



Grade 8

Mid of 1st Semester Exam

Revision Sheet

2020 – 2021

Note: This review sheets **do not** replace the main source of the study, which are the books and the Ministry videos.

The exam will cover

Module 1	Student's book p. 7-18 , Workbook 6-20
Module 2	Student's book p. 19-30 , Workbook 21-34

Part One: Reading

Reading Comprehension:

Directions: Read the passage and answer the questions.

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1- The Himalayas is the highest mountain range ever known in the world. It is also called the land of snow. It is 2400 km long. This mountain range goes across five countries in Asia. These countries are India, Nepal, Bhutan, China and Pakistan. Most of the world's highest mountains, including Mountain Everest, are part of the Himalayas. Some of the big rivers rise in the Himalayas such as the Ganges river and the Indus river.

2- Extreme weather conditions, high altitudes and the rocky ground make life very difficult for people who live in Himalayas. People living in the Himalayas use simple hand tools and oxen to grow just enough food to live. Many animals and plants cannot survive there because of the extreme weather conditions. Some animals, however, have adapted to the harsh environment.

3- Like other mountain areas, the Himalayas attract many tourists. 729,550 tourists visited Kathmandu last year. Tourism in the Himalayas is developing in a remarkable way. This tourism provides money for locals, but it also causes many problems as tourists destroy mountain paths and leave tons of rubbish behind.

Choose the correct answer:

1. What is the main PURPOSE of the text?

- A. to inform us about cold climate
- B. to describe animals on mountains
- C. to talk about tourism in Kathmandu
- D. to give information about the Himalayas



2. Which of the following is similar in meaning to the underlined word " survive " ?

- A. Move
- B. live
- C. Create
- D. Die

3. How many tourists visited Kathmandu last year?

- A. 5000
- B. 729,550
- C. 2400
- D. 548,850

4- What makes life very difficult for people who live in Himalaya?

Extreme weather conditions, high altitudes and the rocky ground make life very difficult for people who live in Himalayas

5- What are the benefits and negative effects of tourism in the Himalayas ?

Tourism in the Himalayas is developing in a remarkable way. This tourism provides money for locals, but it also causes many problems as tourists destroy mountain paths and leave tons of rubbish behind.



Directions:

Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow.

1. Rashid is a Qatari boy. Last holiday Rashid and his family decided to visit London. They went there by plane. On the plane they had a hot, delicious meal and watched a nice film. Rashid was very excited. Rashid and his family arrived at London Airport at seven o'clock in the morning.
2. The weather was very cold and it was raining. The weather in London is often cold and rainy. Nasser and his family didn't know the way to the hotel. They asked a man in the road and he showed them that it is in the north and they should take a bus. Nasser and his family took the bus to the hotel which was not far from the airport. In the afternoon the weather changed. It became warm and sunny. Rashid asked his father to take them out to visit the lovely places in London.
3. Rashid and his family visited a lot of places in London. They went to the National Park and the zoo. They saw animals they have never seen in Qatar. They also went to the shopping malls and the National Museum.
4. Rashid and his family stayed in London for three weeks. Rashid met a lot of people who were very friendly and helpful. Rashid talked to them and took their e-mails. Rashid bought beautiful clothes and presents for his friends. Rashid's family enjoyed their holiday. They wished to come to London again. It was really fun.

6. What is the text MAINLY about?

- A. A visit to London
- B. London's airport
- C. London's hotel
- D. London's museum



7. How did Rashid and his family know the hotel's place?

- E. They took a taxi.
- F. They used a map.
- G. They telephoned the hotel.
- H. They asked a person in the road.**

8. How was the weather in London?

- A. rainy**
- B. snowy
- C. windy
- D. cloudy

9. What was Rashid and his family's wish?

- **They wished to come to London again. It was really fun.**
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10- How long did Rashid and his family stay in London?

- **Rashid and his family stayed in London for three weeks.**
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Vocabulary:

11. The distance between Doha and Riyadh is 500 _____.

- A. kilos
- B. meters
- C. kilograms
- D. kilometers

12. My brother is _____ he likes telling others what to do all the time.

- A. bossy
- B. outgoing
- C. easy-going
- D. quick-tempered

13. Please don't disturb me, I can't _____.

- A. create
- B. argue
- C. debate
- D. concentrate

14. I'm very _____, I won second place in the marathon.

- A. sure
- B. proud
- C. confident
- D. interested

15. Ahmed is a _____ child, he doesn't like to share his toys with other kids.

- A. Angry
- B. Quiet
- C. selfish
- D. selfless



16. You can _____ tickets for the game online.

- A. sign
- B. lend
- C. book
- D. mend

17. The blue whale weighs between 150 to 200 _____.

- A. tones
- B. grams
- C. kilograms
- D. kilometers

17. How many _____ do you have on your mobile ?

- A. Electronic devices
- B. Apps
- C. Skills
- D. Content

18. Don't _____ noise! The kids are sleeping.

- A. Make
- B. Do
- C. Go
- D. Play

19. Tomorrow me and my friends are _____ swimming

- A. Make
- B. Doing
- C. Going
- D. Playing



20. You can see me standing _____ the right hand side of the picture .

- A. In
- B. On
- C. At
- D. to

21. We were in London just for a day, so we didn't have time to visit all the _____.

- A. sign
- B. sights
- C. distance
- D. brochures

Part Two: Writing

Grammar:

Read and choose the correct answer.

22. My mom doesn't get up as _____ as my dad.

- A. early
- B. earlier
- C. earliest
- D. more earlier

23. Mustafa _____ his room now. He wants to finish before bedtime.

- A. clean
- B. cleaning
- C. is cleaning
- D. was cleaning



24. My friends _____ ice skating tomorrow, but I will not join them.

- A. go
- B. going
- C. are going
- D. have gone

25. At this moment, all students _____ the science experiment.

- A. do
- B. doing
- C. are doing
- D. were doing

26. There is a hotel _____ our house.

- A. next
- B. through
- C. between
- D. opposite

27. Walk _____ the lake and you'll see the castle.

- A. down
- B. across
- C. behind
- D. towards

28. Who drives _____ carefully, Ahmad or Mohammed?

- A. most
- B. more



C. the least

D. the most

29. The guide _____ was showing us around told us that it's almost 29 meters long.

A. who

B. which

C. where

D. whose

30. I wantto eat. I'm very hungry.

A. anyone

B. something

C. somewhere

D. nobody

31. I can't buy that book. I don't have money.

A. any

B. some

C. every

D. no one

Do as shown between the brackets.

32. You travel to Paris, you (see) the Eiffel tower.

(use : if)

If you travel to Paris, you will see the Eiffel tower.

33. I visited my cousin ____ lives in New Zealand. (Fill in the gap with the correct relative pronouns)

who/that



34. In the past, people got water from springs and wells.

(Rewrite this sentence using “used to”)

In the past, people used to get water from springs and wells.

35. I (travel) to Canada with my father last week.

(correct the verb)

I traveled to Canada with my father last week.

36. The Hyde Park is one of the biggest parks in London ___ you can play football, cricket and lots of other sports.

(Fill in the gap with the correct relative pronouns)

where

37. Do you get _____ with your brother?

(Fill in the gap with the correct preposition)

along

38. We passed _____ the tunnel as we were on the train.

(Fill in the gap with the correct preposition)

through

39. Unless you get up early, you (miss) _____ the school bus.

(Correct the verb in brackets)

will miss

40. If I finish my homework before sunset, I (go) _____ on a picnic.

(Correct the verb in brackets)

will go



Write a blog post presenting yourself. The following questions may help you.

Who are you?

How old are you?

What is your daily routine?

What are your hobbies and interests?

What is your dream job?

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