ĐỀ LUYỆN THI HỌC KỲ I – SỐ 2 – ANH 12

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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 1: A. assignment B. address C. discussion D. access
Question 2: A. laptop B. software C. handkerchief D. ancestor

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 3: A. ecological B. environmental C. archaeological D. analytical
Question 4: A. capture B. picture C. ensure D. pleasure

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

Question 5: His knowledge of foreign languages is wide. _____ helps him a lot in his work.
A: You B: They C: It D: He

Question 6: It's a pity I didn't see that film. I wish _____ it.
A: I had seen B: I had not seen C: I would have seen D: I saw

Question 7: The doctor suggests you___ too much alcohol.
A. drink B. should drink C. not drink D. be drinking

Question 8: It is difficult for young people to find _____ jobs in rural areas.
A. year-round B. well-paid C. worldwide D. supporting

Question 9: In a formal interview, it is essential to maintain good eye_____ with the interviewers.
A. touch B. link C. contact D. connection

Question 10: The reasons ___ homelessness are many, but there is a great demand _____ a plan _____ action to end it.
A. for / for / of B. for / in / on C. for / for / on D. on / for / in

Question 11: I have been waiting for you _____ .
A. since early morning B. since 9a.m
C. for two hours D. All are correct

Question 12: The Vietnamese people still follow the _____of giving lucky money to children during the tet holidays .
A. way B. custom C. style D. thinking

Question 13: Migrants may lose their cultural indentity as they become _____into the new community
A. companied B. compacted C. assimilated D. considered

Question 14: I couldn't cut the grass because the lawn mower _____ a few days previously.
A. broke down B. has been broken C. had been broken down D. breaks down

Question 15: Three students were accused _____ cheating in the examination.
A. on B. off C. with D. of

Question 16: Bethoveen is known as one of the most _____musicians in the world.
A. talented B. respectful C. up-to-date D. generous

Question 17: Dennis proposed to his boss that a branch office___ in Los Angeles for business expansion.

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A. set up B. was set up C. should set up D. be set up

Question 18: Children with visual impairments at regular schools still find it _____ in all school activities.

A. hard to take part B. to take hard part C. to hard take part D. to take part hard

Question 19: Many ethnic groups find it difficult to _____their own languages or preserve their culture.

A. protect B. encourage C. develop D. maintain

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 20: You should **concentrate** on what the interviewer is saying and make a real effort to answer all the questions.

A. look at B. listen C. try your best D. focus your attention

Question 21: Paid employment has **undoubtedly** brought economic and social gains to many women.

A. independently B. hardly C. freely D. certainly

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

Question 22: There is no excuse for your **discourtesy**. Think twice before you are going to say anything.

A. bravery B. impoliteness C. politeness D. stubbornness

Question 23: Their classmates are writing letters of **acceptance**.

A. agreement B. admission C. refusal D. confirmation

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option to each of the following exchanges

Question 24: ***This is a souvenir for you. I bought it when I was in Scotland." - " _____ "***

A. Thank you very much. It's so beautiful. B. My pleasure. It's really nice.

C. Don't mention it. It must have cost D. Thanks anyway. I really love it.

Question 25: ***"I'm sorry. I was stuck in a traffic jam." - " _____ "***

A. It's OK. We've just started. B. Never mind. Thanks.

C. Don't apologize. It's all my fault. D. My pleasure.

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 26:

Buying clothes are (A) often a very time-consuming (B) practice because those (C) clothes that a person likes are rarely the ones (D) that fit him or her.

Question 27:

After Mrs.Wang had returned (A) to her house (B) from work (C), she was cooking (D) dinner.

Question 28:

It was (A) suggested that Tom studied (B) the material more thoroughly (C) before attempting to pass (D) the exam.

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 29 to 33.

HOME EDUCATION

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Up until fairly recently, home schooling was (29)_____ as something rather uncommon. In the past decade, however, the idea of children being taught in the family home has (30)_____ in popularity. Many parents cite the alarmingly high incidence of violence in mainstream institution as the reason behind their choice to home educate, (31)_____ others point to the poor standards that are maintained in the state school system. They claim that an insufficient (32)_____ of teachers and overcrowding in classrooms has lead to an unacceptable situation. On the one hand, these parents may have taken a justifiable decision, but on the other, one can't help thinking about the deprivation these stay-at-home children may be suffering as (33)_____ as social interaction with their peers is concerned.

Question 29: A.considered	B.thought	C.referred	D.regarded
Question 30: A.developed	B.grown	C.increased	D.rose
Question 31: A.when	B.as	C.while	D.so
Question 32: A.amount	B.sum	C.number	D.lot
Question 33: A.long	B.far	C.well	D.much

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 from 34 to 38

Cleaning the World's Oceans

Imagine taking a romantic walk on the beach with your loved one. As the sun begins to set, you hope to treasure this moment forever. Just then, your bare feet stumble over something and you hear a crack. You have just stepped upon a plastic soda bottle and some junk that the tide has washed ashore. Scenarios like this are happening more frequently due to an access amount of sea rubbish, and the worst of it is found far from land.

The increasing **accumulation** of garbage in oceans is due to a number of factors. Studies suggest that 80 percent of all debris originated on land. The majority of this waste is in the form of plastics. This is particularly troublesome because plastic does not degrade at the same rate that other materials do. Therefore, these articles will remain there for quite some time. Some of the pollution is caused accidentally. For example, about 10,000 product-filled containers are lost at sea every year by freight ships. In other cases, the littering is more deliberate, such as the moment when people toss things into the water from boats or land.

One of the most startling discoveries of recent years was an area which is now dubbed the Great Pacific Garbage Patch. It is a large collection of marine debris that collected in the North Pacific Ocean. Although the patch is quite massive, it is undetectable from satellites in space because most of the rubbish is underneath the surface. It was discovered in 1997 by a man who happened to spot **it** while returning home from a sailing race. The patch formed as a result of rubbish being carried by currents and then getting trapped in the area.

Thankfully, the problem of ocean garbage is not being ignored. Organizations like the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Association (NOAA) are taking action. It has funded 76 projects that take an aggressive approach to eliminating sea rubbish. Since 2006, it has removed 3,814 metric tons of marine debris from oceans. Methods of rubbish removal include using machines that skim the surface of ocean waters and remove any drifting materials found. In addition, special traps are set by the mouths of rivers to snatch

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rubbish before it reaches the sea. If everyone does their part, sea rubbish seems like an issue that can be resolved.

Question 34: *Where is most of the sea rubbish found?*

A: At the bottom of the ocean B: Floating on top of the water

C: Close to the mouth of rivers D: In the middle of the ocean

Question 35: *The word "accumulation" in paragraph 2 refers to* _____.

A: building up B: collecting C: disposal D: dumping

Question 36: *The word "it" in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to* _____.

A: the surface B: the area C: the discovery D: the patch

Question 37: *Which of the following statements about pollution in oceans is correct?*

A: Nearly all of it is done purposely.

B: Most people aren't aware they are littering.

C: Researchers have no clue where it comes from.

D: Some people mean to cause pollution while others don't.

Question 38: *All of the following are activities carried out by NOAA EXCEPT that* _____.

A: skimming the surface of ocean waters

B: removing 3,814 metric tons of marine debris in 2006

C: removing marine debris

D: setting special traps by the mouth of rivers

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 from 39 to 45

The meaning of silence varies among cultural groups. Silences may be thoughtful, or they may be blank and empty when the individual has nothing to say. A silence in a conversation may also indicate stubbornness and resistance, apprehension, or discomfort. Silence may be viewed by some cultural groups as extremely uncomfortable; therefore, attempts may be made to fill every gap with conversation. Persons in other cultural groups value silence and see it as **essential** to understanding a person's needs.

Many American Indians have this latter **view** of silence, as do some traditional Chinese and Japanese persons. Therefore, when one of these persons is speaking and suddenly stops, what may be implied is that the person wants the nurse to consider the content of what has been said carefully before continuing.

Other cultures may use silence in yet other ways. For example, English and Arabic persons use silence for privacy, whereas Russian, French, and Spanish persons may use silence to indicate agreement between parties. Some persons in Asian cultures may view silence as a sign of respect, particularly toward an elder. Mexicans may use silence when instructions are given by a person in authority rather than showing the disrespect or disagreement.

Nurses need to be aware of the possible meanings of silence so that personal anxiety does not promote the silence to be interrupted prematurely or to be non-therapeutic. A nurse who understands the therapeutic value of silence can use this understanding to enhance the care of clients from other cultures.

Question 39: *What does the author say about silence in conversations?*

A. It implies anger B. It promotes friendship

C. It is culture-specific D. It is content-based

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Question 40: *What is NOT mentioned about silence in conversations?*

A. stubbornness B. apprehension C. discomfort D. attention

Question 41: *Which of the following people might regard silence as a call for careful thought?*

A. The Japanese B. The French C. The Mexicans D. The Russians

Question 42: *What does the author advise nurses to do about silence?*

A. Let it continue as the patient pleases B. Break it while treating patients

C. Evaluate its harm to patients D. Make use of its healing effects

Question 43: *The word "essential" in the passage is closest in meaning to* _____.

A. necessary B. dispensable C. indicative D. insignificant

Question 44: *The word "view" in the passage is closest in meaning to* _____.

A. vision B. purpose C. idea D. opinion.

Question 45: *What may be the best title for the text?*

A. Sound and Silence B. What It Means to Be Silent

C. Silence to Native Americans D. Speech Is Silver; Silence Is Gold

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

Question 46: *He survived the operation thanks to skillful surgery.*

A. He survived the operation because he was a skillful surgeon.

B. There was no skillful surgery, so he died because of the operation.

C. Without skillful surgery, he wouldn't have survived the operation.

D. In spite of the skillful surgery, he didn't survive the operation.

Question 47: *Linh's success took us all by surprise.*

A. Linh was successful, which surprised all of us.

B. We took all of Linh's successes surprisingly.

C. We were taken aback by all of Linh's successes.

D. Linh's success was surprised to all of us..

Question 48: *He last had his eyes tested ten months ago.*

A. He has not had his eyes tested for ten months.

B. He had tested his eyes ten months before.

C. He had not tested his eyes for ten months then.

D. He didn't have any tests on his eyes in ten months.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

Question 49: *She phoned him early in the morning. She didn't want him to forget to bring along the document.*

A. She phoned him early in the morning so that he would not forget to bring along the document.

B. She phoned him early in the morning though she didn't want him to forget to bring along the document.

C. She phoned him early in the morning so that she wanted him to bring along the document.

D. She phoned him early in the morning when she didn't want him to bring along the document.

Question 50: *The new restaurant looks good. However, it seems to have few customers.*

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A. In order to get more business, the new restaurant should improve its appearance.

B. The new restaurant would have more customers if it looked better.

C. If it had a few more customers, the new restaurant would look better.

D. In spite of its appearance, the new restaurant does not appear to attract much business.

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