

**ĐỀ LUYỆN THI VÀO LỚP 10**  
**ĐỀ SỐ 7**  
**(THANH HÓA)**

**PART A: PHONETICS**

***I. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.***

**1.** A. loved                      B. changed                      C. checked                      D. caused

**2.** A. sculpture                      B. treatment                      C. pottery                      D. lantern

**3.** A. dependent                      B. democratic                      C. generation                      D. eccentric

***II. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.***

**4.** A. method                      B. result                      C. correct                      D. improve

**5.** A. conditional                      B. technology                      C. community                      D. education

## PART B: VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

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

**6.** She \_\_\_\_\_ regrets not taking the job offer.

- A. completely      B. deeply      C. fast      D. highly

**7.** He always \_\_\_\_\_ his best in everything he does.

- A. tries                  B. thinks                  C. makes                  D. gives

**8.** The test was \_\_\_\_\_ difficult, and many students failed.

- A. highly                  B. completely                  C. extremely                  D. strongly

**9.** The company held a \_\_\_\_\_ meeting to discuss the new policies.

- A. strong      B. heavy      C. deep      D. serious

10. \_\_\_\_\_ should be responsible for cleaning the office.

A. Somebody

B. Anybody

C. Everybody

D. Nobody

**IV. Supply the correct form of the words in capital.**

11. John is the most \_\_\_\_\_ person I know; he can strike up a conversation with anyone. (**SOCIETY**)

12. They finally \_\_\_\_\_ in persuading her to sign the contract. (**SUCCESS**)

13. Pay attention! The magician will \_\_\_\_\_ and reappear 10 seconds later. (**APPEARANCE**)

14. We are in need of three experienced English-Russian \_\_\_\_\_. (**TRANSLATE**)

15. I am \_\_\_\_\_ ignoring him because he brings me a lot of stress. (**INTENT**)

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

16. His performance was \_\_\_\_\_ than any of his previous shows, leaving the audience

speechless.

A. more better      B. much best      C. far better      D. most better

**17.** Good communication skills are essential \_\_\_\_\_ success in any profession.

A. in      B. over      C. out      **D. for**

**18.** The restaurant received rave reviews for its cuisine; \_\_\_\_\_, it became a popular dining spot.

A. moreover      B. however      C. nevertheless      **D. therefore**

**19.** The environmental club suggested \_\_\_\_\_ plastic waste from the beach to clean it up.

A. to collect      B. collect      C. collected      **D. collecting**

**20.** The city they visited on vacation \_\_\_\_\_ was full of historical landmarks.

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

**21.** Spanish is the \_\_\_\_\_ language of Mexico and many countries in Latin America.

- A. regional                      B. foreign                      **C. official**                      D. bilingual

**22.** Giving lucky money to the young at Tet is a common \_\_\_\_\_ in many Asian countries.

- A. practice**                      B. behaviour                      C. tradition                      D. habit

**23.** The woman asked the girls \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. why are they fighting then                      B. why were they fighting now
- C. why they were fighting now                      **D. why they were fighting then**

**24.** She bought \_\_\_\_\_ bread from the bakery yesterday.

- A. the                      B. a                      C. an                      **D. x**

**25.** My sister has lived in France since she was small so I only see her \_\_\_\_\_.

**A. once in a blue moon**

C. over the moon

B. out of the moon

D. on the moon

## **PART C. READING**

***VI. Read the following passage and choose the most suitable from the ones given on the box to fill in each gap.***

**together differently furthermore creativity celebrate**

Different cultures around the world have their own unique traditions that are passed down from generation to generation. These traditions change (26) \_\_\_\_\_ and are often deeply rooted in the history and values of each culture. For instance, in some cultures, there are special ceremonies and rituals to (27) \_\_\_\_\_ important life events like weddings, births or coming-of-age. These ceremonies can involve specific clothing, dances or symbolic gestures that hold significant meaning. Additionally, holidays and festivals are a significant part of many cultures, providing opportunities for people to come (28) \_\_\_\_\_ and celebrate their shared heritage. These celebrations often include traditional foods, music and customs that showcase the cultural identity of the community. (29) \_\_\_\_\_, traditional arts and crafts play an essential role in preserving cultural traditions. From pottery and weaving to painting and sculpture, these artistic expressions reflect the (30) \_\_\_\_\_ and craftsmanship of a particular culture.

***VII. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks.***

The USA is encouraging Americans to wear face masks. There has been a lot of talk about whether or not face masks are effective in helping slow down the (31) \_\_\_\_\_ of the COVID -19 coronavirus. The government is set to encourage Americans to use homemade face covering like cloth masks, bandanas and scarves. At first, the WHO and (32) \_\_\_\_\_ health organizations recommended that people (33) \_\_\_\_\_ were not sick didn't need to wear masks or cover their faces. (34) \_\_\_\_\_, it is now proved that face masks can work (35) \_\_\_\_\_. They point to countries like Singapore and South Korea, where people wear masks and reported infection rates are lower.

31. A. release      B. widening      C. lengthening      D. spread

32. A. some      B. any      C. a      D. much

33. A. which      B. where      C. why      D. who

34. A. Moreover      B. Although      C. However      D. Because

35. A. effect      B. effectively      C. effective      D. effects

**VIII. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.**

Living in the countryside is a calm and peaceful way of life, surrounded by nature's beauty. It's a place away from the busy city, where things are simpler and

more relaxing. In the countryside, people often know each other well and help one another. The scenery is lovely, with big fields, rolling hills and rivers that wind through the land. Breathing in the fresh air feels great and seeing colorful flowers and green fields is fascinating. Animals, like cows, chickens and horses, are a common sight in the countryside. Farming is important here, as people grow crops and raise animals for their livelihood. The countryside also offers enjoyable activities, such as walking along peaceful roads, fishing in nearby lakes or going for hikes in beautiful places. Community events and festivals bring people together, where they celebrate traditions, show off local crafts and enjoy tasty food. In dial way, countryside life is a peaceful and close-knit way of living, where nature's beauty and a sense of community are cherished.

**36.** Which of die following could be the best title for the passage?

- A. The Barriers of Living in Countryside
- B. The Peaceful Ways of Life in Cities
- C. The Ways for Helping Countryside People
- D. The Charms of Countryside Living

**37.** According to the passage, people in the countryside often \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. help one another
- B. need bigger fields



C. go to busy cities

D. know cities well

**38.** The word ***fascinating*** in the passage is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

A. surprising

B. interesting

C. tiring

D. shocking

**39.** The word ***they*** in the passage refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

A. festivals

B. events

C. people

D. places

**40.** According to the passage, which of the following is NOT mentioned as an enjoyable activity in the countryside?

A. Going for hikes

B. Fishing in nearby lakes

C. Raising animals

D. Walking along peaceful roads

## **PART E: WRITING**

***IX. Rewrite each of the following sentences beginning as shown, so that the meaning stay the same.***

**41.** You shouldn't open your window late at night.

→ Your window

**42.** Sam is not as hard-working as Holly.

→ Holly is

**43.** They haven't worked with him for ten months.

→ They last

**44.** The Government's policy has been strongly criticized recently.

→ The Government's policy has come

**45.** He is the only child in his family.

→ His mother gave

***X. Rewrite each of the following sentences using given words so that it keeps the same meaning. Do not change the form of the words given.***

**46.** John said: "How about collecting these waste things for recycling?"  
**(SUGGESTED)**

→ John

**47.** Although he was experienced, he could not get the job. **(OF)**

→ In

**48.** We last saw our cousin three months ago. **(NOT)**

→ We

**49.** I met a famous singer yesterday. **(WHOM)**

→ The singer

**50.** The performance was so impressive that we all stood up to clap our hands. **(AN)**

→ It