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| **UBND HUYỆN CẨM GIÀNG**  **ĐỀ GIỚI THIỆU** | **ĐỀ THI CHỌN HỌC SINH GIỎI CẤP HUYỆN**  **NĂM HỌC 2024-2025**  **MÔN:TIẾNG ANH 9**  **Thời gian làm bài: 150 phút**  *(Đề thi có 06 trang)* |

***Chú ý: Thí sinh làm bài vào tờ giấy thi***

***Phần trắc nghiệm: Chỉ cần viết đáp án A, hoặc B, C, D***

***Phần tự luận: Viết đầy đủ theo yêu cầu của bài***

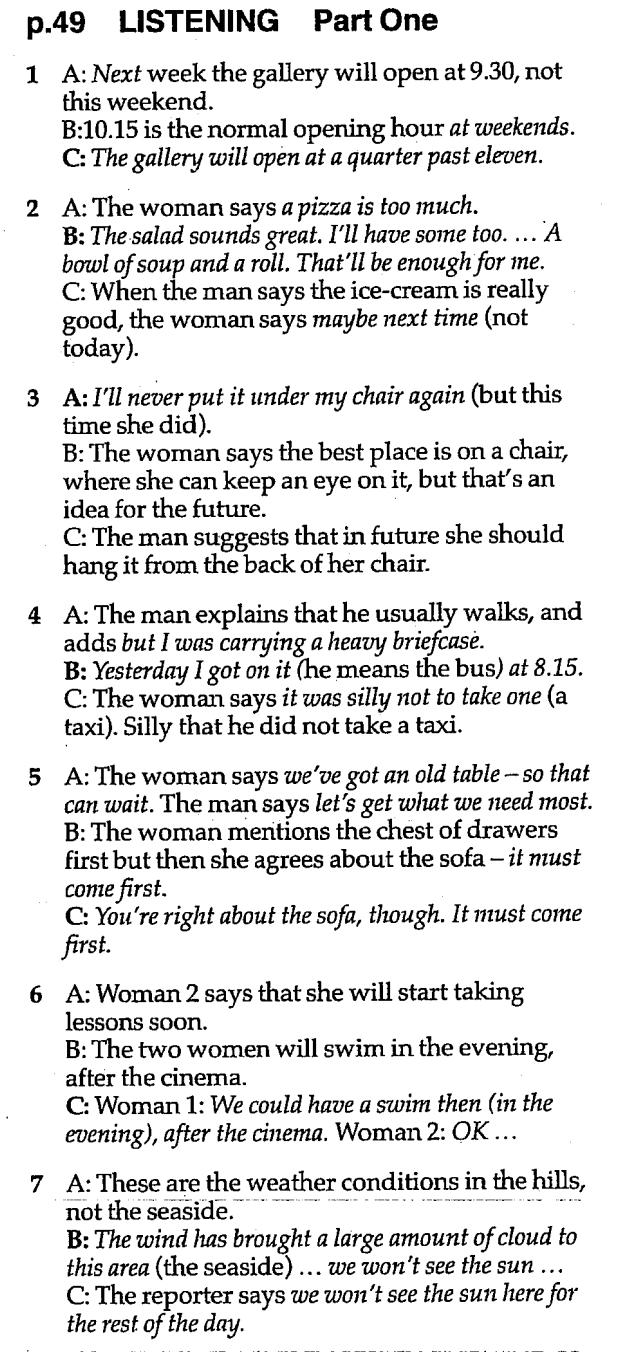
***(Thí sinh không được sử dụng bất cứ tài liệu gì.)***

**A. LISTENING:**

***Hướng dẫn làm bài Nghe****:*

*Bài Nghe gồm có 04 phần, mỗi phần thí sinh được nghe 02 lần. Mở đầu và kết thúc phần nghe có tín hiệu nhạc.*

*Mọi hướng dẫn cho thí sinh (bằng tiếng Anh) có trong bài.*



**I. Listen to five short conversations and choose the correct answer to each question. (5.0 points)**

**1.** What did they watch on TV yesterday?

**A.** Wildlife programme **B.** The news **C.** The thriller

**2.** What time will the art gallery open this weekend?

**A.** at 9.30 **B.** at 10.15 **C.** at 11.15

**3.** How did the man get to his office yesterday?

**A.** by bus **B.** on foot **C.** by taxi

**4.** Which magazine does the woman read regularly?

**A.** Health and Fitness **B.** Fashion Today **C.** Computer World

**5.** Which activity can people under 14 do alone?

**A.** Horse riding **B.** Wind surfing **C.** Mountain climbing

**II. You will hear a man called Patrick Simons talking on the radio about his career as a chef. Listen to the recording and choose the correct answer to each question. (5.0 points)**

**6.** Patrick accepted his first job as a chef because \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**A.** his mother wanteed him to do it **B.** it would help him in his studies **C.** he had to earn somemoney

**7.** What did Patrick dislike about his job at the hotel?

**A.** The menu seldom changed. **B.** The manager was unfriendly. **C.** The working hours were long.

**8.** Patrick thinks that his best recipes are for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**A.** chicken **B.** vegetables  **C.** bread

**9.** According to Patrick, what are chefs often unable to do?

**A.** listen to others **B.** create original dishes **C.** use the latest technology

**10.** What does Patrick advise students to do?

**A.** to look for a part-time job **B.** to concentrate only on their studies **C.** to talk to experienced chefs

**III. You will hear a man talking to a group of people about a new sports centre. Complete the note below with NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER for each answer. (5.0 points)**

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| **NEW SPORTS CENTRE**  ***Facilities:***   * swimming pool * **(11)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ * squash courts * tennis court (opening on: **(12)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ )   ***Prices:***   * monthly: £35 * **(13)** £\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a year (special discounts for children) * not included in price: equipment and swimming **(14)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_   ***How to become a member:***  Fill in a membership form – remember to write your age and your weight.  For more information phone Mrs **(15)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on 467 9900. |

**IV. Nora is talking to Sam about working in an office. Listen and state whether the following statements are true (T) or false (F). (5.0 points)**

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| **STATEMENTS** | **T** | **F** |
| **16.** Nora is doubtful about whether to apply for an office job. |  |  |
| **17.** Sam found his experience of working in an office useful. |  |  |
| **18.** Sam dislikes the idea of spending many hours working with a computer. |  |  |
| **19.** Sam believes that Nora’s knowledge of German is better than his. |  |  |
| **20.** Nora accepts Sam’s offer to help her search the Internet for jobs. |  |  |

**B. GRAMMAR – VOCABULARY – LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS**

**I. Choose the word, phrase or expression which best completes each sentence. (9.0 points)**

**21.** These thought-provoking poems \_\_\_\_\_\_ questions about what it means to love unconditionally.

**A.** draw **B.** make **C.** raise  **D.** give

**22.** The great thing about this bank loan is that they give you so long to\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**A.** pay it in **B.** give it up **C.** pay it up **D.** pay it off

**23.** You’d better have someone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your house which is in a terrible condition.

**A.** rebuild **B.** rebuilt **C.** rebuilding **D.** to rebuild

**24.** In his official speech on TV this morning, the Prime Minister requested that the crisis \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ immediately.

**A.** were resolved **B.** be resolved **C.** should resolve **D.** to resolve

**25.** Jane accidentally \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Mike when she was crossing a street downtown yesterday.

**A.** kept an eye on **B.** lost touch with **C.** paid attention to **D.** caught sight of

**26.** “By the way, have you heard the one about the Welshman, the Irishman and the pig?” “Yes, we have. That joke is as old as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.”

**A.** Solomon **B.** the hills **C.** a dinosaur **D.** Jupiter

**27.** A student is talking to one of his friends at a bus stop.

- Student: “What time did the bus arrive?” - Friend: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

**A.** It’s 3 o’clock. **B.** Twenty minutes ago, I think.

**C.** For half an hour. **D.** It took twenty minutes.

**28.** Two friends, Sue and Amy, are talking to each other in a boutique.

- Sue: “Look at this hat. It’s only five euros.” - Amy: “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

**A.** How much is it? **B.** I’ve got the receipt. **C.** It’s a bargain. **D.** Is it expensive?

**29.** Some people go to shopping centres to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the heat or cold outside.

**A.** keep                 **B.** stop                  **C.** get                      **D.** avoid

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

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| **ARE YOU READY TO BECOME AN INTERNATIONAL UN VOLUNTEER?**  \* The minimum age to serve as an international UN Volunteer is 18 years old.  \* You can contribute your time, skills and knowledge through volunteering with the UN. This is (30)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ opportunity to create a positive impact and be a (31)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ force for achieving peace and development. Make a difference to the lives of many!  \* The registration process follows a few simple steps, all of (32)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ before you can apply for onsite or online volunteering assignments.  \* In order to apply for assignments, candidates need to register in our Global Talent Pool. |

**30**. **A.** the **B.** an **C.** ϴ (no article) **D.** a

**31**. **A.** signification **B.** signify **C.** significant **D.** signicantly

**32**. **A.** them **B.** that **C.** these **D.** which

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

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| **ATTENTION PASSENGERS**  Only one percent of all luggage is lost, but if the initial (33) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ search by the airline representative fails, the traveler should write down a description of the luggage and hand it in to the Customer Relations Office before (34) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the airport. If the luggage is still missing after several days, the traveler should file a claim form. Airlines are (35) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for damages up to $750. For luggage worth more than $750, "excess valuation protection" is available at rates of 10c per $100 of coverage. Maximum coverage is $25,000, and some policies exclude particularly valuable or breakable items. |

**33. A.** on-the-stage **B**. on-the-spot **C.** on-the-floor **D.** on-the-job

**34. A.** leaving **B.** complaining **C.** stopping **D.** dropping

**35.** **A.** able **B.** unreliable **C.** reliable **D**. liable

**IV. Find 05 errors in the following passage. Write the errors and write the correction in your paper. (5.0 points)**

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| Line  1  2  3  4  5  6 | Online classes are easily disrupted. Lack of a stable Internet connection and good gadgets can disrupted online classes. Without these two things, students cannot access their courses, which can affect their grades and performance. Unlike traditionally courses, these classes are dependent on factors such the student’s and the teacher’s Internet connections, the gadgets being used, and the environment where the classes are held. With so many factor affecting the classes' quality, many students would say that traditional learning are better than online learning. |

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|  | **Line** | **Error** | **Correction** |
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**V. Give the correct form of the words in brackets. (5.0 points)**

**41.** The weather has been so **(CHANGE)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ today that I don’t know what to wear.

**42.** Jack got in a lot of trouble for **(PERSIST)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ breaking school rules.

**43.** I feel a lot better since I decided to stop eating **(PROCESS)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ food.

**44.** We need to rely more on wave power, wind power and other (**NEW**) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sources of energy.

**45.** I’m scanning my grandmother’s photos onto my computer because they’d be (**PLACE**) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ if anything happened to them.

**C. READING:**

**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. ( 5.0 points)**

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| **A.** and this is what is happening to today’s world especially the young generation  **B.** it just depends on how the person uses the electronic gadget  **C.** technology plays a key role in making the environment sustainable  **D.** They use electronic devices such as phones, laptops, iPods, tablets, computers  **E.** there was a development of weapons which is a threat to the society  **F.** technology will also help make the planet a better place  **G.** it has resulted in negative effects on people’s life and their mental health |

Technology has attracted the attention of many people in the world especially the young generation and this has affected their lifestyle. **(46)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and many others. Electronic devices are so addictive that people would rather use them for enjoyment than their necessity. Due to this addictiveness, **(47)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Technology has both negative and positive impacts on people’s lives; **(48)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Technology has made it easier to access information which is very helpful for businesses or even a student. But not all technology was made for positive purposes as due to technology, **(49)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

We can say that addiction refers to a situation when you like a particular thing so much that you lose control over your mind, **(50)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. They became so addicted to the technology gadgets that all they think about is that it has control over their mind. They spend most of their time on electronic devices that they don’t even realise.

*Adapted from:* [*https://www.eslprintables.com/*](https://www.eslprintables.com/)

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

**FROM SCHOOLBOY CLOWN**

Gareth Ellis is the youngest of Alan and Kath’s sons. His two brothers have already their parents’s home. **(51)**\_\_\_\_\_\_ he is only twelve, Garethis sure that he will be a clown. When Gareth was three, his parents **(52)**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ him to see Zippo’s circus and he **(53)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ remembers that visit today. All Gareth **(54)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for as a birthday present was to go back Zippo’s, his father **(55)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Then, in 1996, Alan **(56)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his job, so, together with Kath, they decided to try and find full-time jobs in a circus **(57)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Gareth would have a chance to learn clown skills. **(58)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of them got jobs with the Moscow State Cicus. Alan **(59)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a lights operator and Kath was in the box office. After two years there, the director of Zippo’s offered them jobs and training for Gareth. One day Gareth **(60)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to be the best clown in the world.

**51.**  **A.** However **B.** Although **C.** Even **D.** So

**52.** **A.** went **B.** travelled **C.** carried **D.** took

**53.**  **A.** since **B.** already **C.** still **D.** yet

**54.** **A.** demanded **B.** requested **C.** asked **D.** wanted

**55.** **A.** says **B.** speaks **C.** informs **D.** tells

**56.** **A.** missed **B.** lost **C.** gave **D.** threw

**57.** **A.** when **B.** where **C.** which **D.** who

**58.** **A.** Any **B.** Some **C.** Either **D.** Both

**59. A.** became **B.** turned **C.** worked **D.** applied

**60.** **A.** believes **B.** hopes **C.** thinks **D.** dreams

**III. Read the following passage and choose the best answer to each question. (10 points)**

**PANDEMIC DISEASES**

Diseases are a natural part of life on earth. If there were no diseases, the population would grow too quickly, and there would not be enough food or other resources, so in a way, diseases are natural ways of keeping the Earth in balance. But sometimes they spread very quickly and kill large numbers of people. For example, in 1918, an outbreak of the flu across the world, killing over 25 million people only in six months. Such terrible outbreaks of a diseases are called **pandemics**.

Pandemics happen when a disease changes in a way that our bodies are not prepared to fight. In 1918, a new type of flu virus appeared. Our bodies had no way to fight this new flu virus, and so **it** spread very quickly and killed large numbers of people. While there have been many different pandemic diseases throughout history, all of them have a new thing in common.

First, all pandemic diseases spread from one person to another very easily. Second, while they may kill many people, they generally do not kill people very quickly. A good example of this would be the Marburg virus. The Marburg virus is an extremely infectious disease. In addition, it is deadly. About 70%-80% of all people who get the Marburg virus died from the disease. However, the Marburg virus has not become a pandemics because most people die within three days of getting the disease. This means that the virus does not have enough time to spread a large number of people. The flu virus of 1918, on the other hand, generally took about a week to ten days to kill its victims, so it had more time to spread.

While we may never be able to completely stop pandemics, we can m[ake them less common. Doctors](https://www.sachmoi24h.com/) carefully **monitor** new disease that they fear could become pandemics. For exampl[e, in 2002, and 2003,](https://www.sachmoi24h.com/) doctors carefully watched SARS. Their health warming may have prevented SA[RS from becoming a](https://www.sachmoi24h.com/) pandemic.

**61.** The main subject of the passage is about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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| **A.** how to prevent pandemic diseases |  | **B.** pandemic diseases |
| **C.** pandemic diseases throughout history |  | **D.** why pandemics happen |

**62.** According to paragraph 1, how are diseases a natural part of life on Earth?

**A.** The help control the population. **B.** They prevent pandemics.

**C.** They led the world grow quickly. **D.** They kill too many people.

**63.** Based on the information in the passage the term **"pandemics"** can be explained as .

**A.** diseases with no cure **B.** diseases that spread quickly and kill large number of people

**C.** a deadly kind of flu **D.** new disease like SARS or the Marburg virus

**64.** According to the passage, what cause pandemics?

**A.** Changes in a diseases that the body cannot fight.

**B.** Careless doctors who do not watch the spread of diseases.

**C.** Population growth that the world cannot support.

**D.** The failure to make new medicines.

**65.** According to the passage, all of the following are true of the 1918 flu pandemic EXCEPT that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**A.** it involved a new kind of flu virus **B.** it involved a new kind of flu virus

**C.** it was the last pandemic in history **D.** it took a little over a week to kill its victims

**66.** The word "**it**" in the passage refers to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**A.** disease **B.** flu virus **C.** pandemics **D.** bodies

**67.** Which of the following is mentioned as a common feature of all pandemic diseases?

**A.** They spread from people to people very quickly. **B.** It kill many people very quickly.

**C.** They do not kill people very quickly. **D.** They kill all the victims.

**68.** According to paragraph 3, why hasn't Marburg virus become a pandemic?

**A.** It is not a deadly diseases. **B.** It does not spread from person to person easily.

**C.** It kills people too quickly. **D.** Doctors have prevented it from becoming a pandemic.

**69.** The word **"monitor"** in the passage is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**A.** prevent **B.** fight **C.** avoid **D.** watch

**70.** The author mention SARS in order to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**A.** give an example of a highly dangerous disease

**B.** give an example of the successful prevention of a pandemic

**C.** suggest that SARS will never become a pandemic

**D.** suggest that there may be a new pandemic soon

**D. WRITING:**

**I. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means exactly the same as the sentence printed before. (5.0 points)**

**71.** Tony is very charming, but I wouldn’t trust him.

🖎 Charming ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

**72.** Johnathan regret not going to the airport to say goodbye to his uncle.

🖎 Johnathan wishes ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

**73.** The price of crude oil has risen sharply this year.

🖎 There has………………………….…………………….……………………………………………………………………………………

**74.** You wouldn’t find any more affectionate animal anywhere in the world.

🖎 No …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

**75.** Thanks to her uncle’s legacy of 15,000 dollars she was able to buy the house she wanted.

🖎 Had her …………………………………………………….…………………………………………………………………………………

**II. This is a part of a letter you received from an English friend, Amy. Write a letter in 100 – 120 words to answer this letter:**

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

**You should start your letter by:**

*Dear Amy,*

*………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….*

*Yours faithfully,*

*Do An Duc*

**III. Many people believe that family takes first place and is more important than things. Do you agree or disagree with the statement? Write a paragraph of about 150 - 170 words to support your opinion. (15 points)**

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| *Họ và tên thí sinh:……………………………………………………. Số báo danh:……………………*  *Họ và tên giám thị 1:…………………………………………………. Chữ ký:………………………….*  *Họ và tên giám thị 2:…………………………………………………. Chữ ký:………………………….* |