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Đề gốc

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

Question1. Some students did the test quickly and submitted them to the teacher.

A. quickly B. them C. to D. did

Question2. At least fifty six people die in a terrible fire in Hanoi last month.

A. terrible B. At least C. in D. die

Question3. Great white sharks are protective species along the California coast, but they are still being hunted for commercial purposes.

A. but B. protective C. commercial D. hunted

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

Question4. He didn't pay attention. He caused an accident.

A. Suppose that he had paid attention, he would have caused an accident.
 B. If he had paid more attention, he wouldn't have caused an accident.
 C. He wishes he hadn't paid attention so that he would have caused an accident.
 D. If only he paid attention, he wouldn't cause an accident.

Question5. The storm was severe. Nobody was allowed to go out.

A. Such was the storm that nobody was forbidden to go out.
 B. So severe was the storm that nobody was permitted to go out.
 C. Only after the storm was severe was nobody prohibited to go out.
 D. Not until nobody was allowed to go out was the storm severe.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

Question6. This year, my school has decided to renovate all the classrooms to give students a better learning condition.

A. redecorate B. rebuild C. destroy D. match

Question7. The government has made an effort to deal with this major issue.

A. pleased B. normal C. boring D. important

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

Question8. Their semi-final match was postponed due to heavy rain.

A. continued B. delayed C. started D. stopped

Question9. Men used to be breadwinners in our country, but now women go to work and many of them make a bundle.

A. have a lot of money B. earn little money C. earn a lot of cash D. have a few coins

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

Question10. The weather is great today, _____?

A. aren't they B. wasn't it C. hasn't it D. isn't it

Question11. The red T- shirt costs \$ 20, and the white T- shirt costs \$ 15. The white T-shirt is _____ than the red one.

A. more expensive B. older C. more beautiful D. cheaper

Question12. Nguyễn Thị Tâm, a former student of Doi Can High School, got _____ highest score in GCSE 2023 among over 14,000 candidates in Vinh Phuc province.

A. the B. a C. Θ D. an

Question13. The new version of the film "Đất phuơng Nam" is quite different _____ the original one.

A. of B. on C. to D. from

Question14. We _____ flowers in the school garden when it started to rain.

A. are planting B. plant C. were planting D. have planted

Question15. _____, she will hold a party to celebrate the event.

A. When Mary moved into her new house B. When Mary was moving into her new house
C. When Mary moves into her new house D. When Mary had moved into her new house

Question16. A new shopping mall _____ in our neighbourhood next year.

A. will be built B. builds C. was built D. built

Question17. In the sustainable agriculture, farmers try _____ the use of chemicals and fertilizers.

A. limiting B. to limit C. limited D. limit

Question18. You should be aware of some cultural _____ when you visit a foreign country.

A. differences B. different C. differ D. differently

Question19. The tests are used to _____ individual students' ability and knowledge.

A. follow B. forget C. assess D. believe

Question20. She understood the importance of establishing a close _____ with other classmates.

A. media B. agreement C. rapport D. impact

Question21. ASEAN is _____ to promote economic development and cultural diversity among its member states.

A. found out B. taken over C. set up D. cut down

Question22. I just can't stand it anymore when he constantly _____ his promises.

A. keeps B. makes C. breaks D. kicks

Question23. The article I found on the Internet gave me plenty of _____ for thought.

A. food B. hand C. cup D. drink

Question24. _____ by many students as a difficult subject, English is actually very fascinating.

A. Considering B. Considered C. To consider D. Having considered

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

One of the main causes of pressure on children today is the increased use of social media. Nowadays children spend (25)_____ hours interacting with social media platforms. It is thought this has led to pressures to maintain a particular image. If children share an image or video online, the number of likes or comments can have a dramatic effect on how they feel about themselves. They also feel under pressure to maintain a particular image to show how exciting their lifestyle is. (26)_____, there is a constant focus on their social lives, and they feel judged about their vacations and the things they like and do.

In addition to pressures from social media, children are feeling increasing pressure from living in an environment (27)_____ they are always in contact with people. Previously, if a child had a difficult time with friends, they could leave this behind at school. The shift to smartphones has meant that this has become increasingly difficult. A number of surveys have (28)_____ how not being able to switch off and walk away has increased stress levels for children. If technological (29)_____ was limited, it would significantly reduce stress levels for young people.

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Question25. A. few B. a little C. much D. many
Question26. A. Moreover B. Otherwise C. However D. Therefore
Question27. A. where B. why C. which D. when
Question28. A. demonstrated B. presented C. displayed D. highlighted
Question29. A. expansion B. advance C. development D. access

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.

Question30. A. follow B. deny C. agree D. reject
 Question31. A. compulsory B. incredible C. vulnerable D. diversity

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 world is getting smaller, at least when it comes to language. More and more people speak the three most common languages: English, Spanish, and Mandarin. As a result, local languages are being forgotten. As cultures adjust to these changes, and languages aren't taught to children or spoken at home, these local languages are slowly **disappearing**.

A language is said to be in trouble when less than 30 percent of children in the community speak it. It is considered a dying language. If children no longer learn to use a language, it will have fewer and fewer speakers over time and, eventually, the language will be gone. Why keep languages alive? Languages hold the key to understanding a culture's beliefs and values. According to Dr. Cumberland, who is working to save Assiniboine, a Native American language, a dying language needs a dictionary and people to understand and record its grammar. Most importantly, you need to listen to those who still speak the language. This can be very difficult, especially if there are very few speakers of the language left. For example, when researchers were working to save the language Ayapaneco in Mexico, it was hard for **them** to record anything because the last two people on Earth who could speak the language refused to speak to each other! Today, the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) lists more than 3,000 languages that may disappear by the end of this century. Some of the languages still have a few million speakers and may survive. Unfortunately, hundreds of languages have fewer than 25 speakers remaining and may soon be lost forever.

Question32. What is the main idea of this reading?

A. Languages help us understand other cultures.
 B. Many languages are disappearing around the world.
 C. Most people speak English, Spanish, and Mandarin.
 D. People should learn new languages.

Question33. Why are local languages being spoken less and less?

A. Children do not talk to their grandparents.
 B. People who know the language don't want to speak to each other.
 C. People use computers to communicate now.
 D. People prefer to learn and speak more common languages.

Question34. Which of the following is NOT true according to the passage?

A. According to UNESCO, more than 3,000 languages may go extinct by the end of this century.
 B. The last two people who could speak Ayapaneco liked to speak to each other.
 C. To save a dying language, it is necessary to listen to people who still speak it.
 D. Fewer and fewer people speak local languages.

Question35. The word "**them**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

A. speakers B. local people C. languages D. researchers

Question36. The word "**disappearing**" in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. changing B. reducing C. existing D. vanishing

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.

Question37. A. child B. bike C. wind D. nice
 Question38. A. much B. school C. catch D. choose

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best completes each of the following exchanges.

Question39. *Nam and Hoa are talking about online shopping.*

- Nam: "These days, shopping online is becoming the best choice for more and more people."

- **Hoa:** "_____. They can buy a variety of products from the comfort of their home."

A. That's a bad idea **B.** I don't quite agree **C.** No problem **D.** That's true

Question40. *Lan Chi is inviting Phong to join the English club.*

- **Lan Chi:** "I know you are very good at English. Would you like to join our club?" - **Phong:**

"_____"

A. Yes. I am very busy. **B.** Yeah. Good idea. I'd love to.
C. What a good friend you are! **D.** What do you think?

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

ChatGPT is a state-of-the-art language model developed by OpenAI, which has become increasingly popular due to its versatility and ability to respond to natural language. Like any technology, ChatGPT has both advantages and disadvantages.

One of the main advantages of ChatGPT is its ability to process and respond to language in a natural and direct way. This makes it highly adaptable to many applications, such as virtual assistants, customer service chatbots, and language translation. **It** can also save time and money for companies by automating tasks that would normally require human labor. Another advantage of ChatGPT is its ability to continuously learn and improve through training on large amounts of data. This means that the model can become increasingly accurate and effective over time, leading to better user experiences and improved **efficiency**.

However, there are also several potential disadvantages of ChatGPT. One concern is the possibility of misuse or abuse of the technology, such as **generating** fake news or conducting cyberattacks like the current apps. This is especially concerning as the model can create convincing texts that are quite similar to human-generated ones. Another concern is the potential for bias in the language model, as it is trained on data that may contain unknown biases or inaccuracies. This can lead to discriminatory responses or even promote existing biases. Furthermore, the deployment of ChatGPT can also affect the job market, as it may replace human workers in certain industries. As a result, more and more people are jobless, and serious social problems such as violence or robbery may arise.

In conclusion, while ChatGPT has numerous benefits in terms of language processing and machine learning, it is crucial to consider and address potential drawbacks such as the possibility of misuse, bias, and impact on the job market. To ensure the responsible development and deployment of this technology, it is important to prioritize ethics and transparency, as well as to find more inclusive and effective solutions.

Question41. Which of the following can be the best title for the passage?

A. Negative Impacts of Technology on the Job Market
B. A New Era of ChatGPT
C. Pros and Cons of ChatGPT
D. Versatility and Ability of ChatGPT

Question42. The word "**efficiency**" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. effectiveness **B.** fluency **C.** excellence **D.** accuracy

Question43. According to paragraph 3, ChatGPT probably _____.

A. leads the teachers to the verge of dismissal. **B.** increases current biases.
C. replaces human workers in all industries. **D.** fakes human's language models completely.

Question44. The word "**it**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

A. ability **B.** customer service **C.** ChatGPT **D.** language translation

Question45. The word "**generating**" in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to _____.

A. creating **B.** preventing **C.** absorbing **D.** transferring

Question46. Which of the following is NOT true about ChatGPT according to the passage?

A. It can be used for virtual assistants.
B. It is trained on data that may contain implicit biases or inaccuracies.
C. It can lead to job losses.
D. It is unable to learn and improve through training on large amounts of data.

Question47. Which of the following can be inferred from the passage?

- A.** Technology will replace human.
- B.** Ethics is one of the key values that help develop the modern technology.
- C.** Creation makes technology limited.
- D.** ChatGPT will primarily benefit underrepresented groups.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.

Question48. It is compulsory for all students to wear their student ID cards at school.

- A.** All students needn't wear their student ID cards at school.
- B.** All students can wear their student ID cards at school.
- C.** All students must wear their student ID cards at school.
- D.** All students shouldn't wear their student ID cards at school.

Question49. I haven't eaten this kind of food before.

- A.** I have eaten this kind of food many times.
- B.** I last ate this kind of food before.
- C.** This is the first time I have ever eaten this kind of food.
- D.** The last time I ate this kind of food before ago.

Question50. "How long have you been waiting here?" Lan asked me.

- A.** Lan asked me how long had I been waiting there.
- B.** Lan asked me how long I have been waiting there.
- C.** Lan asked me how long have I been waiting there.
- D.** Lan asked me how long I had been waiting there.

THE END

