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ĐỀ KIỂM TRA GIỮA KỲ I
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KIỂM TRA GIỮA HỌC KỲ I
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Số báo danh: Lớp:

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Read the following leaflet and choose the best option A, B, C or D for each blank from 1 to 6.

YOUNG SONGWRITERS CAMP

Do you have a story you want to turn into a song? Join our Young Songwriters Camp. Our coach encourages students (1) _____ about people and places they know.

At the moment, one group (2) _____ a song about their home town. The other groups are trying different tunes. The coach lets everyone (3) _____ a short part, even if they are beginners.

We meet every morning, and each lesson (4) _____ with a listening game. Bring a notebook and a pencil. You can work alone (5) _____ with a friend. At the end, we hope to give a small (6) _____ for our families.

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| Question 1. | A. writing | B. writes | C. to write | D. wrote |
| Question 2. | A. write | B. is writing | C. are write | D. writing |
| Question 3. | A. to sing | B. singing | C. sang | D. sing |
| Question 4. | A. begins | B. begin | C. beginning | D. are beginning |
| Question 5. | A. or | B. but | C. so | D. because |
| Question 6. | A. performance | B. housework | C. pollution | D. laundry |

Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the best arrangement of sentences or utterances in each question from 7 to 11.

Question 7.

Dear Khoa,

- a. After practising, we will perform our song for the families.
- b. I'm writing to invite you to our songwriting camp.
- c. Please tell me by Monday if you can join.
- d. First, we will write a few lines about our home town.
- e. Then our coach will help us add a simple tune.

Best wishes,

Huy

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| A. d – b – a – c – e | B. b – a – c – e – d | C. c – b – e – d – a | D. b – d – e – a – c |
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Question 8.

- a. Mai: I'm putting these food scraps in the right bin.
- b. Lan: What are you doing beside the canteen?
- c. Lan: Good. They can be used to make compost.

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| A. a – b – c | B. b – c – a | C. b – a – c | D. c – a – b |
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Question 9.

- a. Mai: All right. I'll carry those small boxes first.
- b. Mai: Do you need help moving these boxes?
- c. Mai: All right. Which ones should we carry first?
- d. Nam: Yes, please. Some of them are quite heavy.
- e. Nam: The small ones with kitchen things inside.

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| A. b – c – a – d – e | B. d – b – e – a – c | C. c – e – b – d – a | D. b – d – c – e – a |
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Question 10.

- a. Finally, the staff weighed the food left in each bin.
- b. First, students chose a small or a large bowl of rice.
- c. Our school canteen tried a plan to reduce food waste.
- d. The smaller bowls meant that fewer students left rice uneaten.
- e. The results showed that the plan was useful.

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Question 11.

- a. When she finished, the audience asked for another song.
- b. First, the host invited a young singer onto the stage.
- c. My family watched an open-mic show at the community hall.
- d. Then she sang a song that she had written herself.
- e. We were impressed by her clear voice.

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Read the following passage and choose the best option A, B, C or D for each blank from 12 to 16.

Our family is moving to a new flat next Saturday. We have already packed most of our things. We are going (12) _____ with a van in the morning. Everyone has a job.

My parents are checking the furniture while (13) _____. We put a label on each box so that we can find things easily. My sister wants (14) _____ first because she needs her desk for homework.

One box is too heavy for her. I say, “(15) _____.” Our father reminds us to carry things safely. Moving is a lot of work, but (16) _____.

Question 12.

- A. taking the boxes there
- B. took the boxes there
- C. takes the boxes there
- D. to take the boxes there

Question 13.

- A. my sister and I is packing our books
- B. my sister and I packs our books
- C. my sister and I are packing our books
- D. my sister and I packing our books

Question 14.

- A. arranging her room
- B. arranged her room
- C. arranges her room
- D. to arrange her room

Question 15.

- A. I will carry it with you
- B. I carried it last month
- C. I carry it every winter
- D. I was carrying it yesterday

Question 16.

- A. sharing the jobs makes it easier
- B. one person must do every job alone
- C. the labels stop us finding our things
- D. we should leave all the books outside

Read the passage and choose the best answer A, B, C or D for each question from 17 to 26.

The canteen at Duy's school serves lunch to many students. The staff noticed that a lot of rice was left on plates. They wanted to reduce this waste, so they asked students for ideas.

Duy suggested offering two bowl sizes. Students who wanted less rice could choose a small bowl. Those who were still hungry could ask for more later. The staff tried it for one week.

At the end of each lunch, the staff weighed the rice in the waste bin. The bin was not as full as before. Students threw away less rice during the trial week. Duy helped write the results on a board near the door.

The school decided to keep both bowl sizes. A teacher said that taking only the food we need is a simple green habit. Duy was pleased that the staff listened to students. Now his class is thinking of ways to waste less bread, too.

Question 17. Which action is NOT mentioned in the canteen project?

- A. buying new kitchen chairs
- B. weighing wasted rice
- C. choosing a bowl size
- D. writing results on a board

Question 18. The word **reduce** in paragraph 1 is **CLOSEST** in meaning to _____.

- A. make louder in sound
- B. make smaller in amount
- C. turn into a song
- D. keep exactly the same

Question 19. The word **it** in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. the lunch plates
- B. the school doors
- C. the waste bins
- D. the plan with two bowl sizes

Question 20. The word **full** in paragraph 3 is **OPPOSITE** in meaning to _____.

- A. new
- B. wide
- C. empty
- D. clean

Question 21. Which statement is **TRUE** about the new lunch plan?

- A. Every student must choose a large bowl.
- B. Students can ask for more rice if they need it.
- C. The staff refused to hear student ideas.
- D. The school stopped serving rice completely.

Question 22. Which sentence best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 3?

- A. Students wasted more rice than before.
- B. The canteen did not open during the test.
- C. The staff threw all the rice away before lunch.
- D. Less rice went into the bin during the test.

Question 23. In which paragraph does Duy suggest a change?

- A. Paragraph 1
- B. Paragraph 3
- C. Paragraph 2
- D. Paragraph 4

Question 24. In which paragraph are the results measured and displayed?

- A. Paragraph 1
- B. Paragraph 3
- C. Paragraph 2
- D. Paragraph 4

Question 25. How long did the staff first try Duy's idea?

- A. one day
- B. two months
- C. one week
- D. one year

Question 26. What is the main message of the passage?

- A. Choosing the right portion can reduce food waste.
- B. All students must stop eating lunch at school.
- C. Bigger bowls always make less waste.
- D. The school wants to buy more food bins only.

Read the following advertisement and choose the best option A, B, C or D for each blank from 27 to 32.

OPEN MIC FOR BEGINNERS

Do you want to sing in front of a friendly audience? Our open-mic evening gives new (27) _____ a chance to perform. You can sing alone or with a partner.

We would like (28) _____ your name and song title before Thursday. Our teacher will help you (29) _____ the microphone. You do not need to bring any sound equipment.

The show starts at six, (30) _____ performers should arrive at five thirty. All songs must be suitable for families. Please come and give our young singers a warm (31) _____. We think you (32) _____ enjoy the evening!

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| Question 27. | A. sing | B. singers | C. singing | D. sings |
| Question 28. | A. knowing | B. knew | C. to know | D. knows |
| Question 29. | A. using | B. used | C. uses | D. use |
| Question 30. | A. but | B. so | C. or | D. although |
| Question 31. | A. laundry | B. rubbish | C. welcome | D. homework |
| Question 32. | A. are | B. will | C. did | D. have |

Read the passage and choose the best answer A, B, C or D for each question from 33 to 40.

Minh's family is painting his bedroom this weekend. They usually do small home projects together. His father has already bought the paint. His mother has made a list of the jobs, and Minh is ready to help.

Before they begin, they move the furniture away from the walls. The desk is heavy, so Minh and his father carry it together. His sister covers the floor with old newspapers. Their mother checks that the windows are open.

Minh wants to paint a whole wall by himself, but his father gives him a small brush first. He lets Minh practise on a small area before painting more. Minh listens and works slowly.

At the end of the day, the family cleans the brushes and puts the furniture back. Minh is tired but happy. He says that doing a project together is more fun than watching someone else work. His sister wants to help paint her room next time.

Question 33. What does paragraph 1 mainly introduce?

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| A. a family's plan to paint a bedroom | B. how Minh buys a new house |
| C. why Minh wants to leave his family | D. a school project about newspaper printing |

Question 34. The word **it** in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

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| A. the desk | B. the paint | C. the floor | D. the list |
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Question 35. Which sentence best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 3?

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| A. Minh's father forbids him to paint anything. | B. Minh tries a little painting before a larger part. |
| C. Minh paints every wall before practising. | D. Minh leaves all the work to his sister. |

Question 36. The word **heavy** in paragraph 2 is **OPPOSITE** in meaning to _____.

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| A. large | B. old | C. soft | D. light |
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Question 37. The word **usually** in paragraph 1 is **CLOSEST** in meaning to _____.

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| A. most of the time | B. only once | C. never again | D. right now |
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Question 38. Which of the following is **NOT TRUE** about the painting day?

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| A. Minh's father has bought paint. | B. Old newspapers protect the floor. |
| C. Minh's sister carries the desk alone. | D. The family cleans the brushes afterwards. |

Question 39. In which paragraph does Minh begin learning a new skill?

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| A. Paragraph 1 | B. Paragraph 3 | C. Paragraph 2 | D. Paragraph 4 |
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Question 40. In which paragraph does the family clean up after the project?

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| A. Paragraph 1 | B. Paragraph 4 | C. Paragraph 2 | D. Paragraph 3 |
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