

ĐỀ SÓ 2

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

1. A. message B. teenage C. advantage D. village
2. A. Christmas B. busting C. castle D. outgoing

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 primary stress in each of the following questions.

3. A. countryside B. assignment C. production D. essential
4. A. experience B. material C. invitation D. community

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

5. Eco _____ promotes responsible travel that helps protect wildlife and natural environments.
A. tourism B. farming C. construction D. shopping
6. The earthquake last Wednesday was so _____ that it ruined many buildings in the city.
A. unpredicted B. frightened C. destructive D. terrific
7. While Sarah _____ her bags, she realized she had forgotten her passport.
A. had packed B. was packing C. was packed D. would pack
8. Let's help clean up the park this Sunday morning, _____?
A. will you B. aren't you C. won't we D. shall we
9. It's lunch time at school. Betty would like to sit next to Linh.
- Betty: Do you mind if I sit next to you during lunch?
- Linh: _____ Feel free to join me.
A. Of course not! B. Yes, please.
C. It's very kind of you to help me. D. I beg your pardon.

10. After the school event, everyone worked together to _____ the classroom and put everything back in order.
A. turn off B. clean up C. check in D. give away

11. The number of houses damaged by the storm _____ higher than expected.
A. was B. are C. were D. been

12. Many airports now use face _____ to check passengers' identities quickly and easily.
A. memory B. appearance C. expression D. recognition

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.

LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION: JOIN THE DRAMA CLUB TODAY!

Do you dream of standing in the spotlight or bringing stories to life behind the scenes? If you're interested in theatre and performance, the Drama Club is looking for you!

- Join Us: (13) _____ up for the Drama Club and take part in our upcoming productions for the next semester.
- Get Involved: Whether you're excited (14) _____ acting, directing, or stage management, there's a role for everyone.
- Health and Energy: We need students who are enthusiastic and ready (15) _____ their talents!
- Support Provided: Don't worry about experience; we provide all the necessary training and support.
- For more details or to register, email us at dramaclub@school.edu or visit our website for further (16) _____.

13. A. Apply B. Join C. Take D. Sign
14. A. into B. of C. toward D. about
15. A. to contribute B. contribute C. contributing D. contributed
16. A. informations B. information C. informed D. informative

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.

17. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

When visiting Hue, there are a few important tips to keep in mind. First, remember to bring a hat and sunscreen because the weather can be hot. _____.

- a. Also, don't miss the chance to visit famous sites like the Imperial City and Thien Mu Pagoda.
- b. Lastly, be respectful when visiting temples.
- c. Second, you can try local dishes such as bun bo Hue for a taste of the culture.

A. a - c - b B. b - c - a C. c - a - b D. b - a - c

18. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most appropriately.

- A. In conclusion, you can take a boat tour along the Perfume River for a peaceful view of the city.
- B. Eventually, make sure to try traditional Hue desserts like sweet soups.
- C. Overall, with its rich history and beautiful sights, Hue is a must-see destination for any traveller.
- D. In short, visiting the Dong Ba Market is a great way to buy local crafts and souvenirs.

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 from 19 to 24.

In the mountainous areas, school children and teachers face many problems. One big problem is the long distance (19) _____ home and school. Some students have to walk many kilometers (20) _____ to get to class. This makes them very tired and often late for school, the weather is also a problem. During the rainy season, the roads become dangerous and slippery, making (21) _____ to go to school.

Teachers in these areas also have a hard time. Many schools do not have enough classrooms or learning materials. Teachers have to find ways to teach with very few things. It can also be difficult for teachers (22) _____, as there are not many houses near the school. These things make teaching and learning more difficult for everyone.

(23) _____ there are many problems, both students and teachers try their best every day. They show (24) _____ important education is, even in faraway places. It is very important to help these schools so that students and teachers can have better conditions to learn and teach.

19. A. from	B. at	C. between	D. in
20. A. in difficult roads	B. on difficult roads	C. on roads difficult	D. in roads difficult
21. A. it harder	B. it more hard	C. it is harder	D. harder it is
22. A. finding a place to live	B. a place to find to live	C. finding a place living	D. to find a place to live
23. A. However	B. Therefore	C. Even though	D. Because
24. A. what	B. whether	C. if	D. how

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

25. As it got darker. Jack and his friends had more difficulty finding their way through the forest.
A. Jack and his friends had no difficulty finding their way through the forest although it got darker.
B. Because it's darker. Jack and his friends find it difficult to find their way through the forest.
C. The more darker it got, the more difficult it was for Jack and his friends to find their way through the forest.

D. The darker it got. the more difficult it was for Jack and his friends to find their way through the forest.

26. When did you begin to be a member of the school Debate club?

- A. How long have you been a member of the school Debate club?
- B. When have you been a member of the the school Debate club?
- C. How long have you been a member of the the school Debate club?
- D. What was the last time when you were a member of the school Debate club?

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.

27. police officer/ ask/ witnesses/ what/ doing/ moment.

- A. The police officer asked the witnesses what they are doing at the moment.
- B. The police officer asked the witnesses what were they doing at the moment.
- C. The police officer asked the witnesses what they were doing at the moment then.
- D. The police officer asked the witnesses what they were doing at that moment.

28. This/restaurant/Nam and his family/used/celebrate/ special occasions.

- A. This is the restaurant where Nam and his family used to celebrate special occasions there.
- B. This is the restaurant which Nam and his family used to celebrate special occasions.
- C. This is the restaurant where Nam and his family used to celebrate special occasions.
- D. This is the restaurant where Nam and his family was used to celebrate special occasions.

Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

29. What does the sign say?



- A. Only elderly people are allowed to sit in these seats.
- B. Anyone can sit here without restrictions.
- C. These seats are reserved for people who have paid extra.
- D. You should offer this seat to someone who may need it more.

30. What does the notice say?



- A. You must have the exact amount of money before getting on the bus.
- B. You need to ask the driver for change before boarding.
- C. You can pay with any amount of money when you get on the bus.
- D. You should pay for the bus ticket after you sit down.

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 following questions from 31 to 36.

In today's world, social media plays a **crucial** part in many teenagers' lives. Platforms like Instagram, TikTok, and Facebook allow young people to connect with friends, share photos, and stay updated on trends. Many teenagers spend hours each day checking their phones and posting online.

One key reason teenagers use social media is to stay in touch with friends. They send messages, comment on posts, and like photos. Social media helps them feel connected, even if they cannot meet in person. Another reason is that teenagers use these platforms to express themselves. They share their thoughts, hobbies, and interests with a large audience. For example, some teenagers post videos of their art or share their favorite songs.

However, social media also has some negative effects. Spending too much time online can make teenagers feel stressed or left out. Seeing only the highlights of other people's lives can sometimes lead to jealousy or sadness. For some teenagers, though, sharing their thoughts online can be **therapeutic**. It allows them to express their emotions and feel better.

Even though there are some downsides, most teenagers believe social media is an essential tool in

their daily lives. It helps them communicate, learn new things, and express their creativity. Parents and teachers, however, advise them to use social media carefully and balance their online time with other activities.

31. The word **crucial** in paragraph 1 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

A. useless B. important C. essential D. necessary

32. What is the main idea of the text?

A. Teenagers are addicted to social media and should stop using it.
B. Social media has both positive and negative effects on teenagers' lives.
C. Teenagers only use social media to communicate with their friends.
D. Social media platforms are the best way for teenagers to learn new things.

33. According to the text, what is one positive reason why teenagers use social media?

A. It allows them to avoid doing schoolwork and relax.
B. They can buy things from their favorite stores online.
C. They can stay connected with friends, even when apart.
D. It helps them become famous by sharing posts every day.

34. Which of the following is a negative consequence of excessive social media use?

A. Teenagers use social media to connect with friends and stay updated.
B. Teenagers can express their thoughts and creativity online.
C. Teenagers might experience stress or feel excluded from others.
D. Teenagers use social media to share their emotions and feelings.

35. The word **therapeutic** in paragraph 3 is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

A. fun B. relaxing C. dangerous D. difficult

36. Which of the following is a false statement based on the text?

A. Teenagers use social media to express their thoughts and hobbies.
B. Some teenagers find that social media helps them deal with emotions.
C. Social media can cause teenagers to feel stressed and jealous.
D. Social media always has a positive impact on teenagers' lives.

Four phrases/ sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.

Decades ago, children in Viet Nam spent their free time playing traditional games outside. These games were simple but brought a lot of joy. One of the most popular games was hide and seek. In this game, one child (37) _____. After counting, the child had to find all the players.

Another common game was bamboo dancing. (38) _____. This game required quick movements and good timing.

Children also enjoyed playing hopscotch, where they drew squares on the ground and hopped from one to another. (39) _____.

Unlike today, children in the past didn't have video games or mobile phones. They (40) _____. which allowed them to build strong friendships and stay active. These activities are still remembered as an important part of childhood in Viet Nam.

A. had to close their eyes and count while the others hid
B. This game helped them stay active and have fun with friends
C. created their own entertainment through these traditional games
D. Children would jump in and out of two bamboo sticks that were moved by other players

37. _____

38. _____

39. _____

40. _____