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Thời gian làm bài: 150 phút Đề thi gồm 06 trang

A. LISTENING (20pts)

I. You will hear FIVE short conversations. Listen and choose the correct answer A, B, or C. You will hear each conversation TWICE. (5 pts)

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	Tapescript		
1. A	Question 1 One. What must the man turn off? Woman: Let's go or we'll be late. Did you turn off the lights upstairs? Man: Yes, but wait a minute – I can hear the radio in the kitchen. Woman: Oh dear. That's the television. I was watching the news. Can you go and turn it off and I'll start the car? Man: OK. [pause] Now listen again.		
2. C	Question 2 Two. Where's the girl's pen? Girl: Where's my blue pen? I'm sure I put it in my bag. Boy: Oh, sorry. I used it to do my homework and I left it on the table in the kitchen. Girl: I can't see it. Boy: Oh, I know, it's by the phone – I used it again to take a message and forgot to put it back in your bag. I'll get it for you. [pause] Now listen again.		
3. B	Question 3 Three. What will the boy do this evening? Woman: Are you going to practise your guitar with your friends here this evening? Boy: Matthew's playing in a football match tonight so we're going to do it tomorrow. Woman: Will you wash the car for me then? It's very dirty. Boy: Sorry, Mum, I'm going to go and watch Matthew play. I'll do the car for you at the weekend. [pause] Now listen again.		
4. B	Question 4 Four. What animals did they see on their holiday? Man: Did you see any monkeys when you were on holiday in Kenya? Woman: Lots of them! But we weren't so lucky with the lions. Man: Oh, that's a pity! What about elephants? Woman: Not this time, but we're going back next year so maybe we'll see some elephants then. [pause] Now listen again.		
5. C	Question 5 Five. What does the man want to buy? Man: Do you think this sweater will look nice with my jacket? Woman: The colour isn't quite right. What about that lovely blue shirt over there? Man: It is nice, but I've got lots of shirts already. I need something warm to wear under my jacket. Woman: Well, let's look in another shop then. [pause] Now listen again.		

II. You will hear part of a radio interview in which Tina Whitem a magazine editor, talks about
her life and work. Listen and choose the correct answer A, B, C or D. You will listen TWICE. (5
nts)

6. B

7. A

8. C

9. D

10. B

CEPT Practice B1 level-

Woman: With us today, to tell us about his trip across Africa, is the biologist Paul Hart.

Man: We started on the east coast and travelled on foot across Africa to Gabon in the west, collecting plants and flowers along the way. It wasn't easy, but my route crossed a region rich in plants and I

chose it because it won't stay that way for long when more roads are built. It was my only chance to get important information about the natural life of the area.

I had a team of eleven scientists. We walked from six in the morning, but the forest was so thick it took hours to cut our way through it, and some days we only walked one kilometre before dark. Fortunately, we carried special equipment that was very light and we took as little food as possible. But we were always tired when we put the tents up at night.

Sometimes we saw elephants or lions. They were amazing to watch and never attacked us. Every day, I collected plants and added to my notes. There was so much new information to write down. There were, of course, some low points, especially when I got anxious about the team. It was my job to make sure everyone got home safely.

Towards the end of the trip, I suddenly discovered one day that the food had nearly all gone. It was strange because we'd brought enough dried food with us to last the trip - food that wouldn't ever go bad - and we'd stopped at villages for fresh food too. But then I found that some of the team had eaten much more than they were supposed to. I was angry with them because it was a silly thing to do. Then we started walking again. There were no maps for the area, but we had a local guide. Then one of the team got sick and we couldn't go any further. We let him rest, but he got much worse. Thankfully his life was saved by a fisherman who came along the river in a boat and took him to a doctor in the nearest village.

Finally, I returned home, and I'm back with my family and friends. I really missed them while I was away. But I learnt so much on the trip and I'm really glad I went. I was asked to go on another trip - this time to Australia - but I said that I couldn't because I'm busy here in London. And I think I've done enough travelling.

III. You will hear a young woman who has applied for an office job talking about her jobs abroad. For each question, fill in the missing information in the numbered space. (5 pts)

Plymouth Sea Life Centre				
• COST				
Adults (11) £3.70, children £2.00. Special prices for over sixties and school groups.				
• OPENING TIMES				
Every day except 25 and (12) 26/26 th December				
• FOR CHILDREN				
Animals are fed every (13)hour from 9.30 a.m.				
Slide and (14) video shows from 10.00 a.m.				
• GROUPS				
Guided tours available – ask at the (15)information desk				

You will hear a radio announcer talking about Plymouth Sea Life Centre. For each question, fill in the missing information in the numbered space. You now have 20 seconds to look at Part 3. [pause] Now we are ready to start. Listen carefully. You will hear the recording twice. ... and finally Mary James has been visiting the new Sea Life Centre at Plymouth. What can you tell us about it, Mary? Woman: Well, it's an extremely exciting place. There are so many things to see and everything is enjoyable as well as educational. It costs £3.70 for adults, £2 for children and less for over sixties and school groups. It's open every day of the year except the 25th and 26th of December. Special attractions for children include a quiz and hourly feeding times for all the different animals and fish, starting at 9.30. You can see everything here from the most enormous of sea creatures to the smallest. Every morning from 10.00 there are slide and video shows for children in the sea life theatre, and someone is always there to answer questions about what you've seen. If you are in a group of six or more people, they can give you a special guided tour of the centre. But you need to arrange this at the information The latest attraction at the centre is a big glass tunnel you can walk through;

all around you, you will see enormous fish swimming – sometimes even over your head. You certainly have the clearest possible view of the world beneath

the waves. Children love it and it's really amazing for adults too!

IV. Look at the five sentences for this part. You will hear a conversation between a boy, Jim, and his mother. Decide if each sentence is True or False. If it is correct, write T. If it is not correct, write F. (5 pts)

20. T 16. F 17. T 18. F 19 F Look at the six sentences for this part. You will hear a conversation between Matthew and Decide if each sentence is correct or incorrect. If it is correct, put a tick in the box under A for YES. If it is not correct, put a tick in the box under B for NO. You now have 20 seconds to look at the questions for Part 4. [pause] Now we are ready to start. Listen carefully. You will hear the recording twice. Matthew: ... Bye, Mum, see you later. Mother: How are you getting to college? It's already five to nine. You've missed the bus. Are you going to walk? Matthew: No, I'm borrowing your car, remember? Mother: Oh Matthew, I need it today. If you want to borrow the car you need to ask me several days before. Sorry, you're going to have to walk. It just isn't convenient Matthew: But I did ask you. We talked about it last week. Don't you remember? I've promised to help Alan move all his books and things after my lecture today. He's moving to a new flat and his car's broken down. I've got to help him move his things - he can't stay in the old flat after today. I promised him. Mother: All right, all right. Of course, you must keep your promise. I remember now, you did tell me, but I thought you said next Wednesday. You said the 9th and that's next week when I'm in Birmingham for a meeting so I shan't need the car. Matthew: I didn't ask for it next Wednesday! I've got an exam next Wednesday! I can't help Alan when I'm doing an exam, can I? Mother: No, I suppose not. Well, I expect you're right. I didn't write it down so it's my fault. Next time we must both write it down, and make sure we write down the Matthew: OK. So can I have it today? I need to go or I'll miss my lecture. Mother: Well, what am I supposed to do? I need to be at work in half an hour. Matthew: I'll give you a lift there on my way to college. How about that? Mother: I suppose I haven't got much choice. Come on, then.

B. GRAMMAR-VOCABULARY (25 pts)

I. Choose the word or phrase A, B, C or D that best fits the blank space in each sentence. (9 pts)

21. D 22. A 23. B 24. D 25. B 26. C 27. C 28. A 29. C

II. Read and choose the correct option to complete the advertisement. (3 pts)

30. B 31. D 32. C

III. Read and choose the correct option to complete the announcement. (3 pts)

33. A 34. C 35. D

IV. Find 05 errors in the following passage. Write the errors and write the correction in your paper. (5 pts)

	Line	Error	Correction
36	2	learning	to learn
37	3	did	made
38	5	for	delete
39	8	politeness	polite
40	10	because of	because

V. Give the correct form of the words in brackets. (5 pts)

- 41. scientist
- 42. interesting
- 43. laziness
- 44. successfully
- 45. socalise/socalize

READING (25 pts)

I. The text below has five spaces. Put a given sentence A, B, C, D, E, F or G into its correct space. There are two sentences that you do not need to use. (5 pts)

46. G 47. E 48. B 49. F 50. C

II. Read the passage and decide which option A, B, C or D best fits each space. (10 pts)

51. B 52. D 53. C 54. B 55. A 56. B 57. D 58. A 59. C 60. B

III. Read the following passage and choose the best answer from A, B, C or D. (10 pts)

61. B 62. C 63. A 64. C 65. B 66. A 67. D 68. D 69. C 70. B

D. WRITING (30 pts)

I. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means exactly the same as the sentence printed before it. (5 pts)

- 71. No matter how hard does he work, support his large family.
- 72. The book was too complicated for us to understand.
- 73. They invited him to go to the stadium the next day/the following day
- 74. If you practice speaking English every day, you can improve your English.
- 75. She told Mary: "Why don't you sign up for this club now?"

II. This is part of a letter you have received from Elizabeth, your pen pal from England. In about 100 - 120 words, write a letter to answer her questions. (10 pts)

A new restaurant has just opened in my town and it's wonderful. Have you got a favourite restaurant? Tell me about the food and what you like about the restaurant.

NOTE: You are required to sign your name as Ngoc Mai!

1. Format: a letter: 1p

- 2. Content: 5p
- 3. Organization and cohension: Clear organization of ideas, with suitable paragraphing and linking: 2p
- 4. Range: Language of describing, explaining and expressing opinion: 2p

III. "Due to the outbreak of Covid-19 many students have to take online classes. Do you think that studying online is advantageous or disadvantageous?"

Write a paragraph about 150 - 170 words to give your opinion. (15 pts)

+Task fulfillment

Complete the task appropriately with all main ideas and important details: 8 p

- Advantages (4p)
- Disadvatages (4p)

+ Language 7p

- Accurate grammar: appropriate vocabularyVariety of sentence types: appropriate linking devices
- Good organization