

Tiếng Anh 8 – i-LEARN SMART WORLD

MID-SEMESTER 1 TEST

I. PRONUNCIATION

A. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

1. A. cinemas B. games C. sports D. friends
2. A. chef B. church C. chair D. chore
3. A. Christmas B. stomach C. school D. choose

B. Choose the word that differs from the other three in the position of the main stress in each of the following questions.

4. A. entertainment B. transportation C. facility D. conversation

C. Choose the word whose primary stress is placed on the first syllable.

5. A. descriptive B. recipe C. supporting D. concluding

II. USE OF ENGLISH

Choose the best option (A, B, C or D) to complete each of the following questions.

6. We finished third in the tug _____ war competition last year.
A. from B. to C. in D. of
7. You should use _____ more to save the environment.
A. vehicles B. cars C. airplanes D. public transportation
8. Rock _____ is her favorite sport.
A. climbing B. fishing C. hanging D. chatting
9. Jess is not an active person, so she hates _____.
A. playing sports B. watching TV C. reading books D. doing arts and crafts
10. Duc Anh and his friends like to _____ board games in their free time, and he often wins.
A. do B. go C. play D. design
11. I'd like to live in the country because the air is so _____ there.
A. peaceful B. fresh C. exciting D. relaxing
12. There weren't _____ chairs in the room, so some of us had to stand.
A. much B. too much C. enough D. lots
13. They dislike watching a movie _____ because the movie theater is often too crowded.
A. on the weekend B. in the weekend C. in weekend mornings D. at weekend morning
14. Young people in Greenville _____ badminton at the park.
A. often play B. play often C. often playing D. playing often

15. People in the countryside prefer _____ the rice they grow in their fields.

- A. eats B. eat C. ate D. to eat

16. We won't leave the movie theater _____ the action movie ends.

- A. during B. until C. to D. from

17. Their flight to Da Lat _____ at 6.50 a.m. tomorrow.

- A. is leaving B. leave C. will leave D. leaves

III. WORD FORMATION

Write the correct form of the words in brackets.

18. Tiktok is a popular source of _____ among teenagers. (ENTERTAIN)

19. Ms. Trang keeps her rings and necklaces in a _____ box. (JEWEL)

20. Students should learn to protect the environment and save _____ resources. (NATURE)

IV. ERROR RECOGNITION

Find the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

21. When I was younger, I played usually spinning tops with my brother.

- A B C D

22. Do you want to play shuttlecock on the school yard tomorrow on around 5 p.m.?

- A B C D

V. READING

Read Emma's email. Write ONE suitable word in each numbered space.

Hi, how's it going? Do you still want to go roller skating on the weekend? Let me know.

Anyway, I'm writing you today because I have a new hobby! Now, you know that I already have lots of (23) _____. I love playing sports and doing things like cycling and karate. I also like (24) _____ things. I always get plastic models for my birthday of boats, planes, and so on. And last year, I made a robot for the science fair at school.

But I never wanted to do knitting. I love wool clothes, (25) _____ I never wanted to make them myself! Then I watched a program on TV last month about knitting, and it's a wonderful hobby! I asked my mother to teach me to knit, and now I can't stop knitting.

You can (26) _____ clothes for babies and younger members of your family really quickly and give them as presents. You can make sweaters, scarves, and gloves for yourself. And you can do the hobby while you are watching television!

Can you knit? If you can't, I can teach you. I'm sure you'll love (27) _____ it as much as I do!

VI. LISTENING

You will hear five people talking about living in the country. Match each speaker, 1 to 5, with one of the good things, A to F.

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| 28. Speaker 1 | _____ | A. peace and quiet |
| 29. Speaker 2 | _____ | B. wildlife |
| 30. Speaker 3 | _____ | C. wildflowers |
| 31. Speaker 4 | _____ | D. no traffic problems |
| 32. Speaker 5 | _____ | E. kind people |
| | | F. the sky at night |

VII. WRITING

A. Rewrite the following sentences without changing their meaning. Use the given word(s) if any.

33. Sewing is Hoa's favorite activity in her free time.

→ Hoa enjoys _____

34. When did you start to bake chocolate cookies? (AGO)

→ How long _____

35. Mr. Dat prefers going by motorbike to driving a car.

→ Mr. Dat prefers to _____

36. You can join the lantern parade at the festival. (TAKE)

→ _____

B. Use the given words or phrases to make complete sentences.

37. John / love / collect / old stamps.

→ _____

38. There / a lot / outdoor / activity / for / children / the countryside / .

→ _____

C. Put the words in the correct order to make correct sentences.

39. Let's / on/ 6.45 a.m./ at/ meet / Saturday morning / .

→ _____

40. There / too / people / in / are / this gym / many / .

→ _____