

109. The accounting department will _____ a retirement reception for Mr. Jiles next Wednesday at 4:00 P.M.
- (A) hold
 - (B) raise
 - (C) happen
 - (D) regard
110. Mr. Lee takes his job _____ than his predecessor did.
- (A) serious
 - (B) seriously
 - (C) more seriously
 - (D) most seriously
111. While offering similar vacation packages, travel agencies may change _____ different prices.
- (A) markedly
 - (B) marked
 - (C) marks
 - (D) marking
112. Running a successful art gallery takes more than just a love of art; it also requires a certain business _____.
- (A) skill
 - (B) creation
 - (C) progress
 - (D) admiration
113. Mrs. Johnson handle the dispute -----, by holding private discussions in her office.
- (A) discreetly
 - (B) remotely
 - (C) excessively
 - (D) tightly

114. Since its repair, the central heating system in the Rayburn Building is now in _____ order
- (A) working
 - (B) practical
 - (C) realistic
 - (D) useful
115. Mobile phones have become _____ prevalent that telecommunications companies are establishing service areas previously thought too remote.
- (A) only
 - (B) such
 - (C) so
 - (D) still
116. Choosing _____ two very qualified candidates was not easy, but the board has asked Mr. Diego to the international school's next director.
- (A) between
 - (B) within
 - (C) about
 - (D) along
117. Mr. Martin has decided to _____ the planning meeting because of a scheduling conflict.
- (A) evaluate
 - (B) postpone
 - (C) refer
 - (D) identify
118. Your selection will arrive in seven to ten days and will be followed by _____ deliveries every six weeks.
- (A) mutual
 - (B) thorough
 - (C) additional
 - (D) momentary

119. The producers are still waiting for network _____ to broadcast the television show for another year.
- (A) approved
 - (B) approves
 - (C) approval
 - (D) approvingly
120. Because the teams in Beijing and Lisbon must work together closely, e-mail is the _____ method of communication for this project.
- (A) prefer
 - (B) preferred
 - (C) preferably
 - (D) preference
121. The security badge needs to be activated _____ the end of the day tomorrow.
- (A) before
 - (B) under
 - (C) still
 - (D) as
122. A hotel shuttle will be available, but you are also welcome to arrange for your _____ transportation to the conference.
- (A) any
 - (B) own
 - (C) besides
 - (D) directly
123. The technician _____ repairs on the machinery, so production of the x220 will resume when she has finished.
- (A) making
 - (B) had made
 - (C) will have been made
 - (D) has been making

124. The president of the board _____ to several of the conditions listed in the initial contract.
- (A) strong
 - (B) stronger
 - (C) strongly
 - (D) strenght
125. Sales department members must obtain permission from _____ supervisors before applying for travel reimbursement.
- (A) they
 - (B) them
 - (C) their
 - (D) theirs
126. A majority of the customers who completed the survey rated Sasaki mobile phone as _____ good or excellent.
- (A) either
 - (B) both
 - (C) although
 - (D) whether
127. _____ the advice of the board of directors, Mr. Longman did not support the merger.
- (A) Amid
 - (B) Against
 - (C) Besides
 - (D) Except
128. The company handbook ----- the topics of compensation, bonuses, and overtime.
- (A) has been covered
 - (B) covering
 - (C) is covered
 - (D) covers

129. During the hotel renovation, special _____ was given to the lighting fixtures and decorations.
- (A) introduction
 - (B) attempt
 - (C) conference
 - (D) attention
130. Most reports suggest that Hahm Plastic Corporation is currently deciding _____ to open new offices in Jeju City.
- (A) whether
 - (B) since
 - (C) whereas
 - (D) if
131. Aliflora, Inc., grows fifty varieties of roses _____ and is now the second largest exporter in the region.
- (A) commerce
 - (B) commercial
 - (C) commercially
 - (D) commercials
132. All products on _____ in the store window are available at reduced prices.
- (A) example
 - (B) display
 - (C) measure
 - (D) assembly

133. The hotel's quiet setting provides a _____ change for visitors who live in a crowded city.
- (A) refreshing
 - (B) refreshment
 - (C) refreshed
 - (D) refresh
134. The afternoon flight from Tokyo has been canceled _____ a mechanical problem.
- (A) as much as
 - (B) due to
 - (C) because
 - (D) in case
135. The goal of our publication is to provide _____ to students who want to study overseas.
- (A) effort
 - (B) engagement
 - (C) assistance
 - (D) attraction
136. In order to keep prices _____, Kim's Bakery will begin making its breads and cakes on the premises.
- (A) reasonable
 - (B) reasonably
 - (C) reasoning
 - (D) reason

137. Thank you for taking the time to meet with me, and I look forward to hearing from you soon.
- (A) hear
 - (B) hears
 - (C) heard
 - (D) hearing
138. Liza Baley recently----- positive reviews for her performance in Mike Keric's new drama, Nightfall.
- (A) receives
 - (B) was receiving
 - (C) is received
 - (D) received
139. The clothing shop is ----- because it sells quality uniforms at competitive prices.
- (A) successful
 - (B) success
 - (C) succeed
 - (D) successfully
140. Mr. Schweizer has worked under my ----- as an editorial assistant for the past five years.
- (A) supervise
 - (B) supervises
 - (C) supervised
 - (D) supervision

READING TEST

PART 6

DIRECTIONS: Read the text that follow. A word or phrase is missing in some of the sentences. Four answer choices are given below each of the sentences. Select the best answer to complete the text. Then mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet.

Questions 141-143 refer to the following notice.

Ross and Bloom Publishing Group _____ an associate editor for the gardening section. This full-time

141. (A) hiring
(B) has hired
(C) is hiring
(D) hired

position requires a dynamic individual who will provide support for the editorial _____ of the magazine

142. (A) assistance
(B) reinforcement
(C) locations
(D) functions

by researching and writing feature stories and columns under the direction of the managing editor.

A university degree in journalism or a related field and at least two years of newspaper editing experience are required. _____ superb writing and editing skills, the qualified candidate is expected to

143. (A) Compared to
(B) As well as
(C) In spite of
(D) Ever since

to demonstrate computer literacy. The work will involve some travel. Send a cover letter and a resume to Sandy Meyers at jobs@rossbloom.com

Questions 144- 146 refer to the following letter.

Mr. Matt Pinczkowski
1705 Mountain Top Road
Littleton, CO 80165
20 May

Dear Mr. Pinczkowski

I am writing in response to the proposal you sent me last week. Soon _____ I received your

144. (A) when
(B) upon
(C) about
(D) after

proposal, I learned that the patio construction will require a building permit. In order to apply for the permit, I will need your signature on the enclosed form. Could you please sign the form and return it to me _____ a revised construction schedule? As soon as I hear from you, I will send the permit

145. (A) apart from
(B) along with
(C) up against
(D) instead of

application to the city building inspector. I _____ to have the permit no later than Mid- July.

146. (A) had expected
(B) expecting
(C) expect
(D) had been expecting

I apologize for the late notice on this, but I did not know that a permit was necessary until talked to the city inspector earlier this week.

Many thanks for your assistance, and I hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,

Lauren Rutishauser

Questions 147-149 refer to the following advertisement.

Booking at the Salvador Durado Hotel

Reserving a room at the Salvador Durado Hotel is possible online at
www.Salvador-hotel.com.

It is recommended that room reservations be made_____ in advance. Guests
_____ that

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|-----------------|-----------------------|
| 147. (A) better | 148. (A) reminded |
| (B) best | (B) are reminded |
| (C) good | (C) would remind |
| (D) well | (D) had been reminded |

available on the premises, including telephone and fax, are charged separately from the room fee.

_____ a more enjoyable stay, guest are requested to advise the hotel at the time of booking if

149. (A) For
(B) After
(C) Unlike
(D) Without

particular services are required.