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Môn thi: TIẾNG ANH
Thời gian làm bài: 60 phút, không kể thời gian phát đề

Họ, tên thí sinh: .....
Số báo danh: .....

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

Question 1: **A.** creates **B.** faces **C.** strikes **D.** cigarettes
Question 2: **A.** monitor **B.** moment **C.** opponent **D.** component

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions.

Question 3: **A.** confide **B.** finish **C.** prepare **D.** migrate
Question 4: **A.** decorate **B.** disabled **C.** privacy **D.** integrate

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

Question 5: I think that it is impossible for him to be financially independent at such an early age, ____?
A. isn't it **B.** is it **C.** doesn't he **D.** does he

Question 6: In the UK approximately 40% of school leavers go on ____ at university, compared with 8% in the early 1980s.
A. studying **B.** to study **C.** to studying **D.** study

Question 7: Oil ____ if you pour it on water.
A. floated **B.** has floated **C.** will be floated **D.** floats

Question 8: In the early 16th century, the geography of the globe still ____ a mystery
A. remains **B.** has remained **C.** remained **D.** was remained

Question 9: ____ the price is high, we can't afford to buy a new car
A. Now that **B.** Although **C.** Whereas **D.** As long as

Question 10: Last year, my father ____, but now after a bad cough, he has given it up.
A. was always smoking **B.** always smokes
C. always smoked **D.** had always smoked

Question 11: The member states will act in accordance ____ the law to set out in various ASEAN instruments.
A. for **B.** of **C.** to **D.** with

Question 12: Hoi An Ancient Town is a well-preserved example of a Southeast Asian trading port ____ from the 15th to the 19th century.
A. to date **B.** dated **C.** that date **D.** dating

Question 13: Unfortunately, the solution to this problem is neither simple nor ____.
A. economy **B.** economic **C.** economical **D.** economically

Question 14: The volunteer team ____ students with various visual, hearing, physical and cognitive impairments every two months to give them both financial and spiritual support.
A. call back **B.** call off **C.** call on **D.** call out

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Question 15: The Convention for the Rights of Persons with Disabilities came into ___on 3rd May 2008.

A. action **B.** force **C.** truth **D.** reality

Question 16: Not all the winners will receive great prizes, but nobody leaves ____.

A. blank-handed **B.** clear-handed **C.** empty-handed **D.** white-handed

Question 17: My dad wants me to go to university, but I'm in ____ minds about it.

A. different **B.** my **C.** some **D.** two

Question 18: Experts say that another outbreak of flu epidemic is on the _____.

A. cards **B.** boards **C.** papers **D.** days

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

Question 19: We're surprised to hear that his musical talent was **nurtured** by their loving parents when he was a child.

A. abandoned **B.** limited **C.** fostered **D.** restricted

Question 20: The atmosphere at work was so bad that Brian eventually decided to **hand in his notice**.

A. notify the boss **B.** apply for another job

C. give up his job **D.** be given a better job

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

Question 21: He's really **out of shape**, so he'd better start exercising. Otherwise, he won't be able to join us on the hiking trip next month.

A. out of work **B.** unhealthy and stressed

C. physically fit **D.** always joyful

Question 22: I'd go mad if I had to do a **dead-end** job like working on a supermarket checkout.

A. boring **B.** monotonous **C.** fascinating **D.** demanding

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best completes each of the following exchanges

Question 23: Tom and Jenny are talking about their plan this summer holiday.

- Tom: "_____." - Jenny: "That's a good idea."

A. Why not take a trip to the Citadel in Hue this summer holiday?

B. What happened to the Citadel in Hue after the storm?

C. Have you heard about the Citadel in Hue?

D. How can we book a tour to the Citadel in Hue this summer holiday?

Câu 24. Mark and John are waiting for Jenny.

Mark: "Jenny is always late for appointments." - John: "Yes. _____"

A. But she is having an appointment.

B. But she will never be appointed to the position.

C. And the appointment is never late, too.

D. And she always knows how to make an excuse.

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Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

A scientist said robots will be more intelligent than humans by 2029. The scientist's name is Ray Kurzweil. He works for Google as Director of Engineering. He is one of the world's leading experts on (25) _____ intelligence (A.I). Mr Kurzweil believes computers will be able to learn from experiences, just like humans. He also thinks they will be able to tell jokes and stories, and even flirt. Kurzweil's 2029 prediction is a lot sooner than many people thought. The scientist said that in 1999, many A.I. experts said it would be hundreds of years (26) ____ a computer was more intelligent than a human. He said that it would not be long before computer (27) _____ is one billion times more powerful than the human brain.

Mr Kurzweil joked that many years ago, people thought he was a little crazy for predicting computers would be as intelligent as humans. His thinking has stayed the same but everyone else has changed the way they think. He said: "My views are not radical any more. I've actually stayed (28) _____. It's the rest of the world that's changing its view." He highlighted examples of high-tech things we use, see or read about every day. These things make us believe that computers have intelligence. He said people think differently now: "Because the public has seen things like Siri (the iPhone's voice-recognition technology) (29) _____ you talk to a computer, they've seen the Google self-driving cars."

(Source: https://breakingnewsenglish.com)

Câu 25. A. artificial	**B.** false	**C.** handmade	**D.** fake
Câu 26. A. while	**B.** after	**C.** then	**D.** before
Câu 27. A. intelligent	**B.** intelligently	**C.** intelligence	**D.** intelligences
Câu 28. A. consistent	**B.** insistent	**C.** persistent	**D.** resistant
Câu 29. A. which	**B.** where	**C.** whom	**D.** what

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.

No matter how much you've trained, performance anxiety before or during a competition may occur, **hindering** the results of your match.

While you can tell yourself to stay calm prior to a competition, managing performance anxiety may not be as simple as. Research has shown that strategies such as meditation and guided imagery are great places to start; both require your brain to rehearse what you will do during your competition. Your imagination holds much more power than you may expect, helping you focus on how to beat your opponent, instead of other factors that contribute to your anxiety. Adequate preparation also plays a large role.

To master the mental game, it takes time. Starting one month before your competition, consider sitting in solitude in a comfortable position for 15 minutes each day. Focus first on breathing in and out deeply. Then, begin to imagine competition situations and visualize yourself in a fight with your competitor. Be mindful of your anxiety and return your focus to breathing if you feel yourself tense up. Sometimes, you may find yourself thinking self-deprecating or negative thoughts, at which point you should consciously replace any negative self-talk with

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positive self-talk. During these visualizations, also be sure to think about your posture and form and create cues — mental and verbal — that will help you review and correct your technique. Pre-competition jitters are completely normal and it's important to acknowledge **that**. Accepting that this excitement and/or nervousness is normal will help your body also understand that what you are experiencing is not fear, but perhaps part of your adrenaline response to competition. With more experience, mindful visualization and mental/physical preparation can help you manage and overcome performance anxiety.

(source: https://blog.perfectmind.com/)

Question 30. Which best serves as the title for the passage?

A. Overcoming performance anxiety before a competition.

B. Songs Olympians Listen to Before Competition.

C. How to pray before, during, and after competition.

D. Anxiety before a competition can lead to insomnia.

Question 31. The word "**hindering**" in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. frustrating **B.** crippling **C.** arresting **D.** hampering

Question 32. According to paragraph 2, what is NOT mentioned as a contributing factor for victory?

A. Imagination **B.** Preparation **C.** Anxiety **D.** Anxiety management

Question 33. According to paragraph 3, what step is NOT included in the mindful visualization technique?

A. Maintain a daily habit of 15-minute sitting alone for a month before the contest day.

B. Visualize interconnected dots in your minds while reciting the secret mantra.

C. Simulate several possible interactions between yourself and opponents.

D. Steer clear of pessimistic thoughts and substitutes them with optimistic ones.

Question 34. The word "**that**" in paragraph 4 refers to _____.

A. The fact that your fear for competition is a kind of inexplicable phobia.

B. The fact that feeling anxious before a competition is nothing unusual.

C. The fact that hardly anyone will understand your aversion to contest.

D. The fact that introspection is not an effective pre-test calming practice.

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.

By mid-century, there will likely be 9 billion people on the planet, consuming ever more resources and leading ever more technologically complex lives. What will our cities be like? How much will artificial intelligence advance? Will global warming **trigger** catastrophic changes, or will we be able to engineer our way out of the climate change crisis?

Making predictions is, by nature, a dicey business, but to celebrate the 40th anniversary of Smithsonian magazine Big Think asked top minds from a variety of fields to weigh in on what the future holds 40 years from now. The result is our latest special series, Life in 2050. Demographic changes in world population and population growth will certainly be dramatic. Rockefeller University mathematical biologist Joel Cohen says it's likely that by 2050 the majority of the people in the world will live in urban areas, and will have a significantly higher average age than people today. Cities theorist Richard Florida thinks urbanization trends will

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reinvent the education system of the United States, making our economy less real estate driven and erasing the divisions between home and work.

Large migrations from developing countries like Indonesia, Malaysia, Bangladesh, Mexico, and countries in the Middle East could **disrupt** western governments and harm the unity of France, Germany, Spain, the Netherlands, Poland, and the United Kingdom under the umbrella of the European Union.

And rapidly advancing technology will continue ever more rapidly. According to Bill Mitchell, the late director of MIT's Smart Cities research group, cities of the future won't look like "some sort of science-fiction fantasy" or "Star Trek" but it's likely that "discreet, unobtrusive" technological advances and information overlays, i.e. virtual reality and augmented reality, will change how we live in significant ways. Self-driving cars will make the roads safer, driving more efficient, and provide faster transports. A larger version of driverless cars—driverless trucks—may make long haul drivers obsolete.

Meanwhile, the Internet will continue to radically transform media, destroying the traditional model of what a news organization is, says author and former New York Times Public Editor, Daniel Okrent, **who** believes the most common kinds of news organizations in the future will be "individuals and small alliances of individuals" reporting and publishing on niche topics.

(Source: https://bigthink.com)

Question 35. What topic does the passage mainly discuss?

A. The population in the future **B.** The advanced artificial intelligence
C. The life in 2050 **D.** Global warming and its impacts

Question 36. The word "**trigger**" in the first paragraph could be best replaced by _____.

A. cause **B.** prevent **C.** encourage **D.** promote

Question 37. Which of the following predictions in paragraph 2 is **NOT** true?

A. The world population will grow considerably.
B. The humans will have a longer life span.
C. Urbanization trends will increase the separation between home and workplace.
D. More and more inhabitants choose urban areas to live.

Question 38. The word "**disrupt**" in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. settle **B.** establish **C.** disturb **D.** replace

Question 39. According to paragraph 3, the following countries are damaged by the migrations, EXCEPT _____.

A. the countries in the Middle East **B.** Germany
C. the United Kingdom **D.** the Netherlands

Question 40. What is the problem caused by advanced technology for future humans in paragraph 5?

A. It makes people likely to live in the virtual reality.
B. It will be unsafe for people to drive their cars on the roads.
C. Long haul drivers may become unemployed.
D. People's lives will be getting worse.

Question 41. What does the word "**who**" in the last paragraph refer to?

A. Daniel Okrent **B.** New York Times **C.** author **D.** traditional model

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Question 42. Which of the following best describes the author's attitude about the life in 2050?

A. pessimistic **B.** optimistic **C.** doubtful **D.** anxious

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

Question 43: Both of the girls has turned in the papers to the instructor yet.

A. Both **B.** girls **C.** turned **D.** instructor

Question 44: Many nations protect endangered species by forbidding hunting, to restrict land development and creating preserves.

A. protect **B.** by forbidding **C.** to restrict **D.** and creating

Question 45: Not until he got home did he realize he had forgotten to give her the presence.

A. got **B.** he realize **C.** her **D.** the presence

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions

Question 46: It is more difficult to learn to speak English than to learn to write it.

A. Learning to speak English is more difficult than to learn to write it.

B. Learning to speak English is as difficult as learning to write it.

C. Learning to speak English is more difficult than learning to write it.

D. Learning to speak English is not so difficult as learning to write it.

Question 47: "Let's go for a walk. We've been working all day", said Joanna.

A. Joanna suggested going for a walk because they had been working all day.

B. Joanna insisted on going for a walk because they had been working all day.

C. Joanna suggested going for a walk because they have been working all day.

D. Joanna suggested going for a walk because she had been working all day.

Question 48: It is high time you made up your mind.

A. You ought to make up your mind now. **B.** Making up your mind is necessary.

C. It is possible to make up your mind. **D.** You should have made up your mind

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions

Question 49: They didn't have breakfast. That's why they are hungry now.

A. If they had breakfast, they wouldn't be hungry now.

B. If they had had breakfast, they wouldn't be hungry now.

C. If they had had breakfast, they wouldn't have been hungry now.

D. If they had breakfast, they would have been hungry now.

Question 50: You can feel more at ease by taking part in group dating. It's the only way.

A. By taking part in group dating can you only feel more at ease.

B. Only by taking part in group dating can you feel more at ease.

C. The only way you are by taking part in group dating can feel more at ease.

D. The way you can feel more at ease is taking part in only group dating.

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