

(Vocabulary Review)**Part 6****PRACTICE TEST (1)**

Questions 141 – 143 refer to the following advertisement.

If you are ready for a better executive position, then you should give Woodford Associates a call.(141)..... fifteen years' experience and the nation's largest professional staff, we have helped transfer thousands of people into attractive new positions with salaries ranging from \$100,000 to \$500,000. Our specialty is in(142)..... people up in the job market with great speed. For those who qualify, we can write all materials, do the marketing, and handle most details.(143)..... . Better still, call us today for a confidential appraisal interview. There is no cost or obligation.

141.

- (A) On
- (B) With
- (C) In
- (D) To

142.

- (A) move
- (B) to move
- (C) moved
- (D) moving

143.

- (A) If you want moving out to be hassle-free, give us a call.
- (B) We wish you success in all your future endeavors.
- (C) To see if you qualify, send us a résumé for evaluation.
- (D) Walk-in applicants must wear business casual attire.

Questions 144 – 146 refer to the following article.

Honma Manufacturing(144)..... rumors circulating around its possible decision to pursue a partnership with another toy manufacturing company today. Honma's financial condition has continued a downward slide over the past four years as a result of losing domestic market share to cheaper imports(145)..... , many of the company's longtime shareholders bearish about the future of the company have sold their shares and Honma's share prices are now at historically low levels. If these rumors prove true, the company's share prices will certainly be affected. The truth will be revealed soon.(146)..... .

144.

- (A) address
- (B) has addressed
- (C) will address
- (D) addressed

145.

- (A) Instead
- (B) Therefore
- (C) Conversely
- (D) Otherwise

146.

- (A) All employees must attend the seminar.
- (B) Surprisingly, the company has merged with its rival.
- (C) The announcement is expected to be made at Honma's headquarters at 4 P.M.
- (D) Honma Manufacturing has new investors.

Questions 147 – 149 refer to the following article.

The City Council of Sunville would like to thank all participants of the 8th Sunville half-marathon. It was a great success, and we would like to congratulate Ben Grill, who broke the course record. A big thank you is(147)..... to BLR Burgers and Thurstons, who sponsored the event.(148)..... . We would also like to thank the band Public Cloud for performing live after the marathon and entertaining the crowd. Every year, this event(149).....with the help of many volunteers, without whom it would not be possible, so a very big thank you to all of you too.

147.

- (A) apt
- (B) proper
- (C) ready
- (D) due

148.

- (A) They also donated the prizes for the children's fun run.
- (B) The half-marathon will be held next month.
- (C) Medals and certificates will be given to the winners.
- (D) We are looking forward to another successful party.

149.

- (A) throws away
- (B) takes place
- (C) goes into
- (D) finds out

Questions 150 – 153 refer to the following e-mail.

To: All Managers <managers@sunfinance.org>
From: Main entrance reception <reception@sunfinance.org>
Subject: Fire Drill

Please pass the following memo on to.....(150)..... in your department to remind them of the upcoming fire drill.

In.....(151)..... for the drill, all employees are asked to be at their desks 5 minutes before the alarm is due to go off at 11:00 AM.

During the fire drill, all employees are asked to proceed quickly but calmly to the stairwells and descend to the first floor. DO NOT use the elevators. Everyone should meet in the square opposite the main office building. Please remember that there are.....(152)..... traffic signs in place which may slow down crossing the road to the square.

If you have any questions, please contact the main reception desk. (153)

150.

- (A) each
- (B) him
- (C) others
- (D) other

151.

- (A) preparation
- (B) accordance
- (C) anticipation
- (D) helping

152.

- (A) urban
- (B) temporary
- (C) immediate
- (D) electronic

153.

- (A) Thank you for your letter of March 18.
- (B) Thank you for the brochures.
- (C) Thank you for your co-operation.
- (D) Thank you for sending me the order form.

Part 3: PRACTICE QUESTIONS

Directions: You will hear some conversations between two people. You will be asked to answer three questions about what the speakers say in each conversation. Select the best response to each question.

1. Read the following in 30 seconds.

41. Why is it necessary to reduce the company's overheads?
(A) The price of gas has increased.
(B) The accounting department has been reduced.
(C) Staff wages are too high.
(D) Too many employees are taking holidays.
42. What specifically does the head of accounting suggest?
(A) Not to pay the rent.
(B) Lower the use of electricity.
(C) Decrease money spent on travel.
(D) Switch gas companies.
43. When will the woman talk to the man again?
(A) When she has the report.
(B) By the end of the day.
(C) Tomorrow
(D) Towards the end of the week.

2. Read the following in 30 seconds.

44. Why is the man concerned?
(A) His delivery is late.
(B) Julie is at a different company.
(C) The delivery price is now two times higher.
(D) He needs to deliver some paper.
45. What does the man want to do?
(A) Change both the paper supplier and the delivery company.
(B) Change the delivery company but not the paper supplier.
(C) Change the paper supplier but not the delivery company.
(D) Change neither the paper supplier nor the delivery company.
46. What will the woman probably do next?
(A) Search the internet
(B) Go outside for lunch
(C) Wait in line for the paper delivery
(D) Think about possible companies

3. Read the following in 30 seconds.

47. Who is looking for Jill?
(A) The accountant
(B) Mr. Summers
(C) The receptionist
(D) The photographer
48. What did the woman prepare for the meeting?
(A) An answerphone message
(B) The schedule
(C) Some photocopies
(D) Mr. Summers' appointments
49. What did Mr. Summers most likely forget to do?
(A) Change his schedule
(B) Look for Jill
(C) Review his messages
(D) Talk to the man

4. Read the following in 30 seconds.

50. When will the man return?
(A) On Saturday
(B) On Sunday
(C) On Monday
(D) On Tuesday
51. Why does the woman know Boston?
(A) She went to college there.
(B) She has friends there.
(C) She visits there often.
(D) She worked there for many years.
52. Why is the man going to Boston?
(A) For work
(B) To attend college
(C) To live there
(D) To see some friends

5. DICTATION

1. Please from smoking in this area.
2. is an unavoidable of human activity.
3. The traffic gets worse during the summer.
4. Vehicles without permits will be at the owner's expense.
5. When the manager is on vacation, his assistant will him.

6. HOMEWORK (Vocab)

1. Effective the first of the month following their hire date, all regular employees are eligible for medical benefits.
2. Timely decisions are essential for maximizing revenues.
3. The new CEO turned the ailing company around in one year.
4. Several security cameras have been installed in the parking lot.
5. Copies of the report were distributed this morning.