

8.TX HKI 21-22 E9

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. museum B. cultural C. drum D. sculpture

Question 2: A. conflit B. rickshaw C. paradise D. index

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. downtown B. factor C. embarrassed D. frustrated

Question 4: A. contestant B. skyscraper C. embroider D. despressed

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

Question 5: Youngsters love to eat from street _____ for the cheap price.

A. vans B. vendors C. trucks D. business

Question 6: They had left home, before I _____ .

A. had arrived B. arrived C. have arrived D. arrive

Question 7: It 's hard for people of different.....to get along in an extended family

A. genders B. generations C. blood D.families

Question 8: The city is _____than the countryside.

A. good B. better C. well D. best

Question 9: If there is a mechanical problem, we suggest _____ the manufacturer directly.

A. contact B. to contact C. contacting D. to contacting

Question 10: It _____ that Po Nagar Cham Towers were built in the 8th century.

A. considered B. was considered C. has considered D. considers

Question 11: Woman used _____ the housewife of the family.

- A. be B. to be C. to being D. to

Question 12: We can learn how _____ a lantern on the Mid- autumn .

- A. make B. to make C. making D. made

Question 13: I have to try harder so that I can keep _____ him.

- A. on B. up C. up with D. up down

Question 14: Many children in our village are still _____. They can't read or write.

- A. creative B. illiterate C. unhealthy D. traditional

Question 15: I love going to this place.....it is the quietest place in this town.

- A. as B. though C. so that D. so

Question 16: The local government is introducing tougher.....to preserve historical sites.

- A. measures B. actions C. plans D. steps

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best completes each of the following exchanges.

Question 17: Could you do me a favor, please?

- “ _____ ”

- A. Let me help you. C. No, thanks. I'm fine.
B. Sure. What can I do for you? D. Yes, go ahead!

Question 18: Mr Pike: This is a birthday cake for you.

Dick:

- A. Sure. B. How cool! C. Take a break. D. Sounds great!

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 19: They will read this leaflet to see what activities are organized at this attraction

A. will look B. will look through C. will look out D. will look up

Question 20: I invited her to my party, but she didn't arrive.

A. turn up B. looked after C. turned up D. looked up

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

Question 21: Many people think that playing sports has a lot of advantages.

A. drawbacked B. drawback C. benefits. D. disadvantages

Question 22: Before the exam, I always feel stressed.

A. tense B. relaxed C. frustrated D. worried

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 23: I wish my hometown have a lot of new green fields.

A. fields B. have C. I D. of

Question 24: Phuc wondered where buying those traditional handicrafts.

A. buying B. Phuc C. handicrafts D. traditional

Question 25: It thought that the first temple was built at the current site in the 15th century.

A. in the B. thought C. was D. at

Question 26: When she lived in Japan, she didn't used to eat food with forks, but with chopsticks.

A. with B. in C. when D. used to eat

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.

Ha Long Bay is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and popular travel (27)_____ in Quang Ninh Province, Vietnam. The bay features thousands of limestone karsts and isles in

various shapes and sizes. Ha Long Bay is a center of a larger zone which (28)_____ Bai Tu Long Bay to the northeast, and Cat Ba Island to the southwest.

Ha Long Bay has an area of around 1,553km², including 1,960 - 2,000 islets, most of (29)_____ are limestone. The core of the bay has an area of 334km² with a high density of 775 islets. The limestone in this bay has gone through 500 million years of formation in different conditions and environments. The evolution of the karst in this bay has taken 20 million years (30)_____ the impact of the tropical wet climate. The geo-diversity of the environment in the area has created (31)_____, including a tropical evergreen biosystem, oceanic and sea shore biosystem. Ha Long Bay is home to 14 endemic floral species and 60 endemic faunal species.

Question 27. A. situation B. destination C. direction D. ground

Question 28. A. offers B. includes C. consists D. covers

Question 29. A. them B. those C. which D. whom

Question 30. A. in B. of C. for D. under

Question 31. A. biochemical B. biodiversity C. bioconversion D. biodefense

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.

In the early 17th century, most of the southern region of Vietnam was nearly uninhabited and in the position of Ho Chi Minh City, there was a small village formed with a few residents. However, thanks to its advantage in location, the town grew both economically and politically. By the 19th century, this had become a cultural hub of the South as well as an important trading center of the country.

You might not know that there was a time Saigon was referred to as the Pearl of the Far East. Sadly, having been through various *occurrences* and two disastrous wars has stunted the city's development. Only after the political instabilities had settled, Saigon recovered

miraculously and maintained its leading position in terms of both the economics and culture. Officially named as Ho Chi Minh City, Saigon today has 22 districts in total and attracts hundreds of thousands of tourists annually.

Question 32. The word “**occurrences**” is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. situations B. adventures C. incidents D. affairs

Question 33. What is the best title of the passage?

- A. Saigon: Lost and Found
B. Saigon: Then and Now
C. Saigon: Now and Then
D. Saigon: Hub of the South East Vietnam

Question 34. According to the passage, Saigon was _____ in the early 17th century.

- A. a financial center B. an uninhabited region
C. a small village D. an important city

Question 35. What happened with Saigon in the 19th century?

- A. It became popular all over Asia.
B. It became a cultural hub of the South and an important trading center of Vietnam.
C. It became the most important trading center in the world.
D. It was no longer visited by international tourists.

Question 36. Which of the following sentences is **NOT** true?

- A. In the early 17th century, there were only a few residents living on the position of Saigon.
B. The location of Saigon helped the town develop its economy and politics.
C. Saigon was once referred as the Pearl of the Far East.
D. Saigon had recovered and held its leading position before the political instabilities settled.

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

Question 37: Although he was very tired, he agreed to play tennis.

- A. Despite his tiredness, he agreed to play tennis.
- B. In spite tired, he agreed to play tennis.
- C. Even if feeling tired, he agreed to play tennis.
- D. He was tired because he agreed to play tennis.

Question 38: People say that prevention is better than cure.

- A. It is said that prevention is better than cure.
- B. It said that prevention is better than cure.
- C. Prevention is to have said to be better than cure.
- D. It was said that prevention is better than cure.

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 39: "I am glad I am here."

The woman told her son.....

- A. I was glad I was there.
- B. she was glad I was there.
- C. she was glad she was there.
- D. she is glad she is there.

Question 40: *Your village does not have access to clean piped water.*

I wish.....

- A. my village have access to clean piped water.
- B. my village has access to clean piped water.
- C. my village had access to clean piped water.

D. my village having access to clean piped water.