GLOBAL SUCCESS 9

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LỚP 9 | MÔN TIẾNG ANH – *Thời gian: 60 phút*

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 from 1 to 2.

Question 1: A. pass**ed** **B.** realize**d** **C.** touche**d** **D.** wishe**d**

Question 2: A. computer**s** **B.** instruction**s** **C.** letter**s** **D.** scientist**s**

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 from 3 to 4.

Question 3: A. conserve **B.** fossil **C.** resource **D.** reduce

Question 4: A. benefit **B.** symbolise **C.** opponent **D.** atmosphere

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 5 to 12.

Question 5: _____ you prepare for the exam, _____ you will be on test day.

A. The earlier/more successfully **B.** The more early/the more successful

C. The earliest/the most successful **D.** The earlier/the more successful

Question 6: With one click, the app can _____ your voice message into text, which is useful for homework.

A. get **B.** turn **C.** do **D.** make

Question 7: Candidates should dress neatly to make a strong _____ on interviewers, even for part-time jobs after school.

A. impression **B.** impressive **C.** impressively **D.** impress

Question 8: A customer complains about an electronic device.

Kevin: "My new headphones only work on one side."

Support Agent: "_____ I'll check them and offer a repair or a new pair."

A. That's normal for new headphones. **B.** You'll need to buy another pair yourself.

C. I'm sorry to hear that. **D.** There's nothing we can do about it.

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Question 9: _____ Johns are planning _____ family reunion next month to reconnect with relatives.

A. The – a **B.** The – Ø **C.** Ø – a **D.** a – a

Question 10: It _____ outside, so Wendy decided to stay at home.

A. is raining **B.** had rained **C.** rains **D.** was raining

Question 11: We're going to miss the meeting if _____ right now.

A. we not leave **B.** we didn't leave **C.** we won't leave **D.** we don't leave

Question 12: The trash bins _____ every morning, so the schoolyard stays clean.

A. empty **B.** are emptying **C.** are emptied **D.** emptied

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.

GREEN SATURDAY — Be the Change, Not the Trash!

This Saturday, 24 January (7:30–10:00 a.m.), join a school-wide clean-up and recycling mission to make our campus cleaner, safer, and greener.

Why you should join:

- **Protect your health**: less litter = fewer germs & bad smells
- **Learn real recycling skills**: sort waste the right way (easy + practical)
- **Earn rewards**: a green badge + 1 bonus class point
- Build **(13)** _____ skills and leadership through guided team activities.

Your role matters:

We'll form teams of four, and **(14)** _____ team will have a teacher as a guide. You'll help collect rubbish, sort it correctly, and keep glass safe in the "GLASS" **(15)** _____. After that, relax and swap storybooks in the courtyard—save money, share stories, reduce waste.

Meeting point: the main gate **(16)** _____ 7:30 a.m.

Bring: a hat, a refillable bottle, and gloves.

Sign up by Wednesday, 21 January, with your class monitor.

Let's turn one morning into a cleaner school—and a greener habit!

Question 13: A. teammates **B.** cooperative **C.** teamwork **D.** collaboration

Question 14: A. Each **B.** All **C.** Most **D.** Many

Question 15: A. bag **B.** bin **C.** map **D.** desk

Question 16: A. in **B.** on **C.** at **D.** to

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) _____ When neighbors share skills, like fixing bikes or cooking, everyone feels more supported. **(18)** _____ This kind of teamwork can make our community safer and more friendly.

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Question 17: Choose the TOPIC SENTENCE that can **BEGIN** the text most appropriately.

A. Strong communities grow when people help each other in small, regular ways.

B. Many people enjoy staying at home because it is quieter than public places.

C. Online videos can teach useful skills without needing any local connection.

D. Some cities have old buildings that tourists like to visit on weekends.

Question 18: Put the sentences (a–c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

a. Even small actions, like picking up litter, can inspire others to join in.

b. Soon, a simple community event can bring strangers together and reduce loneliness.

c. As people talk more often, they notice problems early and offer quick support.

A. a – c – b **B.** a – b – c **C.** b – a – c **D.** c – a – b

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.

Last summer, a group of high school students joined a community project to clean a local park. The park, **(19)** _____ the school, had become dirty after many outdoor events. Rubbish was everywhere, and some benches were broken. The students decided to take action instead of waiting for others to fix the problem.

At first, only a few people volunteered. **(20)** _____, more students joined after seeing photos of the park on social media. The group planned carefully and divided tasks. Some students picked up trash, while others planted flowers to improve the area. They also tried to **(21)** _____ awareness of environmental protection among younger children by giving short talks.

The weather was **(22)** _____ the team had to stop working for a while. However, they **(23)** _____ return the next day to finish the job. Their teacher said the project was a great example of teamwork and civic responsibility. By the end of the week, the park looked cleaner and more welcoming.

Through this experience, students learned that small actions **(24)** _____ create meaningful change. They also understood that real progress requires patience and commitment by working together.

Question 19: A. where near was **B.** which near was **C.** which was near **D.** where was near

Question 20: A. Nevertheless **B.** As a result **C.** For example **D.** In contrast

Question 21: A. raise **B.** rise **C.** improve **D.** make

Question 22: A. so cold that **B.** such cold that **C.** cold so that **D.** so that cold

Question 23: A. should **B.** can **C.** had to **D.** must

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Question 24: A. help can truly **B.** truly can help **C.** can help truly **D.** can truly help

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 from 25 to 26.

Question 25: "You'd better stay at home during this time," he said to Lan.

A. He ordered Lan to stay at home during that time.

B. He warned Lan against staying at home during that time.

C. He advised Lan to stay at home during that time.

D. He thanked Lan for staying at home during that time.

Question 26: In my town, bicycles are more common than motorbikes.

A. In my town, motorbikes are not as common as bicycles.

B. In my town, motorbikes are more common than bicycles.

C. In my town, bicycles are not as common as motorbikes.

D. In my town, bicycles are as common as motorbikes.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best made from the given cues in each of the following questions from 27 to 28.

Question 27: reduce / expense / need / cut down / unnecessary purchases.

A. To reduce expenses, we need to cut down unnecessary purchases.

B. To reduce expenses, need cut down unnecessary purchases.

C. To reduce expenses, we need to cut down on unnecessary purchases.

D. To reduce expenses, need to cut down on unnecessary purchases.

Question 28: My brother / give / smoking / last year, / and / he / also / cut down on / junk food / get in shape.

A. My brother gave up smoking last year, and he also cut down on junk food to get in shape.

B. My brother gave up to smoke last year, and he also cut down junk food to getting in shape.

C. My brother gave never smoking last year, so he also cut down on junk food getting in shape.

D. My brother gave over smoking last year and he also cut down on junks food to get in shape.

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Read the following notice or message 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 29 to 30.

Question 29: What does the notice mean?



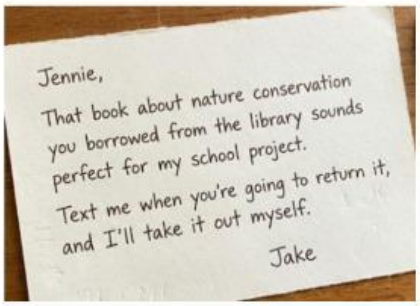
A. You can apply after the deadline if you bring your CV.

B. You must submit the form and your CV by the date shown.

C. Only students with experience can apply.

D. You should bring your CV only if you are chosen.

Question 30: What does Jake want?



A. Jake is asking for Jennie's feedback for his school project.

B. Jake wants Jennie to lend him a book.

C. Jake wants Jennie to let him know when he can take a book.

D. Jake is recommending Jennie a sci-fi book.

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.

Healthy or Just Busy?

Open any social media app today and you will find hundreds of posts about healthy living. People share their morning runs, their green smoothies, and their carefully planned meals. For many teenagers and young adults, being healthy has become something to perform as much as something to practise. On one hand, this trend has real benefits. More young people are aware of what they eat, how much they sleep, and why exercise matters. Public interest in health has never been higher, and that is genuinely good news.

On the other hand, the pressure to live "perfectly" can itself become a source of stress. Researchers have found that young people who constantly compare their habits and bodies to what they see online are more likely to feel anxious and **inadequate**. A student who skips one meal or misses a week of exercise may feel like a failure, even when their overall lifestyle is reasonable and balanced. When the goal shifts from feeling well to looking well, something important gets lost along the way.

True healthy living is quieter than most social media would suggest. It is sleeping enough, moving your body in ways you enjoy, eating meals that nourish you, and spending time with people who make you feel good. It also means being **compassionate** toward yourself on the days when none of that goes perfectly. A

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healthy life is not a performance. It is simply a way of paying attention, day by day, to what your body and mind actually need.

Question 31: Which of the following is **NOT** mentioned as part of the online healthy-living trend?

A. People post about drinks they believe are healthy

B. Users share pictures of their exercise routines

C. Some meals are planned carefully and posted online

D. Teenagers often post full medical results each month

Question 32: The word "**inadequate**" in the second paragraph is closest in meaning to _____.

A. not good enough **B.** full of energy **C.** ready for change **D.** easy to notice

Question 33: The word "**compassionate**" in the third paragraph is **OPPOSITE** in meaning to _____.

A. generous **B.** heartless **C.** thoughtful **D.** emotional

Question 34: According to the second paragraph, what is the primary risk of comparing oneself to online health trends?

A. It encourages young people to skip their meals and stop exercising entirely.

B. It transforms a healthy lifestyle into a psychological burden for the youth.

C. It makes students believe that a balanced lifestyle is impossible to achieve.

D. It leads to a complete loss of interest in looking well among social media users.

Question 35: Why does the writer mention a student who misses a meal or a week of exercise?

A. To show that small changes can feel bigger online than they are

B. To prove that healthy habits are impossible for busy students

C. To explain how social pressure can turn normal setbacks into self-doubt

D. To suggest that strict routines are needed for real success

Question 36: Which of the following best summarises the main content of the passage?

A. The various benefits of following healthy living influencers on social media.

B. How to plan a perfect meal and exercise routine for modern teenagers.

C. The contrast between performed health and genuine well-being in the digital age.

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D. The scientific reasons why young people feel anxious about their body images.

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.

Vietnamese lifestyle has changed a lot from the past to now, and electronic devices are a big reason. In the past, many families spent evenings talking, cooking, or watching one TV together. **(37)** _____. Tourism also looks different: young travelers often choose "check-in" places, follow trends on TikTok, and book trips online in minutes. This is exciting, but it can also make travel feel rushed, **(38)** _____.

At the same time, Vietnam's heritage and natural wonders remind us to slow down. Places like Hội An, Huế, **(39)** _____. More people now care about eco-friendly travel, clean beaches, and protecting local communities. Still, mass tourism can bring trash, noise, and higher prices for local people. So the big question is: how can we enjoy tourism without damaging what we love?

World Englishes is also part of modern life. Many Vietnamese students use English for study, work, and career choices, but they may speak with a Vietnamese accent—and that is normal. The goal is clear communication, not sounding "perfect." **(40)** _____. The best vision of the future is not only modern, but also kind and sustainable.

A. Looking to the future, we can use technology to learn and travel smarter, while respecting our world, our communities, and our heritage

B. Today, phones and short videos are everywhere, so people can learn faster and connect easily

C. like we must post instead of enjoy

D. or national parks show the value of history and Planet Earth

Question 37: _____. **Question 38:** _____. **Question 39:** _____. **Question 40:** _____.

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