Unit 3 Test

LISTENING I

(Tracks 19–20) You will hear a question. Then you will hear a conversation. After that, you will hear the question again and three choices. What is the correct answer: A, B, or C?

1. A. an issue in the community  
   B. his feelings about the neighborhood  
   C. a cultural festival

2. A. a better car  
   B. a place to park his car  
   C. more public transportation

LISTENING II

(Tracks 21–22) You will hear the first part of a conversation. To finish the conversation, listen and choose the correct answer: A, B, or C.

3. A. Our house is very relaxing.  
   B. I’m frustrated by some of the problems.  
   C. The neighboring town is Oakdale.

4. A. It’s pretty amazing.  
   B. The mayor encourages people to go downtown.  
   C. Go south to get downtown.

LISTENING III

(Tracks 23–26) You will hear a conversation. Then you will hear three sentences. Which sentence is true: A, B, or C?

5. A. The man thinks the neighborhood is embarrassing.  
   B. The man’s sister embarrasses him.  
   C. The man’s sister feels embarrassed.

6. A. Mrs. Madison asked the police for help.  
   B. Police want people to check on their neighbors.  
   C. The woman is going to tell the police about Mrs. Madison.

7. A. The man doesn’t want to go to the meeting.  
   B. The man thinks they can change the community.  
   C. The woman is frustrated with the community.

8. A. There’s a problem with the roads.  
   B. The community is fixing the potholes.  
   C. There’s a lot of trash on the roads.
(Track 27) Listen to the conversation about some community activities and places. Then answer the questions. What is the correct answer: A, B, or C?

9. A. 3:30 to 7:30  
   B. 3:00 to 7:30  
   C. 3:30 to 7:00

10. A. The activities have a low cost.  
    B. All the activities are free.  
    C. There is a small fee for some activities.

11. A. Go north on Orchard Street, then west on Bruce.  
     B. Make a left on Orchard Street, and go west on Bruce.  
     C. Go west on Orchard Street, then north on Bruce.

12. A. on Amber Drive  
     B. on Sterling Street  
     C. at 406 East Street
GRAMMAR

Complete each conversation. What is the correct answer: A, B, or C?

13. A: Are you looking forward to the party this weekend?
   B: Yeah, I’m ______ about it. I think it’s going to be a lot of fun.
   A. exciting
   B. excited
   C. excite

14. A: Crime in our neighborhood is down since we formed the Neighborhood Watch.
   B: Wow. That’s really ______. Keep up the good work!
   A. encouraged by
   B. encouraging
   C. encouraged

15. A: My boyfriend and I went shopping this weekend. It was so much fun.
   B: You’re lucky. My husband is ______ shopping. He never goes with me.
   A. boring
   B. bored by
   C. bore

16. A: Did you go to the block party last weekend?
   B: Yes. I was ______ how many people were there.
   A. surprised at
   B. surprising to
   C. surprised with

17. A: How was the Spring Festival?
   B: Great! We were ______ at all the delicious food.
   A. amazed
   B. to amaze
   C. amazing

18. A: Do you like your new neighborhood?
   B: Yes, I do. But I wish ______ more parks nearby.
   A. there was
   B. there were
   C. there are

19. A: I wish people ______ trash on the ground in the park.
   B: I know. They should put their trash in garbage cans!
   A. didn’t throw
   B. not throw
   C. won’t throw
20. A: I wish everyone ______ about keeping our city clean.
   B: Me, too. It’s frustrating when people don’t take care of it.
   A. caring
   B. cares
   C. cared

21. A: How does Joe like his new job?
   B: He likes the job, but he wishes he ______ drive to work every day.
   A. has to
   B. didn’t have to
   C. not have to

22. A: I wish I ______ more free time. I never have time to just relax.
   B: I know. I feel the same way.
   A. had
   B. have
   C. having

23. A: What kinds of safety tips did the police officer give the kids?
   B: Well, he told ______ ride their bikes at night.
   A. they don’t
   B. they aren’t
   C. them not to

24. A: What’s the Community Council?
   B: It’s a group that encourages residents ______ involved in community activities.
   A. to get
   B. get
   C. are getting

25. A: Did you talk to Linda today?
   B: Yes. She wants ______ her in the park this afternoon.
   A. I meet
   B. me to meet
   C. I’m meeting

26. A: The mayor’s office urges residents ______ their doors unlocked.
   B: That’s good advice.
   A. not to leave
   B. don’t leave
   C. not leaving

27. A: Make sure Heather takes her cell phone with her today.
   B: I already reminded ______ it in her purse.
   A. she puts
   B. she put
   C. her to put
READING I

Read. What is the correct answer: A, B, C, or D?

When Graciela Chavez and her husband moved to Lincoln City, Graciela didn’t speak English well. None of her neighbors spoke Spanish, so she didn’t talk to people. She was very unhappy. One day Graciela saw a sign for an English class at the community center. Graciela began taking the class, and her English improved. She started to talk to her neighbors. It wasn’t always easy, but Graciela got to know some of them. She learned that she and her neighbors were similar in a lot of ways. They had the same concerns about the run-down buildings in their community. One neighbor encouraged Graciela to join the community group. Graciela still doesn’t speak English perfectly, but she’s improving. Now she feels like she’s part of her community. She’s meeting people, and she’s making a difference.

28. How does Graciela probably feel about her community now?
   A. She probably feels the same about it as when she first arrived.
   B. She probably feels more like an outsider than when she first arrived.
   C. She probably likes it less than when she first arrived.
   D. She probably likes it more than when she first arrived.

29. How are Graciela’s neighbors similar to her?
   A. They didn’t speak English very well at first.
   B. They are unhappy in Lincoln City.
   C. They are worried about run-down buildings.
   D. They are worried about the trash in the community.
Chinese Cultural Festival

Come join us this Saturday from 11:00 A.M. to 9:00 P.M. for Jefferson City’s annual Chinese Cultural Festival. This year the celebration will be held downtown in Taylor Park. The festival is free for everyone, and everyone is welcome.

There’s something for everyone at this year’s festival! Here are just some of the activities you can enjoy. See beautiful Chinese arts and crafts. Watch the cultural parade. Get your name translated into Chinese for free. Enjoy performances of traditional Chinese music and dancing. Learn about visiting China and what to see and do there. And, of course, bring your appetite—there will be lots of delicious Chinese food! Children and adults will enjoy this celebration of Chinese culture. Bring your family and come celebrate with us!

30. What is the purpose of this article?
   A. to tell about the success of the Chinese Cultural Festival
   B. to explain how this year’s festival will be different from ones in past years
   C. to provide information about China
   D. to invite people to go to the Chinese Cultural Festival

31. What is the main idea of the second paragraph of this article?
   A. You can learn a lot about China at the festival.
   B. The festival will be fun for everyone.
   C. This year’s festival will be better than last year’s.
   D. People will really enjoy the traditional music and dancing.
32. Which sentence should be added to the second paragraph to give details about its main idea?

A. The food was really delicious.
B. I learned a lot about our neighborhood.
C. We met the family who lives across the street from us.
D. We played volleyball and soccer, and in the evening we danced.

33. Which sentence should be added to the third paragraph to give details about its main idea?

A. Someone explained why people celebrate Labor Day.
B. One neighbor told us about free after-school programs for kids.
C. Our neighbors taught us how to barbecue.
D. Our kids met the neighbors across the street, and now they’re friends.