Môn: Tiếng Anh Lớp: 12

(Thời gian làm bài: 60 phút, không kể thời gian giao đề)

Choose the option A, B, C or D which indicates the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the rest.

Question 1. A. booked **B.** missed **C.** described **D.** pronounced

Question 2. A. allow **B.** tomorrow **C.** slowly **D.** below

Choose the option A, B, C or D which indicates the word whose stress part is different from the rest.

Question 3. A. summary **B.** different **C.** physical **D.** decision

Question 4. A. rural **B.** urban **C.** crowded **D.** advice

Choose the option A, B, C or D which indicates the correct respond to each situation.

Question 5. Jane is talking to Lana after the exam.

Jane: I am so happy. I have just passed my history exam.

Lana: _____

A. Congratulations! **B.** What's the matter? **C.** Get well soon! **D.** Thanks a lot

Question 6. Mark and Jenny are preparing for the presentation.

Mark: "What about starting the presentation with results of our research?

Jenny: " ____ "

A. Congratulations! **B.** Sounds great! **C.** Well done! **D.** What a pity!

Choose the option A, B, C or D which indicates the word or phrases that need correcting to each sentence.

Question 7. Neither Lan <u>or</u> her friends <u>care</u> about <u>the</u> coming <u>exam</u>.

A **B** **C** **D**

Question 8. Many animal <u>species</u> are becoming <u>endangered</u> or even <u>extinction</u> due to <u>habitat</u> destruction.

A B C D

Question 9. It <u>is recommended</u> that lack of resources <u>being</u> the <u>first</u> causes <u>of</u> urbanization.

A **B** **C** **D**

Choose the option A, B, C or D which indicates the word which has CLOSEST meaning to the underlined words/ phrases:

Question 10. <u>Aquatic</u> species' habitat has been seriously broken by dams and changes in direction of water currents.

A. growing watery B. drinking water C. happening in water D. relating to water

Question 11. We have to suffer from traffic <u>congestion</u> and pollution every day.

A. accident **B.** fullness **C.** mass **D.** jam

Choose the option A, B, C or D which indicates the word which has OPPOSITE meaning to the underlined words/ phrases:

Question 12. This boy is <u>poorly-educated</u> and doesn't know how to behave properly.

A. uneducated **B.** knowledgeable **C.** ignorant **D.** rude

Question 13. She's a bit <u>down in the dumps</u> because she's got to take her exam again.

A. genuine **B.** embarrassed **C.** confident **D.** happy

Choose the option A, B, C or D which indicates the sentences which has the CLOSEST meaning to the original one.

Question 14. John has played the guitar since he was twelve.

A. John has started to play the guitar since he was twelve.

B. John began to play the guitar when he was twelve.

C. The last time John played the guitar was at the age of twelve.

D. It has been twelve years since John played the guitar.

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Question 15. By the time Pete telephoned me, I had already finished my social networking profile.
A. Pete telephoned me while I was finishing my social networking profile.
B. No sooner had Pete telephoned me than I finished my profile
C. Hardly had I finished my social networking profile when Pete telephoned me.
D. When Pete telephoned me, I finished my social networking profile.

Question 16. I don't understand this point of grammar.
A. I wish I understand this point of grammar better.
B. I wish I understood this point of grammar better.
C. I wish I didn't understand this point of grammar better.
D. I wish I can understand this point of grammar better.

Choose the option A, B, C or D which indicates the sentences which has best combine the original ones.

Question 17. If we can solve this problem soon, it will be better for all concerned.
A. The sooner we solved this problem, the better it would be for all concerned.
B. The sooner we solve this problem, the better it will be for all concerned.
C. We solved this problem sooner, it would be better for all concerned.
D. The soonest we solve this problem, the best it will be for all concerned.

Question 18. He drinks quite a lot. That makes him so ill.
A. He drinks quite a lot, which makes him so ill.
B. He drinks quite a lot, that makes him so ill.
C. He drinks quite a lot, or makes him so ill.
D. He drinks quite a lot, who makes him so ill.

Choose the option A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 19. It is important for young people to _____ the identity of our culture.
A. remain B. retain C. maintain D. attain

Question 20. Many companies do not want to spend too much on waste ____ as the cost is really high.
A. discharge **B.** release **C.** rid **D.** disposal

Question 21. The benefits of the Internet of social media are _____ .
A. enormous B. huge C. large D. gigantic

Question 22. Many people decide to live in a small city as the environment is less polluted_____ people are more friendly.
A. and **B.** so **C.** or **D.** but

Question 23. These days, most young people would like to look for ____ jobs rather than secure ones.
A. long-term **B.** well-paid **C.** fast-growing **D.** long-lasting

Question 24. The NatureServe Network empowers people to sustain _____ by making sure everyone has access to the knowledge of our shared lands and waters.
A. diverse B. biodiverse C. diversification D. biodiversity

Question 25. It is necessary that you ____ able to come with us.
A. are **B.** be **C.** being **D.** to be

Question 26. A smart sustainable city will meet the needs of present and future generations with respect to _____, social and environmental aspects.
A. economy **B.** economic **C.** economize **D.** economizing

Question 27. Although it was more than an hour late, the superstar finally showed up and _____ the attention of the audience,
A. grabbed **B.** held **C.** paid **D.** took

Question 28. She has read _____ interesting book.
A. a **B.** an **C.** the **D.** X

Question 29. She has lived with her aunt since her parents_____ 8 years ago.
A. brought up **B.** passed away **C.** put off **D.** switched off

Question 30. People migrate_____ urban area on a massive scale due to lack of resources in rural area
A. in **B.** onto **C.** to **D.** out

Question 31. By the year 2050, computers_____ teachers
A. replace B. will replace C. will have replaced D. has replaced

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Question 32. He _____ to his friend when he heard a noise.

A. was writing **B.** wrote **C.** has written **D.** writes

Question 33. I _____many people since I came here in June.

A. met **B.** has met **C.** was meeting **D.** have met

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 31 to 35.

THE POPULARITY OF TEXT MESSAGING

Why is text messaging so popular, especially with young people? There are two main reasons. One is cost, as many teenagers have to use pay-as-you-go mobile tariffs (1) _____ of contracts, and so it is cheaper to send a text message than (2) _____ a voice call. So texters get better value of (3) _____ . But there is a second, less practical reason for its popularity. A generation is growing up happy to communicate (4) _____ by text, and this new form of instant communication is even more relaxed and informal than either email or phone calls. Text messaging has created a completely new language, (5) _____ of abbreviations and unusual spellings.

Question 34. A. instead B. rather C. other D. afraid

Question 35. A. do B. make C. take D. form

Question 36. A. cash B. income C. money D. earnings

Question 37. A. almost B. mostly C. completely D. rarely

Question 38. A. filled B. packed C. full D. fraught

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.

When people think of movies, they usually think of Hollywood. However, many of the earliest tools relating to motion pictures were not American inventions. It was thanks to the efforts of inventors from several countries that we can enjoy movies today.

In the early 1800s, an Englishman named William George Horner invented the zoetrope. In it a series of pictures were mounted inside a drum. When the rotating pictures were viewed through slots, they **merged** into one and appeared to move. In California in 1877, another Englishman, named Eadweard Muybridge, used a series of cameras to record the movements of a galloping horse. Later, he also recorded human movements. He used his still pictures to illustrate books; thus it was left to the German, Ottomar Anschutz, to invent a way to rapidly show the picture series to give the impression of movement. Finally, it took a Frenchman, Etienne-Jules Marey, to develop a single camera to record movement. Marey shot his pictures on fixed plates, at the rate of 12 per second. As early as 1888 he was experimenting with celluloid film, an American invention.

While Thomas Edison was busy inventing something called the kinetograph camera, Louis Le Prince of France was patenting a 16-lens camera to take moving pictures and a projector to show **them**. By the following year he was working with a single-lens camera. Unfortunately, in 1890 le Prince suddenly disappeared from the train in which he was travelling and vanished forever. Taking up where Le Prince left off were Louis and Auguste Lumiere, who gave the world's first projected film performance, before a paying audience in Paris on December 28, 1895.

Motion pictures have come a long way since those early days and have had a great influence on society. It was thanks to the contributions of filmmakers and inventors from all over the world that movies have developed into the form we know today.

Question 39: *What does this passage discuss?*

A. The movie-related inventions in the early days.

B. Lives of some inventors who contributed to the development of the movie industry.

C. The influence of motion pictures on the society in the early days.

D. The rapid expansion of motion pictures since the first time they appeared.

Question 40: *The word **'merged'** in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.*

A. coordinated B. collected C. cooperated D. combined

Question 41: *According to the passage, who recorded motions of an animal?*

A. William George Horner B. Eadweard Muybridge

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C. Ottomar Anschutz D. Etienne-Jules Marey

Question 42: *All of the following statements are correct EXCEPT _____.*

A. Etienne-Jules Marey invented celluloid film.

B. The kinetograph camera was invented by Thomas Edison.

C. The zoetrope is William George Horner's invention.

D. Le Prince is the father of the 16-lens camera.

Question 43*: The word **'them'** in paragraph 3 refers to _____.*

A. the lens B. the moving pictures C. the projectors D. the cameras

Question 44*: According to the passage, which of the following statements is NOT TRUE?*

A. The first tools for making movies were not made by the American.

B. Etienne-Jules Marey was the one who invented a camera that could be used to record movement.

C. The first time a movie was commercially shown was in 1890.

D. People's life has been greatly influenced by motion pictures.

Question 45: *It can be inferred from the passage that _____ .*

A. the United States is not the only country that has a very strong movie industry.

B. most of the inventors mentioned in the passage brought their inventions to the United States.

C. Louis Le Prince was considered the greatest inventor of the movie industry.

D. movies themselves are a cooperative invention of mankind.

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.

Along with the rapid growth of the national economy and increased living standards, the use of disposables and over-packaged products has become common, which causes a waste of resources, and brings about a negative impact on the environment. Many countries have started to act to control the use of disposables and over-packaged, products.

In 1994, the Ministry of Environment in Korea has put restrictions on packaging methods. Korea's legal regulations require businesses to **restrict** their use of disposable products by reducing unnecessary packaging materials or not giving **them** out to customers for free. The use of materials are difficult to recycle is also prohibited.

Thanks to development of technology, biodegradable materials were invented to produce packaging products. They are able to decay naturally by bacteria. Therefore, biodegradable packaging helps to limit the amount of harmful chemicals released into the environment. In 2008, biodegradable bags were put in use in most of the supermarkets in Korea. Paper cups and paper bags are also given to shoppers for free, but in a limited use.

The ministry also established the detailed Guidelines on the Restrictions of Use of Disposable Products in order to ensure that local governments could conduct systematic checks and inspections of businesses, and implemented reductions on over-packaged products during national holidays, and school admission and graduation seasons.

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Question 46. What could be the best title of the text?

A. The Impacts of Disposable Products

B. Korea's Ministry of Environment

C. Disposable Products and Over-packaging

D. Disposable Products and Holidays in Korea

Question 47. What is the result of overusing disposable products in packaging?

A. The environment will be badly affected. **B.** Natural resources are not exploited.

C. Businesses gain more profits. **D.** Living standards increase.

Question 48. The word **'restrict'** in the second paragraph most closely means__?

A. ban **B.** dispose **C.** limit **D.** suggest

Question 49. What does the word "**them**" in the second paragraph refer to?

A. regulations **B.** packaging materials

C. companies' products **D.** packaging methods

Question 50. According to the text, what is the product of the advanced technology used in packaging?

A. various chemicals **B.** paper packaging

C. packaging products **D.** naturally-decomposing materials

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