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| HỘI CÁC TRƯỜNG THPT CHUYÊN  VÙNG DH&ĐB BẮC BỘ  Description: LOGO CUA HOI DHBB  *(HDC gồm 8 trang)* | **KỲ THI CHỌN HỌC SINH GIỎI**  **LẦN THỨ XIV, NĂM 2023**  **HƯỚNG DẪN CHẤM MÔN: TIẾNG ANH - LỚP 10** |

**SECTION A: LISTENING (50 points)**

**50 points (2 points/ correct answer)**

***Part 1. 10 points (2 points/ correct answer)***

***( Nguồn:*** *Chuyên Hạ Long****)***

***Answers:***

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| **1.** bathroom | **2.** fridge | **3.** shirts | **4.** windows | **5.** balcony |

***Part 2. 10 points (2 points/ correct answer)***

***( Nguồn:*** *Chuyên Quốc Học - Huế* ***)***

***Answers:***

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| 6. F | 7.F | 8.T | 9.F | 10.T |

**Part 3. *10 points (2 points/ correct answer)***

***( Nguồn:*** *THPH Chu Văn An- Hà Nội****)***

***Answers:***

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| 11. A | 12. D | 13. C | 14. A | 15. B |

***Part 4. 20 points (2 points/ correct answer)***

***( Nguồn:*** *Chuyên Lào Cai****)***

***Answers:***

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| 16. a roaring start | 17. techno-tainment |
| 18. gobble up | 19. increased regulatory scrutiny |
| 20. managing post-acquisition integration | 21. offset the risks |
| 22. the regulatory framework | 23. carve out |
| 24. key issues | 25. pre-deal challenges |

**SECTION B: LEXICO- GRAMMAR (40 points)**

**40 points (1 point/ correct answer)**

***Part 1. 20 points (1 point/ correct answer)***

***Answers:***

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| 26. D | 27. A | 28. D | 29. C | 30. C |
| 31. C | 32. C | 33. B | 34. A | 35. B |
| 36. B | 37. D | 38. D | 39. C | 40. C |
| 41. D | 42. D | 43. C | 44. B | 45. A |

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| ***Câu*** | ***Nguồn*** |
| 26 | Chuyên Hưng Yên |
| 27 | Chuyên Lam Sơn-Thanh Hóa |
| 28 | Chuyên Vĩnh Phúc |
| 29 | THPT Khoa Học Giáo Dục |
| 30 | Chuyên Hùng Vương-Phú Thọ |
| 31 | Chuyên Tuyên Quang |
| 32 | Chuyên Nguyễn Tất Thành-Yên Bái |
| 33 | Chuyên Nguyễn Bỉnh Khiêm-Quảng Nam |
| 34 | Chuyên Nguyễn Chí Thanh-Đắk Nông |
| 35 | Chuyên Bắc Ninh |
| 36 | THPT Khoa Học Giáo Dục |
| 37 | Chuyên Lê Quý Đôn-Đà Nẵng |
| 38 | Chuyên Trần Phú-Hải Phòng |
| 39 | Chuyên Lam Sơn-Thanh Hóa |
| 40 | Chuyên Biên Hòa-Hà Nam |
| 41 | Chuyên Ngoại Ngữ ĐHQG-Hà Nội |
| 42 | Chuyên Nguyễn Bỉnh Khiêm-Quảng Nam |
| 43 | Chuyên Lê Thánh Tông-Quảng Nam |
| 44 | Chuyên Bắc Ninh |
| 45 | Chuyên Sơn La |

***Part 2. 10 points (1 point/ correct answer)***

***Answers:***

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| 46. Intergenerational/ multigenerational | 47. sidestepped |
| 48. assimilated | 49. inconclusive |
| 50. incorrigible | 51. lawful |
| 52. unaccustomed | 53. disciplinarian |
| 54. impressionable | 55. amateurishly |

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| ***Câu*** | ***Nguồn*** |
| 46 | Chuyên Hùng Vương – Bình Dương |
| 47 | Chuyên Vĩnh Phúc |
| 48 | Chuyên Hạ Long |
| 49 | Chuyên Cao Bằng |
| 50 | Chuyên Nguyễn Tất Thành- Yên Bái |
| 51 | Chuyên Sơn La |
| 52 | THPT Khoa Học Giáo Dục |
| 53 | Chuyên Biên Hòa- Hà Nam |
| 54 | Chuyên Hòa Bình |
| 55 | Chuyên Lê Khiết-Quảng Ngãi |

***Part 3. 10 points (1 point/ correct answer)***

***Answers:***

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| 56. up | 57. over | 58. up | 59. at | 60. onto |
| 61. down | 62. out | 63. into | 64. of | 65. into |

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| ***Câu*** | ***Nguồn*** |
| 56 | Chuyên Trần Phú-Hải Phòng |
| 57 | Chuyên Lê Quý Đông-Đà Nẵng |
| 58 | Chuyên Lương Văn Tụy-Ninh Bình |
| 59 | Chuyên Ngoại Ngữ ĐHQG-Hà Nội |
| 60 | Chuyên Lam Sơn-Thanh Hóa |
| 61 | Chuyên Nguyễn Trãi-Hải Dương |
| 62 | Chuyên Hùng Vương-Phú Thọ |
| 63 | Chuyên Lê Quý Đôn-Bình Định |
| 64 | Chuyên Nguyễn Chí Thanh-Đắk Nông |
| 65 | Chuyên Nguyễn Bỉnh Khiêm-Quảng Nam |

**SECTION C: READING (60 points)**

**60 points (1.5 points/ correct answer)**

***Part 1. 15 points (1.5 points/ correct answer)***

***(Nguồn:*** *Chuyên**Lê Quý Đông- Đà Nẵng****)***

***Answers:***

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| 66.B | 67.C | 68.A | 69.D | 70.B | 71.C | 72.D | 73.C | 74.D | 75.A |

***Part 2. 15 points (1.5 points/ correct answer)***

***(Nguồn:*** *Chuyên**Lê Quý Đôn- Quảng Trị****)***

***Answers:***

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| 76. which | 77.out | 78. other | 79. alive | 80.worth |
| 81. public | 82. having | 83. Given | 84. as/though | 85. unless |

***Part 3. 15 points (1.5 points/ correct answer)***

***(Nguồn:*** *Chuyên**Hoàng Lê Kha****)***

***Answers:***

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| 86.C | 87.B | 88.D | 89.A | 90.D |
| 91.C6. | 92.A | 93.D | 94.B | 95.B |

***Part 4. 15 points (1.5 points/ correct answer)***

***(Nguồn:*** *Chuyên**Thái Bình****)***

***Answers:***

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| 96. NG | 97.F | 98.T | 99.T | 100. II |
| 100.VI | 102.VIII | 103.V | 104.IV | 105.I |

**D. WRITING (50 points)**

***Part 1. (20 points)***

***(Nguồn:*** *Chuyên Nguyễn Trãi-Hải Dương* ***)***

Contents (10 points)

*The report MUST cover the following points:*

- Introduce the bar chart (*2 points*) and state the striking features (*2 points*)

+ female teachers dominated in nursery, primary and secondary schools

+ male teachers dominated in private training institutes and universities reversed.

+ equal rates in colleges

- Describe main features with relevant data from the charts and make relevant comparisons (*6 points*)

Language use (10 points)

*The report:*

- should demonstrate a wide variety of lexical and grammatical structures

- should have correct use of words (verb tenses, word forms, voice...) and mechanics (spelling, punctuations,)

**Part 2: *(30 points)***

These days, many students or teenagers rely on AI-powered tools for study or work, which loses their creativity and autonomy. To what extent, do you agree or disagree with this statement?

**Write an essay of about 250 words to answer the above question. Give reasons and include any relevant examples to support your answer.**

***(Nguồn:*** *Chuyên**Lê Thánh Tông-Quảng Nam****)***

*The mark given to part 3 is based on the following criteria:*

**1. Organization (5 points)**

a. Ideas are well organized and presented with coherence, cohesion and unity.

b. The essay is well-structured:

\* Introduction is presented with clear thesis statement.

\* Body paragraph are written with unity, coherence and cohesion.

Each body paragraph must have a topic sentence and supporting details and examples when  
necessary.

\* Conclusion summarizes the main points and offers personal opinions (prediction,  
recommendation, consideration ...) on the issue.

**2. Content (15 points)**

a. All requirements of the task are sufficiently addressed.

b. Ideas are adequately supported and elaborated with relevant and reliable explanations,  
examples, evidence....

**3. Language use (10 points)**

a. Demonstration of a variety of topic-related vocabulary.

b. Excellent use and control of grammatical structures (verb tenses, word forms, voice...) and mechanics (spelling, punctuations...)

**TAPESCRIPTS**

**PART 1**

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| **Jacinta** | Hello, Easy Life Cleaning Services, Jacinta speaking. |
| **Client** | Oh hello. I’m looking for a cleaning service for my apartment – do you do domestic cleaning? |
| **Jacinta** | Sure. |
| **Client** | Well, just a one-bedroom flat. Do you have a basic leaning package? |
| **Jacinta** | Yes. For a one-bedroom flat we’re probably looking at about two hours for a clean. So we’d do a thorough clean of all surfaces in each room, and polish them where necessary. Does your apartment have carpets? |
| **Client** | No, I don’t have any, but the **floor would need cleaning. (1)** |
| **Jacinta** | Of course – we’d do that in every room.And we’d do a thorough clean of the kitchen and bathroom. |
| **Client** | OK. |
| **Jacinta** | Then we have some additional services which you can request if you want – so for example, we can clean your oven for you every week. |
| **Client** | Actually, I hardly ever use that, but **can you do the fridge? (2)** |
| **Jacinta** | Sure. Would you like that done every week? |
| **Client** | Yes, definitely. And would ironing clothes be an additional service you can do? |
| **Jacinta** | Yes, of course. |
| **Client** | It wouldn’t be much, **just my shirts for work that week. (3)** |
| **Jacinta** | That’s fine. And we could also clean your microwave if you want. |
| **Client** | No, I wipe that out pretty regularly so there’s no need for that. |
| **Jacinta** | We also offer additional services that you might want a bit less often, say every month. So for example, if **the inside of your windows need cleaning** **(4)**, we could do that. |
| **Client** | Yes, that’s be good. I’m on the fifteenth floor, so the outside gets done regularly by specialists, but the inside does get a bit grubby. |
| **Jacinta** | And we could arrange for your curtains to get cleaned if necessary. |
| **Client** | No, they’re OK. But **would you be able to do something about the balcony? (5)** It’s quite small and I don’t use it much, but it could do with a wash every month or so. |
| **Jacinta** | Yes, we can get the pressure washer onto that. |

***Part 2.*** [Dan Kwartler: What causes insomnia? | TED Talk](https://www.ted.com/talks/dan_kwartler_what_causes_insomnia?language=en)

What keeps you up at night? Pondering deep questions? Excitement about a big trip? Or is it stress about unfinished work, an upcoming test, or a dreaded family gathering? For many people, this stress is temporary, as its cause is quickly resolved. But what if the very thing keeping you awake was stress about losing sleep? This seemingly unsolvable loop is at the heart of insomnia, the world’s most common sleep disorder.

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Almost anything can cause the occasional restless night - a snoring partner, physical pain, or emotional distress. And **(6)** **extreme sleep deprivation like jetlag can throw off your biological clock**, wreaking havoc on your sleep schedule. But **(7) in most cases, sleep deprivation is short-term**. Eventually, exhaustion catches up with all of us.

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However, **(8) some long-term conditions like respiratory disorders, gastrointestinal problems, and many others can overpower fatigue**. And as sleepless nights pile up, the bedroom can start to carry associations of restless nights wracked with anxiety. **(9) Come bedtime, insomniacs are stressed**. **(10) So stressed their brains hijack the stress response system, flooding the body with fight-flight-or-freeze chemicals. Cortisol and adrenocorticotropic hormones course through the bloodstream, increasing heart rate** and blood pressure, and jolting the body into hyperarousal. In this condition, the brain is hunting for potential threats, making it impossible to ignore any slight discomfort or nighttime noise.

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And when insomniacs finally do fall asleep, the quality of their rest is compromised. Our brain’s primary source of energy is cerebral glucose, and in healthy sleep, our metabolism slows to conserve this glucose for waking hours. But PET studies show the adrenaline that prevents sleep for insomniacs also speeds up their metabolisms. While they sleep, their bodies are working overtime, burning through the brain’s supply of energy-giving glucose. This symptom of poor sleep leaves insomniacs waking in a state of exhaustion, confusion, and stress, which starts the process all over again.

**Part 3:**

**Interviewer:** Today, I'm interviewing Claire MacBride and Shaun Kale, who both recently ran a marathon for the first time. Claire, what made you train for the marathon?

**Woman:** I decided to have a stab at it as a way of raising money for charity. I wasn't the sporty type who typically runs distances of 42 kilometres! The very idea made me shudder. When I've heard people making resolutions to turn over a new leaf at new year, I've always been skeptical, so I assumed my resolve would wear off once I began training. I can't quite work out how I became that annoying person who'd arrive at work glowing with satisfaction at having run ten kilometres to work. I relished those runs and when I got into conversations with colleagues about nightmare commutes, I'd shrug my shoulders and say: "I'm so glad I run to work!"

**Interviewer:** Shaun, how was your marathon preparation? Did things go right for you?

**Man:** Well, I'd always been an enthusiastic athlete and believed anyone with grit and enough preparation could do the marathon, but it was obvious I needed to have a clearly thought out training strategy. I already had a fair base fitness level, so I set out to bank some big distances early on. But I became conscious I'd underestimated the mental struggle. I'd failed to grasp how critical it was to find ways to spur myself on-to reach the number of kilometres that go into building up the necessary endurance without giving up. If I'd factored in ways to get over my resistance in the early stages, I'd have tackled the challenge more effectively.

**Interviewer:** How did it feel getting up to train on winter mornings?

**Woman:** Friends told me 'It'll be so lonely and miserable'. I know there are visualisation techniques to conquer negative feelings, you picture yourself racing along ahead of the pack, any image that'll induce you to get up and out. But then you confront the reality of heading out through the park in the darkness of a January dawn: there's hardly another runner to be seen. It's amazing what you find to focus on: the cooing of pigeons, the rustling of leaves, the crunch of trainers on gravel. Focusing on insignificant things enabled me to endure the monotony and the icy winds.

**Interviewer:** Was your running speed in the marathon a concern, Shaun?

**Man:** During my training I tried some half- marathons. Using my time for them, I tried to calculate my speed across the full distance using software. Of course, it's double the distance, stamina, everything, but the claim is that your performance on the marathon can be predicted based on other times and distances you've run, assuming you make it to the end. Obviously, the fitter you are the more you can hold on to your pace for longer. Using apps got me into the whole process of establishing targets. Within any gadget- based prediction there's leeway of course. It couldn't take into account anything that happened on race day, or how I'd trained.

**Interviewer:** So, how was the experience on the day?

**Man:** Running a marathon's a huge undertaking. Uplifting isn't the word. The weather was dreadful, but a massive crowd turned out, and the applause ringing out on all sides was overwhelming. But there was also the hassle of locating my loyal friends and family. Despite agreeing a spot at the end of the route, exasperatingly, when I passed the finish line they were nowhere to be seen among the endless spectators

**Woman:** For me, it took time to sink in that I'd made it. During the race I wondered if my body might let me down, my legs were like lead, and before the finish I tumbled, which wasn't how I'd envisioned things. Somehow, I dragged myself up and staggered over the line, only to collapse in a heap, oblivious to the cheering and clapping. I gather people came to my rescue. I don't think anyone who hasn't tried it can fully appreciate what it feels like to achieve a goal like that.

**Interviewer:** Well, congratulations...

**Part 4:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8B5hR07xsEo>

M&A in the video gaming sector got  off to a roaring start this year, with $85.4 billion worth of acquisitions  announced in January alone, surpassing a record $85 billion for all of 2021. In recent years we have seen companies in the gaming sectors transforming the business models by expanding into different areas of so-called techno-tainment. We see convergence of PC and consoles; we see convergence of contents like films, music, and games. No wonder companies from all sides of the market  are rushing to gobble up these opportunities. At stakes, access to new intellectual property, diversified platforms, and a huge, global audience. But as ever, fresh opportunities present fresh challenges. There's increased regulatory scrutiny. There's an overall increase in regulations in the gaming industry, which makes it a bit difficult to keep up at times with the developments. There's the challenge of growing sustainably just by managing post-acquisition integration. Those increased and evolving regulations now cover areas such as antitrust, foreign investment screening and most critically, data protection.

We increasingly find that that's a focus of a  lot of the regulators when they examine deals.

Would this actually turn entertainment  games companies into media companies? Will it turn them into an opinion-building  platform? What kind of data is collected? Is it transferred out of the  jurisdiction? How is that data used?

As such, we see some regulators will  apply new definitions to companies that are in the gaming sector. To offset the risks, dealmakers need to understand the legal issues specific to the industry, plan  early, and monitor changes to local laws. Companies before they embark on a M&A deal,  they must consult and work with the advisors to map out the regulatory framework that  would be relevant for the transaction. In some cases, where appropriate, they may need  to even consider upfront whether it is necessary to carve out certain assets, businesses. That strategy has helped Embracer Group snap up more than 60 companies in the last  two years, with more in the pipeline.

We've been able to move quickly, maybe  more so than some of our competitors. And we've engaged early with advisors  to understand and be able to zoom in on the key issues of the deal. Sellers really want deal certainty and as little conditionality as possible. So it's important to try to figure out the clear path to closing the deal at an early stage. Aside from pre-deal challenges, acquirers must also consider post-deal risks and  that includes ensuring the target company has the right values and culture  across all aspects of ESG standards.

**Total: 200 points : 10 = 20 points**

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