

PHÒNG GD&ĐT  
TRƯỜNG .....

BÀI KIỂM TRA HỌC KÌ I  
Môn: Tiếng Anh 8( Thí điểm)  
Thời gian: 60 phút  
(Không kể thời gian giao đề)

**Đề 6**

**I. Listen and answer the questions.**

**Question 1. What are Long Van, Tuyen Son, Hinh Bong?**

- A. discovered caves in Huong Son.
- B. famous pagodas in Huong Son
- C. pagodas, caves and grottos in Huong Son
- D. well-known places in Huong Son.

**Question 2. How far is it from The Ong Bay to Long Van Pagoda?**

- A. 2 kilometers
- B. 12 kilometers
- C. 2 miles
- D. 20 miles

**Question 3. What does Huong Pagoda harmonize the character of a Buddhist architectural complex with?**

- A. man-made buildings
- B. the natural beauty
- C. nearby villages
- D. other religious styles

**Question 4. When is the best time to visit these places?**

- A. spring
- B. summer
- C. autumn
- D. winter

**II. Choose the word whose main stress pattern is not the same as that of the others**

**Question 5.**

- A. consumption                      B. explosion  
C. technician                         D. mathematician

**Question 6.**

- A. nomadic                             B. ancestor  
C. diversity                             D. reflect

**Question 7.**

- A. majority                             B. multicultural  
C. community                         D. addicted

**III. Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the others.**

**Question 8.**

- A. taxes                                 B. watches  
C. books                                 D. boxes

**Question 9.**

- A. fair                                     B. hair  
C. air                                     D. bag

**Question 10.**

- A. transmit                               B. exhibition  
C. spy                                     D. slim

**Question 11.**

- A. chemistry                             B. charge  
C. chunk                                 D. church

**Question 12.**

- A. knife                                      B. kill  
C. know                                        D. knives

**IV. Choose the best option (A, B, C or D) to complete the sentences**

**Question 13.** She loves lying and \_\_\_\_\_ the slow movement of the clouds.

- A. watch                                        B. to watch  
C. watching                                    D. watched

**Question 14.** \_\_\_\_\_ we followed the tradition of coming home for our family reunion, young people in Vietnam go abroad at Tet.

- A. Nevertheless                              B. Although  
C. But    D. However

**Question 15.** We burn \_\_\_\_\_ to show respect to our ancestors during Tet.

- A. wood                                         B. paper  
C. plastic                                        D. incense

**Question 16.** The farmer rides a buffalo - \_\_\_\_\_ cart loaded full of rice home.

- A. draw                                         B. drawing  
C. drew                                         D. drawn

**Question 17.** People in the countryside live \_\_\_\_\_ than those in the city.

- A. happier                                       B. happily  
C. happy                                         D. more happily

**Question 18.** Viet Nam is \_\_\_\_\_ multicultural country with 54 ethnic groups.

- A. a    B. an  
C. the    D. A and C



**VII. Fill in each blank with a suitable word given in the box to complete the following passage.**

<i>picks</i>	<i>gets</i>	<i>ancestors</i>
<i>place</i>	<i>full</i>	<i>cultural</i>
<i>especially</i>	<i>celebrated</i>	<i>pray</i>

Spring is a time when there are many festivals in our country. Among them, Hoa Ban Festival is the most beautiful and interesting, and it takes (29) \_\_\_\_\_ in Lai Chau. It is typical of the (30) \_\_\_\_\_ life of the Thai people. In the second lunar month of the year, when it (31) \_\_\_\_\_ warmer and hoa ban – a kind of beautiful flower in the northwest mountainous area – blossoms, Hoa Ban Festival is (32) \_\_\_\_\_. This is a great time for everyone, (33) \_\_\_\_\_ for boys and girls. The boy (34) \_\_\_\_\_ the most beautiful flower and gives it to his girlfriend. This is not only a time for love but also for the Thai people to (35) \_\_\_\_\_ for good crops, for happiness, and express their special thanks to the Gods and (36) \_\_\_\_\_. The festival is always (37) \_\_\_\_\_ of songs and prayers.

**VIII. Read the text then write the answers to the questions below.**

### **MY BEST FRIEND**

My name's John and my best friend is called Pamela. We met thirty years ago when we were both five years old. It was my first day at school and I was very unhappy because I wanted my mother. Pamela gave me a sweet and we became friends immediately. We were together nearly every day until we left school twelve years later.

Then I went to university but Pamela didn't. She got married and had three children. I studied for eight years because I wanted to be an accountant. I had a lot of new friends so I didn't see Pamela very often. Sometimes we didn't meet for months but we often talked on the phone.

**Question 38.** How old were John and Pamela when they became friends?

⇒ \_\_\_\_\_

**Question 39.** How often did they meet at school?

⇒ \_\_\_\_\_

**Question 40.** Why didn't Pamela go to university?

⇒ \_\_\_\_\_