

**ĐỀ THI THỬ THPTQG NĂM 2020**  
**CHUẨN CẤU TRÚC CỦA BỘ GIÁO DỤC**  
**Môn thi: TIẾNG ANH**

Số báo danh: .....

**Question 1.** A. helps B. books C. reads D. waits  
**Question 2.** A. surround B. source C. account D. plough

**Question 3.** A. describe      B. beauty      C. prevent      D. advise  
**Question 4.** A. quality      B. solution      C. compliment      D. energy

**A. has she**                      **B. hasn't she**                      **C. does she**                      **D. didn't she**

**A.** to buying.      **B.** buying.      **C.** buy.      **D.** to buy.

**A.** have shown.      **B.** will show.      **C.** would show.      **D.** showed.

**A.** would leave.      **B.** was leaving.      **C.** had left.      **D.** has left.

**A. but**                      **B. except**                      **C. although**                      **D. because**

A. It was in 1966 that  
B. It was on 1966 that  
C. It was in 1966 when  
D. It was 1966 in that

**A. Instead**                      **B. In place**                      **C. On behalf**                      **D. On account**

**A. to be asked**      **B. asking**      **C. asks**      **D. to ask**

**A. enjoyable**                      **B. enjoyed**                      **C. enjoying**                      **D. enjoyment**

**A.** taken out                      **B.** crossed out                      **C.** broken off                      **D.** tried on

**A.** leave.                      **B.** quit.                      **C.** skip.                      **D.** hide.

**Question 16.** Mr. Simpkins is the big \_\_\_\_\_ in the company as he has just been promoted to the position of Managing Director.

- A. bread                      B. cheese                      C. meat                      D. apple

**Question 17.** They live in a very \_\_\_\_\_ populated area of Italy.

- A. sparsely                      B. scarcely                      C. hardly                      B. barely

**Question 18.** It is advisable that the apprentice should be \_\_\_\_\_ to learn the ins and outs of the new job.

- A. observant.                      B. acceptable.                      C. noticeable.                      D. permissive.

**Question 19:** We decided to spend \_\_\_\_\_ summer in \_\_\_\_\_ seaside town.

- A. a/the                      B. the/ 0                      C. the/a                      D. 0/a

*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.** The football final has been postponed until next Sunday due to the heavy snowstorm.

- A. cancelled.                      B. changed.                      C. delayed.                      D. continued.

**Question 20.** We're really close friends but we just can not see eye to eye on politics.

- A. not see well                      B. not share the same views about  
C. not understand                      D. not care for

*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.** I didn't think his comments were very appropriate at the time.

- A. correct                      B. right                      C. proper                      D. unsuitable

**Question 22.** As you can see, my father does a lot of gardening and those rose bushes are the apples of his eye. He's so proud of them.

- A. the things that he likes very much                      B. the apples that he prefers  
C. the things that is very important to him                      D. the things that he dislikes

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that best completes each of the following exchanges.*

**Question 23.** *Two students are talking about the school curriculum.*

- Ted: "Swimming should be made part of the school curriculum."

- Kate: "\_\_\_\_\_. It is an essential life skill."

- A. Not at all.                      B. You can make it.  
C. I can't agree with you more.                      D. Oh, that's a problem.

**Question 24.** *Susie is talking to Kimy after hearing the announcement.*

- Susie: "\_\_\_\_\_."

- Kimy: "Never mind, better luck next time."

- A. I have been chosen                      B. I have made up my mind  
C. I couldn't concentrate on work                      D. I didn't get the scholarship

*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.*

#### THE FAMILY

Statesmen define a family as “a group of individuals having a common dwelling and related by blood, adoption or marriage, (25) \_\_\_\_\_ includes common-law relationships”. Most people are born into one of these groups and will live their lives as a family in such a group.

Although the definition of a family may not change, (26) \_\_\_\_\_ relationship of people to each other within the family group changes as society changes. More and more wives are taking paying jobs, and, as a result, the roles of husband, wife and children are changing. Today, men expect to work for pay for about 40 years of their lives, and, in today’s marriages (27) \_\_\_\_\_ which both spouses have paying jobs, women can expect to work for about 30 to 35 years of their lives. This means that men must learn to do their share of family tasks such as caring for the children and daily (28) \_\_\_\_\_ chores. Children, too, especially adolescents, have to (29) \_\_\_\_\_ with the members of their family in sharing household tasks.

The widespread acceptance of contraception has meant that having children is a matter of choice, not an automatic result of marriage. Marriage itself has become a choice. As alternatives such as common-law relationships and single-parent families have become socially acceptable, women will become more independent.

**Question 25.** A. which

B. that

C. what

D. it

**Question 26.** A. a

B. any

C. some

D. the

**Question 27.** A. in

B. for

C. with

D. to

**Question 28.** A. home

B. family

C. house

D. household

**Question 29.** A. carry

B. deal

C. cooperate

D. combine

*Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the answer to each of the questions.*

Instructors at American colleges and universities use many different teaching methods. Some instructors give assignments everyday. They grade homework. Students in their classes have to take many quizzes, a midterm exam, and a final test. Other instructors give only writing assignments. Some teachers always follow a course outline and usually use the text book. Others send students to the library for assignments.

The atmosphere in some classrooms is very formal. Students call their instructors “Professor Smith,” “Mrs Jones,” and so on. Some teachers wear **business clothes** and give lectures. Other classrooms have an informal atmosphere. Students and teachers discuss their ideas. Instructors dress informally, and students call them by their first names. American teachers are not alike in their teaching styles.

At most American colleges and universities, facilities for learning and recreation are available to students. Students can often use type-writers, tape recorders, video machines, and computers at libraries and learning centres. **They** can buy books, notebooks, and other things at campus stores. They can get advice on their problems from counselors and individual help with their classes from tutors. Students can relax and have fun on campus, too. Some schools have swimming pools and tennis courts. Most have snack bars and cafeterias.

**Question 30.** What is the main idea of the first paragraph?

A. Ways of using the textbook.

B. Ways of giving assignments.

C. Ways of teaching.

D. Ways of taking an exam.

**Question 31.** Which of the following statements is TRUE?

A. American teachers do not dress informally.

B. The atmosphere in American classrooms is always formal.

C. The atmosphere in American classrooms is always relaxed and friendly.

D. American students can call their teachers by their first names.

**Question 32.** What does the phrase “**business clothes**” in paragraph 2 mean?

- A. clothes that only business people wear.
- B. trendy clothes.
- C. casual clothes.
- D. formal clothes.

**Question 33.** What can't students do at most American colleges and universities?

- A. buy anything at campus stores.
- B. ask their counselors and tutors for advice.
- C. use the computers that are linked to libraries.
- D. have tutors and counselors solved their problems.

**Question 34.** The word "They" in paragraph 3 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. students
- B. colleges
- C. universities
- D. learning centers

*Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the answer to each of the questions.*

Sharks have gained an unfair reputation for being fierce predators of large sea animals. Humanity's unfounded fear and hatred of these ancient creatures is leading to a worldwide slaughter that may result in the extinction of many coastal shark species. The shark is the victim of a warped attitude of wildlife protection; we strive only to protect the beautiful, non-threatening parts of our environment. And, in our efforts to restore only non-threatening parts of our earth, we ignore other important parts.

A perfect illustration of this attitude is the contrasting attitude toward another large sea animal, the dolphin. During the 1980s, environmentalists in the United States **protested** the use of driftnets for tuna fishing in the Pacific Ocean since these nets also caught dolphins. The environmentalists generated enough political and economic pressure to prevent tuna companies from buying tuna that had been caught in driftnets. In contrast to this effort on behalf of the dolphins, these same environmentalists have done very little to help save the Pacific Ocean sharks whose population has decreased nearly to the point of extinction.

Sharks are among the oldest creatures on earth, having survived in the seas for more than 350 million years. **They** are extremely efficient animals, feeding on wounded or dying animals, thus performing an important role in nature of weeding out the weaker animals in a species. Just the fact that species such as the Great White Shark have managed to live in the oceans for so many millions of years is enough proof of their efficiency and adaptability to changing environments. It is time for US humans, who may not survive another 1,000 years at the rate we are damaging the planet, **to cast away** our fears and begin considering the protection of sharks as an important part of a program for protection of all our natural environment.

**Question 35.** With which of the following topics is this passage primarily concerned?

- A. Sharks are efficient creatures with bad reputations.
- B. Sharks are some of the oldest creatures on earth.
- C. Sharks illustrate a problem in wildlife protection.
- D. The campaign to save dolphins was not extended to save sharks.

**Question 36.** The word "**protested**" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to which of the following?

- A. prescribed
- B. objected to
- C. protected
- D. reflected on

**Question 37.** How did environmentalists manage to protect dolphins?

- A. They prevented fishermen from selling them for meat.
- B. They pressured fishermen into protecting dolphins by law.
- C. They brought political pressure against tuna companies.
- D. They created sanctuaries where dolphin fishing was not allowed.

**Question 38.** About how long have sharks lived on the planet?

- Question 39.** The phrase “to cast away” in paragraph 3 means most nearly \_\_\_\_.

**Question 40.**What can be inferred from the passage?

- Question 41.** Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the passage?

- Question 42.** The word “They” in paragraph 3 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

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

**Question 43.** The man, together with his family, were invited to the Clambake last night.

- Question 44.** Sleeping, resting, and to drink fruit juice are the best ways to care for a cold.

- Question 45.** They have carried out exhausting research into the effects of smartphones on schoolchildren's behaviour and their academic performance.

- Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.*

**Question 46.** She is the most intelligent woman I have ever met.

- Question 47.** “Would you like to go to the show with me?” Anna said to Bella.

- Question 48.** People say that Mr. Goldman gave nearly a million pounds to charity last year.

- A. Nearly a million pounds is said to be given to charity by Mr. Goldman last year.

- B. Mr. Goldman was said to have given nearly a million pounds to charity last year.
- C. Mr. Goldman is said to have given nearly a million pounds to charity last year.
- D. Nearly a million pounds was said to have been given to charity by Mr. Goldman last year.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.**

**Question 49.** Extreme weather may be a cause of poverty in many countries. War may be a cause of poverty in many countries.

- A. Extreme weather and war are caused by poverty in many countries.
- B. Both extreme weather and war result from poverty in many countries.
- C. Not only extreme weather but also war may lead to poverty in many countries.
- D. Apart from war, extreme weather also contributes to poverty in many countries.

**Question 50.** We arrived at the cinema. Then we realized our tickets were still at home.

- A. No sooner had we realized that our tickets were still at home than we arrived at the cinema.
- B. Not until we arrived at the cinema that we realized that our tickets were still at home
- C. Only after we had arrived at the cinema did we realize that our tickets were at home.
- D. Hardly had we arrived at the cinema than we realized that our tickets were still at home.

THE END