



Họ, tên thí sinh:.....
Số báo danh:.....

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

- Question 1: A. lead B. beat C. head D. heat
Question 2: A. tourist B. routine C. talent D. future

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 stress in each of the following questions.

- Question 3: A. value B. prepare C. discuss D. exchange
Question 4: A. culture B. custom C. cuisine D. lifestyle

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

- Question 5: The International Cultural Festival is a very popular event in Ha Noi, _____?
A. isn't there B. isn't it C. is it D. is there
Question 6: Today our country is _____ on the international stage than it was in the past.
A. more active B. the most active C. as active as D. active
Question 7: While I _____ the dishes, my little brother was watching films.
A. have washed B. wash C. was washing D. had washed
Question 8: My mother decided to _____ her wedding dress to me, hoping I would wear it on my special day.
A. take down B. pass down C. get down D. set down
Question 9: After years of dreaming about it, she finally decided _____ the leap and started her own business.
A. to take B. taking C. to taking D. take

Read the following advertisement/announcement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 10 to 15.

Welcome to the International Cultural Festival in Hanoi!

Date: 5th March 2024

Location: Hanoi Cultural Center

Experience a vibrant celebration of global cultures:

- Enjoy traditional dances from around (10) _____ world.
- Taste delicious cuisines from different countries.
- Engage (11) _____ interactive cultural workshops.
- Shop for unique crafts and souvenirs.
- Fun activities for the whole family.

Don't miss this exciting event showcasing (12) _____ and unity!

- Question 10: A. the B. an C. Ø (no article) D. a
Question 11: A. to B. with C. in D. for
Question 12: A. diversely B. diversity C. diverse D. diversify

School Field Trip Announcement!

Dear Students and Parents,

We are delighted to inform you about an upcoming real-world learning opportunity at Nguyen Trai High School. On November 8th, our students will embark on an educational field trip to Chai village.

This excursion is designed to enhance students' understanding of various subjects while providing them with hands-on experiences outside the classroom.

Transportation (13) _____ for all participating students.

Students will engage in (14) _____ learning activities related to their curriculum.

Please ensure students bring all necessary items for the trip.

(15) _____ you have any inquiries or concerns regarding the field trip, please don't hesitate to contact your head teacher.

Question 13: A. arranged B. will arrange C. will be arranged D. are arranged

Question 14: A. interactive B. interested C. destructive D. passive

Question 15: A. Had B. Were C. Do D. Should

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions.

Question 16:

a, Secondly, it's a good idea that you try to cook traditional food frequently.

b, There are two main ways to maintain your cultural identity in a new culture.

c Staying connected with your family and friends helps you to feel part of your native culture.

d, You should also remember to make meal times special and important occasions.

e, Firstly, keep in touch with people you know back home.

A. b – a – e – d – c

B. c – a – d – e – a

C. b – e – c – a – d

D. b – e – d – a – c

Question 17: a, Secondly, her achievements are remarkable; she became the youngest Indian woman to receive a Nobel award for her efforts.

b, Dear Laura, I hope you are well.

c, Her story is truly inspiring, and I believe her commitment to making a positive impact in the world deserves praise.

d, Additionally, Malala has volunteered in various communities, providing educational opportunities for underprivileged children.

e, Firstly, Malala is an inspiring young woman who has dedicated her life to advocating for girls' education.

f, I wanted to share with you someone I truly admire – Malala Yousafzai.

A. b – f – e – a – c – d

B. b – f – e – a – d – c

C. b – f – e – c – a – d

D. b – f – d – e – a – c

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 23.

It's important to teach your children skills that will help them navigate a multicultural world. This (18) _____ communication skills, such as active listening and asking questions, as well as cultural competence skills, such as understanding different customs and traditions. (19) _____ to encourage multicultural skills:

Encourage active listening and curiosity: Teach your children to ask questions and listen actively (20) _____. Encourage them to show genuine interest in what others say and to ask thoughtful questions.

Foster independent learning: Empower your children to research and learn (21) _____ on their own. Show them (22) _____ and help them develop critical thinking skills to evaluate information.

Promote diversity and inclusion: (23) _____ relationships with people from different backgrounds and learn from their experiences. Help them recognize and appreciate cultural differences and similarities, and teach them to embrace diversity and inclusion.

Question 18: A. was included B. included C. is including D. includes

Question 19:

A. Here are a few ways

B. Here is a few ways

C. Here are a few way

D. This is a few ways

Question 20:

A. where having learning about new cultures

B. when learning about new cultures

C. what learning from new cultures

D. when to learning about new cultures

Question 21:

A. with different cultures

B. about difference cultures

C. about different cultures

D. for different cultures

Question 22:

- A. how did they use reliable sources
 B. how to use reliable sources
 C. how to be used reliable sources
 D. how could they use reliable sources

Question 23:

- A. Encourage your children be formed
 B. Encourage your children form
 C. Encourage your children forming
 D. Encourage your children to form

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks

Nowadays, everybody knows Apples and **almost** everybody knows that the company was founded by Steve Jobs, an American inventor and entrepreneur. He is widely recognized as a pioneer in the field of microcomputer revolution. He helped design the first Macintosh computer, (24) _____ a small computer graphics company into Pixar, the company behind Toy Story and The Monster Inc.

His countercultural lifestyle and philosophy was a product of the time and place of his upbringing. Jobs was adopted and raised in San Francisco Bay Area during the 1960s. In 1972, Jobs attended Reed College from which he dropped out in next to no time. Jobs co-founded Apple in 1976 in order to sell Apple I personal computer. (25) _____, he might hardly imagine that only a year later the company tasted impressive victory with Apple II, one of the first highly successful mass-produced personal computers. (26) _____, in 1985, following a long power struggle, Jobs was forced out of Apple. After leaving Apple, Jobs took (27) _____ of its members with him to found Next, a computer development company which was then bought by Apple. The purchase allowed Jobs to become the company's CEO once again.

Steve Jobs died in 2011 after battling with pancreatic cancer for nearly a decade. Millions first learned of Job's death on a device (28) _____ had been invented by himself.

- Question 24:** A. transited B. transferred C. translated D. transformed
Question 25: A. In addition B. As a result C. At that moment D. In spite of
Question 26: A. Generally B. Frankly C. Fortunately D. Unfortunately
Question 27: A. a few B. little C. a little D. few
Question 28: A. what B. who C. where D. which

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.

Most people want to be polite and behave well around others. Being polite involves good manners of eating and appropriate ways of greeting and talking to people, and giving and receiving gifts. Polite behaviours may differ from culture to culture.

In the United State, people prefer to shake hands firmly for a few seconds. In some Middle Eastern countries, people hold the person's hand gently for a longer time. What about eye contact? In some countries you show respect when you look at someone directly in the eye. In other parts of the world, looking at someone directly can be **rude**. Another difference is personal space. In North America, people usually stand about an arm's length apart during a conversation. However, in Latin America, people stand closer

If you are going to live, work, or study in another country, you should learn about **its** culture. In this way, you can be polite and make a good impression. Politeness can be good for making friends and doing business as well.

(Adapted from *Skill for Success* by McVeigh and Bixby)

Question 29: What is the passage mainly about?

- A. Table manners around the world B. Politeness in different cultures
 C. Greeting and talking to people D. Giving and receiving gifts

Question 30: According to paragraph 2, in which part of the world do people hold each other's hands gently?

- A. In some Middle Eastern countries B. In North America
 C. In Latin America D. In the United States

Question 31: The word "**rude**" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. unclear B. careful C. friendly D. impolite

Question 32: According to paragraph 2, which of the following is NOT mentioned as an example of differences in politeness around the world?

- A. personal space B. facial expressions C. shaking hands D. eye contact

Question 33: The word "**its**" in paragraph 3 refers to _____.

- A. arm B. space C. conversation D. country

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.

It is said that breakfast is the most important meal of the day. Maybe that's why many people may be open to trying foreign food at lunch or dinner, but they're not adventurous enough to **experiment with** anything new at breakfast. But what about you? Below, we look at typical breakfasts in some different countries. Would you have them or are they too spicy, too fattening or just too different?

The traditional breakfast in South Korea is rice and soup. People then choose extra dishes to go with it such as grilled fish, vegetables and kimchi, which is pickled cabbage with chilies. Kimchi is so popular that the first Korean astronaut took some with him to the international space station! Of course, these days, many Koreans have such busy lifestyles **they** don't have enough time to make breakfast and just **grab** a quick coffee and some cereal or toast.

Breakfast in Bulgaria includes tea or strong coffee, sesame bread and butter, cheese made from sheep's milk, honey, olives, boiled eggs and- most importantly - kiselo mlyako, a local yoghurt. Bulgaria has a lot of people aged over 100 and many believe that the secret behind this is their yoghurt, which most Bulgarians eat every day.

Many Costa Ricans start their day with the national dish, gallo pinto, which is a mixture of fried rice and black beans. It's lightly spiced and often served with fried plantain (a kind of banana used like a vegetable in a lot of Central American and Caribbean cooking), cream and fried eggs. There's usually some strong local coffee as well-or perhaps some agua dulce ("sweet water"), which is made from sugar cane juice.

(Adapted from Outcomes, Pre-Intermediate by Kathryn, Aldridge-Morris)

Question 34: Which of the following can be the main idea of the passage?

- A. comparing breakfast recipes in different cultures
- B. discussing the health benefits of various breakfast foods
- C. exploring traditional breakfasts from different countries
- D. encouraging readers to try new foods for breakfast

Question 35: The phrase "**experiment with**" in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. change
- B. test
- C. detect
- D. produce

Question 36: The word "**grab**" in paragraph 2 is opposite in meaning to _____.

- A. prepare gradually
- B. purchase briefly
- C. take slowly
- D. obtain carefully

Question 37: Which of the following is NOT TRUE according to the passage?

- A. South Koreans opt for a quick coffee and cereal due to busy lifestyles.
- B. Fried plantain is a banana used as a vegetable in South American cooking.
- C. Costa Ricans typically start their day with gallo pinto and strong coffee.
- D. Bulgaria attributes the longevity of its people to daily consumption of kiselo mlyako.

Question 38: The word "**they**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. South Koreans
- B. rice and soup
- C. extra dishes
- D. lifestyle

Question 39: According to paragraph 3, Bulgaria has more and more centenarians due to _____.

- A. their healthy lifestyle
- B. their traditional breakfast
- C. their strong coffee
- D. their local yoghurt

Question 40: Which of the following can be inferred from the passage?

- A. Breakfast habits are influenced by cultural preferences in various countries.
- B. Bulgarian yoghurt consumption leads to a longer lifespan of more than 100 people.
- C. South Koreans have busy lifestyles and often skip breakfast.
- D. Costa Ricans prefer a light breakfast with minimal ingredients.

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