ĐỀ SỐ 4 **ĐỀ LUYỆN THI VÀO LỚP 10 (NGHỆ AN)**

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.

1. A. arrived B. explained C. visited D. supposed

2. A. sound B. count C. around D. could

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.

3. A. pollution B. disappoint C. impolite D. employee

4. A. reduce B. install C. affect D. realize

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.

5. The recent economic policies have _____ impacted the country's GDP growth.

A. significantly B. naturally C. differently D. intellectually

6. She used _____ the violin, but now she's focused on learning the guitar.

A. to playing B. to play C. playing D. play

7. This _____ is a place of great holiness for the religion's followers.

A. resort B. religion C. temple D. language

8. _____ the restaurant was fully booked, we had to find an alternative place to have dinner.

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

9. They had to _____ the invitation to the party as they already had plans.

A. turn down B. turn in C. turn off D. turn up

10. The first _____ of the farm was my great-grandfather, who built the house.

A. inhabit B. inhabitable C. inhabitation D. inhabitant

11. I promise I _____ to school on time.

A. am going to B. am going C. will go D. go

12. People in our town believe that preserving old traditions can _____ community bonds.

A. lengthen B. widen C. brighten D. strengthen

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that is CLOSEST In meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following sentence.

13. We must be sure that we are taking the **necessary** steps to prevent the problem of bullying at school.

A. suggested B. advisable C. voluntary D. needed

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that is OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following sentence.

14. **Artificial** house plants look like plants, but they are plastic.

A. man-made B. pretty C. new D. natural

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

15.

a. Emma: Thank you! It was a tough time, but now she's strong!

b. Emma: My sister is feeling much better after her treatment!

c. Sarah: That's wonderful news, Emma! I'm so glad to hear that!

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

16.

Jamie: Yes, please! I need all the help I can get.

Alex: Did you finish the math homework?

Alex: Want to work on it together?

Jamie: Not yet, it's so confusing!

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

17.

a. Khoa: Me too! We should study together to get ready.

b. Linh: Did you hear about the new exam format for this semester?

c. Khoa: Yes, it's going to be quite different from last year!

d. Linh: That sounds like a plan! Let's start this weekend!

e. Linh: I know! I'm nervous about how to prepare for it.

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

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best option that fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 20.

WHAT TO DO IN A FLOOD

1. Move to higher ground as soon as a flood warning is issued. Refrain (**18**) _____ walking, driving, or swimming through floodwaters. If trapped, go to the highest floor but avoid the attics without windows or access points.
2. Be aware that floodwaters may contain (**19**) _____ debris or contamination.
3. Shut off utilities such as gas and electricity if instructed.
4. Stay informed through emergency (**20**) _____ or alerts. Prepare a flood emergency kit with essentials like water, food, and first aid supplies.

18. A. to B. away C. from D. off
19. A. hazard B. hazardous C. hazardously D. hazarded
20. A. broadside B. broadhands C. broadcasts D. broadsheets

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best option that fits each of the numbered blanks from 21 to 25.

Agriculture is the world's most important industry. It provides us with almost all our food. It also (**21**) _____ materials for two other basic human needs - clothing and shelter. (**22**) _____, agriculture provides materials used in many industrial products, such as paints and medicines. About half of the world's workers are employed in agriculture - far more than in (**23**) _____ industry.

Agriculture is one of the world's oldest industries. It began about 10,000 years ago in the Middle East. By that time, certain Middle Eastern tribes had discovered how to grow plants from seeds and how to raise animals in captivity. Having mastered these skills, they could begin to practise agriculture. As agriculture developed and farm (**24**) _____ increased, fewer people were needed to produce food. The nonfarmers could then develop arts, crafts, trades and other activities of civilized life. Agriculture therefore not only greatly (**25**) _____ the food supply but also made civilization possible.

21. A. gives B. supplies C. brings D. takes
22. A. However B. Yet C. In addition D. Although
23. A. any other B. others C. some D. the other
24. A. land B. animals C. output D. houses
25. A. caused B. added C. provided D. influenced

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.

The Evolution of Messaging Services

Messaging services have transformed the way people communicate, making instant communication possible across the globe. From early SMS texting to modern instant messaging apps like WhatsApp, Telegram, and Messenger, these services have become essential in daily life. They allow users to send text messages, images, videos, and even make voice or video calls.

One of the major advantages of messaging services is their convenience. Unlike emails, which may require formal language and structure, messaging apps allow for quick, casual conversations. Many services also offer features like group chats, encryption for security, and the ability to share documents, making them useful for both personal and professional communication.

However, messaging services also come with some **challenges**. Users may experience privacy concerns, as some platforms collect user data. Additionally, the ease of instant messaging can sometimes lead to miscommunication, as tone and intent may not always be clear. The overuse of these apps can also reduce face-to-face interactions, affecting social skills and relationships.

Despite these concerns, messaging services continue to evolve, incorporating artificial intelligence, chatbots, and better security measures. As technology advances, these services will likely become even more efficient and user-friendly, shaping the future of digital communication.

26. What is the main topic of the passage?
A. The history of email communication
B. The evolution and impact of messaging services
C. The benefits of face-to-face communication
D. The development of voice calling technology

27. Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a feature of messaging services?
A. The ability to send images and videos
B. The requirement of formal language
C. Thexd use of encryption for security
D. The ability to create group chats

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28. The word "**challenges**" in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to:
A. Problems B. Advantages C. Features D. Solutions
29. Why are messaging services considered convenient?
A. They require formal language B. They allow for quick and casual communication
C. They discourage group discussions D. They replace all face-to-face conversations
30. What is one potential downside of messaging services?
A. They are not widely used B. They do not support media sharing
C. They can lead to privacy concerns D. They eliminate the need for emails
31. How might messaging services improve in the future?
A. By eliminating video call features B. By incorporating AI and better security measures
C. By removing encryption for faster messaging D. By making communication more complex

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

32.
a. In conclusion, India's rise as the most populous nation marks a new chapter in global demographics with far-reaching implications.
b. This change not only highlights the rapid growth of India's population but also poses various challenges related to resource management and infrastructure development.
c. Currently, the Indian government is focusing on sustainable development initiatives to accommodate this growing population and improve living conditions.
d. This demographic shift represents a significant milestone, as China's population is now estimated at around 1.41 billion, leading to a population gap of approximately 10 million.
e. As of 2023, India has officially surpassed China to become the most populous country in the world, with over 1.4 billion inhabitants.
A. b-d-a-c-e B. e-a-d-b-c C. b-e-a-c-d D. e-d-b-c-a

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

33. My <u>little</u> (A) daughter <u>is going to</u> (B) <u>being</u> (C) <u>taken</u> (D) to daycare center.
34. There <u>are</u> (A) also <u>many</u> (B) single mothers and single fathers <u>which</u> (C) are raising children <u>by</u> (D) themselves.
35. <u>The most</u> (A) you <u>practise</u> (B) your English, the <u>faster</u> (C) you will <u>learn</u> (D).

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the given one.

36. While I strongly disapproved of your behaviour, I will help you this time.
A. Despite of my strong disapproval of your behaviour, I will help you this time.
B. Although I strongly disapproved of your behaviour, but I will help you this time.
C. Because of your behaviour, I will help you this time.
D. Despite my strong disapproval of your behaviour, I will help you this time.
37. "Please don't tell anyone my new address, Tom," said Jane.
A. Jane asked Tom not to tell anyone her new address.
B. Jane told Tom to tell everyone her new address.
C. Jane reminded Tom to tell everyone her new address.
D. Jane didn't want Tom to know her new address.
38. Study harder or you won't pass the exam.
A. If you don't pass the exam, you will have to study harder.
B. If you don't study harder, you will fail the exam.
C. Only if you study harder, you will fail the exam.
D. Unless you study harder, you will pass the exam.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines the two given ones.

39. You must start now. Or you will miss the train.
A. Unless you start now, you will miss the train.
B. Unless you do not start now, you will not miss the train.
C. If you start now, you will miss the train.
D. You will miss the train because you start now.

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40. Tom was suffering from fever. He could not attend the class.
A. Tom was suffering from fever because he could not attend the class.
B. Tom was suffering from fever although could not attend the class.
C. As Tom was suffering from fever, he could not attend the class.
D. Tom was suffering from fever but he could not attend the class.

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