

Admission Exam

English Practice Questions

- ❖ Questions in this document represent a sample of the admission exam questions.
- ❖ To practice the LISTENING questions, you need to run the audio file attached.
- ❖ Answers to the sample questions are provided on the last page of this document.

Questions 6 – 15: READING

- Read the following text and answer questions 6 – 15.
- Choose the correct answer and **mark it on the bubble sheet provided**.

Australia: A Very Large Country

On January 1st, 1901 *Australia* became an independent nation. Today more than 22 million people live in *Australia*. The country is made up of seven states and two territories. The national capital of *Australia* is *Canberra*. The largest city in *Australia*, however, is *Sydney*, with nearly 4.3 million people. It is the capital of the state of *New South Wales*. *Melbourne*, the capital of the state of *Victoria*, is the second largest city with over 3.5 million people.



There are several mountain ranges in *Australia*. The highest mountains are found in the southeast of the country and are called the *Australian Alps*. There is also a long range of mountains along the east coast called the *Great Dividing Range*.

In the east of the country, there are two rivers. The *Murray River* comes from the *Australian Alps* and the *Darling River* comes from the *Great Dividing Range*. In the center of the country, there is a large lake called Lake Eyre. As it is located in a desert, it is usually a dry salt pan and only fills up with water after a lot of rain.

There is a large island to the south of the mainland called *Tasmania* which is a state of *Australia*. The largest city on island of *Tasmania* is called *Hobart*, which is also the state capital. It has a population of more than 200,000 people.

There are many kinds of animals that are unique to *Australia* such as the kangaroo, the koala, and the platypus, as well as many types of birds such as the emu and the kookaburra.

Questions 6 - 15

Choose the best answer and mark it on the bubble sheet provided.

- 6.** What country is the text about?
[A] Saudi Arabia [B] Australia
[C] France [D] Canada
- 7.** When did Australia become a nation?
[A] In 1922. [B] In 1822.
[C] On January 1, 1901. [D] On July 1, 1909.
- 8.** The national capital of Australia is...
[A] Sydney [B] Melbourne
[C] Canberra [D] Hobart
- 9.** The largest city in Australia is...
[A] Sydney [B] Melbourne
[C] Canberra [D] Hobart
- 10.** Melbourne is...
[A] a state of Australia [B] the state capital of Tasmania
[C] in the state of New South Wales [D] the state capital of Victoria
- 11.** The highest mountains in Australia are in the southeast.
[A] True [B] False
- 12.** The Darling River flows from the Australian Alps.
[A] True [B] False
- 13.** Lake Eyre is usually full of water.
[A] True [B] False
- 14.** Tasmania is a state of Australia.
[A] True [B] False
- 15.** The emu is not a bird.
[A] True [B] False

Questions 16 – 25: GRAMMAR, FUNCTIONS & VOCABULARY

- Read each of the following questions carefully.
 - Choose the correct answer and **mark it on the bubble sheet provided.**
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16. There are four _____ in a year.
[A] months [B] days
[C] weeks [D] seasons
17. Jamil's father _____ in Doha in 2002.
[A] work [B] worked
[C] works [D] working
18. My sister's daughter is my _____.
[A] nephew [B] cousin
[C] niece [D] aunt
19. _____ work in hospitals.
[A] Guests [B] Nurses
[C] Patients [D] Pilots
20. What _____ the weather be like tomorrow?
[A] was [B] do
[C] has [D] will
21. Johan is _____ than Gunter at English.
[A] better [B] good
[C] gooder [D] best
22. Your car is white but _____ is black.
[A] I [B] mine
[C] me [D] my

23. A _____ looks after people's teeth.
 [A] chemist [B] carpenter
 [C] dentist [D] manager
24. How _____ does it take you to get to school?
 [A] long [B] much
 [C] many [D] often
25. When the traffic light is red, you _____ stop.
 [A] can [B] shouldn't
 [C] must [D] mustn't

ANSWERS

Question	1	2	3	4	5
Answer	D	B	A	B	A

Question	6	7	8	9	10
Answer	B	C	C	A	D

Question	11	12	13	14	15
Answer	A	B	B	A	B

Question	16	17	18	19	20
Answer	D	B	C	B	D

Question	21	22	23	24	25
Answer	A	B	C	A	C