

SECTION I: LISTENING. (1.5 points – 0.25/each)**Part I. Listen to what they say and decide if the statements are true (T) or false (F)**

Statements	True	False
1. Nicolas gets up too late to have a real breakfast.	True	False
2. It's difficult to buy his lunch at the school canteen.	True	False
3. Both Maya and her brother have good eating habits.	True	False

Part II. Listen, choose A, B, C or D to complete the sentences.

4. Nicolas doesn't have a proper breakfast. He have time because he always gets up late.

A. always B. often C. seldom D. never

5. His mum buys a packet of and he has some on the school bus.

A. biscuits B. crisps C. corns D. candy

6. For breakfast, Maya usually has a bowl of, a glass of milk, and a banana.

A. cereal B. noodles C. rice D. soup

SECTION II: USE OF LANGUAGE: (3.5 points - 0.25/each)**Part 1: Pick out the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.**7. A. head B. spread C. cream D. bread8. A. grill B. garnish C. dip D. slice**Part 2: Choose the word which has a different stress patten from the others**

9. A. language B. accent C. grammar D. mistake

10. A. bilingual B. contribute C. guarantee D. admission

Part 3: Fill in each blank with a suitable word in the box below.

conversation – bilingual – official – imitate – knowledge

11. My friend is.....because she speaks both English and Vietnamese fluently.

12. In my opinion, it's very difficult for an Englishman to.....a real American accent.

13. I had an interesting.....with a native English speaker at the meeting this morning.

14. English is the.....language in this country and government must do its business in English

Part 4: Supply the correct tenses or forms of the following words in brackets.

15. Computers offer a much greater degree of.....in the way work is organized.

(FLEXIBLE)16. I'm interested in the study on the.....the two languages. **(SIMILAR)**17. It's said that many English words have been..... over the centuries. **(SIMPLE)**18. Nhung can speak English much more..... than her sister can. **(FLUENCY)**

Part 5: Match words to their definitions.

Words	Definitions	Answer
19. imitate	A. find the right answer to a question without knowing all the facts	19.....
20. mistake	B. copy somebody or something	20.
	C. something that has been done in the wrong way or an opinion or statement that is incorrect.	

SECTION III: READING: (2.5 points - 0.25/each)**Part 1. Read the following passage and circle the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.**

When I first started learning English ten years ago, I could hardly (21)..... a word - "hello", "good bye", "thank you" was just about it! I went to classes two evenings a week and I was surprised at how quickly I made progress.(22)..... the course we learned lots of vocabulary and studied grammar rules.(23)..... thing I enjoyed most was being able to practice speaking with the other students in my class. After two years I went to England to a (24)..... school. It was in Cambridge. I did a three-week course at a very good school and I stayed with a local family. It was a fantastic experience and I (25)..... up a lot of things from speaking with my host family and with other students from all over the world. I really improved my pronunciation as well. When I got back to my home town, I was so much more confident. I (26).....actually hold a conversation with my teacher in English.

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| 21. A. talk | B. speak | C. say | D. tell |
| 22. A. During | B. After | C. Before | D. While |
| 23. A. That | B. A | C. The | D. Those |
| 24. A. science | B. language | C. art | D. finance |
| 25. A. picked | B. looked | C. got | D. stood |
| 26. A. had to | B. used | C. could | D. would |

Part 2: Read the passage then check True (T) or False (F).

Environmental pollution is one of the most serious problems facing mankind today. Air, water, and soil are necessary to the survival of all living things. Bad polluted air can cause illness, and even death. Polluted water kills fish and other marine life. Pollution of soil reduces the amount of land that is available for growing food. Environmental pollution also brings ugliness to man's naturally beautiful world.

STATEMENTS	TRUE	FALSE
27. One of the most serious problems facing mankind today is environmental pollution	True	false
28. Air, water, and soil aren't necessary to the survival of all living things.	True	false
29. Bad polluted air can't cause illness, and even death.	True	false
30. Polluted water kills fish and other marine life.	True	false

IV. WRITING (2.5 ms – 0.5/ each)

Part 1: Combine each pair of sentences into one. Using a suitable *relative pronoun*.

31. The language is called Singlish. People speak it in Singapore.

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32. I still remember the day. I first spoke to an English professor on that day.

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Part 2 : Rewrite the following sentences

33. You don't have an English certificate, so you cannot enroll in this course. (*Using conditional sentence*)

-> If you.....

34. "Why don't you go to see the dentist, Nga?" (*Using "suggest "*)

-> I suggest that

35. At home/ parents/ should/ encourage/ children/ prepare/ lunchboxes. (*Complete the sentence*)

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