I. READING

John is Canadian. He lives in Toronto, which is the largest city in Canada. About 2.6 million people live there. Toronto is a very cosmopolitan city. English is the native language for only a half of its population. 50% of people there are immigrants. There are about 100 thousand inhabitants of Toronto who speak Polish.

The city is very beautiful because it’s on a lovely Lake Ontario with beautiful beaches and fabulous islands. It’s a very green city. There are a lot of parks and golf courses with the largest park all over the world Range Valley Park, whose area is 5 thousand hectares.

Toronto is famous for its CN Tower, which is 553 metres high. It’s the highest structure in the world. In the summer it’s very hot and wet in Toronto, temperature is often over 30°C. In winter it’s very cold and snowy. It’s milder when the wind blows from the ocean.

There are environmental problems too. People put a lot of rubbish into rubbish dumps. This pollutes the soil and the water. Cars cause most of the air pollution. John and his family try to help the environment. They have a car, but they don’t use it a lot. His dad cycles to work, and John walks to school or goes by underground. They travel by car when it freezes a lot in winter. At home his father puts paper, glass and plastic into special bags outside their house.

In his free time in the summer, John likes being on the beach and swimming. In the evenings he loves meeting his friends in the park, where they can run, play football or basketball.

In the winter, he loves playing ice hockey. It’s his favourite sport. He would like to be a champion and play for NHL team.

6. How many people in Toronto use English as the first language?
   a) about 2,600,000
   b) about 100,000
   c) about 1,300,000
   d) about a half of its population

7. Tourists can ………………………… in Toronto.
   a) admire the highest tower in the world
   b) play golf
   c) have a rest in Range Valley Park
   d) visit an island on the sea

8. Which sentences are true?
   a) Cars are the cause of freezing in winter.
   b) Rubbish dumps pollute soil and water.
   c) There are many immigrants from Poland in Toronto.
   d) Cars are the cause of the air pollution.

9. NHL teams play:
   a) 
   b) 
   c) 
   d)

II. COMMUNICATION ACTIVITY

10. A: …………………………………
    B: Yes, of course, but you must be back by nine o’clock.
   a) Must I go Eva’s birthday party, Mum?
   b) Can I have to go Eva’s birthday party, Mum?
   c) Can I go to Eva’s birthday party, Mum?
   d) May I go to Eva’s birthday party, Mum?

11. A: Can I have a kilo of chocolate sweets?
    B: …………………………
   a) Here you are
   b) Yes, thank you
   c) Yes, certainly
   d) Why not?

12. My penfriend lives in Copenhagen (Denmark).
    She is ……………………..
   a) Dutch
   b) Danish
   c) Dennish
   d) Denmarkian
13. A: Would you like me to do the washing up for you, Mum?  
B: Yes, thanks. That’s so kind of you.  
(a) Would you like me to do the washing up for you, Mum?  
(b) Shall I do the washing up, Mum?  
(c) Could you do the washing up, Mum?  
(d) Would you like to do the washing up for me, Mum?  

14. A: Excuse me, I’ve lost my ring somewhere. Has anybody seen it?  
B: What’s it like?  
(a) It’s my favourite ring.  
(b) It’s made of golden metal.  
(c) I lost it a few minutes ago.  
(d) It’s gold with an inscription “I love you” on it.  

15. The Eiffel Tower in Paris is ……………… the CN Tower in Toronto.  
(a) shorter as  
(b) not as high as  
(c) so tall as  
(d) higher than  

16. You have a temperature, a sore throat and a headache. You feel awful and your body aches. It means that you have ………………  
(a) flu  
(b) a cough  
(c) hiccup  
(d) food poisoning  

17. Do the crossword ‘European countries and nationalities’ and find the solution.  
1. People who live in France are ………………  
2. The largest country in the world.  
3. This country looks like a boot on the map.  
4. A beautiful country on the Adriatic Sea.  
5. The country of thousand lakes.  
6. People who live in Switzerland are ………………  
7. A beautiful country famous for bulls, tomatoes and flamenco.  

18. When you need to buy sausages and a kilo of beef, you should go to ………………  
(a) the baker’s  
(b) the supermarket  
(c) the butcher’s  
(d) stationer’s  

19. Match the verbs and the nouns.  
1. wear  
   A. the table  
2. make  
   B. a child  
3. lay  
   C. the bed  
4. spoil  
   D. a tie  

20. In each group of words find one that doesn’t suit to the others.  
long  
narrow  
short  
(a) narrow; German; star  
(b) wide; the Czech Republic; circle  
(c) height; German; moon  
(d) narrow; Norway; square  

IV. GRAMMAR  
21. Carl is bilingual. He ………… speak Spanish and English.  
(a) could  
(b) should  
(c) must  
(d) can  

22. Look at Jane and Mary. We like (1) ………… very much. (2) ………… personalities are so nice.  
(a) (1) hers; (2) They  
(b) (1) them; (2) Their  
(c) (1) their; (2) Them  
(d) (1) they; (2) Their  

23. In our biology textbook we have pictures of many animals including (1) …………, (2) …………, and (3) ………….  
(a) (1) wolves; (2) white mice; (3) deer  
(b) (1) wolves; (2) white mouses; (3) deer  
(c) (1) wolves; (2) white mice; (3) deers  
(d) (1) wolfs; (2) white mice; (3) deer  

24. ………… a thousand English words since April.  
(a) (1) studied; (2) has forgotten  
(b) (1) has studied; (2) forgot  
(c) (1) study; (2) forget  
(d) (1) has studied; (2) has forgot  

25. My mum (1) ………… French at school but she (2) ………… nearly all of it.  
(a) I decided to  
(b) I will  
(c) I’m going to  
(d) I want  

26. ………… start learning Spanish next year.  
(a) at; (2) in  
(b) of; (2) at  
(c) for; (2) with  
(d) on; (2) in  

27. Mark is keen (1) ………… geography but he isn’t interested (2) ………… history very much.  
(a) (1) at; (2) in  
(b) (1) of; (2) at  
(c) (1) for; (2) with  
(d) (1) on; (2) in  

28. There are (1) ………… trees and (2) ………… pond in (3) ………… park.  
(a) (1) the; (2) the; (3) a  
(b) (1) a; (2) a; (3) the  
(c) (1) lots of; (2) a; (3) the  
(d) (1) the; (2) a; (3) a  

29. I was born on the ………… of February nineteen ninety-three.  
(a) twenty-three  
(b) twelveth  
(c) twenty-third  
(d) twelfth  

30. We came back home from Cracow (1) ………… midnight (2) ………… Sunday.  
(a) (1) on; (2) in  
(b) (1) at; (2) last  
(c) (1) in; (2) at  
(d) (1) at; (2) on