

.....secondary school Name: ..... Class: 8/.....	<b>THE FIRST MID-TERM TEST</b> <b>ENGLISH 8</b> School year: 2023-2024 Time: 60 minutes	<b>MARK</b>
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**MÃ ĐỀ: 8A**

**A. LANGUAGE COMPONENTS**

**I. Choose the word having the underlined letters pronounced differently (0,5pt)**

1. A. school                      B. room                      C. floor                      D. noon  
2. A. teacher                      B. clean                      C. meat                      D. head

**II. Circle the best answer to complete the sentence: (2.5pts)**

3. Mono is very \_\_\_\_\_ in watching “Tom and Jerry” cartoon.  
A. keen                      B. interested                      C. crazy                      D. fond  
4. Son Tung often helps his mom to pick \_\_\_\_\_ in the orchard.  
A. fruit                      B. trees                      C. plants                      D. songs  
5. Mr Buong likes \_\_\_\_\_ some fish from nearby lakes and ponds after school.  
A. catching                      B. holding                      C. buying                      D. meeting  
6. Tom helps his family to herd \_\_\_\_\_ at weekends.  
A. cattle                      B. poultry                      C. cats                      D. fruit  
7. My students enjoy \_\_\_\_\_ English very much.  
A. learn                      B. learnt                      C. learning                      D. to learn

8. **Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning.**

- My brother **is very keen on** passing the final exam.  
A. likes                      B. slowly                      C. hates                      D. is interested

9. **Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning.**

- Kuala Lumpur is the **biggest** city in Malaysia.  
A. smallest                      B. largest                      C. oldest                      D. cheapest  
10. Mono danced \_\_\_\_\_ than Mr Buong, my teacher.  
A. beautiful                      B. more beautiful                      C. beautifuler                      D. more beautifully  
11. There is nothing \_\_\_\_\_ than going swimming in hot weather.  
A. gooder                      B. good                      C. better                      D. more goodly  
12. Mr Buong \_\_\_\_\_ in London at the moment.  
A. studies                      B. is studying                      C. has studied                      D. will study

**B. READING**

**V. Read the text and do exercises: (2,5pts)**

**a/ Complete the text using the words in the box (1,5pt)**

aren't	difficult	farm	three	however	old building
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We live in Yorkshire, on a (13).....in the country. The farmhouse is quite an (14).....It's about 250 years old, I think. There (15)..... many houses near us. There's a pub in the village about (16).....miles away, but we're over twenty miles from the nearest town. That can be (17).....for shopping, but we love it here. It's very quiet, there's no traffic, and the view is wonderful.

Our uncle's family, (18)....., don't live in a house or a flat. They live on a houseboat. The boat looks small, but it's quite big inside. Apart from the bathroom, it only has one room, so they have to do everything there – eat, cook, sleep, and watch TV.

**Read the passage again and mark A, B, C, or D on your answer the correct answer to each of the questions.(1 pt)**

19. The writer lives \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. in the city                      B. in an old house                      C. in a flat                      D. in a new farmhouse
20. How far is it from the writer's village to the nearest town?-
- A. 250 yards                      B. 3 miles                      C. 12 miles                      D. 20 miles
21. The writer likes his village because \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. It's quiet                      B. There's no traffic                      C. The view is wonderful                      D. A, B, C
22. How many rooms are there in the writer's uncle house?
- A. 1                      B. 2                      C. 3                      D. 4

**C. WRITING:**

**VI. Finding the mistakes. (0.5pt)**

23. Duc Giang usually doesn't write new words at home because he thinks it is very difficult.
- A. usually doesn't      B. at                      C. because                      D. is
24. He enjoyed to do everything with the help of modern equipments.
- A. to do                      B. everything                      C. the help of                      D. modern equipments

**VII. Rewrite the sentences as directed (1pt)**

25. Why don't we open all the windows?  
→ How about \_\_\_\_\_?
26. He likes to play computer games.  
→ He enjoys \_\_\_\_\_
27. Minh is a better swimmer than Hieu.  
→ Minh swims \_\_\_\_\_
28. Hoa is a more careful taxi driver than Nam.  
→ Hoa drives \_\_\_\_\_

**VIII. Put the words or phrases in correct order to make sentences (1pt)**

29. you/ going/ to/ are/ what/ do/ next weekend/ ?  
→ .....
30. free/ he/most/ time/ sports/spend/of/ his/ playing/.  
→ .....

**D. LISTENING**

**I. Listen and complete (1pt).**

*Listen to Tom and Mai talking about their lives in the city and the countryside. Fill in each blank with ONE word.*

<b>In the city</b>	<b>In the countryside</b>
There are many (31) _____ for entertainment. It is more (32) _____ to get around. There are many means of public transport.	It is peaceful and (33) _____. Things are simple and lovely. People are kind and (34) _____.

*II. Listen to a conversation and choose the correct answer to each question (1pt).*

35. How many students are talking?			
A. one	B. two	C. three	D. four
36. What are they discussing?			
A. Their class forum.	B. Their stress.	C. Their community activities.	D. All are correct
37. What should Minh tell his parents about?			
A. his interests and abilities		B. his interests and happiness	
C. his hobbies and abilities		D. his hobbies and happiness	
38. Mi doesn't get on well with			
A. her friends	B. her parents	C. her sister	D. her brother