

Theme 1: Retail Therapy — Unit 1: A Fair Exchange — Lesson 1 Quick Test

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For each item, choose the correct answer from A, B, C or D.

1. Shopping to make oneself feel better or lift one's mood when feeling sad is known as _____.

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| A) time management | B) fast fashion | C) retail therapy | D) corporate law |
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2. In ancient times, wealthy _____ travelled far from their homes to trade in silk and spices.

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| A) consumers | B) merchants | C) lecturers | D) accountants |
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3. For some people, shopping is not just a leisure activity, but a passion to which they have become _____.

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| A) exported | B) emitted | C) addicted | D) located |
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4. Over the past century, the types of goods traded between countries have changed _____.

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| A) misleadingly | B) dramatically | C) safely | D) compulsively |
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5. Modern companies use clever brand names, logos, and catchy _____ to attract customers.

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| A) dhows | B) supertankers | C) rituals | D) slogans |
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6. Many traditional shoppers prefer visiting souqs because of the unique atmosphere and _____ opportunities.

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| A) bargaining | B) bankruptcy | C) congestion | D) navigation |
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7. In ancient times, frankincense was a valuable product that was _____ from Oman to various parts of the world.

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| A) consumed | B) addicted | C) persuaded | D) exported |
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8. The emergence of oil in the 1960s gave Oman a major new _____ importance globally.

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A) nutritious	B) misleading	C) economic	D) fragrant
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9. Rapidly growing industrial nations have an _____ demand and consumption for energy.

A) enormous	B) ancient	C) compulsive	D) addicted
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10. Advertisers design creative campaigns in order to _____ people to buy their products.

A) persuade	B) proofread	C) emit	D) abseil
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11. The Middle East occupies an excellent geographic _____ for trade between East and West.

A) slogan	B) ritual	C) location	D) dhow
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12. Today, large amounts of petroleum are transported across oceans by gigantic _____.

A) dhows	B) supertankers	C) docketts	D) caravans
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13. Omani sailors discovered important sea _____ connecting the Gulf to India and East Africa.

A) deals	B) routes	C) headings	D) logos
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14. Frankincense was held in high value in the ancient world and used in medicine and religious _____.

A) malls	B) deadlines	C) drafts	D) rituals
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15. Since the 1960s, a significant portion of Oman's national income has come from the sale of _____.

A) spices	B) textiles	C) silk	D) petroleum
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Section 2: Grammar & Language Use (15 Questions)

For each item, choose the correct answer from A, B, C or D.

16. In ancient times, silk and valuable spices _____ along the Silk Road to China.

A) carrying	B) carry	C) were carried	D) are carried
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17. "Doctor, please help me! I am exhausted because I _____ shopping all afternoon."			
A) was	B) had been	C) am being	D) have been

18. Shopping is a popular activity _____ can lift a person's mood when feeling stressed.			
A) where	B) who	C) which	D) whose

19. The ancient Omanis _____ skilled traders who navigated dangerous ocean routes.			
A) have been	B) were	C) was	D) are

20. Modern international companies aim to _____ a high profit by using effective marketing strategies.			
A) take	B) do	C) make	D) give

21. Oman has been trading petroleum with major international partners _____ the 1960s.			
A) since	B) for	C) until	D) during

22. A new maritime trade route _____ by Omani sailors many centuries ago.			
A) discovering	B) discovers	C) is discovered	D) was discovered

23. Merchants _____ travelled across the desert in caravans faced harsh weather conditions.			
A) who	B) which	C) when	D) where

24. Crude oil _____ from oilfields to international refineries every day.			
A) were transported	B) is transported	C) was transported	D) transported

25. International trade _____ the economy of many nations over thousands of years.			
A) has changed	B) changes	C) was changing	D) is changed

26. Thorough market analysis must be _____ before launching a new advertising campaign.			
A) done	B) built	C) made	D) created

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27. In the past, traditional Arab dhows _____ of sturdy wood and fitted with triangular sails.

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| A) are made | B) have made | C) were made | D) make |
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28. A traditional souq is a vibrant place _____ shoppers can bargain for local goods.

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| A) which | B) who | C) whose | D) where |
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29. Ancient trading caravans travelled across the desert _____ several weeks to reach distant markets.

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| A) at | B) for | C) since | D) during |
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30. Ancient trade routes _____ extensively by historians in recent years.

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| A) studied | B) have been studied | C) were studying | D) are study |
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Answer Key

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