

Thời gian làm bài: ... phút, không kể thời gian phát đề.

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

Question 1: Toan and Sam are talking to each other.

Toan : "I think the important thing is to listen to what others say and share our thoughts respectfully."

Sam : "_____"

- A. I couldn't agree more. B. I think you're wrong. C. You must be kidding. D. My bad.

Question 2: Quy and Gilly are going jogging in the park together.

Jack : "Hey, I'm thinking about trying out a new restaurant this weekend. Would you like to join me?"

Chi : "_____"

- A. Yes, I'd love to. B. I'm just thinking. C. I'm sure about that. D. No, I can't.

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

Question 3: That documentary was _____ film I've seen all year.

- A. more interesting B. the most interesting
C. most interesting D. the more and more interesting

Question 4: The school is searching for teachers with extensive experience for the _____ role.

- A. teaching B. teacherly C. teachable D. teacher

Question 5: Eating too much fast food at night, _____ him unhealthy.

- A. to keep B. keeping C. kept D. be keeping

Question 6: The children were playing in _____ park at 5pm yesterday.

- A. a B. an C. the D. Ø (no article)

Question 7: Before making a decision, it's important to _____ all available options.

- A. look into B. hand out C. get by D. bring out

Question 8: The project has _____ by the team, and improvements are being considered.

- A. being discussing B. been discussed C. had discussed D. discussed

Question 9: He remembered _____ the stove before leaving the house, ensuring there would be no accidents while he was away.

- A. to turn off B. being turned off C. turned off D. turning off

Question 10: We should leave early to avoid traffic, _____ ?

- A. should we B. do not we C. shouldn't we D. do they

Question 11: The council is considering banning vehicles from the town centre to _____ congestion.

- A. abandon B. dispose C. relieve D. discard

Question 12: While I was trying to explain to them, they _____ and laughing together.

- A. sat B. were sitting C. are sitting D. being sat

Question 13: Parents should set a(an) _____ to their children.

- A. example B. fire C. home D. exercise

Question 14: We'll be able to leave for the airport _____.

- A. as soon as the taxi arrives B. as soon as the taxi had been arrived
C. as soon as the taxi arrived D. as soon as the taxi will arrive

Question 15: We should _____ a reservation at the theater if we want to see the show tomorrow night.

- A. take B. get C. play D. make

Question 16: I'm scared _____ telling her what really happened.

- A. of B. about C. on D. at

Question 17: My mother's garden is so beautiful, she has got a green _____.

- A. toe B. thumb C. finger D. hand

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 18: A. dream B. wear C. treat D. mean

Question 19: A. science B. comb C. clerk D. craft

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 stress in each of the following questions.

Question 20: A. machine B. export C. chemist D. process

Question 21: A. affectionate B. reasonable C. respectable D. occasional

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

Question 22: The chef was meticulous in following the recipe, measuring each ingredient exactly to create the perfect food.

- A. careless B. serious C. useful D. careful
Question 23: Every time I ask him to help with the household chores, he starts to grumble about it.
 A. complain B. compliment C. shout D. agree

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.

- Question 24:** Her health has always been very fragile.
 A. bad B. strong C. pleasant D. unhappy
Question 25: He has found himself in love with two people at once. Now, he's in a pickle to deal with.
 A. easy B. difficult C. interested D. relaxed

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 numbered blanks from 26 to 30.

Backpacking offers adventure and freedom as travelers explore (26) _____ parts of the world with just a backpack. It's about spontaneity, discovering hidden treasures, and connecting with nature and fellow adventurers. (27) _____ it also requires planning and preparation for a safe journey. From (28) _____ the right gear and packing essentials to researching destinations and understanding local customs, successful backpacking trips necessitate a combination of adventure and responsibility. It's about striking a balance between spontaneity and practicality, (29) _____ allow for flexibility while ensuring safety and comfort along the way. Despite the challenges, backpacking promises unforgettable experiences and the thrill of (30) _____. So, pack your essentials and set off on a journey of discovery!

- Question 26:** A. a lot B. lot of C. many D. much
Question 27: A. Yet B. But C. However D. Because of
Question 28: A. giving B. choosing C. trying D. doing
Question 29: A. which B. that C. where D. what
Question 30: A. imagination B. creativity C. exploration D. inspiration

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 from 31 to 35.

Staying up late has become a widespread habit, especially among young people. However, it's important to understand that staying awake past your usual bedtime can have significant consequences. It can disrupt your body's sleep pattern, making it difficult to fall asleep when you want to and leaving you feeling tired during the day. Not getting enough sleep can weaken your immune system and impair cognitive function. Staying up late often leads to increased consumption of coffee or energy drinks to stay awake. However, relying on these beverages can further disrupt sleep and contribute to other health issues. Feeling tired can also affect your mood and stress levels, impacting your relationships and behavior.

To avoid these negative effects, it's essential to prioritize sleep and establish healthy bedtime habits. Aim to go to bed at the same time each night and create a relaxing bedtime routine to signal to your body that it's time to wind down. By ensuring you get enough sleep, you'll not only feel better physically and mentally but also be better equipped to face the challenges of daily life.

- Question 31:** The passage is mainly about _____?
 A. the need to establish healthy bedtime habits to mitigate the negative effects of staying up late.
 B. the resulting impact on physical and mental health.
 C. the relationship between staying up late and chronic sleep deprivation.
 D. the negative effects of staying up late and the importance of prioritizing sleep.
Question 32: The word "consequence" is closest in meaning to _____.
 A. opinion B. result C. problem D. attitude
Question 33: The word "it" in paragraph 1 refers to _____.
 A. sleep pattern B. immune system
 C. staying awake past your usual bedtime D. significant consequences
Question 34: According to the passage, Establishing a regular sleep schedule and creating a relaxing bedtime routine are _____.
 A. essential B. unnecessary C. controlled D. horrible
Question 35: according to the passage, all of the following are true, EXCEPT _____?
 A. the need to establish healthy bedtime habits to mitigate the negative effects of staying up late.
 B. the resulting impact on physical and mental health.
 C. the relationship between staying up late and chronic sleep deprivation.
 D. the importance of limiting caffeine consumption to improve sleep quality

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 from 36 to 42.

In the dynamic landscape of today's economy, freelancing has emerged as a defining mode of work for many members of Generation Z. Unlike previous generations, who often sought stability in traditional employment, Gen Z individuals are embracing the flexibility and autonomy offered by freelancing.

For Gen Z freelancers, the allure lies in the ability to craft their own careers on their terms. They are leveraging their digital skills and online platforms to offer a wide range of services, from graphic design and content creation to programming and digital marketing. With access to a global market and an array of digital tools, Gen Z freelancers are not bound by geographical limitations and can collaborate with clients and fellow freelancers from around the world. Moreover, freelancing aligns with the values of independence and work-life balance that are highly prized by Gen Z. Rather than being tethered to a traditional nine-to-five schedule,

freelancers have the freedom to set their own hours and work from anywhere with an internet connection. This flexibility allows them to pursue their passions, travel, and maintain a healthy work-life integration.

However, freelancing also presents its own set of challenges for Gen Z individuals. They must **navigate** the complexities of self-employment, including managing finances, marketing themselves, and handling client relationships. Additionally, the gig economy can be unpredictable, with fluctuations in income and periods of feast or famine.

Nevertheless, Gen Z freelancers are resourceful and adaptable, leveraging technology and networking to overcome obstacles and thrive in the freelance world. They are redefining traditional notions of work and success, proving that you don't need a corner office or a corporate ladder to build a fulfilling and **prosperous** career in the digital age.

In conclusion, freelancing has become a cornerstone of the Gen Z work ethic, offering independence, flexibility, and limitless opportunities for self-expression and growth. As this generation continues to shape the future of work, the rise of freelancing will undoubtedly remain a defining characteristic of their professional identity.

Question 36: Which of the following can be the best title for the passage?

- A. Embracing Autonomy: Generation Z's Shift Towards Freelancing.
- B. Unleashing Potential: Gen Z's Journey in the Freelance Landscape.
- C. Digital Mavericks: How Gen Z Redefines Work Through Freelancing.
- D. Breaking Boundaries: Gen Z's Path to Independence in Freelancing.

Question 37: Freelancing has emerged as a defining mode of work for many members of Generation Z, offering _____.

- A. limitations, and a lack of autonomy
- B. independence and flexibility
- C. dissatisfaction, and minimal opportunities for advancement
- D. monotony, and little room for creativity

Question 38: The word **that** in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. freelancing aligns
- B. independence
- C. the values of independence and work-life balance
- D. gen Z

Question 39: The word **navigate** in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. manage
- B. lose
- C. request
- D. block

Question 40: The word **prosperous** in paragraph 5 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. delighted
- B. poor
- C. thriving
- D. pleased

Question 41: According to the passage, which of the following statements is NOT TRUE ?

- A. Freelancing is embraced by Generation Z individuals, who prefer the stability of traditional employment.
- B. Generation Z freelancers are primarily focused on traditional employment and avoid freelancing due to its lack of stability.
- C. Generation Z freelancers face challenges in managing finances, marketing themselves, or handling client relationships.
- D. The gig economy can be unpredictable, with fluctuations in income and periods of feast or famine.

Question 42: What can be inferred from the passage ?

- A. Generation Z freelancers face very few challenges in navigating the freelance world, including managing finances and client relationships.
- B. Gen Z freelancers are bound by geographical limitations and can not collaborate with clients and fellow freelancers from around the world.
- C. This generation continues to shape the future of work, the rise of freelancing will undoubtedly remain a defining characteristic of their professional identity.
- D. Generation Z freelancers redefine traditional notions of work and success, proving that fulfilling careers can be built without conforming to corporate structures.

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 43: She hugged the pillow all night in frustration. She couldn't sleep well.

- A. If she didn't hug the pillow all night in frustration, she could sleep well.
- B. If she hadn't hugged the pillow all night in frustration, she could have slept well.
- C. If she had hugged the pillow all night in frustration, she could have slept well.
- D. If she hugged the pillow all night in frustration, she couldn't have slept well.

Question 44: He became a successful businessman. He realized that he needed to stay away from temptations.

- A. Only by he became a successful businessman did he realize the need to stay away from temptations.
- B. Not until he realize that he needed to stay away from temptations did he became a successful businessman.
- C. Not until he became a successful businessman did he realize that he needed to stay away from temptations.
- D. Had he become a successful businessman, he would have realized that he needed to stay away from temptations.

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 45: Walking through the bustling city streets, he randomly came across an old friend they hadn't seen in years.

- A. the
- B. an
- C. they
- D. years

Question 46: He has grown up in a privileged and advantageous environment, so he felt a strong sense of responsibility to use his resources to benefit others in need.

- A. privileged
- B. advantageous
- C. responsibility
- D. in need.

Question 47: Last month, Mien randomly find her childhood toy while cleaning out the upper floor.

- A. randomly
- B. find
- C. while
- D. out

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 48: It is forbidden for people to enter the temple without proper attire and respectful behavior.

- A. People won't enter the temple without proper attire and respectful behavior.
- B. People could enter the temple without proper attire and respectful behavior.
- C. People mustn't enter the temple without proper attire and respectful behavior.
- D. People are able to enter the temple without proper attire and respectful behavior.

Question 49: The last time I saw my grandmother was at my graduation ceremony.

- A. I last saw my grandmother since my graduation ceremony.
- B. I haven't seen my grandmother since my graduation ceremony.
- C. I didn't see my grandmother since my graduation ceremony.
- D. I have seen my grandmother was at my graduation ceremony.

Question 50: "I'm going to the store to buy some groceries", she said.

- A. She said that she was going to the store to buy some groceries.
- B. She said that she had been going to the store to buy some groceries .
- C. She said that she is going to the store to buy some groceries.
- D. She said that she has been going to the store to buy some groceries.