SỞ GIÁO DỤC VÀ ĐÀO TẠO HÀ NỘI

KÌ THI TUYỂN SINH LỚP 10 THPT CHUYÊN
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Môn thi: **TIẾNG ANH (Điều kiện)**
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ĐỀ CHÍNH THỨC

Điểm bằng số	Điểm bằng chữ	Chữ ký GK1	Chữ ký GK2	Phách

*(Đề thi gồm **04 trang**. Thí sinh làm bài vào tờ giấy này và không được sử dụng bất kỳ loại tài liệu nào kể cả từ điển. Cán bộ coi thi không giải thích gì thêm.)*

PART A. PHONETICS, GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY (4.5 pts)

I. Circle the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the rest (0.5 pt)

1. A. worthy B. brother C. weather D. healthy
2. A. provision B. conclusion C. pension D. precision
3. A. escape B. graze C. transit D. chase
4. A. measured B. weighed C. started D. played
5. A. oranges B changes C dances D notes

II. Circle the correct option (A, B, C or D) that is closest in meaning to the underlined word. (0.5pt)

6. He often makes unusual behaviours. They think he is odd.
A. dangerous B. friendly C. strange D. humorous
7. Oil is one of the principal sources of energy.
A. most amazing B. most important C. most confusing D. most difficult
8. No one can survive for very long without water.
A. reproduce B. prosper C. exist D. transcend
9. The actress had to raise her voice in order to be audible in the balcony.
A. spoken B. heard C. dramatized D. appreciated
10. Dictators do not tolerate opposition of any kind.
A. understand B. justify C. execute D. accept

III. Circle the best option (A, B, C, or D) to complete each of the following sentences. (0.5 pt)

11. Yuck, this milk stinks! I think it's gone____.
A. off B. on C. up D. down
12. I've got to stay at home doing the decorating ____ going away on holiday.
A. in spite of B. because of C. instead of D. on behalf of
13. It's no use____ a language if you don't try to speak it.
A. to learn B. learned C. learning D. learn
14. If you ____ to London tomorrow, call me first.
A. are going B. were going C. had gone D. had been going
15. The simplified edition, ____ is shorter than the original, is easier to read.
A. it B. that C. what D. which

IV. Give the correct forms of the words in brackets to complete the text. (1.0 pt)

Have you ever got really caught up in the excitement and emotion of a good action film, and wondered in amazement how film stars manage to perform (16.**danger**) _____ acts like jumping off buildings or driving at great speed? Of course, it is only a momentary feeling as it is no secret that the real (17.**perform**) _____ are almost invariably stunt men or women, who can earn a very good (18.**live**) _____ by standing in for the stars when necessary. The work is (19.**incredible**) _____ demanding, and before qualifying for this job they have to undergo a rigorous training programme and (20.**proof**) _____ their ability in a number of sports including skiing, riding and gymnastics.

Naturally, the (21.**safe**) _____ of the stunt performer is of the utmost importance. Much depends on the performer getting the timing exactly right so everything is planned down to the (22.**tiny**) _____ detail. In a scene which involves a complicated series of actions, there is no time for (23.**care**) _____ mistakes. A stunt man or woman often has only one chance of getting things right,

Trước khi giao bài cho người chấm thi. Chủ tịch hội đồng rọc phách theo đường kẻ này.

CÁN BỘ COI THI

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Chủ tịch hội đồng chấm thi ghi số phách

Kì thi Tuyển sinh lớp 10 THPT chuyên

Khóa ngày: 08/6/2016

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Họ tên thí sinh: .....

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Dân tộc .....Nam/ Nữ.

Sinh ngày ...../...../.....

Học sinh trường:

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SỐ BÁO DANH

MÔN THI:
TIẾNG ANH (Điều kiện)

Chú ý: Thí sinh không được ký tên hay viết dấu hiệu gì vào tờ giấy thi. Trái điều này, bài thi sẽ bị loại.

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Thí sinh không được viết vào chỗ có gạch chéo này!

(24.**like**) _____ film stars, who can, if necessary, film a scene (25.**repeat**) _____ until it gains the director's approval.

V. Complete this letter by writing ONE suitable preposition in each gap. (1.0 pt)

Dear Jodi,

Sorry I haven't been in touch with you for such a long time, but it's been a few busy months.

Earlier this year, I received good news that my great-aunt had given me a cottage. Apart (26) _____ seeing her a couple of times at my parents' house, I didn't really know her. When I saw the cottage, I just fell in love with it. It's close to a beautiful little village, and looks out (27) _____the sea. My great-aunt used it as a holiday home, and I've decided to do the same. Unfortunately, it's been badly looked (28)_____, so I've had to spend most weekends this year sorting the place out.

I knew it was (29) _____ need of some work, and at first I thought I could get away with giving it a quick coat of paint. But I soon realized it was much a bigger job. There were holes in the roof, and the window frames were so rotten, some of the panes of glass were in danger of falling out.

I was walking around the village one Saturday, wondering what best to do, when who should I run (30) _____ but Barney Adams. Do you remember him from school? As luck would have it, he now works in the village as a builder and decorator. We got talking, and he said he'd come over and look at the house.

Naturally, I took him up (31) _____ his offer! He got really enthusiastic about it. He talked me into replacing all the windows, and he's put in a new central heating system in place (32) _____ the old coal fires. I've had to prevent him (33)_____ extending the kitchen, which he was keen to do! He's checked the roof out and fortunately that doesn't need replacing. Thanks to Barney, the house is now looking brilliant, and (34)_____ comparison with other builders, he doesn't charge very much.

The next project for me is to clean (35) _____ the mess in the garden, as it's completely overgrown. If you want to come over and help me some time, feel free! You'll always be very welcome.

Love,

Emily

VI. Give the correct forms of the verbs in brackets to complete the sentences.(1.0 pt)

36-37. If you (**keep**) _____ the environment clean, you (**live**) _____ a healthier life.

38-39. Mr. Smith (**teach**) _____ at this school since he (**graduate**) _____ in 1980.

40. Milk (**usually/keep**) _____in the fridge.

41-42. (you/**ever be**) _____to Singapore?

– Yes. I (**go**) _____there with my classmates last year.

43-44-45. Yesterday thieves (**break**)_____ into the house and (**steal**) _____ a lot of fur coats while the guests (**dance**) _____.

PART B. READING (3.0 pts)

I. Read the passage and fill each gap with ONE suitable word. (1.0 pt)

We all wish we could remember things more easily, but sometimes we can't remember anything at all. What (46) _____ you do in this situation? (47)_____ one day you woke up and discovered that you had completely lost your memory. How would you feel exactly? I had to face up to this recently after I fell off my bike and hit my head. I woke up in hospital, and a doctor asked me what my name was. I thought about it (48) _____ a moment and then said, "I wish I (49) _____!" Then I tried to get up and said, "It's time I was at college!" "I'd (50) _____ you didn't do that," said the doctor. "If you move too much, you (51) _____ probably fall over. I'm going to give you an injection. I (52) _____ it doesn't hurt too much!" "I (53) _____ you hadn't said that," I replied. "Now I'm really worried!" Then I noticed a label on my wrist with my name on it. If I (54) _____ not noticed this, I wouldn't have known who I was! When my memory came back a few hours later, I realized I had a maths test the next day! If (55) _____ I had lost my memory for a little bit longer!

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II. Read the text about Internet security. Some parts of the text have been removed. Complete the text by choosing letters (A – I) to fit each gap (56-63). There is one extra letter you do not need. (0.8 pt)

TIPS TO PROTECT YOURSELF WHILE SHOPPING ONLINE

Tip 1

Make sure you are using a secure server and browser with industry security standards before you enter credit card information online. First look at the address in the address bar and (56)_____. Then look at the bottom of the Internet window and make sure there is a closed padlock.

Tip 2

Use companies you know. Anyone can open (57)_____ and close it tomorrow. Here are several things to research (58)_____ with an unknown company. (59)_____ for the company and compare this with information from the domain register. Check for a return policy. Check to see if (60)_____.

Are they a member of Better Business Bureau Online (BBBO)?

Tip 3

When shopping we all hope that we (61)_____ but sometimes there are problems that arise with what we ordered. Check the company's return policy online before you order, so you will (62)_____.

Tip 4

Keep information about your order. Also (63)_____ such as return policies, company information, specific product information and warranty information.

Trust your instincts – if it sounds too good to be true… it probably is!

A. print out other information you may need	F. Make sure there is contact information
B. check that it starts with "https"	G. a well selected password
C. there have been any complaints	H. get what we ask for
D. a store online in minutes	I. before doing business
E. know what to expect	

III. Read the article about environmental problems in Australia. Choose headings for the paragraphs (64-75) from the expressions in the box below. There are some extra ones.(1.2 pts)

Coastal erosion	**Overfishing**	**Invasive species**	**Urban development**	**Nuclear accidents**
Deforestation	**Intensive agriculture**	**Waste treatment**	**Overgrazing**	**Oil spills**

64-65. _____

When large numbers of trees are cut down, the salinity of the soil can greatly increase. Salt water draining from such areas can affect downstream water quality.

66-67. _____

Pasture mismanagement is one of the main pressures on biodiversity. The unsustainable use of grazed pasture without giving plants time to recover has modified vast areas of grasslands. This kind of continued defoliation has led to desertification and erosion.

68-69. _____

Australia's fisheries are already close to collapse because of this activity, and the problem is getting worse. There are two major factors which account for the problem: slow regeneration of marine populations and depletion of fish stocks by commercial over-exploitation.

70-71. _____

It is estimated that Australia gains around 20 new pests each year. Examples include cane toads, willows and, more recently, red fire ants. Historically, feral cats and foxes have been a cause of local extinctions and reductions in range for native species through a combination of habitat modification and predation. Weeds are an equally significant pressure on ecosystems, with more than 2,500 species of introduced plants now thriving in the wild in Australia. They have invaded every part of the landscape.

72-73. _____

Bio-intensive farming is affecting Australia's coasts and oceans, particularly estuaries and environments near the shore. Estimates are that each year almost 19,000 tonnes of phosphorus and 141,000 tonnes of nitrogen are discharged into rivers flowing to the coast.

74-75. _____

Of continuing concern for Australia is population growth along the country's coastline. The formation of massive metropolitan centres with intensive population density on Australia's coasts could displace much valuable biodiversity and "high-value" agriculture land.

PART C. WRITING (2.5 pts)

I. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence (1.0 pt)

76. Was it enjoyable at the beach, Joe?

=> Did you_____?

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77. Mr. Pike was tired so he didn't go to the meeting.

=> Because of _____

78. The best solution was thought of by Jane.

=> Jane came up_____

79. The firm gave me a rise after I had worked there for a year.

=> The firm raised_____

80. The assistant I spoke to was very helpful.

=> The assistant whom_____

81. I won't believe you, no matter what you say.

=> Whatever_____

82. As soon as he entered the building, the fire alarm went off.

=> No sooner_____

83. You will catch a cold if you don't keep your feet dry.

=> Unless _____

84. It was Nick's advice that saved me from bankruptcy.

=> Had it _____

85. "Why don't you buy them this picture as a wedding present, Sarah?" Robin said.

=> Robin suggested _____

II. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, using the word in brackets. Do not change the words given. (1.0 pt)

86. They are supplying our company with furniture. **(supplied)**

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87. No decision has yet been made**. (decided)**

_____

88. "Are you interested in singing karaoke, Maria?" Nam asked. **(whether)**

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89. Despite looking everywhere, the kids failed to find the tennis ball. **(although)**

_____

90. "Don't sit in front of the computer for too long," our teacher told us**. (warned)**

_____

91. It's pity we didn't do more sport when we were at school. **(wish)**

_____

92. The children have to stay up late because they will have an examination soon. **(so)**

_____

93. I think you ought to decide right now. **(If)**

_____

94. The teacher postponed the theater trip until the summer term. **(off)**

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95. The TV programme was so complicated that none of the children could understand it. **(too)**

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III. One of the four underlined words or phrases (A, B, C and D) is incorrect. Circle the mistake and correct it.(0.5 pt)

96. Beautiful is in the eye of the beholder.
A B C D

_____

97. They cannot go camping right now because they are taking care of their three-weeks-old baby.
A B C D

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98. If it rain this afternoon, we will have to cancel the picnic.
A B C D

_____

99. Are you familiar of the latest scientific developments in biology?
A B C D

_____

100. The children were surprised when the teacher had them to close their books unexpectedly.
A B C D

_____**The end**_____

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