

SỞ GIÁO DỤC VÀ ĐÀO TẠO

ĐỀ THI SỐ 05

KỲ THI CHỌN HỌC SINH GIỎI

CẤP TỈNH LỚP 9

MÔN: TIẾNG ANH

(Đề thi gồm có 08 trang)

Thời gian làm bài: 120 phút (không kể thời gian phát đề)

Họ và tên thí sinh: Số báo danh:

Giám thị 1: Giám thị 2:

SECTION I: LISTENING (3.0 points) (You will hear twice for each part)

SECTION I. LISTENING. A - LISTENING COMPREHENSION (2pts)

PART 1. (0,5pt) You will hear five short conversations.

You will hear each conversation twice.

There is one question for each conversation.

For questions 1-5, put a tick under the right answer.

1. What is John going to do tonight?



A



B



C

2. Which is Ben's family?



A



B



C

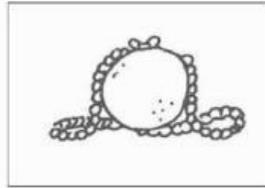
3. Which bag does the woman buy?



A



B



C

4. How much did the woman pay for the apples?



A



B



C

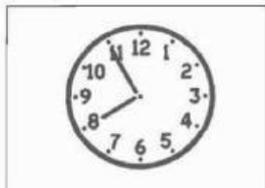
5. What time does the film start?



A



B



C

PART 2(0. 5pt). Listen and write.

Oldest person: grandmother

1. Name:

2. Age:

3. Lives with:

4. Job:

5. Favourite hobby:

RICHARD'S FAMILY



PART 3(1,0pt): Listen to Amanda talking to a friend about a birthday party. Tick A,B or C.

You will hear the conversation twice.

1. Which ice cream will they have at the party?

A. coffee B. Lemon C. apple

2. Which is broken?

A. the CD player B. the cassette recorder C. the guitar

3. Whose birthday is it?

A. Emma's B. Joan's C. Amanda's sister's

4. What present has Amanda bought?

A. a camera B. a video C. a football

5. What time should people arrive at the party?

A. 8 p. m B. 8. 30 p. m C. 9. 30 p. m

SECTION II: LEXICO – GRAMMAR (7.0 points)

Part 1: Questions from 16 to 36. (3.0 points - 0.15/ each)

Choose the best answer to each question.

16. I haven't _____ decided where to go on holiday this year.

A. still B. yet C. already D. then

17. How do you speak this fraction: 3/5?

A. Three over fifth B. Three-fifth C. Three-fifths D. Three-fives

18. The number of cars on the roads _____ increasing, so we need to build more roads.

A. is B. was C. were D. are

19. There is no _____ explanation for what happened.

- A. scientifically B. scientist C. science D. scientific
20. I can _____ what he's doing; it's so dark down there.
A. see through B. make out C. look into D. show up
21. Could you be more specific about what is _____ in this particular job?
A. enclosed B. concentrated C. presented D. involved
22. He retired early _____ ill – health.
A. on behalf of B. on account of C. believe D. imagine
23. The person who writes symphonies or concertos is a _____.
A. composer B. conductor C. pianist D. playwright
24. There is no reason to _____ his honesty; he is absolutely sincere.
A. search B. doubt C. inquire D. ask
25. His personal problems seem to have been _____ him from his work lately.
A. disrupting B. disturbing C. distracting D. dispersing
26. The job of student lodgings officer _____ many visits to landladies.
A. concerns B. offers C. asks D. involves
27. It is _____ knowledge in the village that Mr. and Mrs. Thorne quarrel violently several times a week.
A. common B. complete C. normal D. usual
28. "Which one do you want?" "I'm not sure I can _____ a choice. I like all of them."
A. do B. choose C. make D. take
29. The volcano had been _____ for hundreds of years before the eruption last month.
A. dying B. fixed C. asleep D. dormant
30. You have to _____ the person with the ball until you catch them.
A. chase B. rush C. jump D. drop
31. The fans climbed over the fence to _____ paying.

A. avoid B. prevent C. abandon D. refuse

32. I had no _____ that the divorce rate was so high in this country.

A. knowledge B. idea C. doubt D. understanding

33. A railway bridge is already _____ over the river.

A. been erected C. in construction B. erecting D. being built

34. It was very difficult for the inspector to _____ what recommendations he should make.

A. realize B. settle C. solve D. decide

35. This is not the right _____ to ask for my help; I am far too busy even to listen!

A. moment B. situation C. opportunity D. circumstance

Part 2: Questions from 36 to 45. (2 points - 0.2/ each)

Use the correct form of the word in brackets to complete the following sentences.

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| 36. There's a post office a bit down the road. | FAR |
| 37. Six months after the accident, he still has walking. | DIFFICULT |
| 38. I can't play tennis that well because I'm a | BEGIN |
| 39. Don't go there. It's | DANGER |
| 40. Read this. It'll be very for your trip to Australia. | USE |
| 41. I didn't find him that, but my friend did. | ATTRACT |
| 42. The school has a for being very up-to-date with technology. | REPUTE |
| 43. These are clothes and that's why they are very expensive. | DESIGN |
| 44. I left the party because it was noisy in there. | EXTREME |
| 45. I had no but to tell him. | CHOOSE |

Part 3: Questions from 46 to 50.(1 point - 0.2/ each)

Each of the following sentences has an error. Find the errors and correct them.

46. The novel writing by Charles Dickens attracts a lot of children.
47. Thank you very much for your letter, who came yesterday.

48. He experimented with ways of transmitting speech over a long distant with his assistant.
49. Each of the students in the accounting class has to type their own research.
50. Janet is finally used to cook on an electric stove after having a gas one for so long.

Part 4: Questions from 51 to 55.(1 point - 0.2/ each)

Fill in each of the sentences with correct prepositions.

51. In most countries, children start the primary school the age of six.
52. Since Jennifer was a year younger than her friends, she had a hard time keeping with them.
53. There are different sets of language learning sets available all age groups.
54. I'll try to figure what's wrong with the computer tomorrow.
55. It took 10 firefighters to put the fire at the school.

SECTION III: READING (6.0 points)

Part 1. Questions 56 – 65 (2 points - 0.2/ each)

Read the passage below and choose the best answer to each question.

TRAFFIC IN OUR CITIES

The volume of traffic in many cities in the world today continues to expand. This causes many problems, including serious air pollution, lengthy delays, and the greater risk (56) _____ accidents. Clearly, something must be done, but it is difficult to (57) _____ people to change their habits and leave their cars at home.

One possible (58) _____ is to make it more expensive for people to use their cars by (59) _____ charges for parking and bringing in tougher fines for anyone who (60) _____ the law. In addition, drivers could be required to pay for using particular routes at different times of the day. This system, (61) _____ as “road pricing”, is already being introduced in a number of cities, using a special electronic card (62) _____ to windscreen of the car.

Another way of dealing with the problem is to provide cheap parking on the (63) _____ of the city, and strictly control the number of vehicles allowed in to the centre. Drivers and their passengers then use a special bus service for the (64) _____ stage of their journey.

Of course, the most important thing is to provide good public transport. However, to get people to give up the comfort of their cars, public transport must be felt to be reliable, convenient and comfortable, with fares (65) _____ at an acceptable level.

56. A. of B. for C. about D. by
57. A. make B. arrange C. suggest D. persuade
58. A. approach B. manner C. custom D. style
59. A. enlarging B. increasing C. growing D. developing
60. A. crosses B. refuses C. breaks D. cracks
61. A. named B. seen C. called D. known
62. A. fixed B. joined C. built D. placed
63. A. outskirts B. border C. outside D. limit
64. A. late B. end C. complete D. final
65. A. taken B. kept C. given D. stood

Part 2. Questions 66 – 75 (2.0 points - 0.2/ each)

Read the passage below and choose the best answer to each question

Although they are an inexpensive supplier of vitamins, minerals, and high-quality protein, eggs also contain a high level of blood cholesterol, one of the major causes of heart diseases. One egg yolk, in fact, contains a little more than two-thirds of the suggested daily cholesterol limit. This knowledge has caused egg sales to plummet in recent years, which in turn has brought about the development of several alternatives to eating regular eggs. One alternative is to eat substitute eggs. These egg substitutes are not really eggs, but they look **somewhat** like eggs when they are cooked. They have the advantage of having low cholesterol rates, and they can be scrambled or used in baking. One disadvantage, however, is that they are not good for frying, poaching, or boiling. A second alternative to regular eggs is a new type of egg, sometimes called 'designer' eggs. These eggs are produced by hens that are fed low-fat diets consisting of ingredients such as canola oil, flax, and rice bran. In spite of their diets, however, these hens produce eggs that contain the same amount of cholesterol as regular eggs. Yet, the producers of these eggs claim that eating their eggs will not raise the blood cholesterol in humans.

Egg producers claim that their product has been portrayed unfairly. They cite scientific studies to **back up** their claim. And, in fact, studies on the relationship between eggs and human cholesterol levels have brought **mixed results**. It may be that it is not the type of egg that is the main determinant of cholesterol but the person who is eating the eggs. Some people may be more sensitive to cholesterol derived from food than other people. In fact, there is evidence that certain dietary fats stimulate the body's production of blood cholesterol. Consequently, while it still makes sense to limit one's intake of eggs, even designer eggs, it seems that doing this without regulating dietary fat will probably not help reduce the blood cholesterol level.

66. What is the main purpose of the passage?

- A. To introduce the idea that dietary fat increases the blood cholesterol level.
- B. To inform people about the relationship between eggs and cholesterol.
- C. To persuade people that eggs are unhealthy and should not be eaten
- D. To convince people to eat 'designer' eggs and egg substitutes.

67. According to the passage, which of the following is a cause of heart diseases?

- A. minerals
- B. cholesterol
- C. canola oil
- D. vitamins

68. Which of the following could best replace the word 'somewhat'?

- A. in fact
- B. a little
- C. indefinitely
- D. a lot

69. What has been the cause for changes in the sale of eggs?

- A. increasing price
- B. decreased production
- C. dietary changes in hens
- D. concerns about cholesterol

70. According to the passage, one yolk contains approximately what fraction of the suggested daily limit for human consumption of cholesterol?

- A. $\frac{3}{4}$
- B. $\frac{2}{3}$
- C. $\frac{1}{2}$
- D. $\frac{1}{3}$

71. The word 'portrayed' could best be replaced by which of the following?

- A. studied
- B. destroyed
- C. tested
- D. described

72. What is the meaning of 'back up'?

- A. reverse
- B. advance
- C. block
- D. support

73. What is meant by the phrase 'mixed results'?

- A. The results are blended. B. The results are a composite of things.
C. The results are inconclusive. D. The results are mingled together.

74. According to the passage, egg substitutes cannot be used to make any of following types of eggs EXCEPT?

- A. boiled B. poached C. scrambled D. fried

75. According to the author, which of the following may reduce blood cholesterol?

- A. reducing egg intake but not fat intake B. increasing egg intake and fat intake
C. decreasing egg intake and fat intake D. increasing egg intake but not fat intake

Part 3: Questions 76 – 85 (2.0 points - 0.2/ each)

Read the text and fill in one word which best fits each gap.

All men should (76) We study to (77) our knowledge and develop our intelligence. Education (78) an important role in our life. First of all, we have to learn (79) to observe accurately, to think truthfully, to speak correctly and to write clearly. Education gives us (80) of things around us and it preserves the national noble traditions and customs from generation to generation. Education makes a person perfect. An (81) man is both talented and virtuous. In every country, the government consider education (82) the most important policy. Some (83) us sometimes think that we have finished our education when we left school or (84) from a university. Actually, real education should (85) finish.

SECTION IV: WRITING (4.0 points)

Part 1: Questions from 86 to 90.(2 point- 0.4/ each)

Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the sentence printed before it.

86. The phone stopped ringing the moment I got down stairs.

- No sooner

87. He is determined to carry on working when he is 65.

- He has no

88. He was very sorry that he didn't see Audrey on her trip to London.

He greatly

89. She agreed to go out to dinner with him because she assumed he was not married.

Had she

90. Everyone was surprised that the singer had very little money when he died.

The singer had

Part 2: Questions from 91 to 92.(2 points - 0.4/ each)

Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given.

91. Clara said that she had not seen the missing letter. **having**

Clara the missing letter.

92. It's important to consider everyone's opinion before a final decision is made.

account

Everyone's opinion must before a final decision is made.

93. My passport needs renewing because I'm going abroad this summer. **get**

I need because I'm going abroad this summer.

94. My boss doesn't mind what time I start or finish work. **difference**

It what time I start or finish work.

95. Many people believe that Edison has the ability to become world judo champion.

capable

Many people believe that Edisonthe world championship in judo.

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- *Thí sinh không được sử dụng tài liệu*

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