

TRƯỜNG THCS

KIỂM TRA CUỐI KỲ 2

MÔN: TIẾNG ANH 9 (GLOBAL SUCCESS)

Thời gian làm bài: 90 phút (không kể thời gian giao đề)

Họ và tên: Lớp:

A. LISTENING (2.0 points)

Part 1. Part 1: Listen and choose the correct answer (2.0 points)

Listen to a conversation between Tom and Sarah about space and technology. Choose the best answer for each question.

A conversation about the International Space Station and future technology.

Where do the astronauts exercise according to the article?

- A. In a gym on Earth B. On the International Space Station C. In a local park
D. At a hospital

How long do astronauts have to exercise every day?

- A. One hour B. Two hours C. Three hours D. Four hours

Why do they need to exercise in space?

- A. To lose weight B. To keep muscles strong C. To sleep better D. To pass the time

What is the environment like in the space station as mentioned by Sarah?

- A. High pressure B. Very cold C. Zero gravity D. Extremely noisy

What devices are used to control everything on the station?

- A. Laptops B. Smartphones C. Advanced tablets D. Remote controls

What job does Tom's brother want to have?

- A. Astronaut B. Doctor C. Software engineer D. Pilot

According to Sarah, how is space technology compared to our smartphones?

- A. It is simpler B. It is more complex C. It is the same D. It is cheaper

Why does Tom's brother want to pursue that career?

A. Because it is easy B. Because it is a stable career path C. Because he likes traveling
D. Because he wants to go to space

B. LANGUAGE FOCUS (3.0 points)

Part 1. Phonetics, Vocabulary and Grammar (3.0 points)

Choose the best option A, B, C, or D to complete each sentence or identify the different sound.

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

A. universe B. use C. uniform D. upset

Astronauts feel _____ when they are in the space station because there is no gravity.

A. heavy B. weightless C. massive D. weighted

If I _____ an astronaut, I would travel to Mars.

A. am B. was C. were D. will be

The telescope _____ stands on the hill is used to observe distant planets.

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

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

A. devices B. boxes C. watches D. tables

Modern electronic devices allow us to _____ with people all over the world easily.

A. connect B. connection C. connective D. connecting

The teacher said that technology _____ a vital role in our future education.

A. plays B. will play C. would play D. is playing

This new smartphone _____ by millions of people since it was released.

A. has been used B. was used C. is used D. had been used

Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

A. choice B. chemistry C. chat D. check

Many students choose _____ schools to learn practical skills for their future jobs.

A. academic B. vocational C. secondary D. primary

It is important to find a career _____ that matches your interests and strengths.

A. way B. road C. path D. street

The woman _____ is talking to the principal is a famous career advisor.

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

C. READING (3.25 points)

Part 1. Cloze Test (1.25 points)

Read the following passage and choose the correct word for each blank.

Choosing a career is one of the most important decisions in life. Many teenagers feel (21) _____ when they have to think about their future. Some prefer (22) _____ to university to study academic subjects like math or literature. Others choose to attend (23) _____ schools where they can learn specific (24) _____ such as car repair or cooking. No matter what you choose, it is essential to (25) _____ your own passions.

Blank (21)

Blank (22)

Blank (23)

Blank (24)

Blank (25)

Part 2. Reading Comprehension (1.5 points)

Read the short texts and choose the best answer.

Text A: Space exploration has advanced significantly. Astronauts now spend months on the ISS conducting experiments. Text B: Technology has changed how we live. Smartphones are now essential for communication and work.

What do astronauts do on the ISS?

- A. Sleep all day B. Conduct experiments C. Build new planets D. Watch movies

How long do astronauts stay on the ISS?

- A. A few days B. A week C. Months D. Years

What is the main purpose of space exploration mentioned?

- A. Tourism B. Scientific advancement C. Finding gold D. Moving to Mars

According to Text B, what are smartphones essential for?

- A. Playing games only B. Communication and work C. Cooking D. Driving

What has changed how we live according to the text?

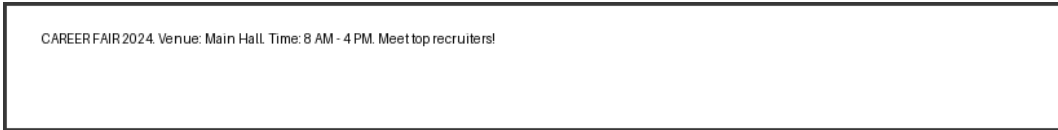
- A. Weather B. Technology C. History D. Music

Which statement is TRUE according to Text B?

- A. Smartphones are useless. B. Smartphones are only for kids. C. Smartphones are important today. D. Smartphones are very old.

Part 3. Visual Interpretation (0.5 points)

Look at the sign and answer the questions.



What is the main purpose of this event?

- A. To sell books B. To help people find jobs C. To celebrate a holiday D. To play sports

At what time does the event end?

- A. 8 AM B. 12 PM C. 4 PM D. 8 PM

D. WRITING (1.75 points)

Part 1. Sentence Transformation (U10 & U11) (1.5 points)

Rewrite the following sentences as directed.

Astronauts don't train in a gravity environment, so they find it hard to move at first.
(Rewrite using 'If')

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"I am using a new app to learn English now," said Lisa. (Rewrite using Reported Speech)

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Part 2. Sentence Transformation (U12) (0.25 points)

Combine the sentences using a Relative Clause.

The man is a career advisor. You met him at the fair yesterday.

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