

## SECTION A. LISTENING (10pts)

**Question I. Listen to Ryan talking about his life and decide whether the following statements are True (T) or False (F). (5pts)**

| Information                                     | True (T) or False (F) |
|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. He has worked for a small company.           |                       |
| 2. He has stayed in an expensive hotel.         |                       |
| 3. He hasn't cooked a meal for a lot of people. |                       |
| 4. He hasn't met a famous person.               |                       |
| 5. He has won a competition.                    |                       |

**Question II. You will hear a man asking for information about a train. Listen and fill in the information. (5pts)**

## Train to Newcastle

Day of journey: (6) \_\_\_\_\_

Train leaves at: (7) \_\_\_\_\_

Return ticket costs: £ (8) \_\_\_\_\_

Food on train: Drinks and (9) \_\_\_\_\_

Address of travel agency: 22 (10) \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION B. PHONETICS (5pts)

**Question I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others by circling.**

11. A. television      B. pencil      C. engineer      D. telephone  
 12. A. shopping      B. sugar      C. sure      D. sumer  
 13. A. worked      B. watched      C. decorated      D. danced

**Question II. Choose one word whose stress pattern is different from the others.**

14. A. compass      B. forest      C. danger      D. pollute  
 15. A. lovely      B. music      C. regard      D. racket

## SECTION C. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR (35pts)

**Question I. Choose the best answer A or B, C, D to complete each of the following sentences.**

16. She has to \_\_\_\_\_ the laundry everyday.  
 A. make      B. take      C. do      D. give  
 17. The country is famous \_\_\_\_\_ green cities.  
 A. for      B. with      C. of      D. to  
 18. How often do you go to the cinema? - \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A No. matter, please      B. Not really  
 C. Not at all      D. 3 times a month  
 19. Tran Dang Khoa is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the poem *Hat gao lang ta*.

- A character      B author      C actor      D maker
20. Can I borrow your calculator? I can't find \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. my      B. me      C. mine      D. yours
21. Ann always thinks about herself and never about other people. She is very \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. selfish      B. serious      C. slim      D. kind
22. Did they have \_\_\_\_\_ in their garden last weekend?  
A. a barbecue      B. picnic      C. video games      D. shopping
23. I want to \_\_\_\_\_ the food stands. All the dishes look delicious.  
A. check up      B. check out      C. check in      D. check for
24. Would you like to have \_\_\_\_\_ coffee?  
A. any      B. some      C. an      D. these
25. Do you want to have dinner with us on Saturday? - \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. Sounds great      B. Yes, I will      C. No, I'd like      D. Yes, you can

**Question II. Give the correct form of the words in capital to complete the sentences.**

26. Lunar New Year is one of the most important \_\_\_\_\_ in Viet Nam. (CELEBRATE)
27. Do you have a \_\_\_\_\_ costume in your country? (NATION)
28. Teacher should do something to \_\_\_\_\_ children to read. (COURAGE)
29. There will be a \_\_\_\_\_ of energy in the near future. (SHORT)
30. He didn't win the championship, so he felt very \_\_\_\_\_. (HOPE)

**Question III. Give the correct form or tense of the verbs in the brackets.**

31. Why \_\_\_\_\_ you (look) \_\_\_\_\_ at me like that? What is the matter?
32. Five kilometers (be) \_\_\_\_\_ too far to walk. We have to take a taxi.
33. He always (interrupt) \_\_\_\_\_ his teacher when she is talking.
34. This is the second time you (break) \_\_\_\_\_ a cup.
35. My mother told me (not stay) \_\_\_\_\_ up late last night.

**Question IV. There is a mistake in each sentence. Find and correct it.**

36. Many kinds of tigers are at danger now.  
A      B      C      D
37. Over thirty thousands people were dead in the earthquake.  
A      B      C      D
38. I prefer to watch a live concert to listening to music on the radio.  
A      B      C      D
39. They had to cancel the picnic because the bad weather.  
A      B      C      D
40. Would you like playing football with us next Sunday? - Yes, I'd love to .  
A      B      C      D

**SECTION D. READING (25 pts)**

**Question I. Read the passage. Then choose one suitable word to fill in the gaps. (10 pts)**

I'm writing to invite you to a party we (41)..... at the flat next Friday, December 14th. As you know, (42)..... Lan's 13th birthday next week and my birthday is in next month, (43).....we thought we'd celebrate together and have a joint party.

I can't remember if you know my address or not, but anyway, if you (44)..... the direction below, you shouldn't get lost. Take the Number 15 bus from the station and (45)..... at the Star Hotel. Walk down Long Viet Road, past the Dan Chu



Cinema, and then (46)..... the first turning on the right. That's Le Loi Road. Turn left (47) .....the first junction, then go straight past the church as far as the next crossroads. (48)..... and our block of flats is the second on the right.

Do try and come. Of course you're (49)..... to bring someone with you if you want to.

Look forward (50)..... you then!

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|-------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|
| 41. A. Have       | B. are having | C. going to have | D. will has   |
| 42. A. it's       | B. its        | C. they're       | D. she's      |
| 43. A. too        | B. but        | C. because       | D. so         |
| 44. A. to follow  | B. follow     | C. following     | D. follows    |
| 45. A. get up     | B. get by     | C. get on        | D. get off    |
| 46. A. have       | B. get        | C. take          | D. bring      |
| 47. A. in         | B. at         | C. of            | D. on         |
| 48. A. Right turn | B. To right   | C. To turn       | D. Turn right |
| 49. A. welcomed   | B. welcome    | C. welcoming     | D. to welcome |
| 50. A. to see     | B. for seeing | C. of seeing     | D. to seeing  |

**Question II. Fill in each blank with ONE suitable word to complete the passage. (10 pts)**

#### Parents and friends

We can choose our friends, but we can't choose our (51) \_\_\_\_\_. That does not mean that members of our (52) \_\_\_\_\_ cannot also be our friends. Many children have a very (53) \_\_\_\_\_ relationship with their parents, and they see them as friends. Of course when you are a teenager, there are times when you do not get on very (54) \_\_\_\_\_ with your parents or they can get angry (55) \_\_\_\_\_ you. That's only natural. There are times when you want to be (56) \_\_\_\_\_ and decide things by (57) \_\_\_\_\_. After all, nobody is perfect, and we all make (58) \_\_\_\_\_. But your parents understand that. When you grow (59) \_\_\_\_\_, you will see that you have many things in common with your mum and dad, and you will become (60) \_\_\_\_\_ to them.

**Question III. Read the passage and choose the best answer to each question from the four choices (A or B,C,D). ( 5 pts )**

#### Sumo

Sumo wrestling is a national sport in Japan. Every year there are six tournaments, and millions of Japanese watch them on television. Sumo is almost as old as the nation of Japan itself. Stories say that there was sumo wrestling over 2,000 years ago. History says that there were national sumo tournaments in the eighth century.

Usually athletes are thin and can move very quickly. It is beautiful to watch them play. However, sumo wrestlers weigh from 100 to 160 kilos. One famous wrestler weighed 195 kilos. Sumo wrestlers do not look beautiful, and sumo wrestling is very slow sport.

Sumo wrestlers wrestle in a round ring with a sand floor. A wrestler loses the match if he leaves the ring. He is also the loser if any part of the body except his feet touches the floor. Each wrestler tries to push the other down on the floor or out of the ring.

People from other countries usually think sumo is very strange, but the Japanese love it. Even young people find this traditional sport exciting.

61. How old is Sumo wrestling?

- A. over twenty years                      B. over two hundred years  
C. over two thousand years              D. over two million years
62. Sumo wrestlers are \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. thin                      B. quick                      C. small                      D. fat
63. Sumo wrestling is a very \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. slow sport              B. fast sport              C. boring sport              D. dangerous sport
64. A sumo wrestler loses the match if \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. his feet touch the floor              B. he is inside the ring  
C. he pushes the other down              D. he is out of the ring
65. Young Japanese people find Sumo wrestling \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. quickly              B. exciting              C. boring              D. bad

### SECTION E. WRITING (15pts)

**Question I. Rewrite the following sentences, using the words given, so that the meaning stays the same.**

66. It took us two hours and a half to finish the test .

→ We spent \_\_\_\_\_

67. My father often drinks tea in the morning.

→ My father gets \_\_\_\_\_

68. I was late for school this morning. My sister was, too.

→ Both \_\_\_\_\_

69. The weather was bad, but we still continued the match.

→ Although \_\_\_\_\_

70. Lan didn't go to school yesterday because of her sickness.

→ Because Lan \_\_\_\_\_

**Question II. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word in bold and other words to complete each sentence. Do not change the word in bold.**

71. He is the worst soccer player in my team.

**(BADLY)**

→ No one \_\_\_\_\_

72. I usually walk to work, but today I drove.

**( INSTEAD)**

→ I drove to work \_\_\_\_\_ foot.

73. Leave now or you will miss the train.

**(IF)**

→ If \_\_\_\_\_

74. Does your brother enjoy playing Chinese chess?

**(KEEN)**

→ Is your \_\_\_\_\_ ?

75. We have a two-month summer vacation.

**( LASTS)**

→ Our \_\_\_\_\_ ?

**Question III. (5 pts)**

**Write a paragraph of about 80 - 100 words about your dream school. (Do not mention your name and your school in the passage)**