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ENGLISH LANGUAGE CONTENT TEST(ELCT) MOCK TEST 01

No of Questions: 50 Time (1.00 Hrs) Full Marks: 50

Directions(Q. Nos.1–5): In questions, part of the sentences have errors and some have none. Find out which part of the sentence has an error corresponding to the appropriate letter (a, b, c). If there is no error, your answer (d).

- After Sheetal will return (A)/ from Delhi(B) / I will go to meet her. (C) / No error(D)
- 2. My younger brother (A)/ has left (B) /for Bhopal last Saturday. (C) /No error(D)
- 3. I used to work (A) /till 11 pm and (B) / then I go to bed. (C) /No error (D)
- Air pollution caused by industrial effluents has been studied (A)/ for years, but only recently has (B)/ the harmful effects of noise pollution become known.(C)/No error(D)
- The judge asked the lady (A)/ if the bag she had lost(B)/ contain ten thousand rupees (C)/No error (D)

Directions(Q. Nos.6–10): In questions, sentences are given with blanks to be filled in with an appropriate word s). Four alternatives are suggested for each question. Choose the correct alternative out of the four.

- 6. Net neutrality rules of the road for a free and open Internet.
 - a) comprehensive
- b) denoted
- c) creates
- d) modifying
- In the face of the cross examination, the accused remained stoic.
 - a) solid
- b) terrible
- c) tedious
- d) grueling
- 8. His success is worthy of
 - a) copying
- b) aping
- c) simulation
- d) emulation
- He had never been of a constitution, and after a little more than a week's illness he died.
 - a) superb
- b) energetic
- c) dynamic
- d) robust
- 10. The priest called upon the families to their differences and agree to the wedding.
 - a) sink
- b) abolish
- c) immerse
- d) lower

Directions(Q. Nos. 11–15): In questions out of the four alternatives, choose the one which best expresses the meaning of the given word.

11. CONCISE

- a) Strong
- b) Solid
- c) Brief
- d) Small

12. VERBATIM

- a) Word for word
- b) In secret
- c) At will
- d) In summary

13. NEBULOUS

- a) Tiny
- b) Vague
- c) Insignificant
- d) Inadequate

14. BEMOAN

- a) Soothe
- b) Mock
- c) Interrupt
- d) Lament

15. FEROCIOUS

- a) Fierce
- b) Bitter
- c) Danger
- d) Enmity

Directions(Q. Nos. 16–20): In questions choose the word opposite in meaning to the word.

16. INDISPENSABLE

- a) Tolerable
- b) Superfluous
- c) Expensive
- d) Hostile

17. VINDICTIVE

- a) Forgiving
- b) Humane
- c) Polite
- d) Liberal

18. SPLEEN

- a) Caprice
- b) Cheer
- c) Sway
- d) Boisterous

19. LUCRE

- a) Debt
- b) Elegance
- c) Outlaw
- d) Sissy

20. RESTORATIVE

- a) Gentle
- b) Injurious
- c) Individual
- d) Cessation

Directions(Q. Nos.21–25): In questions four alternatives are given for the Idiom/Phrase underlined in the sentence. Choose the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom / Phrase.

21. Tempt providence

- a) To punish someone
- b) To take reckless risks
- c) To have God's favor
- d) To make publicly known

22. Within an ace of

- a) Very near to
- b) Very far from
- c) Very cheap
- d) Very expensive

23. Beyond the pale

- a) Productive
- b) Penniless
- c) Unacceptable
- d) Defeated
- **24.** The royal road a) An easy way
- b) A troublesome way
- c) A grand idea
- d) A luxurious life style
- 25. Whiter than white

- Completely foolish a)
- b) Completely blank
- Customary c)
- Completely honest

Directions(Q .Nos.26-30): In guestions a part of the sentence is understand. Below are given alternatives to the underlined part at (1), (2) and (3) which may improve the sentence. Choose the correct alternative. In case no improvement is needed your answer is (4).

- 26. Both the families were invited but neither (had accepted) our invitation.
 - accepted
- b) did accept
- has accepted
- d) No improvement
- 27. If I (have had) money, I would have bought this car.
 - a) had
- b) did have
- c) had had
- d) No improvement
- 28. She has not been well (for the past) few months.
 - since the past a)
- b) for past
- c) since the last
- d) No improvement
- 29. Any bad habit must be nipped (on) the bud.
 - a)
- b) in

d)

c) off

- No improvement
- 30. Perhaps the wolf (was waiting) to spring upon him.
 - had been waited b) has waited a)
 - could be waiting d) No improvement

Directions (Q. Nos. 31–35): In questions out of the four alternatives, choose the one which can be substituted for the given words / sentence.

- 31. A decorative ring of flowers and leaves
 - Wreathe a)
- Wreth
- c) Wrath
- d) Wreath
- 32. A person who kills somebody especially for political reasons
 - a) Murderer
- b) Assassin
- Hangman c)
- d) Criminal
- 33. Figure with many angles or sides
 - a) Polygon
- b) Hexagon
- Pentagon c)
- d) Octagon
- 34. One who is in charge of museum
 - a) Supervisor
- b) Caretaker
- c) Warden
- d) Curator
- 35. Parts of a country behind the coast or a river bank
 - **Swamps** a)
- Archipelago
- c) Hinterland
- d) Isthmus

Directions (Q. Nos.36-40) In questions groups of four words are given. In each group, oe word is correctly spelt. Find the correctly spelt word.

- 36. Which of the following spellings is correct?
 - accommodate a)
- accomodate b)
- accommodate c)
- accommodate d)

37. Which of the following spellings is preferred in American English?

- acknowledgment
- acknowledgement
- acknowlegment c)
- d) acknowlegement

38. Which of the following spellings is correct?

- a) argument
- b) argument
- c) arguemant
- d) arguemint

39. Which of the following spellings is correct?

- a) commitment
- b) comitmment
- c) commitment
- d) comitmant
- 40. Which of the following spellings is correct?
 - a) consensus
- b) concensus
- c)

consencus d) consenssus Directions (Q.Nos. 41-50): You have brief passage with 5 questions following the passage. Read the

passage carefully and choose the best answer to each question out of the four alternatives.

The recent change to all-volunteer armed forces in the United States will eventually produce a gradual increase in the proportion of women in the armed forces and in the variety of women's assignments, but probably not the dramatic gains for women that might have been expected. This is so even though the armed forces operate in an ethos of institutional change oriented toward occupational equality and under the federal sanction of equal pay for work. The difficulty is that women are unlikely to be trained for any direct combat operations.

A significant portion of the larger society remains uncomfortable as yet with extending equality in this direction. Therefore, for women in the military, the search for equality will still be based on functional equivalence, not identity or even similarity of task. Opportunities seem certain to arise. The growing emphasis on deterrence is bound to offer increasing scope for women to become involved in novel types of noncombat military assignments.

41. Which sentence is an incorrect one?

- The recent change to all voluntary armed forces in US will produce a gradual increase in the proportion of women.
- The difficulty is that women are likely to be b) trained for any direct combat operation.
- Opportunities seem certain to arise
- The difficulty is that women are unlikely to be trained for any direct combat operation

42. A suitable title for the passage might be

- a) Current status of women in US military.
- b) Current status of women in US navy

- c) Current status of women in US air force
- d) Current status of women in US teaching service.
- 43. According to the passage, despite the United Sates armed forces commitment to occupational equality for women in the military, certain other factors preclude women
 - a) Being assigned all of the military tasks that are assigned to men.
 - b) Drawing assignments from a wider range of assignments than before
 - c) Having access to positions of responsibility
 - d) Receiving equal pay for equal work
- 44. The passage implies which of the following is a factor conductive to a more equitable representation of women in the United States armed forces than has existed in the past?
 - a) The all-volunteer character of the present armed forces.
 - b) The past service records of women who had assignments functionally equivalent to men's assignments.
 - c) The level of awareness on the part of the larger society of military issues
 - d) An increased decline in the proportion of deterrence oriented non combat assignments.
- 45. The primary purpose of the passage is to
 - Present an overview of the different types of assignments available to women
 - Analyze reforms in the new United States allvolunteer armed forces necessitated by the increasing number of women in the military.
 - Present the new United States all-volunteer armed forces as a model case of equal employment policies in action
 - d) Present a reasoned prognosis of the status of

- women in the new United States all-volunteer armed forces.
- 46. Which of the following is closest in sense to the word "novel" used in the passage?
 - a) new
- b) prosaic
- c) dull
- d) boring
- 47. It can be inferred from the passage that after the recent change
 - a) Some join willingly, some are forced
 - b) Everyone joins the military under compulsion
 - c) Men are forced, women join willingly
 - d) Everyone joins the military willingly
- 48. The word 'opportunities' used in the passage may be replaced by all expect
 - a) openings
- b) failure
- c) scope
- d) prospects
- 49. It can be inferred from the passage that
 - a) The change to all-volunteer armed forces took place many years ago
 - b) Opportunities for women in military are certain to decline
 - c) The Government sanctions equal pay for equal work
 - d) The society encourages increased participation of women in direct combat
- 50. The 'dramatic giants for women' and change in the attitude of a 'significant portion of the larger society' are logically related to each other in as much as the author puts forward the latter as
 - a) The major reason for absence of the former
 - b) A public response to achievement of the former
 - c) A reason for some of the former being lost again
 - A pre condition for any prospect of achieving the former.



ANSWER KEY				
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1. c)	11. b)	21. b)	31. d)	41. b)
2. b)	12. a)	22. a)	32. b)	42. a)
3. c)	13. b)	23. c)	33. a)	43. a)
4. b)	14. d)	24. a)	34. d)	44. a)
5. c)	15. a)	25. d)	35. c)	45. d)
6. c)	16. b)	26. a)	36. d)	46. a)
7. d)	17. a)	27. a)	37. a)	47. d)
8. d)	18. b)	28. d)	38. b)	48. b)
9. d)	19. a)	29. b)	39. c)	49. c)
10.a)	20. b)	30. d)	40. a)	50. d)

