

Đề thi gồm 05 trang. Thí sinh làm bài trên giấy thi do cán bộ coi thi phát.

Họ và tên thí sinh: Số báo danh:

Chữ kí CBCT 1: Chữ kí CBCT 2:

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

Question 1: A. downtown B. crowded C. power D. slowly

Question 2: A. large B. care C. hard D. park

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

Question 3: A. teacher B. actor C. conductor D. doctor

Question 4: A. maintain B. widen C. explore D. improve

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

Question 5: The school year in Viet Nam usually _____ in early September.

A. starts B. started C. will start D. has started

Question 6: Emily _____ many new recipes from her grandmother lately.

A. has learned B. learn C. learned D. learns

Question 7: My father _____ his favourite TV channel all day yesterday.

A. watches B. watched C. was watching D. is watching

Question 8: About 100 years ago, people usually _____ food from street vendors.

A. buy B. bought C. are buying D. were buying

Question 9: I don't think she _____ tonight. She has to revise for her exam tomorrow.

A. comes B. came C. will come D. was coming

Question 10: They enjoy _____ traditional games during family gatherings.

A. play B. to play C. playing D. played

Question 11: We plan _____ our extended family during the holidays.

A. visit B. to visit C. visiting D. visited

Question 12: _____ Sunday afternoons, she usually goes shopping with her family.

A. in B. at C. on D. since

Question 13: . My evening class will end at 6.30, so I can only meet you _____ that time.

A. after B. before C. at D. in

Question 14: Mi's family moved to a new house _____ a suburb last month.

- A. for B. in C. at D. on

Question 15: I watch films in English _____ I need to improve my listening skill.

- A. so B. but C. because D. and

Question 16: She finished the project on time _____ she had a lot of other tasks to do.

- A. despite B. although C. since D. because

Question 17: Unfortunately, I've _____ a cold, so I won't be able to attend the party tonight.

- A. hung out with B. cut down on C. come down with D. run out of

Question 18: I came back to my home town to _____ more about my grandparents.

- A. hand down B. look around C. find out D. go out

Question 19: _____, farmers used buffalo – driven carts to transport agricultural products.

- A. Tradition B. Traditional C. Untraditional D. Traditionally

Question 20: The _____ armchair was perfect for reading, unlike the unpleasant wooden stool.

- A. comfort B. comfortable C. uncomfortable D. comfortably

Question 21: The lights aren't working. Let's call an _____ to fix them.

- A. electric B. electrical C. electricity D. electrician

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 22: Hoa is asking Lan for some help.

- Hoa: Do you mind opening the window for me?

- Lan: "_____."

- A. Go ahead B. You're welcome
C. No problem D. Your apology is accepted

Question 23: Mary is talking to David, who has just helped her with her luggage.

- Mary: "_____"

- David: "It's my pleasure."

- A. It's too heavy. B. It's not my duty. C. Welcome back. D. Thanks a lot.

Question 24: Linda is apologising her mum

- Linda: "I'm sorry, Mum. I haven't cleaned the floor."

- Mum: "_____. You can do it now."

- A. OK good. B. Welcome C. That's alright D. I haven't either

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.

Why is sleep so important for teens?

Hi, everyone! We know that sleep is important, but did you know it's more important for teenagers? I'll tell you about some of the benefits of getting enough sleep.

First, sleep has an effect on your studies. (25) _____ I get a good night's sleep, I can concentrate on my lessons and do my homework better. You may get similar results if you go to bed earlier at night. Second, (26) _____ well can improve teens' health, too. This is because our bodies repair and build muscles while we sleep. It's so important that teenagers get enough rest because our bodies are still growing. Finally, it's good (27) _____ teens to get enough sleep for our emotional health. In my view, this is the (28) _____ important benefit. This is because if we feel bad, we may have problems in all other areas of our lives.

So, you should get enough sleep if you (29) _____ to be a healthy, happy and good student. The benefits are pretty clear, don't you think?

Source: English 9 – Ho Chi Minh City University of Education Publishing House

Question 25: A. Although B. If C. Before D. While

Question 26: A. sleep B. to sleep C. sleeping D. slept

Question 27: A. for B. to C. with D. on

Question 28: A. much B. most C. less D. more

Question 29: A. plan B. decide C. agree D. want

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.

If a student wants to become an engineer, **they** should focus on excelling in math and science subjects. Taking advanced courses in physics and calculus is **beneficial**. They should also participate in extracurricular activities like robotics clubs or engineering competitions. Pursuing a degree in engineering from a reputable university is essential, and gaining internships or co-op experiences can provide practical skills.

To become a soccer player, the student should join a local soccer team and train regularly. They need to work on their fitness, skills, and game strategies. Attending soccer camps and participating in competitions can help them get noticed by scouts. Balancing academics and sports is crucial for long-term success.

For a career as a skincare specialist, a student should complete a specialized training program in cosmetology or esthetics. Apprenticeships under experienced professionals can provide hands-on experience. Additionally, taking business classes can be useful if they plan to open their own salon. Continuing education on the latest skincare techniques and products is important for staying updated in the field.

Source: English 9 – Vietnam National University Press, Hanoi

Question 30: Which of the following is the best title for the article?

- A. How to Become an Engineer
- B. Tips for Choosing a Career
- C. Successful Career Paths
- D. Preparing for the Future

Question 31: According to the article, students who want to become engineers should excel in _____

- A. history and literature
- B. math and science
- C. physical education
- D. art and music

Question 32: The word “*they*” in paragraph 1 refers to

- A. engineers
- B. teachers
- C. students
- D. clubs

Question 33: The word “*beneficial*” in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to

- A. important
- B. harmful
- C. helpful
- D. difficult

Question 34: What is something both aspiring soccer players and skincare specialists need to do?

- A. Study hard for exams
- B. Gain practical experience
- C. Join a sports team
- D. Learn a foreign language

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 35: It’s a pity. My family lives in a crowded area.

- A. I wish my family lived in a crowded area.
- B. I wish my family lives in a crowded area.
- C. I wish my family did not live in a crowded area.
- D. I wish my family can not live in a crowded area.

Question 36: If you read many books, you will have much knowledge.

- A. Unless you read many books, you will have much knowledge .
- B. The more books you read, the more knowledge you will have.
- C. The more books you read, the most knowledge you will have.
- D. The more books you have, the more knowledge you will read.

Question 37: “Are you going to the school library this afternoon? Lien asked Nam.

- A. Lien said if Nam was going to the school library this afternoon.
- B. Lien asked Nam if he was going to the school library this afternoon.
- C. Lien asked Nam if he was going to the school library that afternoon.
- D. Lien asked Nam if he is going to the school library that afternoon.

Question 38: English has borrowed many words. They come from other languages.

- A. English has borrowed many words which they come from other languages.
- B. English has borrowed many words which come from other languages.
- C. English has borrowed many words, which come from other languages.
- D. English has borrowed many words and come from other languages.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful email/ paragraph in each of the following questions.

Question 39:

- a. In the past, Vietnamese families had a more traditional lifestyle that focused on community and family values.
- b. Dear Minh,
I hope you're doing well! I've been reflecting on the changes in Vietnamese lifestyles over the years.
- c. Now, many people prioritize individual freedom and personal choices.
- d. Firstly, the younger generation is more independent and often pursues their dreams without relying on family expectations.
- e. Also, technology has made it easier for us to connect with others and access information.

Best wishes.

- A. b – c – a – e – d
- C. b – d – a – c – e

- B. a – e – c – b – d
- D. a – e – c – b – d

Question 40:

- a. Another benefit of learning English is that it helps improve your communication skills, so you can convey messages clearly. Also, people who speak English can have more job opportunities since it is an international language in many areas.
- b. Learning English is a wonderful way to experience some benefits.
- c. In a word, learning English can benefit your mind, your communication skills, your relationships and your career.
- d. Finally, you can make new friends in English classes or English learning communities.
- e. Firstly, learning English can boost your brainpower because it can improve your memory abilities and your thinking skills.

- A. e – b – a – d – c
- C. b – e – a – d – c

- B. e – b – a – c – d
- D. b – e – a – c – d

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