

Họ, tên thí sinh:.....Số báo danh:.....

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.

Câu 1: A. starteded B. reacheded C. danceded D. sniffeded

Câu 2: A. accept B. accident C. success D. accurate

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.

Câu 3: A. attract B. connect C. demand D. marry

Câu 4: A. interesting B. amusing C. successful D. surprising

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

Câu 5: David speaks Vietnamese better than her sister _____.

A. do B. is C. does D. can

Câu 6: Neil Armstrong was the first man _____ on the moon.

A. has walked B. to walk C. walked D. walking

Câu 7: The police have begun an _____ into the accident which happened this afternoon.

A. investigation B. investigate C. investigating D. investigative

Câu 8: Cars have become much more complicated. _____, mechanics need more training than in the past.

A. However B. Therefore C. Otherwise D. Furthermore

Câu 9: I'm not accustomed _____ up so early.

A. to getting B. to get C. by getting D. getting

Câu 10: It's high time we _____.

A. were leaving B. are leaving C. left D. leave

Câu 11: GPS systems help a lot of people _____ on land, on the sea, and in the air.

A. interfere B. reunite C. navigate D. inform

Câu 12: Peter asked me _____.

A. what time does the film start B. what time the film started
C. what time did the film start D. what time the film starts

Câu 13: The room needs _____ for the wedding.

A. decorating B. to decorate C. decorate D. be decorated

Câu 14: If you have any problem, please call Ann. She'll always _____ a sympathetic ear.

A. bring B. borrow C. give D. lend

Câu 15: This library card will give you free access _____ the Internet eight hours a day.

A. to B. on C. from D. in

Câu 16: Thanks to the help of his teacher and classmates, he made great _____ and passed the end-term exam with high marks.

A. work B. progress C. experience D. fortunes

Câu 17: FM is a method of _____ signals, especially in radio broadcasting.

A. translating B. transacting C. transmitting D. transferring

Câu 18: They didn't find _____ in a foreign country.

A. it easy to live B. easy to live C. it easy live D. it to live easy

Câu 19: Tom hasn't completed the work yet and Maria hasn't _____,

A. neither B. either C. too D. also

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.

Câu 20: Let's go over that report again before we submit it.

- A. dictate B. print C. type D. read carefully

Câu 21: The repeated commercials on TV distract many viewers from watching their favourite films.

- A. businesses B. contests C. advertisements D. economics

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.

Câu 22: He was so insubordinate that he lost his job within a week.

- A. fresh B. understanding C. obedient D. disobedient

Câu 23: I'm sorry I can't come out this weekend - I'm up to my ears in work.

- A. free B. busy C. scared D. bored

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best completes each of the following exchanges.

Câu 24: Mark has just arrived at the city and is asking a man on the street.

- Mark: "Can you tell me how to get to Lotus Hotel?"

- The man: "_____. I don't know. I'm from out of town."

- A. Yes of course B. Sure C. I'll show you D. No, I'm sorry

Câu 25: Maria and John are talking about university study.

- Maria: "Do you think that university is the only way to guarantee us a good job?"

- John : "_____ because there are successful people without a degree."

- A. You are right B. That's true
C. Yes, we should find a job after university D. I don't quite agree

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 26 to 30.

Choosing clothes can be difficult. Some people want to be fashionable, but they don't want to look exactly like everybody else. Not all clothes are (26) _____ for work or school, perhaps (27) _____ they are not formal enough, or simply not comfortable. It is easy to buy the wrong size, and find that your trousers are too tight, especially if you are a little bit overweight. Very (28) _____ clothes make you feel slim, but when they have shrunk in the washing machine, then you have the same problem! If you buy light cotton clothes, then they might not be (29) _____ for winter. If your shoes are not waterproof and if you aren't (30) _____ for the cold, you might look good, but feel terrible!

Câu 26: A. fitted B. equal C. suitable D. comfortable

Câu 27: A. but B. because C. although D. so

Câu 28: A. loose B. loosened C. lost D. lose

Câu 29: A. too warm B. warm enough C. so warm D. enough warm

Câu 30: A. fitted B. worn C. dressed D. clothed

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 from 31 to 35.

In 776 B.C., the first Olympic Games were held at the foot of Mount Olympus to honor the Greek's chief god, Zeus. The warm climate for outdoor activities, the need for preparedness in war, and their lifestyle caused the Greeks to create competitive sports. Only the elite and military could participate at first, but later the games were opened to all free Greek males who had no criminal record. The Greeks emphasized physical fitness and strength in their education of youth. Therefore, contests in running, jumping, javelin throwing, boxing, and horse and chariot racing were held in individual cities, and the winners competed every four years at Mount Olympus. Winners were greatly honored by having olive wreaths placed on their heads and having poems sung about their deeds. Originally these contests were held as games of friendship and any wars in progress were halted to allow the games to take place. They also helped to strengthen bonds among competitors and the different cities presented.

The Greeks attached so much importance to the games that they calculated time in four-year cycles called "Olympiads", dating from 776 B.C. The contest coincided with religious festivities and constituted an all-out effort on the part of participants to please the gods. Any who disobeyed the rules were dismissed and seriously punished. These athletes brought shame not only to themselves but also to the cities they represented.

Câu 31: Which of the following is NOT true?

- A. Winners placed olive wreaths on their own heads.
- B. Battles were interrupted to participate in the games.
- C. Poems glorified the winners in songs.
- D. The games were held in Greek every four years.

Câu 32: The word “**elite**” in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. brave
- B. aristocracy
- C. muscular
- D. intellectual

Câu 33: Why were the Olympic Games held?

- A. To stop wars.
- B. To sing songs about the athletes.
- C. To honor Zeus.
- D. To crown the best athletes.

Câu 34: The word “**They**” in paragraph 1 refers to _____.

- A. wars
- B. contests
- C. winners
- D. olive wreaths

Câu 35: What is the main idea of this passage?

- A. The Greeks severely punished those who didn't participate in physical fitness programs.
- B. The Greeks had always encouraged everyone to participate in the games.
- C. The Greeks had the games coincide with religious festivities so that they could go back to war when the games were over.
- D. Physical fitness was an integral part of the life of ancient Greeks.

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 from 36 to 42.

In 2011, on the popular American TV quiz show, *Jeopardy!*, two champions competed against a brand new opponent. Both Ken Jennings and Brad Rutter had won millions of dollars on *Jeopardy!*. Jennings once won 74 games in a row, the most ever. Then Rutter beat **him** in a tournament and set a new record for the most money won on *Jeopardy!*. Their new opponent, Watson, had never appeared on the game show and had only played practice games before, in which he often got answers wrong.

However, Watson isn't human. He, or rather it, is a machine, a wonder of technology made by researchers at IBM. In the game, Watson used math to decide on an answer. When a question was read out, Watson was immediately given the same question in electronic form. It analyzed the question and searched its memory **bank** - about the same as one million books of information - for possible answers.

It then narrowed the options down to one answer. If Watson felt around 75 percent confident about the answer, it would answer the question.

The way Watson thinks is very different from the way humans think. People often make decisions by listening to their emotions and feelings, even if they are unsure of the answer. As a computer, Watson couldn't do this. People also watch and listen to those around them. Watson was not able to “listen” to the wrong answers given by his competitors. In one question, Jennings answered the question incorrectly and Watson later answered with the same wrong answer. Watson also made silly mistakes. In a question in the category U.S. Cities, Watson incorrectly answered Toronto, even though the city of Toronto is in Canada. An IBM researcher said Watson got confused because it saw in its memory bank that the U.S. is often called America. Toronto is considered a North American city, so that was the answer that Watson gave.

Still, Watson **defeated** his human opponents somewhat easily and received the \$1 million prize. The other players also won money for participating in the special game. Everyone left the game happy, as each player was earning money for different charities.

Câu 36: What best serves as the title for the passage?

- A. A Technological Marvel
- B. Human is Smarter
- C. Champions of *Jeopardy!*
- D. Competitors of *Jeopardy!*

Câu 37: Which of the following is a silly mistake of Watson?

- A. He based on other people's clues to answer questions.
- B. He gave many answers to one question.
- C. He repeated his opponent's answer that was wrong.
- D. He repeated the question.

Câu 38: The word “**him**” in paragraph 1 refers to _____.

- A. Brad Rutter
- B. an IBM researcher
- C. Ken Jennings
- D. Watson

Câu 39: How can Watson understand the question read out by humans?

- A. He searches for the same question in his memory.
- B. He reads the question in an electronic form.

C. He is helped by an IBM researcher.

D. He just listens to it.

Câu 40: The word “bank” in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. stored information B. a financial service C. money D. side

Câu 41: All of the following statements are true about Watson EXCEPT

- A. The way Watson produces an answer is the same as that of humans.
B. In order to answer questions, Watson uses math.
C. He’d never been in an official *Jeopardy!* before he joined the show with Jennings and Rutter.
D. His memory bank is equal to one million books.

Câu 42: The word “defeated” in the last paragraph is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. lost B. understood C. won D. broke

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.

Câu 43: The more time you spend on prepare for the test, the higher scores you may get.

- A. The more time B. prepare for C. the higher scores D. may get

Câu 44: Air pollution, together with littering, have been causing many problems in our large, industrial cities in the last few years.

- A. have been B. together with C. few year D. many

Câu 45: Venus approaches the Earth more closely than any other planet is.

- A. the Earth B. is C. approaches D. any other

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.

Câu 46: They arrived too late to get good seats.

- A. Although they were late, they found some good seats.
B. They had to stand for the whole show.
C. They got good seats some time after they arrived.
D. As they got there too late, there were no good seats left.

Câu 47: “How brave you are!” he said to the firemen.

- A. He blamed the firemen for their discouragement.
B. He criticized the firemen for their discouragement.
C. He asked how brave the firemen were.
D. He praised the firemen for their courage.

Câu 48: Peter’s main subject at university is electronics.

- A. Electronics is among the subjects that Peter likes.
B. Peter thinks electronics is a special subject.
C. The university lets Peter major in electronics.
D. Peter majors in electronics at university.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

Câu 49: She is a famous author. She is also an influential political commentator.

- A. She writes famous books, but she does not know much about politics.
B. She is neither a famous author nor a political commentator.
C. She likes writing famous books and commenting on politics.
D. She is not only a famous author but also an influential political commentator.

Câu 50: The old man is working in this factory. I borrowed his bicycle yesterday.

- A. The old man whom is working in this factory, I borrowed his bicycle yesterday.
B. The old man whom I borrowed his bicycle yesterday is working in this factory.
C. The old man is working in this factory which I borrowed his bicycle yesterday.
D. The old man whose bicycle I borrowed yesterday is working in this factory.

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