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Test

I. Reading

A. Read the article and fill in the gaps (1-6) with the parts of the sentences (A-G). There is one extra part.

Happiness

What is happiness? In many industrialized countries, it is often equated with money. But the
small Himalayan kingdom of Bhutan has been trying a different idea. In 1972, concerned about
the problems afflicting other developing countries 1, Bhutan's leader, King Jigme Singye
Wangchuck, decided to make his nation's priority its GNH, or Gross National Happiness.
Bhutan, the King said, needed to ensure that prosperity was shared across society and that it
was balanced against preserving cultural traditions, protecting the environment and maintaining
a responsive government. The King instituted policies 2
Now, Bhutan's example is serving as a catalyst for broader discussions of national well-being.
A growing number of economists, social scientists, corporate leaders and bureaucrats around
the world are trying to develop systems 3 but also access to health care, time with family,
conservation of natural resources and other non-economic factors. The goal is partly to obtain a
broader definition of the world happiness. "We have to think of human well-being in broader
terms", said Bhutan's Home Minister. "Material well-being is only one component. That
doesn't ensure that you're at peace with your environment 4
In the early stages of a climb out of poverty, for a household or a country, incomes and
contentment grow together. But various studies show that beyond certain points, 5,
happiness does not keep up. And some countries, studies found, were happier than they should
be. One study found that Latin American countries, for example, registered far more subjective
happiness than their economic status would suggest.
But researchers have had great difficulty in developing measuring techniques 6 And some
experts question whether national well-being can really be defined. Just the act of trying to
quantify happiness could destroy it, said one expert. "The most important things in life are not
prone to measurement – like love."

- A. aimed at accomplishing these goals
- **B**. that can capture this broader sense of well-being
- C. and in harmony with each other
- **D**. whose focus was only on economic growth
- E. but there is not necessarily a relationship between wealth and happiness
- F. as annual income passes certain levels
- G. that measure not just the flow of money

II.

Use of English
1. Read the article and fill in the gaps using the words in bold in the correct form.

Changes to Engineering

Engineering in the transport sector has increasingly become an area of

work foreducated, computer-literate professionals.	HIGH
These engineers are facingchallenges in a period of rapid technological advances.	PRACTICE
The engineering skills are all still in demand in the transport sector: aerodynamics and mechanics, electrical and electronic, chemical and material.	TRADIOTION
But the big transport projects also require engineers with a range of other skills, project management, business development, teamwork and even aesthetics.	INCLUDE
A new breed of engineers is being trained, with a more global view of theof a complex system over a period of time.	GROW
A transport system will be in for 20 years or mere, during which time developments in technology, materials and ways of thinking will have happened, so design systems have to be flexible.	USEFUL
2. Read the text and decide which answer A, B or C best fits each space. English Spelling English first written down in the 6 th century. At that time, writers use the twenty three letters of the Latin alphabet to write down they heard. Because English has sounds that do not exist in Latin, they added letters to represent the forty-four sounds of English. This resulted some irregular spelling. After the Norman invasion of England in 1066, French became the language spoken by the king and other people in positions of power and influence. Many French words introduced and the spelling of many English words changed French patterns. The result was a rich and irregular mix spellings. The printing press was in the 15 th century. Many early printers of English texts spoke first languages, especially Dutch. They often paid little attention how English words were spelled. Sometimes technical decisions were made to give columns of print straight edges. To do, letters were taken off the ends of words and sometimes added to words. With time, people became used to words spelled in the same way. Fixed spellings were therefore created the printers' decisions. Spoken English, however, was not fixed. It continued to change, it still does that English spelling seems irregular. Words such as although, through and cough, for example, all have the same spelling at the end, but are pronounced differently. Words such as feet, meat and seize, on the other hand, are spelled differently but have same sound in the middle.	

- 1. A. was B. were C. is
- 2. A. had to B. were to C. must
- 3. A. what B. which C. that
- 4. A. had B. were C. been
- 5. A. followed B. follow C. to follow
- 6. A. of B. in C. from
- 7. A. invent B. invented C. inventing
- 8. A. other B. another C. others
- 9. A. at B. to C. on
- 10. A. this B. these C. such
- 11. A. see B. saw C. seeing
- 12. A. by B. on C. at
- 13. A. like B. as C. though
- 14. A. There is no wonder B. It is no wonder C. It is no wonder
- 15. A. B. a C. the

3. Fill in the correct preposition.

- 1. They always blame Mike ...everything.
- 2. The schoolboy was accused...starting the fire.
- 3. There is so little difference ... the twins that no one can tell one from the other.
- 4. France is famous...its fine wines.
- 5. Paul likes rugby but isn't keen... football.
- 6. Everyone was jealous... Tina when she won first prize.
- 7. Her brothers were never mean... her.
- 8. You should be proud... yourself for passing the test.
- 9. We can't rely... the bus to get us there in time.

4. Choose the right variant

- 1. The train ... arrive at 11.30 but it was an hour late.
- a) supposed to b) is supposed to c) was suppo0sed to d) is suppose
- 2. If I were you, I....that coat. It's much too expensive.
- a) won't buy b) don't buy c) am not going to buy d) wouldn't buy
- 3. I decided to stay at home last night. I would have gone out if I ... so tired.
- a) wasn't b) weren't c) wouldn't have been d0 hadn't been
- 4. I wish I .. a car. It would make life so much easier.
- a) have b) had c) would have d) have
- 5. We ... by a loud noise at night.
- a) woke up b) are woken up c) were woken up d) were waking up
- 6. John usually... to disco if he .. enough time.
- a) walk, had b) walked, has c) walks, has d) is walking, have
- 7. I'm not tired enough to go to bed yet. I wouldn't sleep if I ... to bed now.
- a) go b) went c) had gone d) would go
- 8. There's somebody walking behind us. I think...
- a) we are following b) we are being followed c) we are followed d) we are being following

- 9. "Hello, Jim. I didn't expect to see you today. Sonia said you ... ill."
- a) are b) were c) was d) should be
- 10. I wish you .. something instead of just sitting and doing nothing.
- a) would do b) did c) were doing d) have been doing
- 11. Now I would rather Coca-Cola than orange juice.
- a) have drunk b) drank c) drink d) had drunk
- 12. I wasn't hungry. If I had been hungry, I ... something.
- a) will eat b) would eat c) would have eaten d) had eaten
- 13. If I knew his number, I ... him.
- a) will phone b) would have phoned c) would phone d) phone
- 14. If my headache ... we can play tennis.
- a) disappears b) disappear c) have disappeared d) had disappeared
- 15. The doctor suggested that his patient ... smoking.
- a) stopping b) stops c) stop d) stopped
- 16. John had better tonight.
- a) to study b) studied c) study d) studies