ĐỀ SỐ 29 ĐỀ LUYỆN THI VÀO LỚP 10 (NGHỆ AN)

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. conducted B. reminded C. tailored D. promoted

2. A. artisan B. handicraft C. underpass D. skyscraper

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. holiday B. attention C. balcony D. national

4. A. cartoon B. teacher C. letter D. student

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.

5. There is a long list of _____ species in Vietnam that need urgent protection.

A. danger B. dangerous C. endangered D. dangerously

6. The Nguyens may not be wealthy, but they are very _____ with their lives.

A. fond B. satisfied C. keen D. amazed

7. He _____ his father a lot, with the same square face and crooked nose.

A. takes over B. takes off C. takes after D. takes up

8. John stayed up late to finish his assignment, _____ he wanted to get a good grade.

A. as B. and C. but D. so

9. The result of the exam was finally _____ on the Internet last night.

A. noticed B. announced C. declared D. informed

10. Most of the children in my village enjoy _____football afterschool.

A. to play B. play C. playing D. played

11. I wish I _____ English as well as a native speaker.

A. will speak B. am speaking C. can speak D. could speak

12. Those fashionable jeans were expensive, _____?

A. were they B. was it C. weren't they D. wasn't it

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that is CLOSEST In meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following sentence.

13. Everybody should share their part in the **preservation** of the natural environment.

A. focus B. beauty C. use D. protection

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that is OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in the following sentence.

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14. When do you think you should start thinking **seriously** about your career?

A. differently B. casually C. highly D. much

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful dialogue in each of the following questions.

15.

a. I totally agree! Making mistakes is an essential part of growing up, and we're better at it.

b. It's important to reflect on the past and learn from the mistakes we made as kids.

c. Yeah, I'm really grateful for those experiences - they taught me so much.

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

16.

a. I'd love to, but I have a lecture at that time.

b. Are you free to grab lunch after our sociology class?

c. Maybe we can go after your lecture instead.

d. That works for me, let's meet at the café around 2 pm.

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

17.

a. Let's remember to ask about discounts and warranties before purchasing.

b. Yes! I think I'll go with a new laptop for both work and travel.

c. Great choice! I'll make a list of features you need so we can compare options.

d. Have you decided on what you want to buy?

e. Definitely, they can make a big difference in the total cost!

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

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best option that fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 20.

SAFETY TIPS FOR MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS

● Travel in Groups: Whenever possible, hike or explore (**18**) _____ a companion or group.

● Inform Someone: Always let someone (**19**) _____ your plans and expected return time.

● Be Aware of Weather Changes: Mountain weather can change rapidly. Be prepared to turn back if conditions worsen.

● Carry a First Aid Kit: Be equipped to handle minor injuries or emergencies.

● Know Emergency Contacts: Familiarize yourself with local emergency services and have a plan (**20**) _____ an emergency.

18. A. in B. on C. at D. with

19. A. knows B. know C. to know D. knowing

20. A. unless B. despite C. in case of D. if

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the

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best option that fits each of the numbered blanks from 21 to 25.

Different types of hobbies offer different types of benefits. First, if you are (**21**) _____ physical hobbies, for example, hiking, camping, swimming, yoga, you can increase both your heart rate and brain function; lose weight, build muscle and (**22**) _____ bones. Second, it's advisable for you to spend your time on some hobbies like gardening, listening to music, painting or drawing, cooking and photography because they can improve your mental health, decrease stress by relaxing your mind after daily life of hard work. Hobbies are also (**23**) _____ great way to socialize and expand your relationship; to improve confidence level, boost self-esteem, and improve the quality of life. Last but not least, some hobbies can provide a way to save or make money. (2**4** _____, to save money you can refurbish items you find at a garage sale or grow your own vegetables. To make money, you can sell the photographs you (**25**) _____ or the cakes you bake.

Hobbies are essential to having a well-rounded life. Saving some time for yourself to enjoy a hobby can provide the physical, mental, emotional, social and economic benefits that make life more meaningful, relaxing, and fun!

21. A. interest in	B. keen to	C. fond of	D. crazy with
22. A. upgrade	B. strengthen	C. reduce	D. support
23. A. a	B. an	C. the	D. ∅
24. A. Therefore	B. However	C. Furthermore	D. For example
25. A. make	B.do	C. take	D. have

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.

Ha Long Bay

Ha Long Bay, a UNESCO World Heritage Site in northern Vietnam, is one of the most breathtaking natural wonders in the world. Known for its emerald waters and thousands of towering limestone islands, the bay attracts millions of tourists every year. Many of these islands are home to caves, hidden beaches, and diverse marine life, making it a perfect destination for nature lovers and adventurers.

The name "Ha Long" means "Descending Dragon" in Vietnamese. According to legend, a mother dragon and her children were sent by the gods to protect the country from invaders. They spat out jewels that turned into islands, creating a natural fortress against enemies. Today, visitors can explore various caves such as Sung Sot Cave and Thien Cung Cave, which feature **impressive** stalactites and stalagmites.

Ha Long Bay is not only famous for its scenery but also for its rich biodiversity. The bay is home to hundreds of species of fish, mollusks, and corals. Floating fishing villages dot the waters, where local fishermen maintain a traditional way of life. Many tourists enjoy kayaking, swimming, and taking boat tours to experience the bay's beauty up close.

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To preserve its unique environment, efforts have been made to limit pollution and control tourism activities. Authorities have implemented regulations to protect marine ecosystems and reduce waste. Despite these efforts, challenges remain, and conservation continues to be a priority to ensure that future generations can enjoy Ha Long Bay's stunning landscapes.

26. What is the main topic of the passage?

A. The history of Vietnam

B. The legend of the dragon in Ha Long Bay

C. The natural beauty and importance of Ha Long Bay

D. The marine life in Ha Long Bay

27. The word "**impressive**" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. Ordinary B. Amazing C. Small D. Unclear

28. Which of the following is **NOT** true about Ha Long Bay?

A. It is recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

B. The bay has many limestone islands and caves.

C. Ha Long Bay has no connection to legends or myths.

D. Conservation efforts are being made to protect the bay.

29. According to the passage, what does the legend say about Ha Long Bay's formation?

A. A giant wave created the islands.

B. A dragon family spat out jewels that became islands.

C. A volcano erupted and formed limestone caves.

D. Fishermen built the islands over centuries.

30. What activities do tourists enjoy in Ha Long Bay?

A. Fishing and farming

B. Climbing and horseback riding

C. Kayaking, swimming, and boat tours

D. Running and skiing

31. Why are conservation efforts needed in Ha Long Bay?

A. To attract more tourists to the area

B. To protect its unique environment and marine life

C. To build more hotels and resorts

D. To stop visitors from exploring the caves

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph in the following question.

32.

a. Additionally, deforestation negatively contributes to climate change by releasing stored carbon dioxide into the atmosphere.

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b. Therefore, efforts to combat deforestation include reforestation initiatives and sustainable land management practices.

c. The loss of trees also disrupts water cycles, resulting in soil erosion and decreased water quality.

d. Deforestation is the large-scale removal of trees from forests.

e. This environmental issue poses significant threats to biodiversity, as many species lose their habitats and face extinction.

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

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

33. I wish I have enough money to buy a new dictionary.

A. a B. have C. wish D. to buy

34. Most children remain dependent on his parents while at university.

A. at B. his C. on D. Most

35. I don't know what happened because I didn't read today's newspaper yet.

A. don't know B. what C. because D. didn't read

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the given one.

36. "Would you like to come out to dinner with me tonight, Jenny?" Paul said.

A. Paul suggested that Jenny go out to dinner with him that night.

B. Paul insisted on Jenny going out to dinner with him that night.

C. Paul invited Jenny to go out to dinner with him that night.

D. Pau offered Jenny to go out to dinner with him that night

37. I last met my grandparents five years ago.

A. I haven't met my grandparents for five years.

B. I have met my grandparents for five years.

C. I often met my grandparents five years ago.

D. I didn't meet my grandparents five years ago.

38. Jupiter is bigger than any other planet in the solar system.

A. Jupiter is the bigger of all the other planets in the solar system.

B. All other planets in the solar system are as big as Jupiter.

C. Jupiter is the biggest planet in the solar system.

D. All other planets in the solar system are not so big than Jupiter.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines the two given ones.

39. You spend time more properly. You have more time to rest.

A. The more properly you spend your time, the less time you have to rest.

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B. The more properly you spent your time, the more time you had to rest.

C. The more properly you spend your time, the more time you have to rest.

D. The properlier you spend your time, the less time you have to rest.

40. Tim is studying hard. He doesn't want to fail the next exam.

A. Tim is studying hard in order that he not fail the next exam.

B. Tim is studying hard in order not to fail the next exam.

C. Tim is studying hard in order to not to fail the next exam.

D. Tim is studying hard so as to fail the next exam.

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