

A) Choose the best answer.(a, b, c or d) and then mark it on your answer sheet.

- Before the end of the 10<sup>th</sup> century, Arabs crossed the equator and proved the equatorial regions to be .....  
a. inhabitable      b. stable      c. incremental      d. spatial
- In Europe, the birthrate .....in large part, because of the effects of the Industrial Revolution.  
a. subsidized      b. inhabited      c. declined      d. starved
- I could .....his anger by accepting my fault and apologizing for it.  
a. temper      b. defuse      c. stabilize      d. decline
- The damages caused by the strong earthquake was a serious .....to the country's rapid progress.  
a. sanitation      b. famine      c. setback      d. exodus
- The bombardment of the city caused a mass .....of people to nearby villages.  
a. yield      b. exodus      c. famine      d. acquisition
- The two countries had a fight over the ownership of a .....which belonged to a third country.  
a. resident      b. realm      c. immigrant      d. panhandle
- There is a nice view at the .....of the Blue Nile and the White Nile.  
a. plot      b. scavenger      c. confluence      d. pastoralist
- The .....of the trade between the two countries is the result of their political conflicts.  
a. stagnation      b. vegetation      c. conservation      d. plot
- He is a .....flight pilot; he does not fly to other countries.  
a. substantial      b. domestic      c. migratory      d. irregable
- If there were no traffic rules, towns and cities would fall in complete .....  
a. lowland      b. monopoly      c. intensification      d. chaos
- The postal service is the government's .....; private companies are not allowed to provide people with such a service.  
a. substitute      b. depletion      c. consideration      d. monopoly

12. City life facilities have .....huge numbers of villagers out of their farms.  
a. beckoned                      b. deterred                      c. underscored                      d. materialized
13. There are many .....in a big city such as, cinemas, libraries, bus service, parks, etc.  
a. agglomerations                      b. urbanites                      c. amenities                      d. inflows
14. As time goes on small towns .....to form large cities.  
a. urbanize                      b. compare                      c. deter                      d. coalesce
15. A map consists of different .....spots that indicate the location of various towns and cities.  
a. discrete                      b. teeming                      c. overpopulated                      d. urban
16. Enough natural resources and good management can make a country .....  
a. elaborate                      b. picturesque                      c. prosperous                      d. populous
17. The .....he lives in has only fifty inhabitants.  
a. quarter                      b. hamlet                      c. settlement                      d. paddy
18. Formers of the Soviet Union worked on .....lands. No one owned a piece of land.  
a. populous                      b. prosperous                      c. communal                      d. elaborate
19. In many countries, women have a lower .....than men.  
a. status                      b. outbuilding                      d. configuration                      d. quarter
20. At the end of the game, the stadium .....thousands of people into the street.  
a. converged                      b. disgorged                      c. intermingled                      d. flanked
21. As a result of urban development the .....of Tehran and Karaj are approaching each other.  
a. commuter                      b. affluence                      c. fringe                      d. blight
22. Parallel lines do not ....., in other words, they do not meet each other.  
a. disgorge                      b. intermingle                      c. flank                      d. converge
23. We can make a .....shape by placing smaller rings inside larger ones.  
a. random                      b. innermost                      c. concentric                      d. municipal
24. They .....stocks at \$5 a pair but the wholesale price is \$20 for six pairs.  
a. retail                      b. intermingle                      c. converge                      d. disgorge

25. There has been a dangerous .....made by the Caspian Sea upon the seashores.  
a. encroachment      b. deterioration      c. blight      d. fringe
26. Alaska is not .....to other American states because Canada lies between.  
a. paramount      b. contiguous      c. proper      d. idealized
27. In .....cities people walked or rode bicycles and few residents used automobiles.  
a. intrametropolitan      b. preindustrial  
c. proper      d. idealized
28. The topic "oil" is too extensive for a term paper; it can be .....to "the first oil well in Iran."  
a. overshadowed      b. delimited      c. encompassed      d. generalized
29. ....lie around cities which control their commercial activities and also provide them with different services.  
a. cityscape      b. tributary      c. hinterland      d. spaci
30. A governor is responsible for the affairs of a .....  
a. municipality      b. county      c. complex      d. monopoly

**B) Translate the following passage into Farsi.**

- 1) Migration directions can be grouped into four categories: (1) rural to rural, (2) urban to rural, (3) urban to urban, and (4) rural to urban. Of these four the last two are the most significant. The rural to urban stream has been a worldwide phenomenon, especially during the last two centuries.
- 2) Conversely, there are places in less-developed countries where industries have become established, where urban agglomeration is taking place, and where conditions differ sharply from those prevailing on most of the land. South-Central, coastal Brazil is a world apart from the rural Brazilian interior. India's northwest (including western Uttar Pradesh State) presents a picture quite different from that of Bihar and West Bengal.

3. In the United Kingdom in 1985, the crude birthrate was 13 and the crude death rate was 12, producing a rate of natural increase of just 0.1 percent. That last figure is reminiscent of the preindustrial period when there also was a small difference between birthrates and death rates, but both were high. Now, both are low.
4. What are the principal causes of migration? It is often difficult to determine the most important factor that led to the decision to move; commonly it is a combination of circumstances that was responsible. Movement within a country (e.j., from the cold regions to the warmer areas) tends to result form a less forceful stimulus than migration from one continent or one country to another.