

KỶ THI TUYỂN SINH VÀO LỚP 10 THPT CHUYÊN

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I. PHONETICS (1.0 pt)

a. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the rest.

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|----------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| 1. A. begun    | B. funny   | C. upwards  | D. autumn  |
| 2. A. teacher  | B. deaf    | C. reach    | D. team    |
| 3. A. cough    | B. enough  | C. although | D. laugh   |
| 4. A. watching | B. machine | C. matches  | D. kitchen |
| 5. A. asked    | B. helped  | C. prayed   | D. dressed |

b. Choose the word whose main stressed syllable is different from the rest.

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| 6. A. profitable     | B. ordinary    | C. definitely     | D. delicious     |
| 7. A. disappointed   | B. mysterious  | C. electronic     | D. economic      |
| 8. A. moderation     | B. reputation  | C. competitor     | D. innovation    |
| 9. A. popularity     | B. convenient  | C. controller     | D. embarrassing  |
| 10. A. technological | B. personality | C. representative | D. environmental |

II. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR (4.0 pts)

a. Circle the best option A, B, C or D to complete the sentence.

11. Tell me \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. what do you want?      B. you want what  
C. what you want      D. that what you want
12. If I \_\_\_\_\_ be somebody else, I \_\_\_\_\_ to be a film star.
- A. could / would      B. can / would like  
C. could / would like      D. can / like
13. When you buy something, you are usually given a \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. recipe      B. receipt      C. bill      D. prescription
14. Don't forget to give Mr. Brown my message, \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. do you      B. are you      C. shall you      D. will you
15. Bob got fired. It's difficult for him to find \_\_\_\_\_ job.
- A. the others      B. the another      C. another      D. other
16. Look at these two pieces of material I have just bought. Which do you like \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. most      B. more than      C. best      D. better
17. The factory paid \_\_\_\_\_ nearly a million pounds to their employees who were injured in the explosion.
- A. off      B. out      C. back      D. in
18. This \_\_\_\_\_ is best served with boiled rice and a crisp green salad.
- A. plate      B. meal      C. food      D. dish

NGƯỜI CỎI THI

Họ và tên	Ký
1.	
2.	

Chủ tịch HĐ chấm  
thi ghi số phách

Ký thi: \_\_\_\_\_

Khóa ngày: \_\_\_\_\_

Hội đồng coi thi: \_\_\_\_\_

Họ tên thí sinh: \_\_\_\_\_

Dân tộc: ..... Nam/ Nữ

Ngày sinh: \_\_\_\_\_

Học sinh trường: \_\_\_\_\_

Số báo danh:

MÔN THI:

Chú ý:

Thí sinh không được  
kỹ tên hay viết dấu  
hiệu gì vào tờ giấy  
thi. Trái điều này, bài  
thi sẽ bị loại.

Trước khi giao bài cho người chấm thi, chủ tịch hội đồng coi thi, chủ tịch lớp đồng đọc phách theo đường kẻ này.

19. A good friend will always \_\_\_\_\_ you when you're in trouble.  
A. stand for B. stand up against C. stand by D. stand up
20. She came in, picked up her things, and left before I could \_\_\_\_\_ a sound.  
A. pronounce B. tell C. express D. utter
21. Remember to go \_\_\_\_\_ your test paper to check for grammar and spelling mistakes.  
A. on B. over C. off D. into
22. Unemployment is a serious problem in the area. There are \_\_\_\_\_ jobs for people there.  
A. a little B. a few C. few D. little
23. He has always wanted to see his name in \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. paper B. news C. TV D. press
24. When the clock \_\_\_\_\_ twelve, we raised our glasses and drank to celebrate the New Year.  
A. struck B. beat C. hit D. shot
25. Lenny, \_\_\_\_\_ the TV programme. I want to listen to the news.  
A. turned off B. turns off C. turns on D. turn on
26. You will know the result \_\_\_\_\_ two weeks.  
A. on B. about C. in D. during
27. She spoke quietly to him \_\_\_\_\_ nobody else could hear a word.  
A. because B. although C. despite D. so that
28. I got very nervous during the exam. When the examiner asked my name, my mind went completely \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. empty B. blank C. white D. void
29. \_\_\_\_\_ the salary meets my expectations. I will accept the job offered.  
A. Provided that B. Due to C. Even if D. Unless
30. His father retired early \_\_\_\_\_ being unhealthy.  
A. on behalf of B. ahead of C. on account of D. in my view
- b. Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C, or D) that is closest in meaning to the underlined ones in each sentence.**
31. First year students are required to undertake simple experiments.  
A. submerge B. uncover C. attempt D. encounter
32. The reason for a fall in the death rates is the improvement of public health services and medical care.  
A. degradation B. policy C. progress D. step-back
33. He testified that he had seen the man leaving the building around the time of the murder.  
A. said B. gave evidence C. disapproved D. denied
34. "Look at that gymnast over there! Her joints must be really easily bent without breaking" Anomy commented.  
A. elastic B. pliable C. flexible D. slippery
35. I've heard the Education Ministry will be bringing in some new methods of teaching English as a second language soon.  
A. presenting B. commencing C. starting D. introducing

Số phách:

c. Complete each sentence with the suitable verb form in column A with a preposition in column B to make expressions with phrasal verbs. (No need to use all)

A				B			
make	land	give	come	in	for	up	down
reduce	increase	meet	get	to	at	with	on

36. Her behaviour has \_\_\_\_\_ her \_\_\_\_\_ trouble with her teacher.  
 37. We \_\_\_\_\_ after school on Tuesdays and go to someone's house to play computer games.  
 38. Carol has \_\_\_\_\_ up \_\_\_\_\_ a great new idea to make money.  
 39. The other children were so cruel that they \_\_\_\_\_ him \_\_\_\_\_ tears.  
 40. The runner was slow at first but she \_\_\_\_\_ up \_\_\_\_\_ it in the last few metres and won.

d. Complete the following sentence with the correct form of the word in the right column.

41. "Don't worry about that ink stain on your blouse. It's hardly _____" Mary told Jane.	notice
42. "Oh, I give up! I just can't seem to get through to this number!" - "Why don't you try asking the _____ to help you?"	operate
43. The book is long, uninteresting and not very well-written. I find it _____.	read
44. She is one of the greatest _____ to appear in this theater.	perform
45. Intensive cultivation has _____ the soil.	poverty
46. He achieved _____ for failing a drugs test after winning an Olympic final.	notorious
47. "No, I don't have any 'pets' in our class. I don't believe in _____." I just treat all my students the same" one teacher was over-heard telling another.	favourite
48. Dr. Kevin wants to be one of the most famous _____ in the world.	environment
49. "I don't really like that man over there. He's rather _____." I nearly got into a fight with him once, too." Robert said.	argue
50. The _____ of his knowledge surprised the board of examiners.	extend

Trước khi giao bài cho người chấm thi, chủ tịch hội đồng đọc phách theo đường kẻ này.

NGƯỜI CỎI THI	
Họ và tên	Kỳ
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Chủ tịch HĐ chấm thi ghi số phách

Kỳ thi: .....

Khóa ngày: .....

Hội đồng coi thi: .....

Họ tên thí sinh: .....

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Ngày sinh: .....

Học sinh trường: .....

Số báo danh:

MÔN THI:

Chú ý:

Thí sinh không được ký tên hay viết dấu hiệu gì vào tờ giấy thi. Trái điều này, bài thi sẽ bị loại.

### III. READING (2.0 pts)

a. Give a suitable word in each blank to complete the passage.

Kiyo Tanaka skillfully steers her wheelchair between the flower beds as she gardens outdoors. Gardening is one of her (51) \_\_\_\_\_ year-round activities. Believe it or not, thirteen-year-old Kiyo also successfully (52) \_\_\_\_\_ plants indoors without soil. She fills plastic (53) \_\_\_\_\_ with a special solution for nourishing plants. She uses a (54) \_\_\_\_\_ of screen to support each plant in a container, allowing the roots to dangle into the solution so that half of the root system is (55) \_\_\_\_\_. Every few weeks, Kiyo pours out the old solution, flushes the container with clear water, and then pours in fresh solution, which she buys at a gardening center. With this kind of indoor gardening, Kiyo doesn't have to worry (56) \_\_\_\_\_ outdoor garden pests, poor soil, or bad weather. She keeps the plants on shelves where they can get good (57) \_\_\_\_\_ and where she can reach them (58) \_\_\_\_\_. Her indoor plants are a living testimonial to the good care she gives them.

b. The people below all want to visit a museum. There are descriptions of eight museums. Decide which museum would be the most suitable for the following people. Write the correct answer (A - H) next to the number.

59. _____	Cristina wants to visit a museum with her daughter to see how people used to live. They want to have lunch there and buy some presents to take home. They will go by car.
60. _____	Joanne wants to visit a museum and see people making things. She has no car and would like to have lunch there.
61. _____	Carl's hobby is painting pictures, so he would like to see the work of other painters who live in the area. He wants to have a snack at the museum. He travels by public transport.
62. _____	Duncan wants to find out where local people worked in the past and what they did in their spare time. He wants to buy a book about the exhibition. He travels by bus.
63. _____	The Cannavaro family want to walk around a site which offers opportunities for the whole family to take part in activities. They want somewhere pleasant to eat their own sandwiches. They have a car.

## MUSEUMS IN THE AREA

A. Stackworth Museum tells the history of the famous Stack worth family, and gives information about other well-known local people. These include poets, artists and writers. There is an excellent café and a car park.

C. Fairley Museum is arranged like an old-fashioned village. You can see people working at their trades to produce tools, pots and even boats using traditional skills.

There is a small picnic area in the car park but most people eat in the excellent café.

The museum is on a bus route.

E. The rooms in Scotwood Museum are furnished as they were 100 years ago. The staffs spend the day as people did then and are happy to explain what it was like. There are activity sheets for children and a shop with books, souvenirs and cards, as well as a good café and a car park.

G. Set in beautiful countryside, the Woodlands Museum is arranged like a village of 100 years ago. To learn more about this period, visitors are encouraged to spend time doing practical things such as making pots and cooking. There is an adventure playground with a picnic area under the trees and parking.

B. Charberth Museum is near the main bus station and has a rich collection of objects, 19th-century paintings and photographs showing life in the town over the centuries - the jobs people did and how they entertained themselves. An accompanying book showing the works on display is available from the Museum Shop as well as some attractive gifts. There is no café.

D. Westerleigh Museum is near the bus station, and contains exhibitions showing the town's development. In a separate room there are works by some well-known artists as well as changing exhibitions of work by local artists. Sandwiches, cakes and hot drinks are on sale in the café.

F. Freshwater was once an important fishing port. Freshwater Museum, inside the old harbour office, shows how the town developed and later became a tourist centre. There is an activity room for young children with DVDs, a car park, and a good bus service.

H. Middleworth Museum is full of objects from the past, which tell the story of different people who worked in the area, from factory workers to the men who built the canal and the railway. There is a Family Folder of things to do. The museum has a café and is near the bus and railway station.

c. Read the passage and then answer the questions.

### NO SMOKING!

Smoking causes lung cancers. Lung cancer is the number one cancer among men. Ninety percent of the people who get lung cancer die. Smokers have six times as much cancer of the mouth, tongue, and throat as non-smokers. Smokers have twice as much heart disease. Smoking gives people breathing problems. It harms the stomach. Smoking causes one million early deaths in the world every year.

Throughout the world, women live longer than men. Why? Because men smoke more. Non-smoking men live just as long as women. Smokers pollute the air. They breathe out 100 times as much pollution as non-smokers. They breathe it out on their children and on their wives or husbands. Children whose parents smoke have more breathing and lung problems than other children. Among non-smoking women married to smokers, there are twice as many deaths from lung cancer as there are among women married to non-

smokers. Men have the right to kill themselves by smoking if they want to. They do not have the right to kill their wives and children by smoking. Smokers are absent from work more. Factories and business lose millions of dollars every year because of smokers. Smokers have higher medical bills. All of these facts from research show that smoking is bad. Young people start smoking because everyone else is doing it. They feel grown up and independent. It helps them relax. Then it becomes a bad habit.

It is very difficult to stop smoking, but the chance of getting lung cancer decreases only one year after you stop. After ten years, the chance is almost the same as for non-smokers. It is possible to quit smoking. Thirty million people in the United States have quit because they believe the research.

64. How many people die when they get lung cancer?

65. What does smoking cause harm to the body?

66. What happens to children when their parents smoke?

67. Why do young people smoke?

68. What are the chances of getting lung cancer ten years after people stop smoking?

69. Why do smokers pollute the air?

70. Why do the factories and businesses lose millions of dollars every year?

#### IV. Writing (3.0 pts)

a. Finish each of the sentences in such a way that it means exactly the same as the sentence printed before.

71. Mr. Jones remembered the date, and so did his wife.

Mr. Jones didn't \_\_\_\_\_

72. He didn't try to conceal his dislike to me.

He made no \_\_\_\_\_

73. The best solution was thought of by Sally.

Sally came \_\_\_\_\_

74. "We moved here in 1998" John said.

John said \_\_\_\_\_

75. The magazine is published every week.

The magazine comes \_\_\_\_\_

b. Write the new sentence using the word in brackets. Do not alter the given words in any way.

76. John's mother doesn't agree if he goes to work. (disapproves)

\_\_\_\_\_

77. You are so lucky to have inherited all that money. (come)

\_\_\_\_\_

78. Paula always got angry when she made a mistake. (temper)

\_\_\_\_\_

79. Everyone who spoke to the victim is a suspect. (under)

\_\_\_\_\_

80. Don't be deceived by his long words! (in)

\_\_\_\_\_

c. 81-100. Write not more than 150 words inside this space to say about energy waste problems around you and suggest the solutions to save energy.

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