

# ĐỀ KIỂM TRA GIỮA KỲ 1

## FIRST MID-TERM TEST 1

### A. LISTENING

I. Listen to a conversation between two friends. Decide if the following statements are true (T) or false (F). Circle T or F. **Track 01**

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| 1. Amy has a part-time job.                              | T | F |
| 2. Amy doesn't have to do anything special tomorrow.     | T | F |
| 3. Amy says her health hasn't been very good recently.   | T | F |
| 4. The friends are going to celebrate Stuart's birthday. | T | F |
| 5. Amy says she can be with her friends until midnight.  | T | F |

II. Listen to the story of Hans Christian Andersen's life and complete the notes. Fill each of the gaps with no more than THREE words and/or a number. You will listen TWICE. Now listen and fill the gap. **Track 02**

#### A SHORT BIOGRAPHY OF HANS CHRISTIAN ANDERSEN

- 1805: Born in Odense, (6) \_\_\_\_\_
- 1819: Travelled to Copenhagen and worked as (7) \_\_\_\_\_
- (8) \_\_\_\_\_: Started writing fairy tales
- 1845: (9) \_\_\_\_\_ of his stories became known to foreign audiences
- 1875: Died because of (10) \_\_\_\_\_

### B. GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY

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

11. A. visited B. recommended C. wanted D. hoped  
12. A. sure B. simple C. stilt D. sound

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

13. A. village B. water C. people D. tradition  
14. A. occasion B. harmful C. fancy D. city

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

15. On the side of the road, a boy was herding \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. kites B. hay C. cattle D. blackberries
16. Using computers too much may have harmful effects \_\_\_\_\_ your minds and bodies.  
A. on B. into C. with D. to
17. \_\_\_\_\_ should we meet on Sunday? - Let's meet at 10 a.m.  
A. Where B. How many C. What time D. Why
18. Children in this village love \_\_\_\_\_ kites on summer afternoons.  
A. fling B. flying C. flow D. flies
19. The *chapi* is a traditional \_\_\_\_\_ of the Raglai people.  
A. instrument music B. musical instruments  
C. music instrument D. musical instrument
20. When I have the whole free day, I prefer \_\_\_\_\_ to the outskirts to staying in the city.  
A. went B. to go C. go D. going
21. We are all hooked \_\_\_\_\_ making star lanterns.  
A. to B. on C. in D. off
22. The Thai hold many festivals and \_\_\_\_\_ with alternating songs every year.  
A. religious B. ancestors C. costumes D. ceremonies
23. My dad doesn't mind \_\_\_\_\_ my mom from work every day.  
A. pick up B. picked up C. picking up D. picks up

24. Using smart phones too close may have harmful \_\_\_\_\_ to eyes.

A. effects            B. effect            C. effected            D. effecting

25. I love the people in my village. They are so \_\_\_\_\_ and hospitable.

A. friendly            B. vast            C. slow            D. inconvenient

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

26. Han lives in an cottage house in Cue Phuong national park.

A. national            B. lives            C. an            D. in

27. The Dao in Sapa area is famous by its “love market” and terraced fields.

A. terraced            B. by            C. in            D. The

**V. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges**

28. Bob: “Look at this dish. It has five colours.” - Lily: “\_\_\_\_\_”

A. How nice!            B. Yes. That’s alright.            C. You’re welcome.            D. Sounds bad.

**VI. 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 sentences.**

29. He is crazy about football so much that he goes to every match of his favorite team.

A. is fed up with            B. is interested in            C. is tired of            D. is favor of

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

30. I like providing minority children with literacy.

A. prefer            B. love            C. hate            D. enjoy

## C. READING

**I. Read the passage and choose the best answer to complete it.**

I surf the Internet every day, but I’ve never (31) \_\_\_\_\_ more than an hour at a time online. I’ve got a laptop and a smartphone, so I can (32) \_\_\_\_\_ the Internet anywhere. Today, for instance, I’ve been online three times. Mainly, I just (33) \_\_\_\_\_ my friends. I read online magazines and I look (34) \_\_\_\_\_ information, too. I also compare prices of things, but I’ve never bought anything online because I (35) \_\_\_\_\_ it’s safe.

31. A. spend            B. spending            C. spende            D. spent

32. A. play            B. use            C. learn            D. go

33. A. write            B. email            C. talk            D. send

34. A. on            B. for            C. like            D. in

35. A. didn’t think            B. think            C. don’t think            D. thought

**II. Read the text and choose the correct answers.**

Living in the country is something that people from the city often dream about. However, in reality, it has both advantages and disadvantages.

There are certainly many advantages of living in the country. First, you can enjoy peace and quietness. Moreover, people tend to be friendlier. A further advantage is that there is less traffic, so it is safer for young children.

However, there are certain disadvantages or drawbacks to life outside the city. First, because there are fewer people, you are likely to have few friends. In addition, entertainment is difficult to find, particularly in the evening. Furthermore, there are fewer shops and services so it is quite hard to find jobs. As a result, you may have to travel a long way to work, which can be extremely expensive.

In conclusion, it can be seen that the country is more suitable for some people than others. On the whole, it is often the best place for those who are retired or who have young children. In contrast, young or single people who have a career are better provided for in the city.

36. Which of the following statements is NOT true according to the passage?

A. There are fewer shops and services in the country.

B. It’s hard to find entertainment in the country.

C. People in the country tend to be friendlier than people in the city.

- D. The country is only suitable for retired people.
37. How many advantages does living in the country have?  
 A. Three                      B. Two                                      C. Four                                      D. No
38. Having few friends is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. one of the drawbacks to life in the country  
 B. one of the certain drawbacks to life outside the city  
 C. the only disadvantage of living in the country  
 D. one of the certain advantages to life outside the city
39. Living in the country is safer for young children because \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. there are few shops                                      B. there are few services  
 C. there is less traffic                                      D. there are fewer people
40. According to the passage, living in the country has \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. only bad points                                      B. both good and bad points  
 C. only good points                                      D. no disadvantages

**D. WRITING**

**I. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means exactly the same as the sentence printed before it.**

41. I love listening to music.  
 → I like .....
42. I spend two hours drawing this picture.  
 → It .....
43. Living in the city is more interesting than living in the country.  
 → Living in the country is .....
44. I am interested in hanging out with friends on Saturday evening.  
 → I enjoy .....
45. They built this house ten years ago.  
 → This house .....

**II. Write complete sentences using the words given.**

46. a / received / Lan / letter / yesterday / her / from / friend.  
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47. Would/ they/ like/ live/ modern flat/ the city?  
 \_\_\_\_\_
48. Lan/ live / Ho Chi Minh City/ since/ she/10 years old.  
 \_\_\_\_\_
49. We/ move/ twice/ three times/ year/ look for/ new pastures.  
 \_\_\_\_\_
50. Quang/ addicted/ playing video games.  
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