

Họ và 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. teach B. break C. deal D. clean
Question 2: A. century B. capital C. capable D. captain

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. manage B. protect C. reform D. regard
Question 4: A. interact B. entertain C. compassion D. understand

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

- Question 5. The Bhaktapur Durbar square, also _____ as Bhadgaon, consists of at least four distinct squares.

A. known B. knew C. to know D. knowing

- Question 6. Goods sold in the open markets are often _____ than those in the supermarket.

A. resonable B. most reasonable C. the most reasonable D. more reasonable

- Question 7. She says she won't phone us _____

A. until she has the information B. when she had the information
C. after she had had the information D. by the time she got the information

- Question 8. Jane: "Shall we turn back?" - Tom: "Well, I'm _____ turning back. It's too dangerous to go mountain climbing against this weather.

A. for B. agaisnt C. off D. over

- Question 9. The mail scarcely ever arrives before noon, _____?

A. is it B. doesn't it C. does it D. don't they

- Question 10. Global warming, the rise in temperature around the earth's atmosphere, is one of _____ biggest issues facing humans nowadays.

A. a B. an C. the D. x

- Question 11. Road atlas programs will map out your route between two cities or set up a whole _____ of stops.

A. excavation B. dome C. cruise D. itinerary

- Question 12: Being self-reliant is what many young people _____.

A. take care of B. strive for C. cope with D. figure out

- Question 13. Mark remembered _____ many wild animals in Cuc Phuong national park.

A. to see B. to be seen C. seeing D. being seen

- Question 14. You're falling short on class attendance and you failed to submit the last assignment. You're _____ in this semester.

A. walking on thin ice B. walking on thin eggshells
C. walking on thin air D. walking on thin sky

- Question 15. When Carol called last night, I _____ my favorite show on television.

A. watched B. am watching C. was watching D. have watched

- Question 16. The minister refused to _____ the figures to the press.

A. leak B. release C. show D. add

- Question 17. The next meeting _____ in May.

A. will hold B. will be held C. are dicuss D. discuss

- Question 18. Don't worry! He'll do the job as _____ as possible.

A. economical B. economically C. uneconomically D. economizing

Question 19. Dawson, I hear that the new regulation will take _____ from October 1st, won't it?

- A. effect B. force C. power D. use

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

Question 20: Two students are talking about Pho, a Vietnamese dish.

- Ted: "I think one of the most popular food for Vietnamese people is Pho."

- Kate: "_____. Everyone likes it because it is delicious. "

- A. Oh! That's a problem B. Not at all
C. I totally disagree D. I couldn't agree more

Question 21: Tony is in a café.

- Tony: "Can I have a cup of coffee with ice?"

- Waiter: "_____."

- A. Sure. Wait a minute, please B. Don't mention it, please
C. It's too hard D. Sorry for saying that

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 22. Are you certain that you are cut out for that kind of job?

- A. are determined to B. don't have the necessary skills for
C. are offered D. don't want to take

Question 23. Most universities have trained counselors who can reassure and console students who have academic or personal problems.

- A. satisfy B. sympathize C. please D. discourage

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 24. Polar bears and marine mammals in the Arctic are already threatened by dwindling sea ice but have nowhere farther north to go.

- A. shrinking B. getting bigger C. melting D. getting warmer

Question 25. Portable digital projectors allow teachers to give interactive presentations without the use of the cumbrous equipment as before.

- A. weighty B. manageable C. light D. portable

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

Question 26. You are obliged to show your ID card when you enter this place.

- A. You may show your ID card when you enter this place.
B. You must show your ID card when you enter this place.
C. You had better show your ID card when you enter this place.
D. You can show your ID card when you enter this place.

Question 27. The last time I saw her was three years ago.

- A. I have not seen her for three years. B. About three years ago, I used to meet her.
C. I have often seen her for the last three years. D. I saw her three years ago and will never meet her

Question 28. "How long have you lived in Ha Noi"? said my friend.

- A. My friend asked me how long have I lived in HaNoi.
B. My friend asked me how long had I lived in HaNoi.
C. My friend asked me how long I had lived in HaNoi.
D. My friend asked me how long I have lived in HaNoi.

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

Question 29. It was suggested that Pedro studies the material more thoroughly before attempting to pass the exam

- A. studies B. more C. attempting D. to pass

Question 30. The earth is the only planet with a large amount of oxygen in their atmosphere.

- A. the B. amount C. oxygen D. their

Question 31: After the social science lecture all students are invited to take part in a discussion of the issues which were risen in the talk.

- A. social science lecture B. are invited C. of the issues D. risen in

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

Question 32: He didn't study hard, so he gets bad marks now.

- A. If only he had studied hard, he wouldn't have got bad marks now.
B. If he didn't study hard, he wouldn't get bad marks now.
C. He wouldn't get bad marks now if he had studied hard.
D. If he didn't study hard, he wouldn't have got bad marks now.

Question 33: I got myself comfortable and closed my eyes. Shortly after that, I heard the sound of the alarm.

- A. Scarcely had I got myself comfortable and closed my eyes, I heard the sound of the alarm.
B. Not until I hardly heard the sound of the alarm did I get myself comfortable and close my eyes.
C. Hardly had I got myself comfortable and closed my eyes when I heard the sound of the alarm.
D. Only when I heard the sound of the alarm did I get myself comfortable and closed my eyes.

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

Pollutants are clogging up the atmosphere above our planet and trapping the sun's heat. That makes our planet warmer, which causes glaciers to melt, crazy weather patterns to develop, and natural disasters spread like wildfires.

But there are other consequences that people don't always associate with climate change. One surprising fact about global warming is that **it** makes people more aggressive.

As the world gets hotter, tempers also get fierier. A new study found that violent crimes and even war become more likely as temperatures rise. Heart rates tend to be **elevated** in warm weather, so people are prepped for a physical response to a situation. That's not to say we're headed for a violent end as Earth warms up, though. Advances in everything from technology to health have sparked a decline in conflict. It's just that global warming might be slowing that decline. Climate change increases the amount of smog in the air and causes plants to produce more pollen, according to the Natural Resources Defense Council. Those combine to make breathing harder for people, which can be especially tricky for people with asthma and other respiratory illnesses.

Question 34: What is trapping the sun's heat?

- A. The atmosphere B. Pollutant
C. Glaciers D. The atmosphere above our planet

Question 35: According to the paragraph 1, all of the following are results of our planet getting warmer EXCEPT

- A. Melting glaciers B. Increasing greenhouse gas
C. Natural disasters like wildfires D. Crazy weather patterns to develop

Question 36: The word "**it**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. other consequences B. global warming C. surprising fact D. climate change

Question 37: The word "**elevated**" is closest in meaning to

- A. dropped B. grew C. enlarged D. raised

Question 38: What is the topic of the passage?

- A. A global warming surprising fact B. Aggressive modern people
C. The bad effects of global warming D. A study on global warming

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

“One month on since the devastating earthquake hit Türkiye and Syria, the scale of the humanitarian response has yet to meet the enormous needs of displaced Syrian families and children (39)_____ have suffered from compounded crises for almost 12 years now,” said Johan Mooij, director of World Vision’s Syria crisis response. “It is crucial that (40)_____ access channels to northwest Syria remain open, and that aid deliveries are scaled up through earmarked funding for the emergency response. Only this will ensure that children’s mental health needs are covered, and their trauma addressed.”

Snow and bitter winter weather have placed children at great risk of hypothermia(41)_____ they struggle to survive in sub-zero temperatures. Many survivors have had to sleep in cars, outside, or in makeshift shelters. Doctors (42)_____ that children are also at risk of exposure to waterborne diseases such as cholera or Hepatitis A due to the damage to shelters and water infrastructure.

These children are now even more vulnerable to family separation, exploitation, and abuse. As buildings are deemed unsafe, they also are unable to return to school.

“In northern Syria, in particular, the threats to children from abuse were already extreme. The soaring poverty, within a warzone, now devastated by earthquakes, has created an unimaginable number of challenges, and suffering for children,” says Johan, director of the Syria crisis response in Amman, Jordan. “This earthquake has created the perfect environment for a health crisis -fueled by reduced healthcare capacity and disease (43)_____.”

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| 39. A. where | B. whom | C. which | D. who |
| 40. A. much | B. few | C. all | D. little |
| 41. A. moreover | B. but | C. so | D. as |
| 42. A. warned | B. warns | C. have warned | D. is warning |
| 43. A. acceleration | B. outbreaks | C. development | D. promotion |

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

A rather surprising geographical feature of Antarctica is that a huge freshwater lake, one of the world’s largest and deepest, lies hidden there under four kilometers of ice. Now known as Lake Vostok, this huge body of water is located under the ice block that comprises Antarctica. The lake is able to exist in its unfrozen state beneath this block of ice because its waters are warmed by geothermal heat from the earth’s core. The thick glacier above Lake Vostok actually insulates it from the frigid temperatures on the surface.

The lake was first discovered in the 1970s while a research team was conducting an aerial survey of the area. Radio waves from the survey equipment penetrated the ice and revealed a body of water of indeterminate size. It was not until much more recently that data collected by satellite made scientists aware of the tremendous size of the lake; the satellite-borne radar detected an extremely flat region where the ice remains level because **it** is floating on the water of the lake.

The discovery of such a huge freshwater lake trapped under Antarctica is of interest to the scientific community because of the potential that the lake contains ancient microbes that have survived for thousands upon thousands of years, unaffected by factors such as nuclear fallout and elevated ultraviolet light that have affected organisms in more exposed areas. The downside of the discovery, however, lies in the difficulty of conducting research on the lake in such a harsh climate and in the problems associated with obtaining uncontaminated samples from the lake without actually exposing the lake to contamination. Scientists are looking for possible ways to accomplish this.

Question 44: The word “it” in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

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| A. level | B. ice | C. region | D. radar |
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Question 45: All of the following are true about the 1970 survey of Antarctica EXCEPT that it_____.

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| A. was conducted by air | B. made use of radio waves |
| C. could not determine the lake’s exact size | D. was controlled by a satellite |

Question 46: It can be inferred from the passage that the ice would not be flat if ____.

- A. there were no lake underneath
- B. the lake were not so big
- C. Antarctica were not so cold
- D. radio waves were not used

Question 47: The word "*microbes*" in paragraph 3 could best be replaced by which of the following?

- A. Pieces of dust
- B. Tiny bubbles
- C. Tiny organisms
- D. Rays of light

Question 48: Lake Vostok is potentially important to scientists because it

- A. can be studied using radio waves
- B. may contain uncontaminated microbes
- C. may have elevated levels of ultraviolet light
- D. has already been contaminated

Question 49: The last paragraph suggests that scientists should be aware of

- A. further discoveries on the surface of Antarctica
- B. problems with satellite-borne radar equipment
- C. ways to study Lake Vostok without contaminating it
- D. the harsh climate of Antarctica

Question 50: The purpose of the passage is to ____.

- A. explain how Lake Vostok was discovered
- B. provide satellite data concerning Antarctica
- C. discuss future plans for Lake Vostok
- D. present an unexpected aspect of Antarctica's geography

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