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| **SỞ GD-ĐT NINH BÌNH**  TRƯƠNG THPT YÊN MÔ B | **ĐỀ KIỂM TRA CUỐI KỲ II NĂM HỌC 2023-2024**  **Môn: Tiếng Anh - Lớp 10**  Thời gian làm bài: 60 phút, không tính thời gian phát đề |

Họ và tên học sinh:…………………………Số báo danh:………………….

**I. LISTENING**

***Part 1. Listen and choose the best answer to complete the these sentences***

1. This train is ………….by approximately 8 minutes. The train will now depart from Platform 9
2. delay B. delayed C. delays
3. ……………….. for the 12.20 train to Bristol, please make your way to Platform 9.
4. Passages B. passports C. passengers
5. Your ………………… is ready to board.
6. night B. light C. flight

***Part 2. Listen to a recording and choose the best answer to each of the following questions***

1. When was the first logo of the UNICEF used?

A. in 1915 B. in 1933 C. in 1953

1. What can you see in the second logo of the UNICEF

A. a father lifting a child B. a mother lifting a child C. a father and mother lifting a child

1. How many times has the UNICEF’s tag line changed since the beginning of the 21st century?

A. once B. twice C. three times

**II.PRONUNCIATION**

***Choose the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the option which is pronounced differently from the others***

1. **A.** commit **B.** promote **C.** economic **D.** poverty
2. **A.** technical **B.** challenge **C.** charity **D.** exchange

***Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of stress in each of the following questions.***

1. **A.** upload **B.** textbook **C.** discuss **D.** prepare
2. **A.** economic **B.** independent **C.** possibility **D.** environmental

**III. LEXICO- GRAMMAR**

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

1. Poor women in disadvantaged areas should \_\_\_\_ more help by governments.

**A.** offer **B.** be offered **C.** be offering **D.** offered

1. My grandmother feels much \_\_\_\_ whenever I give her a homemade cake on Mother’s Day.

**A.** happier **B.** more happily **C.** the happiest **D.** the most happily

1. My youngest son, \_\_\_\_ may be quiet or shy in a classroom, may become active in a social learning situation made possible by digital devices.

**A.** who **B.** that **C.** whose  **D.** whom

1. Nam wanted to know what time \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
2. does he movie begins B. did the movie begin
3. the movies begins D. the movie began
4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ learning combines online videos with traditional classroom methods.

**A.** Blended **B.** Online **C.** Face-to-face **D.** Indirect

**IV.READING**

***Part 1. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.***

Ecotourism is a unique way for travellers to engage in sustainable tourism while vacationing. Throughout the years, specific "Eco" organizations, including Eco-resorts, wurs, and Non-Governmental Organizations, have developed across the globe. This specific type of tourism is now increasingly becoming one of the more popular, with growth rates increasing every year. The United Nations, aware of the fact that tourism could be one of the most **detrimental** activities if not planned in accordance with the threshold imposed by nature, has declared the celebration of the International Day of Ecotourism, to promote sustainable practices in this growing industry.

Recently, The Division for Sustainable Development, Small Island Developing States Unit, decided that in preparation for the International Day of Ecotourism, it would be beneficial to identify successful practices of ecotourism on small islands. In order for ecotourism to be **categorized** as successful, it must meet the following criteria: it must combine natural and cultural tourism; it must involve local populations in the program, including providing educational resources to the local community; it must identity, manage, and conserve the natural and cultural environment, as well as the resources on the island; it must generate practices that will lead to the future sustainability of the island. If these criteria are followed by an organization, it deserves to be recognized as successful.

In order to locate these certain organizations, the SIDS Unit started a thoughtful internet search for ecotourism organizations. The focus was on four different categories: Eco-resorts and hotels, Eco-tours, Non-Governmental Organizations involved in ecotourism, and Government Codes of Conduct and Guidelines regarding ecotourism for travellers. Once an Internet-site that filled the criteria was located, further contact with the organizations was initiated, enabling us to obtain further information directly from the source. Many of the organizations were delighted to correspond with us and are eager to show all that **their** organization has achieved.

The stories presented come from across the globe and vary in success levels. While all of the organizations engage in practicing ecotourism, some focus in different areas than others. This is due to a various number of reasons, including the size of an organization, length of time the organization has been in existence, amount of funding available, and economic/political situations occurring on the island. However, it is important to recognize that although some ecotourism organizations are more developed than others, the ultimate goal of sustainable development, conservation and education through ecotourism remains consistent.

1. What is the main idea of the passage?

A. Ecotourism and its related issues B. Sustainable development

C. Environment pollution and its causes D. Job opportunities for local people

1. In paragraph 1, the word "**detrimental**" is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

A. damaging B. destructive C. harmful D. beneficial

1. Why has the United Nations declared the celebration of the International Day of Ecotourism?

A. to raise people's awareness about ecotourism

B. to encourage more people to experience ecotourism

C. to boost sustainable practices in ecotourism

D. to stop ecotourism services completely

1. In paragraph 2, the word "**categorized**" is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

A. prioritized B. typified C. examined D. classified

1. According to the passage, which of the following is NOT metioned as a criterion for successful ecotourism?

A. combination of natural and cultural tourism

B. local populations' involvement in the program

C. conservation of the natural and cultural environment

D. improvement in the infrastructure for more tourist attraction

1. In paragraph 3, the word “**their**” refers to \_\_\_\_.

A. organisations' B. travellers' C. hotels' D. guidelines'

1. According to the passage, which of the following is NOT mentioned as a reason for the differences in organizations' focuses?

A. How big the organization is.

B. How long the organization has been in existence

C. How much money is available to the organization.

D. How much the organization is supported.

***Part 2. Choose the word or phrase among A, B, C or D that best fits the blank space in the following passage.***

**NAM CAT TIEN NATIONAL PARK**

In the early morning of the first day, the guide will pick you up and transfer to Nam Cat Tien National Park, located on a low mountainous area of Dong Nai Province. Nam Cat Tien is an area which represents a special ecosystem of wet forests with biodiversity.

You will take a boat trip along the Dong Nai River to view the (23) \_\_\_\_\_ on the river banks. You can stop at the grassland area to search for peacocks, jungle fowl and birds (24) \_\_\_\_\_ prefer a more open habitat. After that, you can continue to go to Kim Lan Village, once a French military camp and now the main village to the ethnic inhabitants of the park.

The song of birds will wake you up in the morning of the second day. You go hiking to the crocodile lake with (25)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ opportunities to see many varieties of bird life and, if you are lucky, the chance of spotting larger mammals. The Siamese Crocodile is an endangered (26) \_\_\_\_ and this is one of the last remaining places in the world that you can still see them in the wild. (27) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, in the evening, a walking tour along the track following the river through the botanical garden to Heaven Rapids will provide you with good opportunities to see the birds and possibly the gibbon.

1. A. change B. variety C. diverse D. wildlife
2. A. that B. who C. where D. what
3. A. many B. much C. another D. a little
4. A. surfaces B. layers C. spots D. species
5. A. However B. Moreover C. Therefore D. But

***Part 3. Choose the word or phrase among A, B, C or D that best fits the blank space in the following passage.***

Environment plays a crucial part in our life. Therefore, we need to protect the environment as well as the ecosystem as much as possible. (28) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Firstly, a good strategy is to save energy and natural resources which are limited. We can use less energy by switching off all electronic devices when they are not in use, not wasting water, (29) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The government should also set a limit for the exploitation of resources.

Secondly, we need to conserve the old forest, rainforest, build more safari and national parks, and (30) \_\_\_\_\_. Prohibiting hunters (31) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_is also important.

Last but not least, there is a must (32) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. People should be encouraged strongly to do good things like: using less plastic things, not throwing trash everywhere,…I hope that in the future the earth will be cleaner.

A. That there are some main ways to do that. B. There are some main ways to do that.

C. So there are some main ways to do that. D. Because there are some main ways to do that.

A. using a bike or a bus instead of driving a car B. use a bike or a bus instead of driving a car

C. using a bike or a bus instead of drive a car D. using a bike or a bus instead driving a car

A.planting more trees to make a place to live for wild animals

B. planted more trees to make a place to live for wild animals

C. to plant more trees to make a place for wild animals to live

D. plant more trees to make a place to live for wild animals

A. who hunting animals out of the law allowance B. whom hunt animals out of the law allowance

C. who hunt animals out of the law allowance D. who out of the law allowance hunt animals

A. to raise people awareness B. to raise awareness for people

C. to raise awareness people’s D. to raise people’s awareness

***Part 4. Read the following advertisement for an ecotour to Hoi An villages and Choose the word or phrase among A, B, C or D that best fits the blanks.***

Experience the beauty and culture of Vietnam in a whole new way with our ecotour to Hoi An villages! Discover traditional farming practices, explore lush rice paddies, and interact (33) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ friendly villagers who will welcome you into their homes. Our tour (34) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_with sustainability in mind, so you can feel good about the impact you're making on the environment and (35) \_\_\_\_\_\_communities. Book your tour today and embark on a journey of a lifetime!

1. A. for B. with C. to D. by
2. A. is designed B. designed C. has designed D. designs
3. A. localize B. locality C. local D. localized

**V.WRITING**

***Write the letters in front of each sentence in the correct order to form a complete letter/ paragraph.***

**Question 36.**

1. I saw your advert in the local newspaper last Monday and I would like to volunteer to help.

B. I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully,

1. I am young and energetic, and I am always interested in voluntary activities to help the community.

D. Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing to apply for a volunteer position at the local food bank.

E. I am available for an interview on any weekday afternoons or at weekends. If my application is successful, I can start work immediately.

**Question 37.**

A. In short, it is undeniable that blended learning has crucial advantages including students’ control over their learning and soft skills development.

B. Finally, it can help to reduce costs and increase access to education, particularly for students who live in remote areas.

C. Blended learning, the combination of traditional face-to-face instruction with online learning methods, offers numerous benefits in modern education

D. Firstly, it provides flexibility and convenience, allowing students to access learning materials anytime, anywhere

E. Additionally, blended learning encourages active student participation and engagement through interactive online platforms, promoting critical thinking and collaboration skills

**Question 38.** **Writing a paragraph**

**Write a paragraph (100-120 words) about the benefits of blended learning**

**VI. SPEAKING**

**Talk about the advantages or the disadvantages of online learning**. *(your talk should last 1- 2 minutes)*