

**PRACTICE TEST 40**  
**(BỘ ĐỀ ÔN THI VÀO LỚP 10 THPT NĂM HỌC 2020-2021)**

**A. PHONETICS**

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the rest in the pronunciation of the underlined part in each of the following questions.

1. A. dictation      B. question      C. foundation      D. action  
2. A. famous      B. nervous      C. loudly      D. serious

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 the following questions.

3. A. entrance      B. handle      C. demand      D. measure  
4. A. cinema      B. position      C. family      D. scientist

**B. VOCABULARY, GRAMMAR AND COMMUNICATION**

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

5. They haven't finished the project, \_\_\_\_\_?  
A. haven't they      B. have they      C. do they      D. don't they  
6. He asked me \_\_\_\_\_?  
A. where did I live      B. where I lived      C. where do I live      D. where I live  
7. The police told him \_\_\_\_\_ his car at the entrance to the hospital.  
A. not park      B. don't park      C. not to park      D. don't to park  
8. I've looked \_\_\_\_\_ my book everywhere but I can't find it.  
A. for      B. after      C. at      D. in  
9. Euro 2016, \_\_\_\_\_ is the men's football championship of Europe, will be held in France.  
A. who      B. that      C. when      D. which  
10. My uncle \_\_\_\_\_ Paris two or three times.  
A. has visited      B. is visiting      C. was visiting      D. often visits  
11. The dragon \_\_\_\_\_ the enemies of the Church.  
A. symbolizes      B. symbols      C. symbolic      D. symbolism  
12. He wore dark glasses \_\_\_\_\_ avoid being recognized.  
A. in order to      B. so that      C. so as      D. in order that  
13. - What do people do \_\_\_\_\_ a living in your village?  
- They plant rice and vegetables.  
A. to      B. with      C. of      D. for  
14. In the choir, Lan sings \_\_\_\_\_ than anyone else.  
A. more beautiful      B. beautifuler      C. beautifullier      D. more beautifully

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to each of the following exchanges.

15. **Jane:** "You look great in that red skirt, Lora!" - **Lora:** "\_\_\_\_\_"  
A. No, I don't think so.      B. Oh, you don't like it, do you?  
C. Thanks, I bought it at Macy's.      D. Thanks. I'm afraid so.  
16. **Peter:** "Would you mind if I used your phone?"  
**Mary:** "\_\_\_\_\_."  
A. Please do      B. No, thank you      C. No, I can't      D. Yes, I do

**C. SYNONYM AND ANTONYM:**

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.

17. He is a very well-known singer in the USA.  
A. wonderful      B. smart      C. famous      D. best  
18. He was asked to account for his presence at the scene of crime.

A. complain      B. exchange      C. explain      D. arrange

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

19. Around one corner, a hundred goats suddenly appeared, in no apparent hurry to let us by.

A. paraded      B. left      C. vanished      D. showed up

20. If you are willing to fly at night, you can get a much cheaper ticket.

A. unprepared      B. ready      C. happy      D. reluctant

#### **D. READING**

*Read the following passage, then choose the correct answer to questions.*

Water is one of our most precious resources; put it simply, without water there would be no life. Unfortunately, many of us seem to have (21)\_\_\_\_\_ this fact, and as a result the world is facing the danger of running (22)\_\_\_\_\_ water. The actual (23)\_\_\_\_\_ of water on earth has changed little since the time of dinosaurs. The problem has been caused by people's misuse of our water supply. This not only means that we have polluted our rivers and seas, but also that we are (24)\_\_\_\_\_ a great deal of this precious resource. Unfortunately the destruction of the rain forests has (25)\_\_\_\_\_ this problem worse since much of the rain that falls is lost because it runs off into the sea. The population of the earth is increasing daily, so it is vital that we (26)\_\_\_\_\_ a solution to this problem before it is too late.

21. A. looked over      B. omitted      C. forgotten      D. missed  
22. A. out of      B. into      C. off      D. away with  
23. A. sum      B. total      C. number      D. amount  
24. A. exploiting      B. wasting      C. spending      D. throwing  
25. A. caused      B. done      C. created      D. made  
26. A. recover      B. work      C. find      D. come up

*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.*

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 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?

27. The number one cancer among men is\_\_\_\_\_.

A. tongue cancer      B. throat cancer      C. lung cancer      D. mouth cancer

28. Every year, smoking causes about one million\_\_\_\_\_.

A. cancer patients      B. killing diseases      C. early deaths      D. injured men

29. The word "it" in the passage refers to\_\_\_\_\_.

A. cancer      B. smoke      C. air      D. breath

30. Who are more likely to have lung cancer and lung problems?

A. People who live in the city      B. People who live with smokers.  
C. People who live with non-smokers.      D. People who live in the country.

#### **E.WRITING**

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

31. The information I got from the assistant was such confusing that I didn't know what to do.

A

B

C

D

32. Have you ever considered work as a teacher after graduating from university?

A B C D

33. When she came to my house this morning, I still slept.

A B C D

34. I often spend one hour to learn English every evening

A B C D

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

35. The test we did last time was more difficult than this one.

- A. We did an easy test last time and a difficult one this time.
- B. This test is not as difficult as the one we did last time.
- C. This time we have to do the most difficult test of all.
- D. The test we have done this time is not difficult at all.

36. “**No, it’s not true. I didn’t steal the money!” Jean said.**

- A. Jean refused to steal the money.
- B. Jean did not intend to steal the money.
- C. Jean admitted stealing the money.
- D. Jean denied having stolen the money.

37. The road is so narrow that cars can not park here.

- A. The road is too narrow for cars to park here.
- B. The road is too narrow that cars to park here.
- C. The road is such narrow for cars to park here.
- D. The road is so narrow for cars to park here.

38. He can shout even louder but I still won’t take any notice.

- A. No matter how much louder he can shout, I still will take some notice.
- B. No matter how much louder he can shout, I still will take some notice.
- C. No matter how much louder he can shout, I still won’t take any notice.
- D. No matter how many louder he can shout, I still won’t take any notice.

39. I wish I had gone there with her.

- A. I hadn’t gone there with her which makes me feel bad.
- B. If only I went there with her.
- C. I regret not having gone there with her.
- D. If I had gone there with her, I wouldn’t have felt bad now.

40. The reasons for his resignation were a complete mystery to some people.

- A. The reason why he was resigned had been a complete mystery to some people.
- B. Some people might find it confused to understand his reasons for resignation.
- C. Some people were completely mystified by the reasons for his resignation.
- D. Some people were curious about his reasons for his resignation and they considered it a mystery.

\_\_\_\_\_The end\_\_\_\_\_