

## ĐỀ SỐ 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.

Question 1. A. artisan B. pursue C. physical D. pleasant

Question 2. A. pole B. coral C. brochure D. borrow

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.

Questions. A. barefoot B. lifestyle C. campus D. career

Question 4. A. occupy B. recognise C. decisive D. confidence

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

Question 5. Our school organized a list of fun activities for the summer camp, including sports, games, and \_\_\_\_\_.

A. museums B. reading C. competitions D. schedules

Question 6. She \_\_\_\_\_ play the piano every day when she was a child.

A. used B. was using C. use D. used to

Question 7. Tom thinks studying history is \_\_\_\_\_ than watching movies.

A. boring B. more boring C. most boring D. as boring

Question 8. If we \_\_\_\_\_ more books, we \_\_\_\_\_ our knowledge.

A. read - increase B. will read – increased

C. reading - increased D. will read - will increase

Question 9. Anna is telling John about her weekend plans.

Anna: "I'm going to visit the zoo this weekend!" - John: "

A. Thanks for your advice. B. No worries.

C. Sounds fun! Have a great time! D. How boring!

Question 10. The city \_\_\_\_\_ is known for its beautiful parks and rivers is 100 kilometers south of Ha Noi.

A. where B. that C. what D. how

Question 11. Sara was \_\_\_\_\_ when she received the award for the best student.

A. excited B. surprising C. worthy D. afraid

Question 12. Drinking \_\_\_\_\_ of water while working out is important for staying hydrated.

A. a few B. a lot C. few D. no

Read the following conversation 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.

### What to do if There is an Electric Shock at Home

1. Do not touch the person who is shocked.

2. Turn (13) \_\_\_\_\_ electricity (unplug the device or turn off the circuit breaker).

3. Use (14) \_\_\_\_\_ wooden stick or plastic object to (15) \_\_\_\_\_ the person away from the electricity.

4. If they are not (16) \_\_\_\_\_, call emergency services.

5. Wait for help and stay calm.

Question 13. A. off B. on C. down D. up

Question 14. A. the B. a C. × D. an

Question 15. A. pull B. kick C. push D. carry

Question 16. A. breathe B. breath C. breathless D. breathing

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

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

Our community garden is a place where people come together to grow plants. It's a wonderful way to connect with neighbours and nature. \_\_\_\_\_

a. During these times, they share gardening tips, help each other, and build friendships.

b. Many residents enjoy spending time there after work or on weekends.

c. As a result, the garden not only provides fresh vegetables but also strengthens our community.

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

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

A. Therefore, our community garden has become a special place for everyone.

B. However, some people in our community dislike the garden's presence.

C. In conclusion, the garden is rarely used by the local residents.

D. Finally, we decided to close the garden due to lack of interest.

**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 19 to 24.**

Teenagers often feel a lot of pressure from many areas of their lives. One common (19) of pressure is school. Teens have to study hard and get good grades (20) their future, which can be stressful. They also face pressure from their friends to fit in. This can lead to doing things they don't really want to do, (21) wearing certain clothes or trying things such as smoking or drinking.

Social media adds even (22) pressure. Teens may feel like they need to look perfect or have the best life because of what they see online. This can make (23) with themselves.

It's important for teens to remember that they don't have to be perfect. Talking to a trusted adult, like a parent or teacher, can help them (24) stress. Finding healthy ways to relax, like sports or hobbies, is also a great way to deal with pressure.

**Question 19.** A. source      B. effect      C. method      D. way

**Question 20.** A. to prepare      B. preparing      C. to preparing      D. prepare

**Question 21.** A. as      B. like      C. such      D. same

**Question 22.** A. many      B. more      C. other      D. less

**Question 23.** A. they are insecure      B. insecure them      C. them feel insecure      D. them insecure

**Question 24.** A. ignore      B. manage      C. increase      D. create

**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.**

**Question 25.** "I'm planning to cook dinner for my friends on Saturday, but I might change plans," she said.

A. She said she was planning to cook dinner for her friends on Saturday but she might change plans.

B. She said she is planning to cook dinner for her friends on Saturday but she might change.

C. She said she plans to cook dinner for her friends on Saturday but she may change her mind.

D. She said she was planning to cook dinner on Saturday for her friends but she could change.

**Question 26.** We decided to visit Viet Nam after hearing so many wonderful things about its natural beauty.

A. We visited Viet Nam because we had heard a lot of wonderful things about its natural beauty.

B. We heard many good things about Viet Nam's natural beauty but decided not to visit in the end.

C. We decided to visit Viet Nam long ago, knowing it is famous for its stunning natural beauty.

D. We are planning to visit Viet Nam now because we didn't know much about its natural beauty before.

**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.**

**Question 27.** Despite / study / English / for / two years, / they / still / struggle / with / the language.

A. Despite studying English for two years, they still struggle with the language.

B. Despite studying English for two years, they have still struggled with the language.

C. Despite they study English for two years, they still struggle with the language.

D. Despite study English for two years, they are still struggling with the language.

**Question 28.** If / we / not / try / Vietnamese food / during / our visit, / we / miss / something special.

A. If we didn't try Vietnamese food during our visit, we will miss something special.

B. If we don't try Vietnamese food during our visit, we will miss something special.

C. If we didn't try Vietnamese food during our visit, we will miss something special.

D. If we aren't trying Vietnamese food during our visit, we would miss something special.

**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.**

**Question 29.** What does this sign say?

**WARNING**

**CONSTRUCTION AREA**

**KEEP OUT**

A. Visitors are allowed to access the construction area.

B. People are warned to stay out of the construction area.

C. You are permitted to enter the construction zone as needed.

D. Visitors are encouraged to explore the construction site safely.

**Question 30.** What does the notice say?

**HOA MAI SCHOOL**

cycling and scooter

allowed, but students  
may not use skateboards

to get to school

A. Students are allowed to ride bikes and scooters but not skateboards.

B. Students can use skateboards but must avoid bikes and scooters.

C. All forms of transportation, including skateboards, are allowed.

D. Bicycles, scooters, and skateboards are completely prohibited on campus.

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.

Ha Long Bay is one of Viet Nam's most famous natural attractions, located in the northeastern part of the country. Known for its **stunning** emerald waters and thousands of towering limestone islands topped with rainforests, Ha Long Bay has become a UNESCO World Heritage site. Tourists visit this bay not only for its natural beauty but also for its rich history and legends. According to local myths, the bay was formed when dragons **descended** from the heavens to protect the land from invaders. The dragons supposedly spat out jewels and jade, creating the islands and islets that dot the bay today.

Visitors to Ha Long Bay can enjoy a variety of activities, such as cruising on traditional wooden boats, kayaking between the limestone formations, and visiting ancient caves that are millions of years old. One of the most popular caves is Sung Sot Cave, known for its impressive stalactites and stalagmites. Ha Long Bay's tourism has steadily grown, attracting both local and international tourists. The best time to visit is from October to April when the weather is cooler and more pleasant.

**Question 31.** What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. The myths and legends of Ha Long Bay
- B. The historical significance of Ha Long Bay
- C. Ha Long Bay as a popular tourist attraction in Viet Nam
- D. The challenges of visiting Ha Long Bay during the summer

**Question 32.** The word **stunning** in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. surprising
- B. boring
- C. beautiful
- D. strange

**Question 33.** The word **descended** in paragraph 1 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. rose
- B. fell
- C. dropped
- D. landed

**Question 34.** Which of the following is NOT TRUE according to the passage?

- A. Ha Long Bay is located in the northeastern part of Viet Nam.
- B. Ha Long Bay is famous for its emerald waters and limestone islands.
- C. Sung Sot Cave is a popular cave with stalactites and stalagmites.
- D. The best time to visit Ha Long Bay is from June to August.

**Question 35.** From the passage, it can be inferred that

- A. Ha Long Bay's tourism is declining due to poor weather conditions
- B. Ha Long Bay is visited by both local and international tourists
- C. there are no activities to do in Ha Long Bay other than sightseeing
- D. Ha Long Bay was created by natural forces without any legends

**Question 36.** According to the passage, tourists visiting Ha Long Bay can.

- A. go hiking on the limestone islands
- B. visit a famous stalactite-filled cave called Sung Sot
- C. watch dragons create new islands in the bay
- D. swim in the bay year-round without worrying about weather

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.

Learning English is important for many people around the world. It is one of the most widely spoken languages and is often (37) \_\_\_\_\_. For students, knowing English can help them study abroad or access information from international sources. (38) \_\_\_\_\_, and there are also many online courses available.

One of the best ways to improve your English is to practise every day. (39) \_\_\_\_\_. Speaking with native speakers or joining a language exchange group can also help you gain confidence. It is important to focus on all skills: listening, speaking, reading, and writing.

Learning English can sometimes be difficult, especially with grammar rules and pronunciation. However, with patience and practice, it (40) \_\_\_\_\_. Many people find that learning English opens up new opportunities and allows them to connect with people from different countries and cultures.

- A. becomes easier over time
- B. You can read English books, watch movies or listen to music in English
- C. used for business, travel, and education
- D. Many schools teach English as a second language

**Question 37.** \_\_\_\_\_ **Question 38.** \_\_\_\_\_ **Question 39.** \_\_\_\_\_ **Question 40.** \_\_\_\_\_