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ĐỀ THI GỒM 35 CÂU TRẮC NGHIỆM + 15 CÂU TỰ LUẬN

Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

1. I(A) have started doing my homework (B) when I got home from school, but I stopped (C) to watch my favourite (D) music show.
2. I (A) have found a lot of (B) informations (C) about the history (D) of English language teaching recently.

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

3. A. college B. degree C. language D. subject
4. A. analytical B. opportunity C. qualification D. university

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

5. A. appreciate B. psychology C. programme D. respectively
6. A. academic B. apply C. apology D. achieve

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

University Entrance Examination is very important to Vietnamese students. High school graduates have to take it and get high results to be admitted to universities. The pressure on the candidates remains very high despite the measures that have been taken to reduce the heat around these exams, since securing a place in a state university is considered a major step towards a successful career for young people, especially *those* from rural areas or disadvantaged families. In the year 2004, it was estimated that nearly 1 million Vietnamese students took the University Entrance Examination, but on average only 1 out of 5 candidates succeeded. Normally, candidates take 3 exam subjects, and each lasts; 180 minutes for the fixed group of subjects they choose. There are 4 fixed groups of subjects: Group A: Mathematics, Physics, and Chemistry; Group B: Mathematics, Biology, and Chemistry; Group C: Literature, History, and Geography; Group D: Literature, Foreign Language, and Mathematics.

In addition to universities, there are community colleges, art and technology institutes; professional secondary schools, and vocational schools which offer degrees or certificates from a-few-month to 2-year courses.

According to Vietnam's Ministry of Education and Training, there are currently 23 non-public universities, accounting for 11% of the total number of universities. These non-public universities are currently training 119,464 students, or 11.7% of the total number of students. The government is planning to increase the number of non-public universities to 30% by 2007.

7. University Entrance Examination in Vietnam is very _____.
A. interesting B. stressful C. free D. easy
8. The word *those* refers to _____.

- A. exam subjects B. young people C. universities D. examinations
9. In 2004, the proportion of the students who got success in University Entrance Examination was about ___ percent.
A. 5 B. 10 C. 20 D. 50
10. Which sentence refers to the University Entrance Examination in Vietnam?
A. Students find it easy to get success in the University Entrance Examination.
B. Math is compulsory in the University Entrance Examination.
C. Students are not allowed to choose their exam subjects.
D. There are four fixed groups of exam subjects for students to choose.
11. According to the passage, _____.
A. the Vietnamese government will close all non-public universities by next year.
B. the Vietnamese government does not appreciate non-public universities
C. the Vietnamese government encourages the establishing of non-public universities.
D. Vietnamese students have no alternative to continue their higher study besides universities.

Give the correct form of the words in brackets

12. Students also have the opportunity to choose from a wide range of _____ courses in the university. **(OPTION)**
13. Mr. Pike provided us with an _____ guide to the full-time and part-time programs on offer to a range of candidates drawn from schools and colleges. **(INFORM)**
14. Scientists are looking for ways to slow down the rate of greenhouse gas _____. **(EMIT)**
15. Parents can express a _____ for the school their child attends. **(PREFER)**
16. The lecture is about the _____ of world heritage sites. **(PRESERVE)**

Choose the best answers to complete the sentences

17. _____ for twelve hours, I felt marvelous.
A. Having slept B. have slept C. Having been slept D. have been slept
18. By the time their baby arrives, the Johnson hope _____ painting and decorating the new nursery.
A. having finished B. to have finished C. having been finished D. to have been finished
19. A _____ is an official document that you receive when you have completed a course of study or training.
A. vocation B. subject C. certificate D. grade
20. In many countries, prospective university students apply for _____ during their last year of high school.
A. achievement B. information C. course D. admission
21. There are two types of higher education in _____ UK: higher general education and higher vocational education.
A. a B. an C. the D. Ø
22. The examination results of the A-Levels determine if _____ student is good enough to go to _____ university or college.
A. Ø / the B. a / a C. the / an D. Ø / an
23. . The young woman _____ with the principal is our new teacher.
A. talking B. to talk C. having talked D. has been talking
24. Too many greenhouse gases in the atmosphere may block heat from escaping into space and trap too much heat next to the Earth's surface causing _____.
A. another ice age B. global warming C. earthquakes D. volcanic eruptions
25. It is a course _____ two years for those who want to work as a marketing agent.
A. of B. in C. for D. with
26. You can meet Mr. Pike, who is _____ behalf _____ the university to solve the problems of foreign students.

- A. on / of B. in / for C. with / at D. for / at
27. "What an imaginative essay you've written, Matt!" – "_____"
 A. That's the least I could do. B. Actually, I don't mind.
 C. Thanks, it's nice of you to say so. D. Sorry, just my luck!
28. _____ education normally provides education in colleges and universities
 A. Intermediate B. Primary C. Secondary D. Tertiary
29. I don't really _____ the point of taking the exam when you are not ready for it.
 A. annoy B. have C. see D. take
30. _____ to the party, we could hardly refuse to go.
 A. Having invited B. To have invited C. Having been invited D. To have been invited
31. Tom made a bad mistake at work, but his boss didn't fire him. He's lucky _____ a second chance.
 A. having given B. to have given C. having been given D. to have been given

Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

32. Farmers turned to bio-fertilisers after they had been told about the dangers of chemical fertilisers.
 A. trusted B. disbelieved C. counted on D. depended on
33. Some scientists are accused of not having reported the effects of climate change.
 A. exonerated B. blamed C. charged D. complained

Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence

34. Do you have any experience of driving this kind of car?
 Have you.....
35. Nancy hasn't come here since 1999
 The last time
36. "You didn't do what I said", the mother said to her son.
 The mother accused.....
37. "I'm sorry I didn't phone you earlier", Margaret said to you.
 Margaret apologized.....
38. 'Perhaps we can go to Paris for the weekend.'
 Neil suggested

Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

39. Forests absorb and capture carbon dioxide from the atmosphere.
 A. take up B. take in C. take over D. take to
40. Global warming results in climate change and extreme weather patterns.
 A. results from B. causes C. originates D. is due to

Choose the word or phrase A, B, C, or D that best fits each space in the following passage.

GLOBAL WARMING

Few people now question the reality of global warming and its effects on the world's climate. Many scientists put the blame for recent natural disasters on the increase (41)_____ the world's temperatures and are convinced that, more than ever before, the Earth is at risk from the forces of the wind, rain and sun. According to them, global warming is making extreme weather events, (42)_____ as hurricanes and droughts, even more severe and causing sea levels all around the world to rise.

Environmental groups are putting pressure on governments to take action to reduce the amount of carbon dioxide which is given off by factories and power plants, thus attacking the problem at its source. They are in (43)_____ of more money being spent on research into solar, wind and wave energy devices, which could then replace existing power stations.

Some scientists, (44)_____, believe that even if we stopped releasing carbon dioxide and other gases into the atmosphere tomorrow, we would have to wait (45)_____ hundred years to notice the results. Global warming, it seems, is to stay.

- 41: A. in B. by C. to D. at
42: A. such B. just C. well D. even
43: A. request B. belief C. suggestion D. favour
44: A. however B. but C. despite D. although
45: A. over B. several C. various D. numerous

Fill a suitable preposition in each blank

46. Depending on your nationality, you may be eligible _____ a loan or financial support _____ the UK government.
47. In some institutions, A-levels can also be awarded _____ combination _____ other qualifications, such as International Baccalaureate certificates.
48. Further and higher education colleges offer courses and qualifications _____ a wide range _____ vocational and academic subjects at many levels.
49. Tim has applied _____ the scholarship to study abroad in the USA _____ least twice.
50. Noah Webster published an American Dictionary of the English Language _____ two volumes in 1828, and since then it has become the recognised authority _____ usage in the United States.

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Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

1. With (A) clear evidence, his company couldn't (B) deny having (C) dump a large quantity of toxins (D) into the sea.
2. (A) Having denied the (B) responsibility for the (C) environmental it caused, the factory (D) was forced to close down.

Circle the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.

3. A. biology B. geography C. education D. relationship
4. A. broaden B. provide C. pursue D. succeed

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

5. A. degree B. doctorate C. graduate D. kindergarten
6. A. average B. absorb C. awareness D. alarming

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

The costs and benefits of global warming will vary greatly from area to area. For moderate climate change, the balance can be difficult to assess. But the larger the change in climate, the more negative the consequences will become. Global warming will probably make life harder, not easier, for most people. **This** is mainly because we have already built enormous infrastructure based on the climate we now have.

People in some temperate zones may benefit from milder winters, more abundant rainfall, and expanding crop production zones. But people in other areas will suffer from increased heat waves, coastal erosion, rising sea level, more erratic rainfall, and droughts.

The crops, natural vegetation, and domesticated and wild animals (including seafood) that sustain people in a given area may be unable to adapt to local or regional changes in climate. The ranges of diseases and insect pests that are limited by temperature may expand, if other environmental conditions are also favourable.

In its summary report on the impacts of climate change, the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change stated, "Taken as a whole, the range of published evidence indicates that the net damage costs of climate change are likely to be significant and to increase over time."

7. What is the main idea of the passage?
A. Environment pollution is real. B. Reasons why low-lying areas are flooded.
C. Solutions to global warming. D. Reasons why global warming is a problem.
8. Which of the following is TRUE as the result of global warming?

- A. All people suffer from global warming.
 B. All people benefit from global warming.
 C. Life is more difficult for the majority of people.
 D. Life is easier for most people.
9. In paragraph 1, the word “this” refers to ____.
 A. harder life as a result of global warming
 B. easier life as a result of global warming
 C. climate change on global scale
 D. flood in low-lying areas
10. According to the passage, all of the following are the results of global warming EXCEPT ____.
 A. higher temperature
 B. coastal erosion
 C. increasing sea level
 D. stable rainfall
11. What may happen to diseases and insect pests as a result of global warming?
 A. They will become extinct.
 B. They will increase in number.
 C. They will not harm our planet.
 D. They will be under good control.

Give the correct form of the words in brackets

12. The effects of climate change on humans and nature are _____.
 (CATASTROPHY)
13. We need to preserve the _____ of wildlife because each species has an important role to play. (DIVERSE)
14. One of the reasons for Vietnamese students' studying abroad is the quality of the _____ programmes in higher education. (ACADEMY)
15. Most of these students are interested in pursuing _____ studies for bachelor's degrees. (GRADUATE)
16. The higher education _____ gained at UK universities and colleges are recognised worldwide. (QUALIFY)

Choose the best answers to complete the sentences

17. The factory was accused ____ having caused higher level of pollution to the environment.
 A. about B. on C. of D. for
18. We all admire him ____ having changed both his attitude and behaviour towards the environmental issues.
 A. about B. for C. with D. at
19. He forgot ____ promised to cut down on the carbon dioxide emissions into the atmosphere.
 A. to promise B. have C. having D. had
20. I remembered having ____ off the lights before leaving home.
 A. switched B. switch C. switching D. switches
21. It is not easy at all to get a good job without any ____ qualifications.
 A. academic B. social C. great D. favourite
22. At the ____ level, you can join three-year or four-year colleges.
 A. primary B. secondary C. postgraduate D. undergraduate
23. Hugh is quite worried because he hasn't ____ for the end-of-term test.
 A. examined B. researched C. studied D. read
24. Any pupil caught ____ was made to stand at the front of the class.
 A. misbehave B. misbehaved C. misbehaviour D. misbehaving
25. I don't really ____ the point of taking the exam when you are not ready for it.
 A. annoy B. have C. see D. take
26. If you're not sure what “something” means, look it ____ in the dictionary.
 A. for B. out C. at D. up
27. Mrs Dawson said that we are ____ our lesson in the library next Monday.
 A. going B. having C. making D. reading
28. Nam: What are the main threats to the environment today?

Lan: _____

- A. Threats are possible dangers to the environment.
- B. Probably deforestation and global warming.
- C. Environmental pollution is a big issue for our planet
- D. We need a clean environment to live in.

29. He denied having polluted the environment, _____ no one believed him.
A. however B. despite C. but D. in spite of
30. Thank you for having _____ the information about global warming.
A. shared B. sharing C. share D. shares
31. She was praised _____ donated a lot of money to the wildlife protection organisation.
A. for having B. to have C. because of having D. due to having

Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

32. Students also have the opportunity to choose from a wide range of optional courses in the university.
A. mandatory B. selective C. free D. limited
33. Tom did miserably on the final test, which caused a shock to everyone in the class.
A. took B. sat for C. failed D. passed

Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence

34. 'It was nice of you to invite me to your birthday party. Thanks very much.'
Mike thanked
35. "You have passed the final exams. Congratulations!" Jim said to you
Jim congratulated me.....
36. The last time she went to the zoo was ten years ago.
She hasn't
37. I have never met such a famous person before.
It is
38. "I have always wanted to be a pilot", Paul said to you.
Paul has always dreamed of.....

Choose the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

39. We need to cut down on the emission of carbon dioxide into the atmosphere.
A. intake B. retake C. uptake D. discharge
40. Land erosion is mainly caused by widespread deforestation.
A. afforestation B. reforestation C. logging D. lawn mowing

Choose the word or phrase A, B, C, or D that best fits each space in the following passage.

EXAM OR CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT?

How do you feel when you sit an exam? Do you always succeed in getting all your ideas down on paper, or do you sometimes feel that you're (41) _____ a mess of it? (42) _____ from those lucky few who sail through exams, most secondary school pupils find them very stressful. Many teachers are (43) _____ of the problems their students face and use a different method for measuring their progress: continuous. With continuous assessment, students are given (44) _____ tasks to do throughout the year. All their marks are added together to produce a total mark (45) _____ the end of the year. Students have to take more responsibility for their education because they can't rely on doing well on just one day. Also, they have more time to think over their work, meaning that they are able to do their best.

41. A. doing B. having C. making D. taking
42. A. Apart B. According C. Except D. But

43. A. aware B. intelligent C. recognisable D. knowledgeable
44. A. variety B. various C. vary D. variably
45. A. at B. on C. in D. from

Fill a suitable preposition in each blank

46. Human activities are also blamed _____ having contributed _____ global warming.
47. He was criticised _____ not having put the elephant poachers _____ jail.
48. He was suspected _____ having received presents from the local companies and ignored their violations _____ the environmental law.
49. The local residents suspected the authorities _____ having kept the pollution level secret _____ the local people.
50. The local authorities were blamed _____ having ignored the pollution issues _____ the area.

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