

**ĐBK 1 E8 HKI 20-21**

*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.*

**Question 9:** A. school                      B. skull                      C. scenery                      D. sky

**Question 10:** A. cutlery                      B. custom                      C. compliment                      D. circle

*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.*

**Question 11:** A. procession                      B. commemoration                      C. participation                      D. pronunciation

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

**Question 12:** She is driving too slowly, so I think she will get there \_\_\_\_\_ than us.

A. late                      B. later                      C. more lately                      D. earlier

**Question 13:** \_\_\_\_\_ do you visit Huong Pagoda? – Every year. On the 5<sup>th</sup> day of the first lunar month.

A. When                      B. How often                      C. How long                      D. What day

**Question 14:** Why don't you apply for this job? It looks right \_\_\_\_\_ your street.

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

**Question 15:** You \_\_\_\_\_ eat squid, duck or shrimp during Tet because they are seen as bad symbols.

A. have to                      B. should                      C. don't have to                      D. shouldn't

**Question 16:** The Le Mat Festival \_\_\_\_\_ the founding of the village.

A. worships                      B. commemorates                      C. performs                      D. preserves

**Question 17:** I detest.....so early in the morning.

A. get up                      B. getting up                      C. gets up                      D. to get up

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.**

**Question 18:** You can relax in the countryside. It's so peaceful.

- A. quiet                      B. convenient                      C. crowded                      D. joyful

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

**Question 19:** People in some far – away mountainous regions still keep their traditional way of life.

- A. simple                      B. vast                      C. modern                      D. important

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

**Question 20:** Lang Lieu was very poor although he couldn't buy any special food.

- A. any                      B. although                      C. was                      D. couldn't buy

**Question 21:** We have a lot of work tomorrow.

- A. work                      B. We                      C. lot                      D. have

**Question 22:** In this city, we have the tradition to worshipping our ancestors.

- A. to                      B. ancestors                      C. this                      D. have

**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 numbers blanks.**

Rice is (23)\_\_\_\_\_ by Vietnamese people every day. It often (24)\_\_\_\_\_ in tropical countries such as Vietnam, Thailand or Malaysia. The Chinese have also been growing rice for (25)\_\_\_\_\_ years. The seeds are planted in special beds to grow into young rice plants. Then they are taken to fields covered with muddy water called paddies. The fields of rice look very (26)\_\_\_\_\_. After three or five months, the rice is ready to be picked.

**Question 23:** A. used                      B. taken                      C. eaten                      D. boiled

**Question 24:** A. grows                      B. keeps                      C. plants                      D. stays

**Question 25:** A. thousands B. thousand                      C. thousand of                      D. thousands of

**Question 26:** A. beauty                      B. beautiful                      C. beautifully                      D. beautify

*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.*

Most people watch TV in their leisure time. A television is considered essential in every household. It can be the source of entertainment for all members in the family. There are always programmes suitable for different ages, genders and interests... Watching TV is a great way to spend time and bond with your family. Besides the entertainment value, TV shows can also be educational with cooking programmes, documentaries...TV is also a way to expand your mind and see places you couldn't in real life. However, spending too much time in front of the TV makes you a couch potato, lazy person who watches TV a lot. It can negatively affect your physical health because you are less likely to exercise. Your creativity and imagination can also be limited because of television.

**Question 27:** Which of the following would be the best title of the passage?

**A.** Television and Household.                      **B.** Entertainment for family members.

**C.** Advantages and Disadvantages of watching TV.                      **D.** Imagination from Television.

**Question 28:** According to the writer, what are the advantages of watching TV?

**A.** Connecting family members.                      **B.** Opening your mind.  
**C.** Providing knowledge.                      **D.** All are correct.

**Question 29:** According to the writer, what are the disadvantages of watching TV?

**A.** Improving your physical health.                      **B.** A and B are incorrect.  
**C.** Encouraging your imagination.                      **D.** A and B are correct.

**Question 30:** Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the passage?

- A. It costs much money to own a television.
- B. People watch TV for entertaining.
- C. A couch potato may had bad physical health.
- D. There are cooking programmes and documentaries on TV.

**Section B (2,0 points)**

*I. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the sentence printed before it. Write your answers on your answer sheet. (0,5 point)*

**Question 1:** My sister speaks more quickly than I (more)

→ I .....

**Question 2:** Jane is fond of listening to songs of her favorite singer.

→ Jane fancies.....