**Midterm Exam, Olum Hadith Virtual College, fall of 1389**

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**A)  Chose the correct answer.**

1.     Mr. Mohammadi said to me "you can attend the class for free today."

Mr. Mohammadi told me……….

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a.     that you can attend the class for free today.

b.     that I could attend the class for free that day.

c.      that you could attend the class for free that day.

d.     that I can attend the class for free today.

2.     Tina tells the doctor "why should I take the pills in the afternoons?"

a.     Tina tells the doctor why should she have taken the pills in the afternoons.

b.     Tina asks the doctor why should she take the pills in those afternoons.

c.      Tina asks the doctor why she should take the pills in the afternoons.

d.     Tina tells the doctor why should she take the pills in the afternoons.

3.     After a day she told my mom "how charming your son is!"

After a day she ……………….

a.     exclaimed to my mom how charming her son was.

b.     told my mom how charming her son is.

c.      exclaimed to my mom how charming your son was.

d.     told my mom how charming your son is.

4.     I did not dare …………. her why she delayed ………… letters.

a.     To ask, to send

b.     To ask, send

c.      Ask, send

d.     Ask, sending

5.     Students should not have their homework ……………..

a.     Written

b.     Write

c.      Wrote

d.     Writing

6.     The goods are sent to Alabama. They are packed in Alabama.

The goods are sent to Alabama………….

a.     which packed.

b.     where they are packed.

c.      which they packed.

d.     who they pack it.

7.     He is a doctor. His patients wait for him for a long time.

He is a doctor ……………….. wait for him for a long time.

a.     that patients

b.     which patients

c.      whom patients

d.     whose patients

8.     Which sentence is **NOT** correct?

Albert is a thief. You have borrowed money from Albert.

Albert …………………………………. is a thief.

a.     from whom you have borrowed money.

b.     from where you have borrowed money.

c.      whom you have borrowed money from.

d.     that you have borrowed money form.

9.     Michael who has been reading books more than 3 years can read faster than you.

Michael ………………………… books more than 3 years can read faster than you.

a.      has been reading

b.      who reading

c.      having been reading

d.      reading

10.                        Which sentence is correct?

They wanted to know………………

a.     what is car red

b.     who's car is red

c.      that what car is red

d.     whose car is red

11.                        Because we have not had much rain this fall, we are facing a draught.

…………………………… much rain this fall, we are facing a draught.

a.     Not having had

b.     Having not had

c.      not had

d.     have not had

12.                        By …………… his neighbors, the police could find a track of him.

a.     You asking

b.     Asking

c.      The police asked

d.     He ask

**B)   Vocabulary and Comprehension: read the text below, and then choose the best answer to the questions following.**

**Text 1: Behavior toward Shiites**

Musa Ibn Yasser said, "I was with Imam Reza near Tous when we heard the sound of mourning. We followed the sound and came upon a funeral procession. Imam immediately dismounted from his horse and walked toward the corpse. Just like a mother embracing her son, he embraced the corpse and said, ‘God will forgive all sins of the one who escorts the funeral of our friends.’

13.            The meaning of the verb "dismounted" in line 3 is closest to …….

a.     Got on

b.     Entered

c.      Went out

d.     Got off

14.            Which one, does the pronoun "he" refer to in line 4?

a.     Ibn Yasir

b.     The corpse

c.      Imam Sadiq (A)

d.     The Shiite

15.            Why did Imam (P.B.U.H) dismounted from the horse?

a.     He did not want to make the horse tired.

b.     He wanted to attend a shia's funeral procession.

c.      He wanted to walk on foot.

d.     He wanted to embrace the corpse.

**Text 2: The riddle of the monster**

The sphinx lived near an old, old city in Greece. The city was Thebes. The sphinx sat on a rock just outside the city. When a man passed by her, she would ask him a riddle. The man had to give the right answer, or the sphinx would eat him up.No one could answer the riddle. Many men lost their lives. Everyone was afraid of the sphinx.

16.            What does the pronoun "their" refer to in line 4?

a.     The men who could not answer the riddle

b.     The Sphinx

c.      The men who passed by Sphinx

d.     People of Thebes who were afraid of the Sphinx

17.            What did the Sphinx do when men passed her by?

a.     She would eat them all.

b.     She asked them a riddle.

c.      She did not let them pass.

d.     She did not pay attention to them.

18.            What is the meaning of the word "riddle" in line 3?

a.     Question

b.     Favor

c.      Price

d.     Solution

**Text 3: Salam (peace be upon you) the word of kindness**

Our prophet was sitting with his Companions and they were talking together. A person came in without asking permission and didn't even say hello. Prophet Mohammad said: "Why didn't you say hello? Why didn't you ask permission to come in? Go back. Ask our permission and greet us before you come in."

19.            To whom Prophet was talking first?

a.     The man

b.     His family

c.      His neighbor

d.     His companions

20.            Why did Prophet (P.B.U.H) ask the man to go out and come back?

a.     Because he had said bad things.

b.     Because he did not ask his question.

c.      Because he did not say hello.

d.     Because he had asked for permission.

21.            What did Prophet order the man to do?

a.     First say hello and then come in.

b.     First ask permission and then say hello.

c.      First go out and then come in.

d.     First come in and then ask for permission.

**Text 4: A bad flu in Australia**

I was on vacation in Australia last summer when I got a bad flu. I had to stay in bed for 4 days. And it was a week before I was feeling well enough to go out. I have a cousin in Sydney who was really kind and spent a lot of time with me until I was better. By then, I only had 3 days of sightseeing left before I leave. I saw the Sydney opera house and that was all. The most awful thing is I didn’t have the chance to go scuba diving. I want to go back and scuba dive there. It has the best coral reefs in the world.

22.            How many days took him to get well to go out after he was out of bed?

a.     4 days

b.     7 days

c.      11days

d.     3 days

23.            The word "sightseeing" in line 4 means ……….

a.     Seeing the side of the city

b.     Going to seashore

c.      Reading books

d.     Visit the nice places

24.            What can "scuba diving" (line 6) be?

a.     A kind of food

b.     A kind of cloth

c.      A kind of sport

d.     A kind of shop

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