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BÀI KIỂM TRA: MÔN TIẾNG ANH 9

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 of each of the following questions.

Question 1.A. <u>h</u>ours B. <u>h</u>onour C. <u>h</u>ints D. <u>h</u>onest

Question 2.A. t<u>au</u>ght B. sl<u>au</u>ghter C. n<u>au</u>ghty D. l<u>au</u>ghter

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 each of the following questions.

Question 3.A. hopelessly B. slavery C. expressly D. carefully

Question 4.A. innovation B. pedestrian C. professional D. apprenticeship

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. Many tourists rely on _____ to plan their trips and find the best places to visit.

A. tour destinations B. tour guide C. travel apps D. travel cost

Question 6. The facilities which are available to everybody in an area like parks, schools, shopping centres, etc. are public _____.

A. offices B. services C. features D. amenities

Question 7. Health experts suggest _____ a healthy cooking habit to take control of your nutrition and make good choices about what you put into your body.

A. to develop B. to become C. developing D. becoming

Question 8. The local school has recently _____ a survey on how much time its students spend reading books.

A. taken after B. looked round C. put down D. carried out

Question 9. The English word 'kindergarten' is a borrowed word _____ comes from German.

A. that B. which C. who D. whose

Question 10. The tours for exploring Son Đoòng Cave are _____ more difficult to book than the tours for other places in Vietnam.

A. far B. very C. just D. really

Question 11. _____ the term 'addiction' is often associated with negative connotations, we still have lots of healthy addictions to have a positive impact on our lives.

A. Although B. In spite of C. Because D. Despite

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Question 12. Hana and David, two environmental science teachers, are talking about marine life.

Hana: "We should teach children about the importance of protecting coral reefs."

David: "_____"

A. That's not necessary; reefs can protect themselves.

B. I couldn't agree more; it's vital for future generations.

C. Coral reefs have nothing to do with our lives.

D. Children don't care about the ocean.

Read the following 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 13 to 16.

PUBLIC TRANSPORT ANNOUNCEMENT

Welcome to the HCMC City Train Service! We are pleased to have you travel with us today. To ensure a safe (13) _____, please carefully follow the instructions below. Your safety and comfort are our top priorities. Before boarding the train, make sure you have your ticket ready for (14) _____. This will help reduce waiting time and keep the line moving smoothly. While you are on the platform and inside the train, please listen carefully to (15) _____ announcements for important updates about departure times, delays, or platform changes.

For your security, always keep your personal belongings with you. If you notice any bags left by (16) _____, inform the staff immediately. Do not touch suspicious items.

If you need assistance, please contact our staff or call 0969714312. Thank you for choosing our service, and we wish you a pleasant trip.

Question 13.A. journey	B. cruising	C. voyage	D. destination
Question 14.A. checked	B. check	C. be checked	D. checking
Question 15.A. an	B. the	C. much	D. few
Question 16.A. they	B. their	C. themselves	D. them

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.

Question 17. Put the sentence (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

Having good habits is important for a happy and successful life.

a. Finally, good habits create a positive mindset, which helps people stay motivated and reduce stress.

b. Firstly, good habits help people stay healthy, such as eating nutritious food and exercising regularly.

c. Moreover, they improve productivity by making daily tasks easier and more organized.

A. c-b-a B. a-b-c C. b-c-a D. b-a-c

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Question 18. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

A. In conclusion, people discourage their friends and relatives to have a good habit.

B. In the end, having a good habit is quite essential for young university students.

C. When people practice good habits every day, they can achieve their goals more easily.

D. In short, developing good habits leads to a healthier, more organized, and happier life.

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.

Body language is a way we (19) _____ without using words. It includes our facial expressions, gestures, posture, and eye contact. For example, when someone (20) _____, it usually means they are happy or friendly. A frown can show that a person is sad or upset.

Gestures like waving can mean hello or goodbye. Nodding your head (21) _____ typically means yes, while shaking your head from side to side means no. Our posture also tells a lot about how we feel. Standing or sitting up straight can show confidence, while slouching might indicate tiredness or lack (22) _____ interest.

Eye contact is another important part of body language. Looking someone in the eyes can show that you are paying (23) _____ and interested in what they are saying. Avoiding eye contact might make you seem shy or untrustworthy. (24) _____ body language helps us communicate better and understand how others feel, even when they don't say anything.

(Adapted from *Tiếng Anh 9 Friends Plus*)

Question 19.A. think	B. understand	C. react	D. communicate
Question 20.A. smiles	B. cries	C. frowns	D. nods
Question 21.A. side and side	B. side to down	C. up and down	D. side to side
Question 22.A. by	B. with	C. in	D. of
Question 23.A. respect in	B. attendance with	C. regret to	D. attention to
Question 24.A. Thinking	B. Seeing	C. Understanding	D. Talking

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

Question 25. They have lived in that town for over 20 years.

A. They used to live in that town for over 20 years.

B. They moved to that town more than 20 years ago.

C. In 20 years, they will have lived in that town.

D. They only lived in that town for a short time.

Question 26. "You should reduce your screen time to avoid getting tired eyes." I said to my brother.

A. I advised my brother reducing his screen time to avoid getting tired eyes.

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B. I recommended that my brother reduced his screen time to avoid getting tired eyes.

C. I suggested my brother would reduce my screen time to avoid getting tired eyes.

D. I advised my brother to reduce his screen time to avoid getting tired eyes.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.

Question 27. David and Emma / wish / they / on holiday / Thailand / instead of / stay at home.

A. David and Emma wish they were on holiday in Thailand instead of stay at home.

B. David and Emma wish they will be on holiday in Thailand instead of stay at home.

C. David and Emma wish they were on holiday in Thailand instead of staying at home.

D. David and Emma wish they will on holiday in Thailand instead of staying at home.

Question 28. The Great Barrier Reef / which / attract / thousands / tourists / every year / be / in / Australia.

A. The Great Barrier Reef which attracts thousands of tourists every year is in Australia.

B. The Great Barrier Reef, which attract thousands of tourists every year, they are in Australia.

C. The Great Barrier Reef, which attracts thousands of tourists every year, is in Australia.

D. The Great Barrier Reef is in Australia, which attracts thousands of tourists every year.

Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 29. What does this sign indicate?

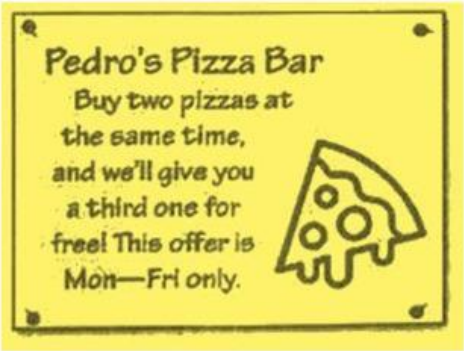
A. The parking area is open to all people, without any specific rules.

B. Anyone, including visitors and staff, can park here without restrictions.

C. Parking is not allowed in this area under any circumstances.

D. Only employees or staff members are allowed to park in these spaces.

Question 30. Which of the following is true?



A. Customer should buy at least three pizzas to get a discount.

B. You get a free pizza if you buy two pizzas at the same time.

C. Pedro's Pizza Bar isn't open at weekends.

D. The third time you visit, you get a free pizza.

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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 following questions from 31 to 36.

Planet Earth is the third rock from the sun and the only known planet in our solar system. Unlike any other planet we know, Earth provides the perfect conditions for life to exist. From the hot deserts to the icy poles, Earth is home to diverse range of habitats, each full of unique life forms.

These life forms can be broadly divided into two groups: flora and fauna. Flora refers to all the plant life on Earth, from the tall trees in the rainforest to the very small algae floating in the oceans. Fauna, on the other hand, includes all the animal life, from the majestic lions roaming the grassland to the microscopic insects hidden in the soil.

All these plants and animals are **interconnected** in a complex web called the food chain. Plants, using sunlight and nutrients, produce their own food. Herbivores, or plant-eaters, consume these plants for energy. Carnivores, or meat-eaters, then feed on the herbivores. This cycle ensures the survival of various species and maintains a healthy balance in Earth's ecosystems.

Planet Earth is truly a remarkable haven. Its **diverse** habitats, vibrant flora and fauna, and interconnected food chain all contribute to making it a haven for life. It's our responsibility to protect this incredible planet and ensure its continued existence for future generations.

Question 31. What is the interdependent web of plants and animals called in the passage?

A. flora and fauna B. habitat C. planet D. food chain

Question 32. Which of the following words is the OPPOSITE of "diverse" as used in the passage?

A. Varied B. Complex C. Unique D. Similar

Question 33. What does the passage say about Earth's conditions for life?

A. Earth is the only planet without life. B. Earth provides the perfect conditions for life to exist.

C. Earth is too cold to support any life forms. D. Earth is too hot for life to exist.

Question 34. Which of the following statements can be inferred from the reading?

A. Herbivores on Earth are at the top of the food chain.

B. Animals and plants on Earth can provide energy and support carnivores.

C. Plants are the only living things on Earth and need to be protected.

D. Earth's diverse habitats support a variety of plant and animal life.

Question 35. What is the main topic of the passage?

A. The importance of protecting Earth. B. The different types of planets in outer space.

C. The history of life on Earth. D. The comparison of Earth to other planets.

Question 36. Which of the following words is CLOSEST in meaning to "interconnected" as used in the passage?

A. Linked B. Distant C. Isolated D. Separated

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

Question 37: My brother **went on** with the project even though his boss said it was impossible to do it.

A. fought B. began C. made D. continued

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

Question 38: The traffic here is very **dangerous** for children.

A. noisy B. safe C. quiet D. easy

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

Question 39: Last term, the students in the writing class have learned how to write thesis statements, organize their material, and summarize their conclusion.

A. students **B.** conclusion **C.** to write **D.** have learned

Question 40: I was late for the interview and then went to the wrong company. It was really embarrassed.

A. was **B.** the interview **C.** to **D.** embarrassed

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