

**ĐỀ DỰ ĐOÁN THI TUYỂN SINH LỚP 10 TRUNG HỌC PHỔ THÔNG – TP HCM – LẦN 8**  
**Môn thi: ANH VĂN - Thời gian: 90 phút (không tính thời gian giao đề)**

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

1. A. caused ed                      B. increased ed                      C. practised ed                      D. promised ed  
 2. A. translate                      B. calcalate                      C. cathedral                      D. ambaulance



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

3. A. garbage                      B. junkyard                      C. persuade                      D. litter  
 4. A. introduce                      B. scientist                      C. marvelous                      D. currency

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

5. The book is \_\_\_\_\_ of 7 chapters.  
 A. comprised                      B. compose                      C. consists                      D. included  
 6. Some people have the tourist attraction \_\_\_\_\_. They litter, pick flowers and walk on the grass.  
 A. foamed                      B. protected                      C. preserved                      D. spoiled  
 7. The Covid-19 pandemic reminds us to respect doctors and nurses, who \_\_\_\_\_ others in our society.  
 A. get on                      B. pick up                      C. care for                      D. take after  
 8. Sales \_\_\_\_\_ laptops have gone up and up.  
 A. for                      B. at                      C. of                      D. in  
 9. I had an uncle in Germany, \_\_\_\_\_ I inherited a bit of money from.  
 A. whose                      B. whom                      C. which                      D. that  
 10. Because she didn't want her private life to be disturbed, she always avoided \_\_\_\_\_ with the press.  
 A. contacting                      B. contact                      C. to contact                      D. being contacted  
 11. \_\_\_\_\_ it rained heavily, they are still playing on the stadium.  
 A. Much as                      B. Despite                      C. Because                      D. Because of  
 12. No one called me last night, \_\_\_\_\_?  
 A. did they                      B. do they                      C. didn't they                      D. don't they  
 13. - **Student A:** "Have you decided what you'd like to study?" ~ **Student B:** "\_\_\_\_\_".  
 A. That sounds interesting                      B. I usually get top marks  
 C. I'm still not sure                      D. That's what I'm here for  
 14. - **Student A:** "I suggest we should clean up our neighborhood." ~ **Student B:** "\_\_\_\_\_".  
 A. It's a nice day!                      B. Great idea!  
 C. Congratulations!                      D. Have a good trip!

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

<p>15. What does the sign say?</p> <p>A. This school isn't safe for children.              B. You don't need to behave well with everyone.              C. You have to take off your shoes here.              D. You have to behave well to create a safe school.</p>	
<p>16. The sign shows us _____.</p> <p>A. bad effects of coronavirus              B. safe measures to prevent the spread of Covid-19              C. spread causes of coronavirus              D. the fast spread of coronavirus</p>	

**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)**

Smoking causes lung cancer, which is the number one cancer among men. Ninety percent of the people who get lung cancer die. Smoking is also the leading cause of mouth cancer, tongue cancer, and throat cancer. Many smokers have heart disease and pneumonia. Smoking causes about one million early deaths in the world every year.

Smokers not only harm themselves but also harm others. Smokers breathe smoke out into the air. They breathe it out on their children and their wives or husbands. Children whose parents smoke have more breathing and lung problems than other children. Women who are married to smokers are more likely to have lung cancer than those married to non-smokers. We are all aware that smoking is bad. So why do people smoke?

17. The number one cancer among men is lung cancer. \_\_\_\_\_
18. The main cause of mouth cancer, tongue cancer, throat cancer is drinking. \_\_\_\_\_
19. Smokers only do harm to others not themselves. \_\_\_\_\_
20. Every year, smoking causes approximately one million early deaths. \_\_\_\_\_
21. What is the main idea of this passage? \_\_\_\_\_
- A. The reason why people smoke. B. How to give up smoking.
- C. The bad effect of smoking. D. Parents shouldn't smoke.
22. The word "it" in line 6 in the passage refers to \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. cancer B. smoke C. air D. breath

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

For all the talk of what humankind has done to cause destruction to the planet, we should not forget that nature itself is a powerful force, capable (23) \_\_\_\_\_ doing damage on a huge scale. The greenhouse (24) \_\_\_\_\_ and the hole in the Ozone layer are indeed made worse by the industrialized society we live in. (25) \_\_\_\_\_, we must remember that there are certain species of plant and animal which, quite naturally, give off gases that are very harmful to the atmosphere. And only fifty years ago in London, hundreds of people died from the smog (26) \_\_\_\_\_ hung over the River Thames. What's interesting here is that, yes, smoke and gases from industry, vehicles and fossil fuels were ingredients in this deadly mixture. The other vital ingredient, though, was the completely natural fog, and who would have thought that could be (27) \_\_\_\_\_ ? In the early days of the industrial revolution, poets, painters and philosophers described how the polluted urban skies made them think of the end of the world. Well, towards the end of the nineteenth century, the volcanic eruption of Krakatoa nearly made it happen! Thousands of tons of dust and ash were thrown into the air and, for years afterwards, there were red sunsets caused by the light filtering through this natural pollution. Remembering scientists' pet theory about the dinosaurs dying out because of a huge volcanic eruption, we were lucky that humankind (28) \_\_\_\_\_ at this time.

23. A. on B. of C. in D. for
24. A. effect B. phenomenon C. syndrome D. situation
25. A. Because B. And C. However D. Although
26. A. where B. who C. whom D. which
27. A. harmful B. harmfully C. harmless D. harmlessly
28. A. survive B. survived C. surviving D. to survive

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

29. They are discussing the preservation of natural \_\_\_\_\_. (source)
30. Our plans \_\_\_\_\_ depend on the weather. (ultimate)
31. This examination will test your \_\_\_\_\_ in English . (proficient)

32. COVID-19 will have serious \_\_\_\_\_ on the global economy. (affect)  
33. It was about the \_\_\_\_\_ meeting between the great leaders at Yalta in 1945. (history)  
34. I don't like these flowers because they look \_\_\_\_\_. (nature)

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

35. that cause / People need to / our environment / and damage to / limit the activities / pollution / . /  
→ People need to \_\_\_\_\_  
36. make rules for when / to use their phones / Schools should / are allowed / and where students / . /  
→ Schools should \_\_\_\_\_

**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. John won the award for "Best Male Performance".  
→ John's friends congratulated \_\_\_\_\_  
38. His speaking skill will be improved soon by joining an English - speaking club.  
→ If \_\_\_\_\_  
39. I myself made a birthday card for my dad. He loves the card very much.  
→ My dad loves \_\_\_\_\_  
40. Because our parents are generous, all of the children in our family have received the best of everything.  
→ Because of \_\_\_\_\_

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