**BÀI TẬP TRONG THỜI GIAN NGHỈ DỊCH CỦA HỌC SINH KHỐI 9**

**Tuần 4**

**ĐỀ 7**

**I. MULTIPLE CHOICE (8.0 points)**

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions:***

1. A. prom**ise** B. real**ise** C. dev**ise** D. recogn**ize**

2. A. **h**onest B. **h**onour C. **h**oney D. ex**h**ibition

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from other three in position of primary stress in each of the following questions:***

3. A. regular B. poisonous C. atmosphere D. awareness

4. A. accessible B. development C. celebration D. congratulate

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

5. Would people be able to fly if they have feathers instead of hair?

A B C D

6. The exhibition in India fails to captures the great diversity of this fascinating country.

A B C D

7. Despite have all the necessary qualifications, they didn’t offer me the job.

A B C D

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

8. Gagarin \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ into space eight years before Armstrong walked on the moon.

A. flew B. have flown C. had flown D. fly

9. She has read \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ interesting book.

A. a B. an C. the D. x

10. We are looking for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ place to spend \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ night.

A. the/the B. a/the C. a/a D. the/a

11. She gives her children everything \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ they want.

A. that B. who C. whom D. what

12. What was the name of the girl \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ passport was stolen?

A. who B. whose C. which D. when

13. We enjoyed our camping holiday in spite \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the rain.

A. to B. for C. on D. of

14. You can’t tell what someone is like just from their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. character B. looking C. appearance D. personality

15. If I were you, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a new car.

A. buy B. will buy C. would buy D. bought

16. Would you mind \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the property?

A. sell B. to sell C. sold D. selling

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.***

17. How often do you play football? – Oh, once in a blue \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. moon B. sun C. star D. earth

18. John: “Would you like to go to the cinema with me?” – Tom: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.”

A. Yes, I’d love to B. Yes, so do I C. I’m very happy D. Yes, it is

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSET in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

19. Jack, come and give me a hand with cooking.

A. prepare B. help C. do D. make

20. Anyone can apply to train as an astronaut.

A. satellite B. mission C. astronomy D. cosmonaut

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

21. When being interviewed, concentrate on what the interviewer is saying or asking you.

A. be ready for B. be interested in C. ignore D. listen to

22. The machine has been out of order since last month.

A. run out B. sold out C. refusing orders D. functioning well

***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 blank.***

Many people now think that teachers give students too (23)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_homework. They say that it is (24)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_for children to work at home (25)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_their free time. Moreover, they argue that most teachers do not properly plan the homework tasks they give to students. The result is that students have to repeat tasks which they have already done at school.

Recently in Greece many parents complained (26) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_the difficult homework which teachers gave to their children. Most people agree that homework is unfair. A student who can do his homework in a quiet and comfortable room is in a much better position than a student who does his homework in a small, noisy room with television on. Some parents help their children (27) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their homework. Other parents take no interest at all in their children’s homework.

23. A. much B. many C. more D. less

24. A. necessary B. necessity C. unnecessary D. unnecessarily

25. A. in B. at C. on D. within

26. A. for B. on C. with D. about

27. A. did B. to do C. doing D. does

***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.***

A shuttle is vehicle that travels back and forth frequently. A space shuttle is a vehicle that travels into space back again. It can be used again and again.

On April 12, 1981, the United States launched the first space shuttle, Columbia. At 7.00 a.m., the engineers were fired. The booster rockets and the Space Shuttle separated. Parachutes took the rockets safely down into the Pacific Ocean, where ships were waiting to pick **them** up. Columbia continued to climb on an orbit of 170 miles above the Earth. The space shuttle circled the earth 36 times. During this time, the astronauts tested the equipment on the shuttle. They also opened and closed the large cargo doors. Two days later, they fired the shuttle’s engines. This slowed down the shuttle. John Young, a top pilot, took the controls of Columbia. He entered the earth’s atmosphere and headed toward California. Then he made a perfect landing at Edwards Air Force base.

Since then, Columbia has traveled into space more than seven times. The second shuttle, Challenger, is also operating. NASA is building two more space shuttles. It is planning over 60 more shuttle flights. Some will launch Satellites through the cargo doors. Some will try to manufacture drugs and chemical in space. One will carry a large telescope into orbit which will send pictures back to earth. It is possible that some day in the future, Space Shuttles will carry passengers to the moon.

28**. A space shuttle can** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A. be used seven times ach carry passengers to the moon

B. be used over sixty times and can launch Satellites from it

C. be used again and again can recover a large telescope

D. be used many times and can do experiments in space

29. **The rockets were taken safely down into the Pacific Ocean by** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A. firing the engines B. large parachutes after separating

C. ships which were waiting D. taking the controls of Columbia

30. **The word “them” in the second paragraph refers to** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A. parachutes B. rockets

C. astronauts D. engines

31. **Which statement is not true?**

A. In the past, before Space Shuttles, a spacecraft could only be used one or two times.

B. Space Shuttles will help scientists learn more about space.

C. The rockets separated from the Space Shuttles when it was in orbit.

D. Columbia will make many more space fights.

32. **John Young was** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A. an excellent pilot and he made a perfect landing

B. a pilot at the top of the shuttle and he made a perfect landing

C. a gentle pilot and he took the controls of Columbia

D. a top of the space shuttle and took the controls of Columbia

**II. WRITING (2.0 points)**

***Finish the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, beginning with the given words.***

33. This is the first time I have seen a spacecraft.

🡪 I have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

34. “I am going to see you here tomorrow”, he said.

🡪 He said \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

35. If I had understood all the questions, I could have answerer them correctly.

🡪 Had I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

36. Let’s go to the cinema tonight.

🡪 How about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

***Combine the two sentences into a new one using the given word in brackets. Do not change the given word in any ways.***

37. He often eats fast food and drinks soft drink. He puts on weight quickly. (IF)

🡪 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

38. She is the most intelligent woman. I’ve ever met this woman. (WHOM)

🡪 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

39. Laura felt unwell. She went on working. (IN SPITE OF)

🡪 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

40. She will be taking care of her children at this time tomorrow. (TAKEN)

🡪 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**ĐỀ 8**

**I. MULTIPLE CHOICE (8.0 points)**

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the rest in each of the following questions.***

Question 1: A. gr***a***te B. st***a***ple C. marin***a***te D. sh***a***llot

Question 2: A. var***i***ety B. b***i***lingual C. der***i***vative D. d***i***alect

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D 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. punctual B. flexible C. openness D. specific

Question 4: A. sympathetic B. obedient C. cooperate D. pedestrian

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

Question 5:. Brian has lived in Japan for 5 years, so he is used to eat with chopsticks.

A B C D

Question 6:.The name Bai Chay can be explain in a historic story.

A B C D

Question 7:. If we would have a large garden, we would plant a lot of flowers in it.

A B C D

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

Question 8: The bus\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ before I reached the bus-stop.

A. left B. had left C. was leaving D. will leave

Question 9: 12. He couldn’t reach the goal,\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ surprised me.

A. who B. whom C. which D. that

Question 10: If I were in your shoes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. I will say sorry to them B. they would buy them for me

C. I would apologize to them D. they can have them

Question 11:Tom\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a lot of presents on his birthday.

A. gave B. was giving C. was given D. was been given Question 12: If I were a superman, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_everywhere I like.

A. flew B. will fly C. could fly D. fly

Question 13: . In a traditional family, there were three\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: grandparents, parents and children.

1. groups B. generations C. bands D. teams

Question 14:. Keeking a\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_For a few days will help you discover your bad eating habits.

A. diary B. personal C. food diary D. report

Question 15:.The cake you brought yesterday was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_! It was delicious!

A. out of this world B. terrible C. not yummy D. disgusting

Question 16: I wish you\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_stop interrupting me whenever I speak.

A. will B. would C. could D. might

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.***

Question 17: – How lovely your cats are! - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. Really? They are. B. Thank you, it is nice of you to say so.

C. Can you say it again. D. I love them, too.

Question 18: - “May I have something to drink, please?”

- “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A.. Yes, of course. Help yourself. B. Of course you may.

C. Why do you have to ask? D. You must help others too.

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

Question 19: Water and fresh air are very ***necessary*** for every living thing.

A.. essential B. difficult C. expensive D.  wasteful

Question 20: Most animals can communicate with members of their own ***species***, but not with other groups.

A. specialized researchers B. kind of plant C. geographical areas D. type of animal

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.***

Question 21: A surprising percentage of the population in remote areas is ***illiterate.***

A. able to speak fluently B. unable to speak fluently

C. unable to read and write D.. able to read and write

Question 22: These shoes are made of ***imitation*** leather, so they are not expensive.

A.. natural B. valuable C. man-made D. cheap

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks.***

Our everyday lives (23)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_such activities as sitting, walking, picking up things from the ground and lying in bed. None of these activities are possible in orbit.

(24)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a spacecraft reaches orbit, everything inside it seems to be weightlessness. Anything or anyone that is not tied down will float. Weightlessness allows astronauts to appear very\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(25). They can lift objects that would be(26)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_heavy to move on Earth. But there are some drawbacks.

In a space shuttle or space station, there is no up or down. There is no difference (27)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a floor and a ceiling. This can make astronauts feel sick until they get used to this strange arrangement.

Question 23: A. relate B.. involve C. consist of D. own

Question 24: A. Before B. During C. One time D.. Once

Question 25: A.. strong B. strongly C. strength D. strengthen

Question 26: A. a little B. much C. much more D.. far too

Question 27: A. among B. either C.. between D. in between

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.***

Almost every language in the world has dialects, and American English is no exception. At the present time there is an interesting study on American speech habits. This study has shown that different words are frequently used in different parts of the country to denote the same thing. For example, in the east, Americans use the word “soda” to denote a soft drink. In some parts of the west, a soft drink is “tonic”. Such differences are usually a source of conversation and sometimes misunderstanding happens.

Speech and life all over the world have often changed. New words are being used when new discoveries are made and new concepts are formed. Usage determines what is correct and incorrect. Fifty years ago, it was incorrect to say “It’s me”. But today it is acceptable simply because most Americans say that instead of “It’s I”. people change, so language changes. What is wrong today may be right tomorrow.

Question 28: Which of the following is true, according to the passage?

A. American English has no dialects.

B.. American English has dialects.

C. There is no study on American speech habits.

D. American English has no exception.

Question 29: The study has shown that\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A.. different words are used in different parts to denote the same thing.

B. different words are used in different parts to denote a different thing.

C. there are no different words in different parts.

D. dialects do not exist in American English.

Question 30: Differences in speech can lead to\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. dialects

B. changes

C. new concepts

D. misunderstandings

Question 31: What determines whether a word is correct or incorrect?

A. Change

B.. Usage

C. Dialects

D. Study

Question 32: According to the information in the passage, language\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. makes misunderstanding happen B. is the same in almost every part

C.. frequently changes D. makes people change

**II. WRITING (2.0 points)**

***Finish the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, beginning with the given words.***

Question 33: Although she behaves well, no one likes her.

🡪 Despite\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Question 34: Is this the man? This man accused you of stealing his wallet ? (*Use the relative clause*)

*🡪* Is this the man\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

Question 35: You will fail the examination unless you study hard.

🡪 If\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Question 36: She dances beautifully and sings sweetly, too.

🡪 She not only\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

***Combine two sentences into a new one using the given words in brackets. Do not change the given words in any ways.***

Question 37:The basketball court is far from my house. It is always full of players (**which**)

🡪\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Question 38: She was very tired. She could not stand up. (**so….that**)

🡪\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Question 39: “Why don’t you buy a new coat?” Mary told me.(**suggested**)

🡪Mary\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Question 40: The bus left at 9 o’clock and we arrived just after that. (**when**)

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**ĐỀ 9**

**I. MULTIPLE CHOICE (8.0 points)**

***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***

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| Question 1: A. pr***ou***d | B. cl***ou***d | C. alth***ou***gh | D. ar***ou***nd |
| Question 2: A. th***u***nder | B. res***u***lt | C. er***u***pt | D. vol***u***me |

***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***

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| Question 3: A. destroy | B. forecast | C. suggest | D. collapse |
| Question 4: A. generous | B. charity | C. appliance | D. celebrate |

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions***

Question 5: I must congratulate you about your excellent exam results.

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| A | B | C | D |

Question 6: I suggest keep sheets with single printed page for drafting.

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| A | B | C | D |

Question 7: She got up late because her alarm clock didn’t see off.

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| A | B | C | D |

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

Question 8: Yesterday I ……………to music when the electricity ………………off.

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| A. am listening - went | B. listen - go | C. was listening - went | D. listening - going |

Question 9: We should use public buses …………… of motorbikes or cars.

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| A. because | B. instead | C. in spite | D. though |

Question 10: I invited her to join our trip to Trang An, but she ………………. down my invitation.

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| A. passed | B. sat | C. turned | D. closed |

Question 11: He is from …………… European country, but I don’t know which one.

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| A. a | B. the | C. an | D. Ø |

Question 12: If you eat too quickly you may not ……………….attention to whether your hunger is satisfied.

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| A. keep | B. show | C. pay | D. take |

Question 13: If she used English more often, her English ……………………so rusty.

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| A. will | B. will be | C. would be | D. wouldn’t be |

Question 14: A funnel-shaped storm passing overland below a thunderstorm is called ………………

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| A. typhoon | B. tornado | C. hurricane | D. volcano |

Question 15: The floods have killed hundreds and made thousands of people …………………..

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| A. homely | B. homeless | C. homeland | D. homesick |

Question 16: Hue ...........................temperatures between 230C and 270C tomorrow.

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| A. will experience | B. experience | C. experiencing | D. to experience |

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges***

Question 17: “Congratulations to you on winning the first prize”- “……………”

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| A. You’re welcome. | C. It’s my pleasure |
| B. Thanks a lot | D. It doesn’t matter |

Question 18: “What a wonderful picture!” – “……………”

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| --- | --- |
| A. I’m glad to hear that | C. It’s nice of you to say so |
| B. You don’t need to say so | D. Of course, I think so |

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions***

Question 19: Now we can **mix** all the ingredients well.

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| A. add | B. combine | C. cover | D. spread |

Question 20: The scenery is ***spectacular*** when viewed from the mountain top. It feels like your breath is being taken away.

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| A. significant | B. gradual | C. breathtaking | D. considerable |

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions***

Question 21: They were***amazed*** when seeing it from the top.

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| A. very surprised | B. very astonished | C. wonder-struck | D. unsurprised |

Question 22: She is ***reasonably*** good at French.

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| A. fairly | B. unfairly | C. very | D. quite |

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

I often hear or read about “natural disasters” – the eruption of Mount St. Helen, a volcano in the state of Washington. Hurricane Andrew in Florida, the floods in the America Midwest, terrible earthquakes all over the world, huge fires, and so on. But I’ll never forget my first personal experience with the strangeness of nature – “the London Killer Fog” of 1952. It began on Thursday, December 4, when a high-pressure system of warm air covered southern England. With the freezing-cold air below, heavy fog formed. Pollution from factories, cars and coal stoves mixed with the fog. The humidity was terribly high, there was no breeze at all. Traffic such as cars, trains, boats stopped.

People couldn’t see, and some walked onto the railroad tracks or into the river. It was hard to breathe, and many people got sick. Finally, on Tuesday, December 9, the wind came and the fog went away. But after that, even more people got sick. Many of them died.

Question 23: Which “natural disaster” isn’t mentioned in the passage?

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| A. a volcano  B. a tornado | C. a flood  D. a hurricane |

Question 24: What is the writer’s unforgettable personal experience?

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| A. the London killer  B. the heavy fog in London in 1952 | C. a high-pressure system  D. the strangeness of nature |

Question 25: How long did the “London Killer Fog” last?

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| A. for four days  B. for five days | C. for six days  D. for a week |

Question 26:What didn’t happen during the time of the “London Killer Fog”?

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| A. pollution  B. heavy rain | C. humidity  D. heavy fog |

Question 27: Why did the traffic stop?

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| --- | --- |
| A. Because of the rain  B. Because of the windy weather | C. Because of the humid weather  D. Because of the heavy fog |

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks***

**Water Pollution in India**

Contamination of water from any external source that makes it (28)\_\_\_\_\_\_ to life is known as water pollution. (29)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_the fast industrial development and modern civilization, the problem of water pollution is increasing day by day. The (30)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sources of water pollution are domestic wastes, agricultural wastes, sewage disposal, industrial wastes, radioactive wastes and oil leakages.

All the Indian rivers, including the holy river Ganga, have become highly polluted today. However, the Ganga Action Plan to control its water from pollution has not been proved successful. The (31)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of water pollution is widespread. It causes many severe water-borne diseases.

According to WHO, 21 per cent of all communicable diseases in India are waterborne diseases. Oil is the main pollutant of the sea water. Huge tankers often dump oil into the sea. This act of dumping (32)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_kills sea plants and animals.

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| Question 28: A. harm | B. harmful | C. harmless | D. unharmed |
| Question 29: A. At | B. Of | C. In | D. With |
| Question 30: A. most | B. more | C. major | D. hard |
| Question 31: A. effect | B. effects | C. affect | D. affects |
| Question 32: A. poisons | B. poisonous | C. poisoning | D. poisoned |

**II. WRITING (2.0 points)**

***Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first, beginning with the given words***

Question 33: Mary can’t apply for the scholarship because she doesn’t have an IELTS certificate.

=> If Mary\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 34: I watched an interesting documentary on TV yesterday.

=> The documentary\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 35: I found this place rather boring.

**=>** I wasn’t \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 36: We last went to Spain three years ago.

=> It is\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Combine two sentences into a new one using the given words in brackets. Do not change the given words in any ways.

Question 37: China is a huge tourist attraction. It has many old castles and pagodas. (As)

***=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_***\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 38: We are unable to see the stars in the sky. Light pollution occurs. (makes)

***=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_***\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 39: Noise pollution is one of the major causes of stress and anxiety. People suffer from stress and anxiety. (because of)

***=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_***\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 40: He spent all his money. He even borrowed some from me (Not only)

***=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_***\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**ĐỀ 10**

**I. MULTIPLE CHOICE (8.0 points)**

***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***

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| Question 1: A. ***th***ough | B. ***th***roughout | C. bir***th***day | D. ***th***ought |
| Question 2: A. cl***ou***dy | B. m***ou***nt | C. s***ou***th | D. sh***ou***ld |

***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***

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| Question 3: A. dynamite | B. environment | C. minimize | D. pesticide |
| Question 4: A. label | B. plumber | C. hobby | D. provide |

***Mark the letter A,B,C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions***

Question 5: Mai studies every subject very hard. However***,*** she always gets good marks.

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| A | B | C | D |

Question 6: We don’t have many time. We must start now or we will be late.

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| A | B | C | D |

Question 7: She was waiting nervous in the waiting room for the interview.

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| A | B | C | D |

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

Question 8: There’s ……………….. use in complaining. They probably won’t do anything about it.

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| A. a few | B. a little | C. no | D. some |

Question 9: ……………….. Mrs Hoa was tired, she helped Tuan with his homework.

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| A. Even though | B. When | C. If | D. In spite of |

Question 10: Scott, a British ………………., died on an expedition to the Antarctic in 1912.

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| A. exploration | B. explosive | C. explorer | D. explored |

Question 11: We have decided to take a ……………….tour around New York.

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| A. two week | B. two-week | C. two-weeks | D. two weeks |

Question 12: David ………………..a seat on the evening flight to Ho Chi Minh city

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| A. travelled | B. paid | C. booked | D. made |

Question 13: Have you ever read “Hamlet”, …………….. is one of the famous plays of Shakespeare?

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| A. whom | B. whose | C. which | D. who |

Question 14: I never listen to …………… radio. In fact I haven't got ………………radio.

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| A. a - a | B. a - the | C. the - the | D. the - a |

Question 15: The periodic table contains all the elements, …………………has a particular atomic weight and atomic number.

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| A. which of each | B. each of which | C. which | D. each |

Question 16: The air in the city ………………with traffic fumes.

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| A. is heavy polluted | B. is polluted heavy | C. is heavily polluted | D. polluted heavily |

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges***

Question 17: "Would you mind sending those flowers to Mr. Carlos?" "……………."

A. He wouldn't mind. B. No, I can handle it myself.

C. I would if I were you. D. Sure, I'll do it now.

Question 18: “ I’m making some pancakes with some honey and some slices of bananas. Do you like them?”

- “ Wow,…...................to try your first pancakes. They look delicious”

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| A. sure | B. I can’t imagine that | C. of course | D. I can’t wait |

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s)* CLOSEST *in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions***

Question 19: I invited her to join our trip to Trang An, but she ***turned down*** my invitation.

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| A. refused | B. accepted | C. agreed | D. objected |

Question 20: You have to ***read*** the instruction before making models.

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| A. look up | B. look through | C. look for | D. look after |

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s)* OPPOSITE *in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions***

Question 21: You should ***take off*** the shoes when coming into the Japanese houses.

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| A. get on | B. put on | C. get off | D. take on |

Question 22: Nick’s mum boils and ***drains*** the prawns

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| A. stir- fry | B. steams | C. pours water on | D. pours the water away |

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

A UFO (Unidentified Flying Object) is any object flying in the sky which cannot be identified by the person who sees it. Sometimes the object is investigated. If people cannot **figure out** what the object is after an investigation, it is called a UFO. If they figure out what the object is, it can no longer be called a UFO because it has been identified.

Even though UFOs can be anything, people can use the word UFO when they are talking about alien spacecraft. Flying saucer is another word that is often used to describe an identified flying object.

Studies estimate that 50-90% of all reported sightings are identified later. Usually 10 - 20% are never identified. Studies also show that very few UFO sightings are hoaxes (people trying to trick other people). Most UFOs are actually natural or man-made objects that looked strange. 80-90% of UFOs are identified as one of three different things: (a) astronomical causes (for example: planets, stars, or meteors); (b) aircraft; and (c) balloons. 10-20% of UFOs are other causes, such as birds, clouds, mirages, searchlights, etc.

Question 23: Another word used to describe a UFO is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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| A. astronaut  B. cooking plane | C. spacecraft  D. flying saucer |

Question 24: How many percent of all reported sights are not identified?

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| A. 10-20%  B. 20-30% | C. 30-50%  D. 50-80% |

Question 25: Most of UFOs are identified as one of the following things except \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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| A. balloons  B. rains | C. stars  D. clouds |

Question 26:Which of the following sentences is NOT true?

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| A. UFO means Unidentified Flying Object.  B. UFO is often used to talk about alien objects.  C. Many UFO sightings are hoaxes.  D. Over half of all reported UFO sightings arc identified. |  |

Question 27: What does the word **“figure out”** in paragraph 1 mean?

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| A. explain  B. observe | C. calculate  D. require |

***Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks***

**Kate Festival**

Kate Festival is (28)\_\_\_\_\_ by the Cham people for 3 days at the beginning of October. This event is held in a large space in the three Champa Towers (Po Nagar, Po Klong Garai and Po Rome). The main purpose of the festival is to (29)\_\_\_\_\_\_ their heroes like to Po Klong Garai and Po Rome. Moreover, the festival is a chance for the local people to relax, meet and wish one another fortune in the future.

This is one of the biggest and most important events of the Cham people in Vietnam. (30)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, it is a good opportunity for the visitors to explore the charm in the Cham culture, from architecture to costumes, instruments and traditional songs that are used to praise their kings in the past. The Kate festival in each tower starts at the same time on the same day, and the day after, villages and family begin to hold their own rites. During the rite, the people (31)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their ancestors and gods with the help of a shaman, and then pray for health and prosperity.

The actual festivals take place after the rites. It is a combination of traditional music and dance, including some activities (32)\_\_\_\_\_\_ performances of Ginang Drum and Saranai Flute or the traditional dance of Cham girls.

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| Question 28: A. organize | B. organized | C. hold | D. being held |
| Question 29: A. commemorate | B. see | C. watch | D. love |
| Question 30: A. However | B. Therefore | C. Because | D. Although |
| Question 31: A. call | B. ask | C. shout | D. speak |
| Question 32: A. such | B. so | C. like | D. like as |

**II. WRITING (2.0 points)**

***Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first, beginning with the given words***

Question 33: She’s a faster and more careless driver than I am.

=> She drives \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 34: The film we saw yesterday was so frightening that we couldn’t sleep.

=> We saw such \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 35: Although he had planned everything carefully, a lot of things went wrong.

**=>** Despite \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 36: Hue, the former capital of Vietnam, is acknowledged as The World’s Cultural Heritage.

=> Hue, which\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Rewrite these sentences, using the given words in brackets. Do not change the given words in any ways.

Question 37: The earthquake hit the city at two in this morning. (by)

***=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_***\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 38: “Is there a taxi coming now?” asked my friend. (was)

***=>*** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 39: Success depends on hard work. (the more)

***=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_***\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Question 40: I could realize how important the family is only after I left home. (Not until)

***=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_***\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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