FORM 2025 Đề 02	ĐỀ KIỂM TRA GIỮA HỌC KÌ I – Môn: Tiếng Anh 9 GB

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. c<u>a</u>re B. n<u>ea</u>r C. w<u>ea</u>r D. b<u>ea</u>r

Question 2. A. v<u>e</u>hicle B. <u>h</u>onesty C. <u>h</u>ouse D. ex<u>h</u>aust

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.

Question 3. A. teenager B. lifestyle C. advice D. eating

Question 4. A. activity B. vitamin C. exercise D. balance

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. It's important to limit sugary drinks and processed snacks because they are considered to be _____.

A. balanced meals B. healthy options
C. good sources of energy D. fattening foods

Question 6. If John _____his room, his father _____him go to the party.

A. cleans - won't let B. cleans - may let
C. doesn't clean - may let D. can't clean - could let

Question 7. The city never sleeps! Even at night, the streets are _____with cars, taxis, and people enjoying the nightlife.

A. peaceful B. gloomy C. slow D. lively

Question 8. The _____you get to know the locals, the _____comfortable you might feel in a new city.

A. sooner – least B. sooner – more C. later – most D. soonest – much

Question 9. "Is this a good place to find souvenirs?" – "_____"

A. Yes, there are many shops on this street. B. Sure, follow me. I'm always ready for help.
C. I'm not sure, maybe ask the prices first. D. Excellent choice, the shirt here is amazing!

Question 10. The villagers are working hard to _____ the challenges of exporting their handcrafted products overseas.

A. deal for B. take off C. deal with D. make up

Question 11. If you are interested in learning _____to make silk lanterns, you can visit Hoi An.

A. what B. how C. who D. when

Question 12. Street vendors, which offer delicious and affordable food options, play an important _____in Vietnamese cuisine.

A. design B. role C. desire D. need

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 numbered blank from 13 to 16.

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Healthy Habits Week – Small Changes, Big Differences!

Teen Health Club is hosting Healthy Habits Week from August 5 to 9.

Each day (13)_____a different healthy habit: sleep, water intake, exercise, screen time, and nutrition.

Free (14)_____fitness classes (Zumba, yoga, dance)

Healthy snack samples & hydration stations

Prizes (15)_____daily health challenges!

Come learn how small changes can (16)_____your body and mind!

Question 13. A. looks after	B. puts up with	C. breaks down	D. focuses on
Question 14. A. day	B. daily	C. date	D. dating
Question 15. A. in	B. to	C. for	D. up
Question 16. A. improve	B. losen	C. decrease	D. raise

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.

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

Our community had a problem with air pollution due to too many motorbikes. Some students came up with a simple idea. _____

a. After a few weeks, more people chose to walk or ride instead of using motorbikes.
b. They also worked with local shops to offer bike parking discounts.
c. They created posters encouraging walking or cycling for short trips.

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

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

A. Pollution has worsened since then.
B. People didn't care and kept using motorbikes.
C. It's great to see how small ideas can make a big difference.
D. The posters were removed after a few days.

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 numbered blank from 19 to 23.

In many modern cities, life never seems to stop. Shops stay open late, public transport runs through the night, and entertainment is available 24/7. This lifestyle offers (19)_____ to city dwellers who have busy schedules and different working hours. (20)_____, someone who finishes work at midnight can still buy groceries, eat out, or take the last train home. However, the 24/7 culture also has downsides. People may (21)_____ to rest properly or feel pressure to always be "on" and productive. Night workers often (22)_____ health problems due to irregular sleep patterns. Moreover, noise and bright lights at night can make it harder for everyone to relax. City governments are now (23)_____ways to balance convenience with well-being. Some cities are introducing "quiet hours" in neighborhoods, dimming streetlights late at night, or encouraging businesses to limit (24)_____. While 24/7 cities offer flexibility and freedom, people must also learn to set boundaries and take care of their physical and mental health in a world that never sleeps.

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(Inspired by The Guardian – Is the 24-hour city a good thing?)

Question 19. A. convenience	B. convenient	C. inconvenience	D. inconvenient
Question 20. A. Furthermore	B. However	C. For example	D. Moreover
Question 21. A. to struggle	B. struggled	C. struggling	D. struggle
Question 22. A. separate	B. experience	C. taste	D. prevent
Question 23. A. taking off	B. looking after	C. taking after	D. looking for
24. A. late-night activities	B. night-late activities	C. lately-night activities	D. lately-night activities

Read the following announcement and 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. Dina is like her mother's side of the family.

A. Dina prefers her mother's side of the family.
B. Dina has her mother by her side in the family
C. Dina takes after her mother's side of the family.
D. Dina looks for her mother's side in the family.

Question 26. If local authorities don't take action, river pollution in our village will increase.

A. Unless local authorities take action, river pollution in our village will increase.
B. Taking action against river pollution in our village is not possible for local authorities.
C. River pollution has increased in our village because local authorities have taken action.
D. Local authorities haven't taken any action against river pollution in our village.

Read the following announcement and 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. The/ safe/ the neighbourhood/ be/ the/ happy/ the residents' life/ become.

A. The more safe the neighbourhood is, the more happy the residents' life becomes.
B. The more and more safe the neighbourhood is, the more and more happy the residents' life becomes.
C. The safest the neighbourhood is, the happiest the residents' life becomes.
D. The safer the neighbourhood is, the happier the residents' life becomes.

Question 28. The group/ asked/ who/ contact/ organise/ the next community event.

A. The group asked who should they contact to organise the next community event.
B. The group asked who do we contact to organise the next community event.
C. The group asked who to contact to organise the next community event.
D. The group asked who they contacted to organise the next community event.

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 the sign say?



A. You can't take photos here.
B. You shouldn't take photos here.
C. You might not take photos here.
D. You won't find any photographs here.

Question 30. What does the notice say?



A. You should take the medicine after eating, twice a day.
B. You should drink two tablets after every meal.
C. You shouldn't take tablets after you finish your meal.
D. You should take one tablet per day after you eat.

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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.

Protecting the environment doesn't always require big actions. In fact, small everyday choices made by people in a local community can have a big impact. Whether it's picking up litter, planting trees, or saving water, each action helps improve the place we live. One major problem in many towns is plastic waste. When plastic bags and bottles end up on sidewalks or in rivers, they pollute nature and **harm** animals. Local clean-up events organized by schools or community groups can help reduce this problem. Recycling is another simple but powerful habit. When people sort their trash correctly, it reduces landfill waste and saves energy. Local recycling stations and clear instructions make it easier for families to participate. Schools often play an important role in building environmental awareness. Students who learn about pollution and climate change can take the message home and influence their families. Even small school projects, like making posters or reusing materials, can lead to bigger changes. The most important thing is **consistency**. One person turning off unused lights or walking instead of driving may seem like a small thing. But when hundreds of people do it every day, the effect becomes significant. A healthy local environment depends on people who care enough to act.

(Source: Adapted from "Local Solutions to Environmental Problems" – EarthDay.org)

Question 31. Which of the following titles best fits the passage?

A. How to Start a Recycling Company
B. Why We Should Avoid Nature and Environment
C. Everyday Actions to Protect Our Environment
D. The History of Plastic Production

Question 32. Which of the following actions is **NOT** mentioned in the passage?

A. Installing solar panels
B. Picking up litter
C. Saving water
D. Planting trees

Question 33. A student wants to help the environment but doesn't have money. Based on the passage, what could they do?

A. Buy an electric car
B. Reuse school materials and educate others
C. Donate to large companies
D. Hire someone to clean the river

Question 34. What is one way schools help the environment according to the text?

A. Selling plastic bottles
B. Giving out free food
C. Stopping students from walking
D. Teaching students to raise awareness

Question 35. What is the OPPOSITE of **"consistency"** as used in the passage?

A. Random effort
B. Silence
C. Regular behavior
D. Strong smell

Question 36. What is the CLOSEST meaning of **"harm"** as used in the passage?

A. Ignore
B. Avoid
C. Protect
D. Feed

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 fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40 the most.

A. they drive through streets to pick up
B. Some garbage collectors also report problems
C. we can appreciate the essential services
D. Garbage collectors often start very early

Garbage collectors play a key role in keeping our neighborhoods clean and safe. Every day, (37)_____ trash from homes, schools, and businesses. Without their work, waste would pile up, attracting pests and spreading disease. Many people don't realize how hard this job is. (38)_____, lift heavy bags, and work

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in all kinds of weather. Their work also helps the environment by making sure trash is taken to the right place—whether it's a landfill, recycling center, or compost site. In many cities, garbage collection includes sorting materials so that items like paper, plastic, and metal can be reused. (38)_____ they see, like broken bins or illegal dumping. By doing their job well, they help create cleaner air, safer streets, and a better quality of life for everyone. Showing respect for garbage collectors is one way (40)_____that keep our community healthy.

Question 37.	**Question 38.**	**Question 39.**	**Question 40.**
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