

Đề thi vào lớp 10 môn Tiếng Anh

PHONETICS

Choose the word whose underlined part pronounced differently from that of the others.

1. a. cease b. decease c. release d. deafness
2. a. hoped b. annoyed c. preferred d. played
3. a. children b. kitchen c. teacher d. school

Choose the word whose main stress pattern is not the same as that of the others.

4. a. distinguish b. disappear c. deposit d. linguistics
5. a. comment b. commit c. comprise d. conserve
6. a. profitable b. temperature c. efficiency d. ultimately

II. GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY

Choose the word or phrase (a, b, c or d) that best fits the blank space in each sentence.

7. Thank you for lend me the guidebook. It was full _____ useful information.
a. up b. of c. in d. with
8. Please come in and sit down. I'm sorry _____ the mess.
a. about b. with c. of d. in
9. Don't let this opportunity go _____.
a. by b. off c. up d. over
10. We would be grateful _____ any information you can give us.
a. to b. for c. about d. at
11. My parents arrived _____ Tan Son Nhat airport at 8.30 last night.
a. at b. in c. from d. for
12. When I _____ into the office, Tony _____ for me.
a. came/was waiting b. was coming/waited c. had come/waited d. came/waiting
13. It is ten years _____ we moved to Los Angeles.
a. when b. since c. from d. after
14. She tried to set _____ a few minutes each day for her exercises.
a. about b. down c. aside d. in
15. It was warm, so I _____ my jacket.
a. put on b. got out c. brought away d. took off
16. I didn't want to be disturbed, so I _____ my mobile phone.
a. turned on b. switched off c. took in d. dropped out

Choose the underlined word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that needs correcting.

17. It spent (A) a long time to travel (B) to the skiing resort (C), but in the end (D) we got there.
18. There are (A) any tips (B) on how to save (C) money when shopping (D) on-line.
19. My father doesn't care (A) how much does the car cost (B) because he is going to buy (C) it anyway (D).

Use the correct form of the word given in each sentence.

20. We find her story hardly _____. (believe)
21. You can claim a refund only if you keep the _____. (receive)

22. It will take a long time to find out a thorough _____ to the problem of pollution. (solve)
 23. Her dedication to her teaching career was _____. (admire)
 24. Despite falling _____, the zoo will stay open, (attend)

READING

Choose the word or phrase (a, b, c or d) that best fits the blank space in the following passage.

There are various types of pollution in the world. The most (25) _____ one is air pollution. It is caused mostly by factories which exclude smoke. This smoke pollutes the atmosphere (26) _____ dust and cinder which can cause various types of diseases like lung cancer, heart failure and sinus infection (27) _____ inhaled. Carbon monoxide from exhaust (28) _____ of vehicles is also very dangerous and can cause instant death when inhaled in (29) _____ amount. Water pollution is the pollution that occurs in rivers, seas, oceans, lakes and other waterways. Water pollution is normally caused by the (30) _____ of waste like garbage and faeces. The marine life in these waters will be affected. Some sea creatures perish while others (31) _____ the toxic extracts of the poisonous waste in their fat glands. When human beings eat these creatures, they will (32) _____ fall ill or die. In Japan alone, every year, thousands of people suffer (33) _____ strange diseases due to mercury poisoning. Others either lose their mental (34) _____ or meet their deaths.

– sinus infection (n): viêm xoang

– to inhale (v): hít vào

– faeces (n): phân

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| 25. a. widespread | b. extensive | c. expanding | d. intensive |
| 26. a. through | b. in | c. by | d. with |
| 27. a. after | b. when | c. once | d. upon |
| 28. a. tubes | b. tracts | c. pipes | d. sprayers |
| 29. a. varying | b. unlimited | c. exceeding | d. excessive |
| 30. a. pouring | b. storing | c. dumping | d. throwing |
| 31. a. stock | b. store | c. hold | d. contain |
| 32. a. either | b. both | c. neither | d. even |
| 33. a. by | b. from | c. through | d. of |
| 34. a. competence | b. block | c. illness | d. capacity |

Read the passage below carefully and choose the correct answer a, b, c or d.

Today I'd like to begin a discussion on the problem of the heating up of the earth. First, we'll touch on the relationship between fluorocarbon and the ozone layer. You probably remember that the ozone layer is the protective shield around the earth. It is important to all life, because it filters out harmful ultraviolet light from the sun. Ozone itself, a form of oxygen, is regularly destroyed by natural chemical processes.

The problem now is that too much of the ozone layer is being destroyed. Scientists suspect that certain chemicals, such as fluorocarbons, are contributing to the depletion of the ozone layer. And how do we use fluorocarbons? The most common uses are in spray cans and cooling systems. The chemical pollution from these fluorocarbons can account for some of the ozone losses that have been reported. There are, however, new studies linking the sun itself to the * depletion of the ozone layer. We'll go into that new study more next time.

– protective shield (n): lớp bảo vệ, màng bảo vệ

– to filter (v) lọc

– ultraviolet light/ ray (n): ánh sáng, tia cực tím, tia tử ngoại

– depletion (n) sự suy yếu

35. What is the speaker's main point in the passage?
- a. The warming of the earth b. The loss of the ozone layer
- c. The relationship between fluorocarbons and the ozone layer d. The use of spray cans.
36. The most important purpose of the ozone layer is _____ .
- a. to provide fluorocarbons b. to shield the sun
- c. to destroy natural chemicals d. to protect the earth
37. What is the ozone layer made of?
- a. Fluorocarbons b. Oxygen c. Ultraviolet light d. natural chemicals
38. Which of the following is NOT true?
- a. Fluorocarbons are used to produce spray cans and cooling systems.
- b. Fluorocarbons can cause the depletion of the ozone layer.
- c. The temperature of the earth's atmosphere is increasing.
- d. Ultraviolet light can be bad for your health.
39. Which topic is discussed next?
- a. How to make cooling systems without fluorocarbon b. Harmful effects of ultraviolet light
- c. The make-up of the ozone layer d. The sun as a cause of ozone layer depletion

Rewrite the sentences so that they are nearest in meaning to the sentence printed before them.

40. Henry wished he had invited Jane to his birthday party.

Henry regretted _____

41. When the goods arrive at the shop, they are inspected carefully.

On _____

42. The heavy rain made it impossible for us to have our picnic.

We were _____

43. Despite his brilliance, he never became famous.

Brilliant _____

44. Scientists have carried out extensive research into renewable energy sources.

Extensive research _____

45. "You damaged my bicycle, John!" said Magaret.

Magaret accused _____

Choose the best respond for each of the conversation

46. Mary: "I'll never go mountaining again". - Linda: ".....".

a. Me so b. Me too c. Me neither d. Me either

47. Mary : "Thank a lot for your help". - John: ".....".

a. my happiness b. my excitement c. my delight d. my pleasure

48. Tom: "When are we leaving for the concert?" - Kyle: ".....".

a. No problem b. certainly c. that's right d. straight away

Choose the sentence which has the same meaning as the original one

49. Although he is strong , he can't lift the box.

- A. As he is strong, he can lift the box
- B. Eventhough he is not strong, he can lift the box
- C. In spite of his strength, he can't lift the box
- D. He can't lift that box because is not strong

50. They left early because they didn't want to get caught in the traffic.

- A.They left early so that not to get caught in the traffic
- B.They left early so to avoid getting caught in the traffic
- C.They left early so as not to get caught in the traffic
- D.They left early in order to not get caught in the traffic.