruits and vegetables?

(3 marks)

6. Why would a small fruit fly problem become a huge problem?

(3 marks)

7. What are two safe ways to remove the fruit flies from your house?

(3 marks)

8. Do you think the advice offered by the author of this passage can also help you protect your kitchen from other bugs, such as cockroaches? Why or why not?

Explain. (4 marks)

9. Find the words of the same meaning from the passage. (5 marks)

a. tasty (para 1)

b. on top of something (para 2)

c. irritating (para 3)

d. take away or eliminate (para 4)

e. keep something from happening (para 5)

SECTION D (25 marks)

Question 1 (10 marks)

Choose ONE of the topics listed below and write an outline for a paragraph.

1. Ways to be your teacher's favourite student.
2. Explain why your country is the best place to live in.
3. Describe your best friend.

Your outline should be written in the following format:

Topic Sentence : (2 marks)

Supporting Sentence 1: (3 marks)

Supporting Sentence 2 (3 marks)

Concluding Sentence (2 marks)

Question 2 (15 marks)

Develop the outline from Question 1 into a paragraph of about 150 words.

