

ĐỀ THI THỬ

(Đề thi gồm 03 trang)

I. PHẦN TRẮC NGHIỆM (7 điểm)

A. LANGUAGE

Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions. (0.5 point)

- Question 1. A. expensive B. condition C. determine D. digestive
Question 2. A. loved B. decided C. performed D. learned

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions. (0.5 point)

- Question 3. A. dedicate B. tolerate C. obvious D. condition
Question 4. A. stimulate B. dedicated C. phenomenon D. versatile

Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions. (1.5 points)

- Question 5. _____ breaks out the food we eat and turns it into energy.
A. Digestive system B. Circulatory system C. Respiratory system D. Nervous system

- Question 6. I passionately love the show "Familiar Faces" and this is the 4th _____ I've seen.
A. show B. chapter C. season D. episode

- Question 7. Volunteers become well _____ of the problems facing the world.
A. aware B. concerned C. helpful D. interested

- Question 8. _____ is a person who works at home and takes care of the house and family.
A. Breadwinner B. Homemaker C. Servant D. Houseman

- Question 9. Smartphone can be a great learning _____ but you need to think of how to use it effectively.
A. benefit B. choice C. invention D. tool

- Question 10. Most of the students in that special school are making good progress, but Michael is a _____ case.
A. hopefully B. hopeless C. hopeful D. hopelessly

Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions. (1.25 points)

- Question 11. I allow my little daughter _____ with her friends in the flower garden.
A. not to play B. to play C. playing D. play

- Question 12. My parents _____ us many times.
A. has visited B. have visited C. visited D. will visit

- Question 13. 3-D printing _____ complex tools and components.
A. is used for produce B. is used to produce
C. uses for producing D. uses to produce

- Question 14. We were lost in the forest, _____ luckily my friend had a map in his backpack.
A. and B. so C. for D. but

- Question 15. I _____ my pen while I _____ my homework.
A. was breaking - was doing B. was breaking - did
C. broke - did D. broke - was doing

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions (0.5 points)

Question 16. A digital camera is more economical than a film camera since you don't have to buy rolls of films.

- A. better B. cheaper C. safer D. stronger

Question 17. We're seeking for the talented musician to join our entertainment company.

- A. good B. famous C. great D. gifted

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions (0.5 points)

Question 18. Hector Berlioz was one of the most prominent composers of the Romantic period.

- A. classical B. unknown C. prolific D. modern

Question 19. Speakers are too bulky. You cannot put them in your bag or your pocket.

- A. giant B. heavy C. large D. tiny

B. READING

Read the passage and choose the correct option A, B, C, or D that best fits each of the numbered blanks. (1.25 point)

A YEAR WITH OVERSEAS VOLUNTEERS

I was with Overseas Volunteers (OV) for a year after leaving university, and I was sent to an isolated village in Chad, about 500 kilometres from the capital N'Djamena. Coming from a (20) _____ country, I got quite a shock, as conditions were much harder than I had expected. But after a few days I got used to (21) _____ there. The people were always very friendly and helpful, and I soon began to appreciate how beautiful the countryside was.

One of my jobs was to supply the village (22) _____ water. The well was a long walk away, and the women used to spend a long time every day (23) _____ heavy pots backwards and forwards. So I contacted the organisation and arranged to have some pipes delivered. (24) _____ these pipes were not really perfect, they still made a great difference to the villagers.

All in all, I think my time with OV was a good experience. Although it was not paid, it was well worth doing and I would recommend it to anyone (25) _____ was considering working for a charity.

Question 20. A. rich B. comfortable C. well-paid D. luxurious

Question 21. A. lived B. living C. lived D. lively

Question 22. A. for B. on C. with D. from

Question 23. A. carrying B. wearing C. holding D. drinking

Question 24. A. If B. Because C. When D. Although

Question 25. A. which B. when C. where D. who

Read the passage and choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to each question. (1.25 point)

THE VANISHING INVENTION

In 1998, a Valencian professor made an amazing claim. Professor Antonio Cervilla discovered how to use water as a **substitute** for petrol. The scientist said that you could drive from Bilbao to Valencia on just half a litre of water. His invention uses a molybdenum compound to break down water into hydrogen and oxygen. Unlike other methods, no electricity is required and the reaction happens at atmospheric temperature. This impressive technology is based on the way plant enzymes break down water. The use of molybdenum is the perfect choice because, although rare, it is cheap and found all around the planet.

Since the claims were made, nothing more has been heard about this fabulous technology. There is no explanation for the disappearance anywhere on the internet, apart from a list of similar inventions which have also **vanished**. An inventor from the Philippines called Daniel Dingel developed a water-fuelled car but was arrested and sentenced to 20 years in prison. If this technology were to become widely available, it would prove disastrous for petrol station owners and would also save the planet from the impending environmental catastrophes being caused by pollution.

Question 26. The word "**substitute**" in the passage is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. addition B. alternative C. imitation D. solution

