

ĐỀ SỐ 04

I. Choose the word / phrase / sentence (A, B, C or D) that best fits the space or best answers the question given in each sentence. (3.5 pts).

- Which word has the underlined part pronounced differently from that of the others?
A. talked B. passed C. laughed D. nakeded
- Which word has the underlined part pronounced differently from that of the others?
A. hunter B. punctual C. studious D. culture
- Which word has a different stress pattern from that of the others?
A. dependent B. personal C. semester D. eternal
- Which word has a different stress pattern from that of the others?
A. agree B. across C. almost D. attack
- Peter:** I saw many people wearing jeans on the street.
Jimmy: Yes. They are a very popular form of _____ clothes around the world.
A. casual B. formal C. plain D. traditional
- Linh:** I think reading books is a good habit.
Lan: I couldn't agree more. It's important _____ children to broaden their knowledge.
A. to B. for C. with D. of
- Susan:** _____ try cooking a new recipe together tonight?
Linda: That sounds like a good idea.
A. What about B. How about C. Why don't we D. Have we
- Mary:** Have you invited our teacher to the event?
Helen: Yes, I have. Mrs. Green, together with her children, _____ our event tonight.
A. is joining B. are joining C. were joining D. has joined
- David:** Can I borrow your pen?
Nancy: Sorry. I need to fill out the _____ form for the summer internship.
A. apply B. applicant C. application D. applicable
- Matthew:** I want to do something to help our local community.
Alan: That's wonderful! You can contribute _____ the community by becoming a volunteer.
A. for B. in C. to D. with
- Mai:** Why did that woman look so angry?
Long: She asked her children _____ too close to the road but they didn't listen.
A. to play B. not to play C. to not play D. not playing
- Mark:** You look so worried. What happened?
Sarah: My best friend decided to travel alone _____ my warnings. It was unsafe.
A. because of B. due to C. thanks to D. despite

13. Linda: - "Thanks for the book. I've been looking for it for months."

Daniel: - "_____"

- A. Thank you for finding the book. B. You can say that again.
C. I'm glad I could help you find it. D. I like reading books, too.

14. Binh: - "How about going to that new café this weekend?"

Nam: - "_____"

- A. Yes. I have an exam next week. B. Yeah. Good idea. I'd love to.
C. What a good friend you are! D. What do you think about it?

II. Look at the sign or the notice. Choose the best answer (A, B, C or D) for questions 15 and 16. (0.5 pts).



15. You see this sign on the road. What does the sign say?

- A. Drivers must always drive at the maximum speed of 60 miles per hour.
B. Drivers must drive at a speed of 60 miles per hour or more.
C. There is no speed limit for drivers for the next 60 kilometers.
D. Drivers must drive at a speed not exceeding 60 miles per hour.



16. What does the sign say?

- A. You can put shoes, rugs or plastic items in the dryer.
B. You can put everything in the dryer except for shoes and rugs.
C. The items that are allowed in the dryer include plastic shoes and rugs.
D. The items that are not allowed in the dryer include shoes, rugs and plastic items.

III. Choose the word (A,B,C or D) that best fits each space in the following passage (1.5 pts).

Ao dai has always been recognized as a Vietnamese national (17) _____ that represents the country's rich culture and elegance. It (18) _____ of a long gown with slits on the sides, worn over loose silk pants.

The design of *ao dai* has changed over time, blending traditional styles with modern trends. It (19) _____ many colors and patterns, often featuring beautiful embroidery that highlights Vietnamese artistry.

In addition to its beauty, *ao dai* is suitable for everyday use as well as (20) _____ occasions such as weddings and funerals. In many high schools and some colleges in Vietnam, wearing *ao dai* is (21) _____. Some female office workers (e.g. receptionists, secretaries) are also (22) _____ to wear *ao dai*. Overall, *ao dai* is a beloved symbol of Vietnamese culture, representing both tradition and modernity.

17. A. costume B. clothes C. design D. pattern
18. A. adds B. includes C. consists D. comprises



19. A. comes off B. comes out C. comes across D. comes in
 20. A. casual B. special C. informal D. festive
 21. A. possible B. convenient C. compulsory D. suitable
 22. A. required B. allowed C. enabled D. persuaded

IV. Read the following passage. Decide whether the statements from 23 to 26 are True or False and choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D) to complete the statements in the questions 27 and 28. (1.5 pts).

Have you ever noticed advertisements which say "Learn a foreign language in 6 weeks or your money back? From the first day your pronunciation will be excellent. Just send ..." and so on. Of course, it never happens quite like that. The only language that is easy to learn is one's mother tongue.

In the past people usually learnt a foreign language in order to read the literature of the country. Now speaking a foreign language is what most people want. Every year many millions of people start learning one. Some people try at home, with books and records of tapes; some use computers and network; others go to evening classes. A few people try to learn a language fast by studying for 6 or more hours a day. It is clearly easier to learn the language in the country where it is spoken. However, most people cannot afford this, and for many it is not necessary. They need the language in order to do their work better. For example, scientists and doctors chiefly need to be able to read books and reports in the foreign language. Whether the language is learnt quickly or slowly, it is hard work. Machines and good books will help, but they cannot do the student's work for him.

23. Advertisements claim that people can learn a foreign language in less than two months.
 24. According to the writer, it's not difficult to learn one's native language.
 25. Most people nowadays learn a foreign language for reading purposes.
 26. It takes some people no more than 6 hours a day to learn a language quickly.
 27. All of the following statements are mentioned in the text EXCEPT _____.
 A. Many people think it's unnecessary to learn a language in its country.
 B. Scientists and doctors learn foreign languages to communicate with others.
 C. Some people learn languages at home while others go to evening classes.
 D. Technology and books cannot replace the effort of language learners.
 28. What is the main idea of the passage?
 A. Learning a foreign language is thought to be simple and quick.
 B. Learning a foreign language demands significant time and effort.
 C. Many people learn foreign languages mainly for professional reasons.
 D. Technology has replaced traditional methods in language learning.

V. Use the correct form of the word given in each sentence. (1.5 pts).

29. The _____ of the new guest caused trouble for my aunt. (arrive)
 30. She divorced him because of his _____ to the children. (kind)
 31. It was one of the most important _____ of the century. (achieve)
 32. The weather has been so _____ lately that we can't plan any outdoor events. (depend)
 33. Peter might look a bit fierce, but actually he's fairly _____. (harm)
 34. The sun and the moon are often _____ in poetry. (person)

VI. Look at the entry of the word 'outcome' in a dictionary. Use what you can get from the entry to complete the sentences with two or three words. (0.5 pts).

outcome *noun*



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★ the result or effect of an action or event

- The *likely outcome* is a compromise.
- Their strategy produced the *desired outcome*.
- We *await the outcome* of the election.
- It is difficult to *predict the final outcome*.

35. The _____ of the meeting is the loss of support from key team members.
 36. She can _____ of the race by watching how fast the runners are going.

VII. Rewrite each of the following sentences in another way so that it means almost the same as the sentence printed before it. (1.0 pts).

37. Jack doesn't find it difficult to stay up late to meet his deadlines.
 → Jack is used _____.
38. I'll prepare dinner for my family after I get home from work.
 → As soon as _____.
39. She was unable to attend the concert last night because of her busy schedule.
 → Her busy schedule prevented _____.
40. After working overtime for 2 weeks, he succeeded in completing the project on time.
 → He managed _____.