

## Grade 11-12

**Task 1. Read the text and choose the correct answer A, B or C. (10 points / each question is worth 2 points)**

Learning is a lifelong process that takes place in many different ways. Traditionally, people associate learning with schools and universities, but in reality, it happens everywhere, from the workplace to our daily interactions with others. In today's fast-paced world, learning new skills has become more important than ever. Technology, for example, is evolving rapidly, and those who keep up with the changes are more likely to succeed in both their personal and professional lives. Furthermore, learning is not limited to academic knowledge. Soft skills, such as communication, adaptability, and problem-solving, are increasingly recognized as essential for success.

In recent years, online learning platforms have made education more accessible. Many people now take advantage of these platforms to gain new qualifications, improve their skills, or simply pursue their interests. While some argue that online learning cannot replace face-to-face education, it offers flexibility and convenience, especially for those with busy schedules or limited access to traditional institutions. Despite the many benefits of learning, some individuals find it difficult to stay motivated. Overcoming this challenge often requires setting clear goals, developing a structured plan, and celebrating small achievements along the way. By maintaining curiosity and a positive mindset, lifelong learners can continue to grow and adapt to an ever-changing world.

1. What is the main argument of the passage?
  - A. Learning only happens in schools and universities.
  - B. Lifelong learning takes place everywhere and is crucial for success.
  - C. Only academic knowledge is important for professional growth.
2. Why is it important to keep up with changes in technology, according to the passage?
  - A. To avoid being overwhelmed by new devices.
  - B. To succeed in both personal and professional life.
  - C. To maintain friendships with tech-savvy people.
3. What does the passage say about soft skills?
  - A. They are more important than academic knowledge.
  - B. They are essential for success in today's world.
  - C. They are only necessary in certain professions.
4. What is one of the advantages of online learning mentioned in the text?
  - A. It is more effective than face-to-face learning.
  - B. It offers flexibility and is accessible to those with busy schedules.
  - C. It guarantees higher qualifications.
5. How can individuals stay motivated in their learning journey, according to the passage?
  - A. By taking frequent breaks.
  - B. By setting clear goals and celebrating small achievements.
  - C. By only focusing on short-term rewards.

**Task 2: Choose the correct answer A, B or C. (30 points / each question is worth 3 points)**

6. It's important to \_\_\_\_\_ a balance between work and relaxation.
  - A. keep
  - B. hold
  - C. make

7. My sister has always been good \_\_\_\_\_ solving complicated problems.  
A. in                      B. at                      C. on
8. After the accident, the driver was \_\_\_\_\_ of dangerous driving.  
A. blamed              B. accused              C. charged
9. The movie was so boring that I could hardly \_\_\_\_\_ awake until the end.  
A. keep                  B. stay                  C. retain
10. The company has recently \_\_\_\_\_ a new product on the market.  
A. introduced      B. taken                  C. brought
11. He decided to apply for the job, even though it was outside his \_\_\_\_\_ of expertise.  
A. place                  B. area                  C. subject
12. We need to take \_\_\_\_\_ of this opportunity before it's too late.  
A. benefit              B. advantage              C. chance
13. She's been feeling quite stressed \_\_\_\_\_ all the changes at work recently.  
A. due to                  B. in case of                  C. according to
14. The concert was so popular that all the tickets were sold \_\_\_\_\_ within hours.  
A. over                  B. out                  C. up
15. It's not easy to \_\_\_\_\_ up a business, but with hard work, it can be successful.  
A. bring                  B. set                  C. take

**Task 3. Choose the correct answer A, B or C. (30 points / each question is worth 3 points)**

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| 16. She agreed ... the washing-up.<br>A. do<br>B. to do<br>C. doing                                   | 21. She is much ... at English than her sister.<br>A. worse<br>B. bad<br>C. worst                            |
| 17. I never allow my students ... mobiles at the lesson.<br>A. use<br>B. to use<br>C. using           | 22. The book consists ... fifteen chapters.<br>A. off<br>B. with<br>C. of                                    |
| 18. It was kind ... her to help her flatmate.<br>A. of<br>B. to<br>C. for                             | 23. When we respect someone very much, we ...<br>A. look them up<br>B. look up to them<br>C. look after them |
| 19. This company was founded ... the Smiths.<br>A. to<br>B. for<br>C. by                              | 24. She ... hangs out with friends.<br>A. ever<br>B. hard<br>C. hardly ever                                  |
| 20. If I .... harder, I would have passed the exams.<br>A. had studied<br>B. study<br>C. have studied | 25. Nick ... a family company.<br>A. runs<br>B. walks<br>C. goes   |

**Task 4. Choose the correct preposition. Choose A, B or C. (30 points / each question is worth 3 points)**

26. The music is my favourite. Could you turn it ... ?  
A. off                      B. up                      C. over
27. Always put ... a fire thoroughly after a picnic.  
A. off                      B. of                      C. out
28. We have sorted ... all the problems.  
A. into                      B. out                      C. after
29. Why did you turn ... the offer?  
A. off                      B. over                      C. down
30. She grew ... in a village.  
A. up                      B. on                      C. out
31. Where did you come ... this old toy?  
A. across                      B. over                      C. round
32. We are setting ... in the morning.  
A. off                      B. up                      C. over
33. We waited long but she didn't turn ... .  
A. up                      B. out                      C. on
34. She is saving ... some money for a new mobile.  
A. in                      B. up                      C. away
35. She doesn't get on ... her older sister.  
A. with                      B. for                      C. to

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**Bonus task: (20 points / each question is worth 4 points )**

**Two words are similar to each other. Choose the word which is different from the other two ones. Circle A, B or C.**

36. A. approximately                      B. precisely                      C. exactly  
37. A. furious                      B. concerned                      C. anxious  
38. A. smuggle                      B. theft                      C. stealing

**39. How does the BOG sCool App help you manage your finances?**

- A. By providing a detailed account of your expenses  
B. By showing entertainment options  
C. By giving rewards for spending money



**40. Aversi's healthcare services help retain patients in Georgia rather than sending them abroad. What does "retain" mean in this context?**

- A. To entertain people  
B. To keep patients within the country for treatment  
C. To teach people how to care about themselves