

Thí sinh không sử dụng bất kỳ tài liệu nào, kể cả từ điển.

Giám thị không giải thích gì thêm.

**Part I. Choose the correct answer A, B, C or D whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.**

1. A. <u>thank</u>	B. <u>they</u>	C. <u>these</u>	D. <u>than</u>
2. A. <u>decide</u>	B. <u>precise</u>	C. <u>ci</u> ties	D. <u>besides</u>
3. A. <u>talked</u>	B. <u>watched</u>	C. <u>lived</u>	D. <u>stopped</u>
4. A. <u>stream</u>	B. <u>leather</u>	C. <u>cream</u>	D. <u>dream</u>
5. A. <u>hour</u>	B. <u>house</u>	C. <u>hot</u>	D. <u>head</u>

**Part II. Choose the correct answer A, B, C or D to complete each of the following sentences.**

6. We used to ..... past the market on the way to school.  
 A. walk      B. walked      C. walking      D. have walked

7. Lan is very tired. \_\_\_\_\_, she has to finish her assignment before going to bed.  
 A. Although      B. So      C. Therefore      D. However

8. I was \_\_\_\_\_ in the countryside and went to a village school.  
 A. brought up      B. carried on      C. given up      D. taken up

9. If you \_\_\_\_\_ late, you wouldn't finish your work.  
 A. come      B. coming      C. to come      D. came

10. I think I've lost my new hat. I've \_\_\_\_\_ it everywhere but I can't find it.  
 A. looked out      B. looked in      C. looked on      D. looked for

11. When are you \_\_\_\_\_ vacation with your family, Lan?  
 A. on      B. by      C. with      D. to

12. Do you know the woman \_\_\_\_\_ is standing next to Lan over there?  
 A. which      B. whom      C. who      D. whose

13. **David:** "Thank you for helping me."      **Linda:** "\_\_\_\_\_."  
 A. You're welcome      B. That's very kind of you  
 C. Yes, I'd love to      D. That's a good idea

14. Nam suggests \_\_\_\_\_ the street children every weekend.  
 A. helping      B. helped      C. to help      D. helps

15. Lan didn't come to your party last night, \_\_\_\_\_?  
 A. does she      B. did she      C. didn't she      D. doesn't she

**Part III. Each of the following sentences has one mistake. Identify the mistake by circling A, B, C or D .**

.16. The picture was painting by Michael last year.  
 A      B      C      D

17. I prefer watching TV than listening to music in my free time.  
 A      B      C      D

18. People think computers never do any mistakes, but in fact, they do.  
 A      B      C      D

19. I met a lot of interesting people while I was studying at Ho Chi Minh City.  
 A      B      C      D

20. If I were you, I didn't buy that expensive car.  
 A      B      C      D

**Part IV. Read the passage and choose the correct answer A, B, C or D for each of the following questions.**

Solar energy is a long lasting source of energy which can be used almost anywhere. To generate solar energy, we only need solar cells and the sun! Solar cells can easily be installed on house roofs, so no new space is needed and each user can quietly generate their own energy. Compared to other renewable sources, **they** also possess many advantages. Wind and water power rely on turbines which are noisy, expensive and easy to break down. Solar cells are totally silent and non-polluting. As they have no moving parts, they require little maintenance and have a long lifetime.

However, solar energy also has some disadvantages. We can only generate solar energy during daytime because the system depends on sunlight. Besides, solar cells require large area to work effectively. The main disadvantage of solar energy is that it costs about twice as much as traditional sources such as coal, oil, and gas. This is because solar cells are expensive. Scientists are hoping that the costs of solar cells will reduce as more and more people see the **advantages** of this environmentally friendly source of energy.

21. What does the passage primarily discuss?

- A. Advantages and disadvantages of solar energy.
- B. Solar energy's advantages over other sources of energy.
- C. The cost of solar energy.
- D. Solar energy as an alternative for fossil fuels.

22. What does the word **they** in line 4 refer to?

- A. solar energy users.
- B. other renewable resources.
- C. advantages.
- D. solar cells.

23. What is NOT mentioned as an advantage of solar cells?

- A. They require little maintenance.
- B. They are non-polluting.
- C. They cost little to produce.
- D. They operate quietly.

24. Which of the following is the main disadvantage of solar energy mentioned in the passage?

- A. It is expensive.
- B. Solar cells require large areas to operate.
- C. It is unfriendly to the environment.
- D. It depends on sunlight.

25. What does the word **advantages** in line 12 mean ?

- A. very bad.
- B. resources
- C. benefits
- D. friendly

**Part V. Fill in each numbered blank in the passage with ONE suitable word from the box.**

entertainment	information	email	time-consuming
electronic	personal	use	communicate

The Internet has rapidly developed and become part of our daily life. It's a very fast and convenient way to get (26) \_\_\_\_\_. People (27) \_\_\_\_\_ the Internet for many purposes: education, communication,(28) \_\_\_\_\_ and commerce. The Internet help people (29) \_\_\_\_\_ with friends or relatives by means of (30) \_\_\_\_\_ or chatting.

However, the Internet has limitations. It is (31) \_\_\_\_\_ and costly. It is also dangerous because of viruses and bad programs. People sometimes have to suffer various risks such as spam or (32) \_\_\_\_\_ junk mail, and (33) \_\_\_\_\_ information leaking. So, while enjoying surfing, be alert!

**Part VI. Rewrite each of the following sentences in such a way that it means exactly the same as the provided sentence.**

34. It's two years since I last spoke to her.

-> I haven't .....

35. My mother used to make us clean the house.

-> We used .....

36.. "I'm working in a restaurant, and don't care much for it." she said.

-> She said .....

37. Although his leg was broken, he managed to get out of the car.

-> In spite .....

38. . Her success went beyond her expectation.

-> Never.....

**Part VII. Use the following sets of words or phrases to write complete sentences.**

39. It/ be/ necessary/ you/ do/ morning exercise/ every day.

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40. My sister / rather / go / work/ bus/ than/ be drive/ her husband.

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