

## UNIT 1: LOCAL ENVIRONMENT

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

1. In 1990, due to the change of the economic situation, Dong Ho paintings were difficult to sell and many \_\_\_\_\_ quit their job.  
A. craftsmen      B. crafts      C. craftsmanship      D. craft unions
2. The Van Phuc silk producers have expended their silk garment goods \_\_\_\_\_ they can satisfy the varied demand for their silk.  
A. so that      B. in order to      C. despite      D. because
3. In this town, they \_\_\_\_\_ all the frames in steel.  
A. make      B. have      C. mould      D. cast
3. Do you know who's \_\_\_\_\_ his pottery workshop?  
A. bringing out      B. taking over      C. passing down      D. turning down
5. This sports centre is so small that it cannot \_\_\_\_\_ the demands of local residents.  
A. face up to      B. set up      C. keep up with      D. deal about
6. \_\_\_\_\_ she's young, she's the most famous artisan in the village.  
A. Whereas      B. Although      C. When      D. In order to
7. The flower was \_\_\_\_\_ out of a single piece of valuable wood.  
A. carved      B. moulded      C. cast      D. given
8. \_\_\_\_\_ a majority of Vietnamese small and medium enterprises do not have in-house designers or specialized design staff, they have to hire freelance designers.  
A. While      B. Since      C. Due to      D. Despite the fact
9. She is skilled at \_\_\_\_\_ cloth.  
A. giving      B. weaving      C. doing      D. carving
10. For that artisans, making the paintings is a career \_\_\_\_\_ it supports the life of many generations of the family.  
A. because of      B. although      C. so that      D. because
11. In 1990, due to the change of the economic situation, many Dong Ho cooperatives had to \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. close down      B. shut      C. close      D. close in
12. If you like, I can \_\_\_\_\_ flowers on the cushion covers for you.  
A. grow      B. embroider      C. make      D. knit
13. Is it true that you \_\_\_\_\_ this woollen hat yourself?  
A. wove      B. knitted      C. did      D. carved
14. They keep changing the decoration of the shop \_\_\_\_\_ they can attract more young people.  
A. so that      B. because      C. although      D. when
15. Craft village are becoming popular \_\_\_\_\_ in Viet Nam.  
A. tour attractiveness      B. physical attraction  
C. tourism attractions      D. tourist attraction

16. He got an excellent grade in his examination \_\_\_\_\_ the fact that he had not worked particularly hard.

- A. on account of    B. because    C. in spite of    D. although

17. I've \_\_\_\_\_ the product catalogue and decided to buy this table.

- A. found out    B. closed down    C. lived on    D. looked through

18. The traditional craft has \_\_\_\_\_ from generation to generation.

- A. been passed down    B. been passed by  
C. passed down    D. passed

19. I love going to this place \_\_\_\_\_ it's the quietest place in the city.

- A. so    B. as    C. so that    D. though

20. In the past, local \_\_\_\_\_ were chosen to make sophisticated embroidered costumes for the Vietnamese King, Queen and other Royal family members.

- A. skillful artists    B. skilled artisans    C. skill workers    D. skillfully works

**II. letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.**

1. **Nam:** "I'm taking my driving test tomorrow."    **Tam:** "\_\_\_\_\_!"

- A. Luck    B. Best wishes    C. Good luck    D. Good chance

2. **Susan:** "Can you do the cooking today?"    **Bill:** "\_\_\_\_\_!"

- A. Oh, all right.    B. No, thank you.    C. I know that    D. Yes, please

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

1. Every house in the street has been demolished.

- A. exploded    B. turned up    C. removed    D. pulled down

2. School uniform is compulsory in most of Vietnamese schools.

- A. depended    B. required    C. divided    D. paid

**IV. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

1. The story told by the teacher amused children in the class.

- A. frightened    B. saddened    C. jolted    D. astonished

2. The new laws to conserve wildlife in the area will come into force next month.

- A. eliminate    B. protect    C. pollute    D. destroy