

Test 1 - Đề thi tuyển sinh vào lớp 10

I. Choose the word (A, B, C or D) whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others. (0.5 pt)

1. A. prayed B. divided C. nominated D. erupted
 2. A. space B. planet C. volcano D. state

II. Choose the word (A, B, C or D) whose main stress is placed differently from the others. (0.5 pt)

3. A. power B. solar C. resource D. nuclear
 4. A. benefit B. commercial C. encourage D. embroider

III. Choose the word/ phrase (A, B, C, or D) that best fits the space in each sentence. (2.5 pt)

5. WHO passed a _____ to stop the spread of 2019-nCoV virus.
 A. complaint B. resolution C. notice D. standard
 6. Covid-19 is spreading. _____, we should avoid crowds.
 A. So B. Moreover C. However D. Therefore
 7. The boy prides himself _____ his success at school.
 A. in B. of C. on D. at
 8. Dream can be a rich source of _____ for an artist.
 A. inspiration B. entertainment C. experience D. convenient
 9. Careless driving also _____ the increasing the number of traffic accidents.
 A. thanks for B. apologizes for C. accounts for D. prepares for
 10. Face masks are essential accessories in protecting ourselves and others _____ contracting Covid-19.
 A. with B. for C. out D. from
 11. He _____ a very positive contribution to the success of the project.
 A. made B. did C. took D. had
 12. The Mona Lisa, _____ is a painting by Leonardo da Vinci, has caused a lot of disputes.
 A. who B. that C. which D. whom
 13. - Student A: "I suggest having a picnic next week."
 - Student B: "_____."
 A. Why not? B. Absolutely right C. Not at all D. I don't care
 14. - Student A: "Modern technology saves us lots of time."
 - Student B: "_____."
 A. I think it's all right! B. OK. That's all.
 C. I can't agree with you more! D. Not completely all.

IV. Look at the signs. Choose the best answer (A, B, C or D) for questions 15 and 16. (0.5 pt)

15. What does the sign say? A. We should wear the mask for nothing. B. It is dangerous to wear masks nowadays. C. Mask doesn't help to prevent virus disease. D. Wearing masks is helpful to prevent coronavirus.	
16. What does the sign say? A. Crossing streets is dangerous. B. The zebra crossing is ahead. C. The piano can be played with feet. D. Someone is ahead.	

V. Read the following passage . Decide if the statements from 17 to 20 are True or False, and choose the correct answers (A,B, C or D) for the questions 21 and 22. (1.5 pts)

Canada would remind Norman Bethune, a great Canadian physician doctor, who devoted himself to China during World War II. And now, besides Dr. Bethune, whenever mention of this country with beautiful maples, my Canadian pen pal will come to my mind.

I met him in an English-learning forum. I often posted a lot of questions there, and he always voluntarily help me out. And gradually, we got familiar and became friends.

For a while, I was rather depressed. He always encourages me to cheer up. Now, I still remember well I got an e-card from him. I lighted up after watching that. He often said, "Keep smiling" at the end of his letter to me.

He was very tolerant, and I hardly saw he crossed swords against any other forum members there but one time. A woman put up a post, saying, "She would not agree her daughter to marry a black man." He responded with Martin Luther King's quote - We must judge people by the content of their character, rather than the colour of their skin!'. This comment of his branded on my mind then at once. Oh, the cool friend of Canada!

17. The writer's pen pal comes from Canada. _____

18. The writer met his/ her pen pal in an English course . _____

19. The writer's pen pal hardly helped him/her with his English questions. _____

20. The writer used to receive an e-card from the pen pal when he/she felt depressed. _____

21. Which is the main idea of the passage? _____

A. How to become pen pals.

B. How to post English questions on the forum.

C. A good Canadian pen pal.

D. Canada – a wonderful country.

22. Which of the following statements is NOT true? _____

A. The pen pal felt free to help the writer.

B. The pen pal has never disagreed with any other forum members.

C. The writer was impressed by the quote of Martin Luther King.

D. The writer felt better after receiving his/ her pen pal's e-card.

VI. Choose the word (A, B, C or D) that best fits the blank space in the following passage. (1.5 pts)

What is coronavirus? The coronavirus is a family of viruses (23) _____ can cause a range of illnesses in humans including common cold and more severe forms like SARS and MERS which are life-threatening.

The recent outbreak of coronavirus is believed to have occurred (24) _____ a market for illegal wildlife in the central Chinese city of Wuhan.

There some simple and effective actions everyone can take to protect themselves and their wider community:

A simple and effective way (25) _____ yourself and others from coronavirus is by making sure you wash your hands frequently with soap and water, or a hand sanitiser if you are out and about. It's particularly (26) _____ to wash your hands once you get home or arrive at work or before you prepare or eat food.

If you are unwell it's vital that you (27) _____ your coughs and sneezes in a tissue, or use your arm if needed, throw the tissues away, then wash your hands.

As COVID-19 is now spreading in the community, people with symptoms of coronavirus should self-isolate at home or use (28) _____ service wisely. Do protect myself and others.

23. A. who

B. whom

C. what

D. that

24. A. at

B. on

C. in

D. by

25. A. protect

B. to protect

C. protecting

D. protected

26. A. important

B. pleasant

C. interesting

D. exciting

27. A. make

B. take

C. catch

D. do

28. A. health

B. healthy

C. healthily

D. healths

VII. Use the correct form of the word given in each sentence. (1.5 pts)

29. _____ are working to improve the quality of our lakes and rivers. (environment)
30. I sometimes have difficulty _____ Spanish from Portuguese. (distinct)
31. Every student is trying their best to make _____ for the special exams. (prepare)
32. _____, our environment is more and more polluted. (Disappoint)
33. Many companies realize that customers don't want _____ products. (efficiency)
34. Many chemicals have a _____ effect on the environment. (disaster)

VIII. Rearrange the groups of words in a correct order to make complete sentences. (0.5 pt)

35. in many countries / is a joyful / Easter / is celebrated / festival / which / . /
→ Easter _____
36. are responsible / Some scientists / mobile phones / some health problems / for / believe that / . /
→ Some scientists _____

IX. Rewrite each of the following sentences in another way so that it means almost the same as the sentence printed before it. (1.0 pt)

37. We haven't traveled abroad for two years.
→ **The last time** _____
38. My friend is a hard student. She always does her tests carefully.
→ **My friend, whose** _____
39. She can't contact her old friend because she doesn't have his phone number.
→ **If she** _____
40. Peter found the visit to the gallery quite depressing.
→ **Peter felt** _____

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