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Section A: Sentence Correction: please correct all mistake(s) of each of the following sentences. (20%)

1. It is surprised for me to learn that you have got married already.

2. If I am you, I will have chosen this school rather than that one.

3. I am very difficult to complete the task you assigned to me yesterday.

4. Chung Hwa Telecom is one of the most big corporation in Taiwan.

5. Although all of us have contributed much money, but the total amount remains not enough.

Section B: Sentence Rephrasing: please rewrite the following sentences with a new word given in the bracket and keeping the meaning intact. (20%)

1. The books about Taiwan's economy are highly available in the library. (availability)

2. Doris is reluctant to explain what happened last Monday. (willing)

3. I think it is very likely to rain next week. (probability)

4. Each classroom in the school has an air-conditioner. (air-conditioned)

5. Buddhism is my mother's religious belief. (believe)

Section C: Multiple Choice Questions: please choose the best option in each question. (40%)

1. It may be easier said than _____ to go on a diet.

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- A. done B. do C. to do D. doing ()
2. Expanding public spending is a _____ method to decrease the unemployment rate quickly, but it is unable to sort out the underlying problem.
- A. technological B. technique C. technical D. technician ()
3. We join the party just for _____, nothing else.
- A. a fun B. fun C. enjoy D. funny ()
4. What you did yesterday hurt my _____ very much.
- A. feel B. feeling C. felt D. feelings ()
5. It is more _____ to buy goods in the sales.
- A. economic B. economical C. economics D. economy ()
6. You should list your _____ experiences in your curriculum vitae.
- A. work B. working C. worked D. works ()
7. The failure of the implementation is your responsibility. You have to account _____ it.
- A. off B. on C. with D. for ()
8. The study _____ to this issue should be well figured out beforehand.
- A. approach B. method C. means D. skill ()
9. The _____ of the management is its inexperienced leadership.
- A. weak B. weaking C. weakness D. weakling ()
10. He is a legal expert. He should be able to give your some _____ advice.
- A. peculiar B. particular C. unique D. professional ()
11. Due to the bad weather today, all outdoor activities will be _____.
- A. put down B. put away C. put off D. put out ()
12. This book collects 50 _____ stories of celebrities in Taiwan.
- A. success B. successful C. successive D. succeeding ()
13. There _____ to prove him guilty.

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- A. is much evidence B. are many evidences
C. are much evidence D. are more evidences ()
14. My boss provides me _____ a notebook computer to complete the job.
A. for B. of C. with D. to ()
15. The new machine _____ for over hundreds of times.
A. is testing B. has been tested C. has tested D. tests ()
16. I am looking _____ a special word in the dictionary.
A. with B. after C. into D. up ()
17. Your paper is excellent _____ a few mistakes here and there.
A. except B. besides C. except for D. beside ()
18. She is trying to avoid _____ with troubles caused by Johnny.
A. to deal B. dealing C. to be dealt D. deal ()
19. Everybody guessed that such a _____ boy was incapable of playing this difficult game.
A. 10-year-old B. 10-years-old C. 10 years old D. 10 years ()
20. Despite many difficulties, the mission has been accomplished. We should give a credit to Michael who carried it _____ with his wisdom.
A. over B. on C. away D. through ()

Section D: Reading Comprehension (20%)

Break with tradition

WANLI, Taiwan - Security guard Huang Chin-tsai did something his father or grandfather never would have dreamed of - travel to a village in faraway Vietnam and pay to marry a woman he didn't even know.

Like most people on this island, Huang once would never have considered a non-Chinese as a bride. Foreigners were uncultured, didn't have the proper bloodlines, couldn't speak Chinese and didn't know how to cook the right kind of food.

But social and economic changes have prompted Huang (44) and thousands of other Taiwanese men to do just that. They are finding wives across Asia, and the trend is helping awaken Taiwan's insular society to other cultures.

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About 250,000 brides from other places now live among the 23 million Taiwanese. Most of the women, about 140,000, are from mainland China, but about 43,000 are Vietnamese and 11,000 are Indonesian. The rest came mostly from Thailand, the Philippines and Cambodia.

"You don't want to marry a woman who wants to control you and always complains about the little money you make," Huang said of Taiwanese women.

Turning to his wife as she served stewed pig knuckles, he added, "She is content and seldom argues."

A social worker, Hsu Chun-hui, said that despite an initial lack of understanding or affection, most mixed couples are doing well and are happy.

"They take what they want in the marriage of convenience," said Hsu, who works for Eden Social Welfare Foundation.

The exceptions generally involve cases in which Taiwanese men lie about their economic well-being or hide poor health, Hsu said.

To wed a foreign bride, a man usually pays matchmaking agencies about NT\$350,000 (about \$80,000), which includes a commission, traveling expenses and a small amount for the bride's parents.

Society at large is starting to adjust to the influx of foreign women. The government offers language classes, job training and counseling and has set up telephone hot lines to take grievances. A Taipei hospital recently printed a Vietnamese-language handbook for pregnant women, although handbooks in other languages have yet to appear.

Officials are also starting to grapple with unhappy marriages that lead to physical and emotional abuse.

Liu Yun-pin, a policeman in eastern Taitung county, said he deals with several abuse complaints a day filed by foreign wives.

"The family disputes are mainly about economic problems," he said. "Some husbands not only want their wives to do household work but farm and other labor work. Some of the wives escape to work in factories."

Multiculturalism is being addressed in schools, too, where bilingual textbooks are being provided for children of mixed couples. "The children must not only learn our culture and language but those of their mothers," said Fan Hsun-lu, vice minister for education.

Please answer questions 1 to 5 in full sentences. (each question scores 3% of total marks)

1. Why didn't Huang Chin-tsai want to marry a Taiwanese woman?

2. What countries do foreign brides come from?

3. What languages do the children of the mixed couples need to learn?

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4. Has the Taipei hospital printed other handbooks for pregnant foreign wives other than Vietnamese?

5. What are the major causes of unhappy marriages of the mixed couples?

Multiple Choice Questions (each question scores 1% of total marks)

6. What does “Taiwan’s insular society” mean?

- A. Taiwan is an isolated society B. Taiwan is an insulated society
C. Taiwan is a society of island D. Taiwan is an alienated society ()

7. The charge for wedding a foreign woman includes a commission. Who earns it?

- A. the Taiwan government B. the foreign government
C. the matchmaking agency D. the bride’s parents ()

8. Most of the mixed couples did not have much “affection” at the very beginning. What does “affection” refer to?

- A. relationship B. dating C. favor D. love ()

9. Which is the second favorite place for Taiwanese men to look for foreign wives?

- A. Mainland China B. Vietnam C. Thailand D. Indonesia ()

10. What is the purpose of the telephone hot line?

- A. to provide subsidies
B. to provide a channel for complaining
C. to provide information of job opportunities
D. to provide emergency help ()