ĐỀ ÔN THI HỌC KÌ 1

TIẾNG ANH 11 – CHƯƠNG TRÌNH MỚI

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

Question 1. A. t<u>a</u>ble B. m<u>a</u>nner C. gr<u>a</u>ndpa D. <u>a</u>ccess

Question 2. A. impos<u>ed</u> B. preferr<u>ed</u> C. afford<u>ed</u> D. explain<u>ed</u>

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions.

Question 3. A. reason B. curfew C. burden D. advice

Question 4. A. studious B. elegant C. frustrating D. different

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 4. My son likes Sunday because he _____ get up early.

A. mustn't B. shouldn't C. can't D. don't have to

Question 5. _____ in an extended family are inevitable, but we have to find ways to deal with them.

A. Norms B. Conflicts C. Viewpoints D. Manners

Question 6. It was in Brazil _____ I met him for the first time.

A. which B. when C. whom D. that

Question 7. Since Kate joined this club, she _____ some like-minded people.

A. has met B. had met C. met D. will meet

Question 8. My grandmother thinks that my sister is too young _____ a relationship.

A. starting B. started C. to start D. start

Question 9. Taking part in voluntary activities can have a beneficial _____ on teenagers.

A. talent B. appearance C. influence D. opportunity

Question 10. Sooner or later, her dear daughter will get involved _____ a romantic relationship.

A. on B. for C. with D. in

Question 11. Peter seemed _____ when his girlfriend cheated on him.

A. disappoint B. disappointed C. disappointment D. disappointing

Question 12. My son takes a keen interest in reading, so he's _____ about what's happening around the world.

A. well-rounded B. well-groomed C. well-behaved D. well-informed

Question 13. It's really interesting _____ to a confident person like him.

A. to talk B. talked C. talking D. talk

Question 14. Mitchell's an independent guy'; he's an ability to _____ decision very quickly.

A. pay B. lead C. make D. have

Question 15. Our charity organisation badly needs some new _____ to help the blind in the region.

A. muscle B. vein C. sweat D. blood

Question 16. Some sponsors donated thousands of pounds _____.

A. after we had launched a campaign to help students with disabilities

B. once we launch a campaign to help students with disabilities

C. until we launch a campaign to help students with disabilities

D. while we are launching a campaign to help students with disabilities

Question 17. Currently, ASEAN _____ 10 member states, and Vietnam is one of them.

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A. focuses on B. adheres to C. consists of D. gives in

Question 18. He suggested _____ for the ASEAN scholarships.

A. applied B. to apply C. apply D. applying

Question 19. Students with disabilities need our help to become independent and _____ into the community.

A. donate C. campaign C. support D. integrate

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined bold word(s) in each of the following questions.

Question 20. My mother always **lends a sympathetic ear** when I have troubles at school.

A. listens in an understanding way B. washes her ear

C. talks in a cruel way D. has her ear operated

Question 21. Obviously, teens don't feel **comfortable** when their parents treat them like little kids.

A. nervous B. relaxed C. tired D. cold

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

Question 22. Only by discussing problems in a frank way can the generation gap be **bridged**.

A. decreased B. balanced C. affected D. widened

Question 23. ASEAN aims to improve member states' economies and maintain regional peace and **stability**.

A. popularity B. uncertainty C. development D. effect

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.

Question 24. Nam and Hoa are talking about relationships.

- Nam: "I don't think it's a good idea to start a romantic relationship when we're in high school."

- Hoa: "_____. We can't concentrate on our studies."

A. It's fine B. I don't quite agree

C. I agree with you D. Only time can tell

Question 25. Linda and Laura are at a bus station.

- Linda: "I prefer travelling by bus and by train."

- Laura: "_____"

A. Thanks, I will. B. Good luck!

C. Have a wonderful time! D. Me too.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to choose the word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 26 to 30.

VIETNAM ENJOYS GREAT BENEFIT FROM ASEAN MEMBERSHIP

Becoming a member of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) has brought about great benefits to Vietnam in various fields, according to Deputy Foreign Minister Nguyen Quoc Dung. Dung, (26) _____ is head of Vietnam's SOM ASEAN, granted an interview to the media on the (27) _____ of the 25-year ASEAN membership of Vietnam and important benefits that Vietnam has enjoyed from the ASEAN Community.

The ASEAN membership makes it possible for Vietnam to boost fast and sustainable growth thanks to a peaceful and stable environment for development, (28) _____ helping Vietnam expand partnerships with more countries and territories in the world, widening the market and attracting more resources, he said. He held that Vietnam has also made active and responsible engagement in the (29) _____ of joint decisions of ASEAN. Vietnam has fully and intensively rolled out cooperation activities in politics-security, culture-society and economy, while chairing (30) _____ events.

(Adapted from *https://en.vietnamplus.vn*)

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Question 26. A. whom	B. which	C. who	D. that
Question 27. A. incident	B. occasion	C. need	D. requirement
Question 28. A. yet	B. though	C. as	D. while
Question 29. A. access	B. quality	C. implementation	D. pleasure
Question 30. A. much	B. none	D. every	D. many

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 31 to 35.

Parents complain that it is difficult to live with teenagers. Then again, teenagers say exactly the same thing about their parents! According to a recent survey, the most common arguments between parents and teenagers are those regarding untidiness and household chores. On the one hand, parents go mad over untidy rooms, clothes dropped on the floor and their children's refusal to help with the housework. On the other hand, teenagers lose their patience continually when parents tell **them** off for dropping the towel in the bathroom, not cleaning up their room or refusing to do the shopping at the supermarket.

The survey, conducted by St George University, showed that different parents have different **approaches** to these problems. However, some approaches are much more successful than others. For example, those parents who yell at their teens for their untidiness, but later clear up after them, have fewer chances of changing their teens' behavior. On the contrary, those who let teenagers experience the consequences of their actions are more successful. For instance, when teenagers who don't help their parents with the shopping don't find their favourite food in the fridge, they are forced to reconsider their actions.

Psychologists say that the most important thing in parent-teen relationships is communication. Parents should talk to their teens but at the same time they should listen to what they have to say. Communication is a two way process. It is only by listening to and understanding each other that problems between parents and teens can be solved.

(Adapted from *Upstream* by Virginia Evans and Bob Obee)

Question 31. What does the passage mainly discuss?

A. The importance of being organised **B.** Family's rules

C. Parent-teen relationships **D.** Teenagers' anxiety

Question 32. According to paragraph 1, parents often complain that _____

A. their children refuse to study hard.

B. teenagers go shopping a lot.

C. their children's rooms are messy.

D. teenagers are bad-tempered.

Question 33. The word **'them'** in paragraph 1 refers to _____.

A. rooms **B.** parents **C.** teenagers **D.** chores

Question 34. The word **'approaches'** in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. issues **B.** ways **C.** rooms **D.** schools

Question 35. Which of the following is true according to the passage?

A. Parents are willing to clean up their children's untidy rooms.

B. Teenagers are forced to find their favourite food in the fridge.

C. Communication improves mutual understanding between parents and teenagers.

D. Problems between parents and teens can be addressed without effective communication.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 36 to 42.

It's Friday's night in Singapore and, once again, Madeline Tan (28) doesn't have a date. Like many women she feels ready to settle down as she approaches thirty. She has experienced more than a little family pressure about still being single at her age. And it is not only her family but also her government who are keen for her

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to marry and **reproduce**.

Living in one of the world's most successful economies, Madeline has a good education and the pick of jobs. Her salary as a radio executive means she can drive a luxury car and go shopping. Singapore's government believes that, to ensure continuous **prosperity**, future generations must become more intelligent. And it is concerned that female graduates – ideal for breeding this super-race – are staying single and childless. Singapore's men, on the other hand, are marrying less educated women. So, the government has launched a campaign to encourage the 'right' couples to get together.

Putting off marriage and parenthood is becoming more common in all industrialized nations. This is partly because high pressure jobs leave little time for socializing and meeting potential partners. In Singapore, the problem is made worse by cultural traditions. The sexes are not encouraged to mix during childhood or to date until after university.

Research scientist Kee-Chuan Goh (29) has never had a girlfriend. "There's a first time for everything.", he says. Like Madeline he has signed up with the SDU (Social Development Unit), the government's very own dating agency. **It** is open only to graduates, who sign up for five years, although most members are married within three.

Government-sponsored ads on prime-time TV aim to get the message across. In one, a young man sits on a park bench, sighing, "Where is my dream girl?" At the other end, a girl stares into space thinking, "Where is the man of my dreams?" They fail to notice each other and wander off, lonely. A voice-over warns "Why not reality? You could wait a lifetime for a dream."

(Adapted from *Clockwise* by Jon Naunton)

Question 36. Which best serves as the title for the passage?

A. Why Singaporeans Wish to be Single **B.** Do Dreams Really Come True?

C. Singapore Fixes You up **D.** The First Date

Question 37. The word **'reproduce'** in paragraph 1 mostly means _____.

A. give birth **B.** copy **C.** affect **D.** share ideas

Question 38. Which of the following is mentioned regarding Madeline Tan's background?

A. She has graduated with honors from a top university in Singapore.

B. She leads a lavish lifestyle whereby she regularly frequents shopping malls.

C. She is ready to find a partner to offer her a hand in marriage.

D. She enjoys her job as a radio executive because of the high salary.

Question 39. The word **'prosperity'** in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. creativity **B.** failure **C.** effect **D.** success

Question 40. The word **'it'** in paragraph 4 refers to _____.

A. graduate **B.** government **C.** SDU **D.** girlfriend

Question 41. Which of the following is NOT true, according to the passage?

A. The trend of delaying both marriage and the prospect of having children is becoming more common in developed countries.

B. In Singaporean culture, it is frowned upon for men and women to date until they've graduated from university.

C. The government's own dating platform has a comprehensive success rate among the majority of its members.

D. Recent studies have shown Singaporean men are marrying more intellectual women than before.

Question 42. Which of the following can be inferred from the passage?

A. The greatest pressure to marry has come from the Singaporean government.

B. Singaporean women graduates make popular wives.

C. It's quite easy for men and women to mix naturally in Singapore.

D. Adverts encourage young people to have more realistic expectations.

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each of the following questions.

Question 43. I have a blazing row with my sister yesterday afternoon.

A. have **B.** blazing **C.** row **D.** with

Question 44. ASEAN was formed on August 8th 1976 and one of their main purposes is to accelerate the economic growth in the region.

A. formed **B.** their **C.** accelerate **D.** growth

Question 45. He's appointed the chairman of the charity organisation because he's hard-working, honest and reliant.

A. appointed **B.** charity **C.** hard-working **D.** reliant

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.

Question 46. It's compulsory for students to wear uniforms on Monday and Thursday.

A. Students need to wear uniforms on Monday and Thursday.

B. Students must wear uniforms on Monday and Thursday.

C. Students can wear uniforms on Monday and Thursday.

D. Students should wear uniforms on Monday and Thursday.

Question 47. Working for an accounting firm is difficult.

A. It's difficult to be worked for an accounting firm.

B. It's difficult to working for an accounting firm.

C. It's difficult worked for an accounting firm.

D. It's difficult to work for an accounting firm.

Question 48. This is the first time I have ever seen such a beautiful picture.

A. I have seen beautiful pictures like this many times before.

B. I have never seen a beautiful picture like this before.

C. The last time I saw a beautiful picture was many years ago.

D. I haven't seen such a beautiful picture for many years.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

Question 49. He wears a pair of sunglasses. He doesn't want to be exposed to strong sunlight.

A. He wears a pair of sunglasses in order to be exposed to strong sunlight.

B. He wears a pair of sunglasses with a view to being exposed to strong sunlight.

C. He wears a pair of sunglasses to avoid being exposed to strong sunlight.

D. He wears a pair of sunglasses so that he is exposed to strong sunlight.

Question 50. She had an angry argument with her parents. She left home.

A. She left home though she had an angry argument with her parents.

B. Having had an angry argument with her parents, she left home.

C. In spite of leaving home, she had an angry argument with her parents.

D. She left home, but she had an angry argument with her parents.

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