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## Đề thi thử số 8– Tiếng Anh 9

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.

1. A. streamer      B. instead      C. wealthy      D. pleasure
2. A. orchard      B. charity      C. attachment      D. chaos

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 each of the following questions.

3. A. command      B. defeat      C. moment      D. balloon
4. A. clarify      B. decisive      C. strategy      D. narrative

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

5. The school organized an \_\_\_\_\_ tour of the museum that students could explore online.  
A. real      B. actual      C. virtual      D. annual
6. The classroom was designed \_\_\_\_\_ students could work in groups easily.  
A. so as to      B. in case      C. in order that      D. because of
7. Japan is famous for its cherry blossoms, but \_\_\_\_\_ Republic of Egypt is known for its pyramids.  
A. no article      B. the      C. a      D. an
8. The new school library is open to \_\_\_\_\_ students and staff members.  
A. neither      B. no      C. both      D. either
9. Mike is offering Hoang a ride home after school.  
Mike: "Hoang, do you need a ride home? I can take you on my bike."  
Hoang: " \_\_\_\_\_ "  
A. Thanks, but I think I'll walk home today.      B. Why don't we catch a bus  
C. I don't have a bike to ride home      D. Let's ride bikes together next time
10. The blue scarf belongs to Sarah, and the red jacket is \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. hers      B. yours      C. me      D. their
11. Students \_\_\_\_\_ bring their phones to the test room, as it's against the rules.  
A. might      B. can't      C. shouldn't      D. mustn't
12. He was determined to \_\_\_\_\_ his dream of becoming a professional musician, even though it wouldn't be easy.  
A. perform      B. preserve      C. recognize      D. pursue

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.

### BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT FOR GRADES 8 & 9

Dear Students,

We are excited to announce the Basketball Tournament for Grades 8 and 9. Team (13) \_\_\_\_\_ is now open until March 30.

The matching dates have (14) \_\_\_\_\_ on April 6 in the Teamwork Room, located on the first floor of the Science Building. Games begin on May 10. All events will be organized by the Organizing Committee.

For (15) \_\_\_\_\_ details, please contact the Organizing Committee or your team teacher.

We wish (16) \_\_\_\_\_ participants the best of luck.

Mr. Khanh

Physical Education Department

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| 13. A. register | B. registration | C. registered | D. registering |
| 14. A. place    | B. charge       | C. advantage  | D. effect      |
| 15. A. longer   | B. farther      | C. less       | D. further     |
| 16. A. every    | B. whole        | C. all        | D. each        |

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

**17. Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical paragraph.**

Last month, we visited a local orphanage in our city. We collected books, toys, and clothes to donate to the children before our visit.

- a. We also played games like puzzles and building blocks with some of the children.
- b. They eagerly showed us their drawings, sang songs, and even shared stories about their daily life with us.
- c. During the visit, we were amazed by how cheerful and friendly the children were.

- A. a - c - b                      B. c - b - a                      C. c - a - b                      D. b - a - c

**18. Choose the sentence that can end the paragraph (in Question 17) most appropriately.**

- A. We shared stories and laughed while we were having lunch together.
- B. Although it was a short visit, we were happy to bring joy to these children in need.
- C. The kids took us on a tour of their facilities, showing us their classrooms, playground, and living quarters.
- D. In short, their special performance really made a good impression on all of us.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.**

Espelette, a small town in the French Basque Country, is famous for its bright red peppers. These peppers, which are (19) \_\_\_\_\_, have become a symbol of the town and are very important for its economy. The rich soil and sheltered hills in the area are perfect for (20) \_\_\_\_\_. In the summer, the town looks amazing with peppers drying on balconies, walls, and everywhere else outside.

What started as a way to farm them has now become a popular place (21) \_\_\_\_\_. People come to see the beautiful red peppers hanging on the white houses with their red doors and windows. The peppers are also used (22) \_\_\_\_\_ delicious spice powders and sauces, which are used in many local meals. Tourists also enjoy buying souvenirs like clothes, linens, and other gifts (23) \_\_\_\_\_ peppers.

Espelette also has a Pepper Museum, (24) \_\_\_\_\_ visitors can learn about the history of these peppers and how important they are. The town's castle often has exhibitions about the peppers, which makes it even more interesting for people to visit this charming place.

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| 19. A. little spicy                  | B. a little spice             | C. a little spicy                | D. little spice |
| 20. A. growing these special peppers | B. these special peppers grow |                                  |                 |
| C. these peppers speciaty grow       |                               | D. these peppers special growing |                 |
| 21. A. for tourists visiting         | B. with tourists visit        |                                  |                 |
| C. with tounsts are visiting         |                               | D. for tourists to vist          |                 |



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| 22. A. making       | B. to make   | C. made           | D. to making     |
| 23. A. were made of | B. made with | C. is making with | D. making of the |
| 24. A. which        | B. that      | C. what           | D. where         |

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

**25. "You'd better take a short walk every morning to improve your health," Minh's doctor said.**

- A. The doctor told Minh to take a short walk every morning to improve his health.
- B. The doctor suggested Minh had to take a short walk every morning to improve his health.
- C. The doctor advised Minh to take a short walk every morning to improve his health.
- D. The doctor asked if Minh could take a short walk every morning to improve your health.

**26. By practising teamwork, students can enhance their communication skills and build stronger relationships with others.**

- A. If students practiced teamwork, they could enhance their communication skills and build stronger relationships with others.
- B. In case students are practising teamwork, they are going to enhance their communication skills and build stronger relationships with others.
- C. If only we could improve our creativity and problem-solving skills, we would read a variety of books.
- D. Students can enhance their communication skills and build stronger relationships with others if they practice teamwork.

**Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.**

**27. security guard/ work/ factory/ always/ check/ building/ midnight/ ensure/ everything/ safe.**

- A. The security guard, that works at the factory, always checks the building at midnight to ensure everything is safe.
- B. The security guard, who works at the factory, always checks the building at midnight to ensure everything is safe.
- C. The security guard, who works in the factory, always checks building at midnight to ensure everything is safe.
- D. The security guard, who works in factory, always checks building at midnight to ensure everything is safe.

**28. Even though/ not/ achieved/ his/ coach/ still/ need/ motivated/ compete/ race.**

- A. Even though he had many advices from his coach, he still needed some motivation to complete the race.
- B. Even though he had much advice from his coach, but he still needed some motivation to complete the race.
- C. Even though he had a lot of advice from his coach, he still needed some motivation to complete the race.
- D. Even though he had lots of advice from his coach, he still needed any motivation to complete the race.

**Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.**

29. What does the sign say?

- A. Campfires should always be left burning overnight.
- B. Campfires are not allowed at this camping location.
- C. Campfires must be cold before you leave the campsite.
- D. Campfires must be burned until the morning comes.



30. What does the message say?

- A. Your friend is apologizing for a misunderstanding.
- B. Your friend is showing appreciation for your support.
- C. Your friend is asking for help with a new problem.
- D. Your friend is inviting you to talk again soon.

Thank you so much for understanding how I felt yesterday. It meant a lot to me!

*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 following questions from 31 to 36.*

Recently, residents of New Jersey have reported seeing strange flying objects in the night sky, describing them as "giant drones. However, officials believe many of these sightings are likely to be regular airplanes. To avoid confusion, several helpful apps can identify aircraft in real time.

Apps like Hightradar24, Plane Finder, and FlightAware allow users to see what planes or helicopters are flying nearby. These apps provide detailed information such as the altitude, speed, and destination of the aircraft. Some can even identify unmanned drones if they are, broadcasting their location.

With apps like Flightradar24, you can simply point your phone at a plane in the sky to learn more about it, even in the dark. This technology has made **tracking** aircraft a popular hobby for many. For example, in 2022, over 700,000 people tracked a US Air Force plane online when it carried a **high-profile** passenger.

These apps collect data sent by planes to ground stations and satellites. However, it's important to note that not all aircraft appear on these platforms. For instance, small hobby drones and military planes like Air Force One are usually not visible.

By using these apps, people can gain a better understanding of what's flying above them and reduce unnecessary worries about unidentified objects

31. What is the main purpose of the text?

- A. To warn people about the dangers of drones.
- B. To explain how to use flight tracking apps..
- C. To introduce apps that can help identify aircraft in the sky
- D. To criticise the government's response to UFO sightings.

32. What feature do apps like Flightradar24 offer?

- A. They allow users to identify aircraft by pointing their phone at the sky.
- B. They provide real-time details about aircraft such as speed and destination.
- C. They assist users in distinguishing between manned and unmanned aircraft.
- D. They enable users to view a map of their location with live air traffic.

33. Why might some aircraft not appear on tracking apps?

- A. The apps cannot track planes that do not broadcast their locations.



- B. Some planes may not transmit data to satellites or ground stations.
- C. Hobby drones and military planes often lack broadcasting technology.
- D. Private aircraft are excluded to protect the privacy of their owners.

**34. Which statement is NOT true according to the text?**

- A. All planes flying at night can be identified with tracking apps.
- B. Tracking aircraft has become a hobby for some people.
- C. Apps can identify unmanned drones if they send signals like planes.
- D. Some aircraft, like Air Force One, are blocked from these platforms.

**35. What is the CLOSEST meaning to the word "tracking" in paragraph 3?**

- A. following                      B. predicting                      C. inventing                      D. hiding

**36. What is the OPPOSITE meaning to the word "high-profile" in paragraph 3?**

- A. Important                      B. significant                      C. influential                      D. unremarkable

**Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.**

School life is often considered the most memorable period in a person's life. (37)\_\_\_\_\_. From the very first day, students embark on a journey that shapes their character and prepares them for the future. Beyond academics, school life offers valuable opportunities for personal growth. Participating in extracurricular activities, such as sports and clubs, teaches them teamwork, discipline, and how to manage their time effectively. (38)\_\_\_\_\_

In addition to academic and extracurricular pursuits, school life fosters strong social bonds. (39)\_\_\_\_\_. These relationships provide support and enrich students' lives both during and after their school years. Furthermore, school life teaches crucial values like perseverance, honesty, and responsibility. Students learn to balance academics with other activities, manage their time effectively, and develop a strong work ethic. (40)\_\_\_\_\_ Ultimately, school life is more than just academics; it's a transformative journey that shapes individuals and prepares them for the challenges of adulthood.

- A. These lessons are invaluable as they transition into adulthood.
- B. It's a time filled with learning, growth, and the formation of lasting friendships.
- C. Sharing experiences, overcoming challenges together, and celebrating achievements create strong bonds between classmates.
- D. These experiences contribute significantly to their personal development and prepare them for the challenges they will face later in life

37. \_\_\_\_\_                      38. \_\_\_\_\_                      39. \_\_\_\_\_                      40. \_\_\_\_\_

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