

**Lưu ý:** - Thí sinh làm bài trên tờ giấy thi.

- Không được sử dụng bất kì tài liệu nào, kể cả từ điển.

**I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others**

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| 1. A. <u>wanted</u>    | B. <u>played</u> | C. <u>cleaned</u> | D. <u>stayed</u>   |
| 2. A. <u>ground</u>    | B. <u>found</u>  | C. <u>though</u>  | D. <u>sound</u>    |
| 3. A. <u>toothache</u> | B. <u>chance</u> | C. <u>clutch</u>  | D. <u>teaching</u> |
| 4. A. <u>delicious</u> | B. <u>social</u> | C. <u>special</u> | D. <u>practice</u> |
| 5. A. <u>bomb</u>      | B. <u>doubt</u>  | C. <u>debt</u>    | D. <u>bamboo</u>   |

**II. Choose the correct answer A, B, C or D to complete each of the following sentences**

6. She is going to finish her work, \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. is she                      B. isn't she                      C. will she                      D. doesn't she
7. The woman \_\_\_\_\_ daughter is the top of the class 9A is a famer.
- A. whom                      B. who                      C. whose                      D. which
8. His school report last term was very \_\_\_\_\_. His parents were worried about his studies.
- A. satisfying                      B. satisfied                      C. unsatisfying                      D. unsatisfied
9. If the road \_\_\_\_\_, there would not be such a bad accident.
- A. were repaired                      B. is repaired                      C. were repairing                      D. repaired
10. He turned \_\_\_\_\_ the light so as not to waste electricity.
- A. off                      B. of                      C. on                      D. down
11. When Mrs. Lien arrived home from work yesterday, her son \_\_\_\_\_ his lesson.
- A. reviewed                      B. has reviewed                      C. was reviewing                      D. reviews
12. My father is very busy. \_\_\_\_\_, he has no time to give me a hand with my homework.
- A. Despite                      B. Although                      C. However                      D. Therefore
13. That man drives very \_\_\_\_\_. He often has accidents.
- A. careful                      B. carefully                      C. careless                      D. carelessly

14. Students have to .....before they can enter universities.

- A. make a bundle      B. burn the midnight oil.      C. work part time job      D. work flexible time.

15. - "Make yourself at home."      " \_\_\_\_\_ "

- A. Yes, can I help you?      B. Not at all. Don't mention it.  
C. Thanks! Same to you.      D. It's very kind of you. Thank you.

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

16. When he was young, he used to helping the poor.

- A      B      C      D

17. I saw the men, the women and the cattle which went to the field

- A      B      C      D

18. Scientists say that in the future incurable diseases will be cured, and "bad" genes will probably placed

- A      B      C      D

19. Although her severe pain, she tried to walk to the auditorium to attend the concert.

- A      B      C      D

20. They asked me what was I doing then, but I didn't want to tell them.

- A      B      C      D

**IV. Fill in each gap in the following text with one suitable word given**

**thanks - Earn - knowledge - career - teachers - talk - realized - finance**

When I was young, I had always dreamt of working in a bank because I thought I would (21) \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of money. I was told that I had to try hard to make my dream come true. I burnt the midnight oil and finally had some success. First, I was accepted to a prestigious secondary school in Ha Noi. There, I gained not only (22) \_\_\_\_\_ but also a number of skills including team work, cooperation, and interpersonal skills. I also became much more organised, (23) \_\_\_\_\_ to the mountains of work which had to be completed to meet the strict deadlines. I felt I was lucky to have such supportive peers and excellent (24) \_\_\_\_\_. My next achievement was when I gained admission to the Banking Academy of Viet Nam.

After three years, I graduated and was awarded a degree in banking. But I (25) \_\_\_\_\_ that I wasn't suited to a nine-to-five job in a bank, even though I was still interested in the subject of (26) \_\_\_\_\_. Feeling confused, I decided to (27) \_\_\_\_\_ to my parents and my closest friend.

Interestingly, I learned that I had the qualifications, skills, and above all, the aptitude for a teaching (28) \_\_\_\_\_. And now I'm a lecturer for the Banking Academy where I graduated.

**V. Read the text carefully and choose the best answers**

Once upon a time, there was a man with a fine house, healthy animals and fertile land. He was also blessed with a handsome, loving son. But the man was worried about his son, because the boy had grown up knowing only good times and good fortune. "What will happen when something goes wrong for him?" wondered his father. "How will he know what to do?"

So one day, the man asked the boy to go into the forest and collect wood. To help him carry the wood home, the man gave the boy an old cart and two horses. As he was leaving, the man said to his son, "If the cart breaks down while you are in the forest, don't worry. Necessity will teach you what to do." The boy collected as much wood as he could load onto the cart. But when he turned to come home, the cart broke under the weight of the wood. "I hope that Father's friend lives nearby," thought the boy, and he started crying out, "Necessity! NE-CESS-ITY! Where are you?" The boy called and called, but no one came, so he decided to fix the cart himself.

When he arrived home, he said to his father, "You said Necessity would teach me to fix the cart, but I couldn't find him anywhere. I had to fix it all by myself."

The man smiled to himself and thought, "Necessity really is the best teacher."

29. Why was the boy's father worried?

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| A. His son was lonely.              | B. His son was not strong enough.      |
| C. His son was always getting lost. | D. His son had never had any problems. |

30. Why did the father send his son into the forest?

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| A. He wanted to punish his son.  | B. He wanted his son to learn.   |
| C. He was too old to go himself. | D. He was fighting with his son. |

31. What did the boy do first when the cart broke?

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| A. He called for help.   | B. He cried to himself. |
| C. He blamed his father. | D. He walked back home. |

32. Which word best describes the boy's father in this story?

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| A. lazy | B. cruel | C. wise | D. funny |
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33. What is the main message of this story?

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| A. We should take care of the environment. | B. Family is the most important thing.          |
| C. Working hard makes you a better person. | D. It is important to know how to solve problem |

**VI. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one.**

34. David started studying Vietnamese in 2018.

→ David has \_\_\_\_\_

35. "Do you live near here?", he asked me.

→ He asked me \_\_\_\_\_

36. He doesn't get high scores because he is lazy.

→ If he \_\_\_\_\_

37. They will build a new hospital near the river

-> A new \_\_\_\_\_

38. You are under no obligation to accept their offer.

-> You can please \_\_\_\_\_

**VII. Make full sentences based on given cues.**

39. My brother / wish / can speak / English / fluent / as / native speaker.

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40. The guitar / my father / buy / last month / not / expensive.

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**THE END**