

**PRACTICE TEST 035**  
**(BỘ ĐỀ ÔN THI VÀO LỚP 10 THPT NĂM HỌC 2020-2021)**

**A. PHONETICS**

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

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|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1. A. <u>pr</u> oud    | B. <u>pl</u> ough     | C. <u>th</u> ough   | D. <u>n</u> oun      |
| 2. A. arriv <u>e</u> d | B. express <u>e</u> d | C. studi <u>e</u> d | D. recall <u>e</u> d |

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 primary stress in the following questions.

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|----------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| 3. A. permit   | B. refuse  | C. support  | D. offer     |
| 4. A. composer | B. funeral | C. musician | D. tradition |

**B. VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR AND COMMUNICATION**

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

5. I think everyone wants to make friends with John. He is \_\_\_\_\_ honest person.  
A. a                      B. an                      C. the                      D. X (no article)
6. If I had enough money, I \_\_\_\_\_ abroad to improve my English.  
A. will go                      B. had gone                      C. should have gone                      D. would go
7. The film \_\_\_\_\_ before I came yesterday.  
A. had started                      B. started                      C. has started                      D. starts
8. \_\_\_\_\_ his poor English, he could communicate his problem very clearly.  
A. Because                      B. Even though                      C. Because of                      D. In spite of
9. I assume that you are acquainted with this subject since you are responsible \_\_\_\_\_ writing the accompanying materials.  
A. for                      B. with                      C. to                      D. with
10. We saw many soldiers and tanks \_\_\_\_\_ were moving to the front.  
A. who                      B. which                      C. that                      D. whose
11. The main \_\_\_\_\_ of this drink are wine, orange juice and bitters.  
A. parts                      B. ingredients                      C. components                      D. compositions
12. It's an important part of your cultural identity to keep your \_\_\_\_\_ in speaking English.  
A. accent                      B. skill                      C. vocabulary                      D. language
13. John's \_\_\_\_\_ and efficiency at the company led to his promotion to Sales Manager.  
A. punctuality                      B. punctual                      C. punctuate                      D. punctually
14. I don't know much about computer, so I asked the assistant for \_\_\_\_\_ advice.  
A. a little                      B. many                      C. a few                      D. lots

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

15. **Mai:** "I've won the first prize in the English speaking contest".  
**Peter:** " \_\_\_\_\_ "  
A. Stay calm. Everything will be alright!                      B. Congratulations!  
C. If I were you I would get some sleep.                      D. I understand how you feel.
16. Mary is asking Bob for help  
**Mary:** "Could you help me to move this television, please?"  
**Bob:** " \_\_\_\_\_ "  
A. No, thanks.                      B. Yes, of course.  
C. No, I'm rather busy.                      D. Yes, I am.

**SYNONYM AND ANTONYM**

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

17. It was late at night, the wind was blowing and when she heard the knock on the door, she almost jumped out of her skin.  
A. was surprised                      B. was asleep                      C. was terrified                      D. was delighted
18. We're surprised to hear that his musical talent was nurtured by their loving parents when he was a child.  
A. abandoned                      B. limited                      C. fostered                      D. restricted

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.

19. You will be **penalized** for being late.

A. rewarded                      B. punished                      C. motivated                      D. discouraged

20. It is **amazing** to be in a new place which you can discover new things by yourself.

A. lonely                      B. unsurprising                      C. exciting                      D. scary

#### D. READING

Read the following passage, then choose the correct answer to questions.

I first met Maryam at a farewell party (21) \_\_\_\_\_ by Lan two years ago. Her charming face caught my attention. We exchanged greetings and became friends. Since then we have kept (22) \_\_\_\_\_ touch and shared our common interests. Maryam is two years older than I am. She is in grade 12 in a senior high school. She works her hardest and always comes top in her class. She especially loves (23) \_\_\_\_\_ sciences.

I am proud of have a pen pal (24) \_\_\_\_\_ her. I hope our friendship will (25) \_\_\_\_\_ forever. I always remember her parting words, "This moment has become unforgettable for me. I will be thinking about you. Mai. " And this morning I got a letter from her. She said that she would come to Viet Nam next summer vacation. I am looking forward to (26) \_\_\_\_\_ her again. I am thinking of a plan for what we are going to do during her visit.

21. A. hold                      B. held                      C. holding                      D. was held

22. A. with                      B. at                      C. on                      D. in

23. A. natural                      B. nature                      C. naturally                      D. naturalize

24. A. as                      B. alike                      C. liking                      D. like

25. A. take                      B. last                      C. lengthen                      D. widen

26. A. see                      B. seeing                      C. seen                      D. saw

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.

Good manners are a treasure to the people who possess them, as well as to the community they live in. Manners are taught, learnt, and passed from generation to generation.

Even hundreds of years ago, children were taught to behave responsibly. They learnt to respect seniority. When **they** passed an object to another person, they had to use both hands. When they entered a room, they had to bow and greet the oldest person first. Boys learnt to work hard to support their families. Girls learnt to do housework, and to take care of others. Loyalty and honesty were highly appreciated. **When they made a mistake, they would not let another person be punished for it.** That would be cowardly and mean. They were taught that families were strong, and everybody should stick together in adversity.

Fortunately, many of these values have been well preserved. They have contributed to making the unique Vietnamese culture, and strengthening our society.

27. Good manners are \_\_\_\_\_.

A. of great value                      B. of the community  
C. traditional                      D. only for the old

28. What was seen as a boy's main duty?

A. to respect seniority                      B. to support his family  
C. to do housework                      D. to share good things

29. The sentence: "**When they made a mistake, they would not let another person be punished for it**" means they would \_\_\_\_\_.

A. deny their mistake                      B. admit their mistake  
C. keep it a secret                      D. be punished

30. This passage is about \_\_\_\_\_.

A. people who possess good manners                      B. what bad manners children in the past had  
C. the preservation of bad values                      D. good manners and their value

#### E. WRITING

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

31. Keith had so interesting and creative plans that everyone wanted to work on his committee.

A                      B                      C                      D

32. Linda has worn her new yellow dress only once since she buys it.

A B C D

33. Each of the members of the group are made to write a report every week.

A B C D

34. She studied very well although her difficult living conditions.

A B C D

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

**35. No one has seen Linda since the day of the party**

- A. Linda has not been seen since the day of the party
- B. Linda has been seen since the day of the party
- C. Linda wasn't seen since the day of the party
- D. Linda was seen since the day of the party

**36. "Would you like to come out to dinner with me tonight, Jenny?" Paul said.**

- A. Paul suggested that Jenny go out to dinner with him that night.
- B. Paul insisted on Jenny going out to dinner with him that night.
- C. Paul invited Jenny to go out to dinner with him that night.
- D. Paul offered Jenny to go out to dinner with him that night

**37. Fansipan is the highest mountain in the Indochinese Peninsula.**

- A. There are some mountains in the Indochinese Peninsula higher than Fansipan.
- B. The Indochinese Peninsula includes one of the highest mountain on earth.
- C. The highest mountain in the Indochinese Peninsula is exclusive Fansipan.
- D. No mountain in the Indochinese Peninsula is as high as Fansipan.

**38. Israel, India and Pakistan are generally believed to have nuclear weapons.**

- A. There's a general belief that that Israel, India and Pakistan should have nuclear weapons.
- B. It is generally believed that Israel, India and Pakistan have nuclear weapons.
- C. They believed that Israel, India and Pakistan should have nuclear weapons.
- D. It generally believes that Israel, India and Pakistan have nuclear weapons.

**39. The book costs \$15.50 but I have only \$14.50**

- A. I have more than enough money to pay for the book.
- B. The book costs no more than I have with me.
- C. I have just enough money to pay for the book.
- D. I need a few more dollars to pay for the book.

**40. As I didn't witness the scene myself, I didn't report the case to the police.**

- A. I'd report the case to the police but I didn't witness the scene myself.
- B. I'd have reported the case to the police if I had witnessed the scene myself.
- C. I wish I witnessed the scene myself so that I could report the case to the police.
- D. Although not witnessing the scene myself, I think I shouldn't report the case to the police.

\_\_\_\_\_The end\_\_\_\_\_