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PART A. PHONETICS

I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others in the same line and write A, B, C or D on your answer sheet.

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| 1. <u>A</u> planted | B. lived | C. stayed | D. boiled |
| 2. A. <u>th</u> ank | <u>B</u> this | C. <u>th</u> ink | D. <u>th</u> ree |
| 3. A. <u>f</u> ive | B. night | C. <u>n</u> ine | <u>D</u> sit |

II. Choose the word whose stress pattern is different from that of the others in the same line and write A, B, C or D on your answer sheet.

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| 4. A. teacher | <u>B</u> invite | C. future | D. funny |
| 5. <u>A</u> family | B. solution | C. symbolic | D. attractive |

PART B. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

I. Supply the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Write the answers on your answer sheet.

6. I usually (read) reads newspapers in the morning. **read**
7. They (talk) was talking about sports last night. **talked**
8. He (wait) has waited for his girl friend at the airport since 2 p.m. **has waited**
9. Mr. Hai doesn't enjoy (watch) ing action films. **watching**
10. This test (do) to be done more carefully, you would get better mark. **Were ...to be done**

II. Supply the correct form of the words in capital. Write the answers on your answer sheet.

11. Earthquakes, volcanoes and typhoons are _____ disasters. **natural** NATURE AL
12. The idea of "Go Green" is _____ supported by teenagers. **widely** WIDE LY
13. The locals didn't _____ to build a factory in this area. **agree** AGREEMENT
14. Nutritionists consider junk foods as _____ and harmful. **unhealthy** HEALTH Y
15. Many people cannot even afford basic _____ such as food and clothing. **necessities** NEED ?

III. Choose the word or phrase that best fits the gap in each of the following sentences. Write A, B, C or D on your answer sheet.

16. The Browns often go to _____ cinema at weekends.
A. an B. a C. the D. Ø
17. Valentine's Day is celebrated _____ 14th February.
A. in B. on C. from D. by
18. He is interested in listening to "Cooking For You" by Den Vau, _____ ?
A. isn't he B. is he C. doesn't he D. does he
19. Life in the city is _____ than that in the countryside.
A. as convenient B. more convenient C. most convenient D. so convenient

20. The children came to class late _____ it rained heavily.
 A. in spite of B. although C. because D. because of
21. The 6.30 bus, _____ I often take to school, was late today.
 A. that B. who C. whom D. which
22. Alex is talking to Tim:
 - Alex: "I have bought you a toy. Happy birthday to you!"
 - Tim: "_____"
 A. The same to you! B. Have a nice day!
 C. What a lovely toy! Thanks. D. What a pity!
23. These traditional stories have been _____ from parents to children over many generations.
 A. passed down B. found out C. looked up D. got over
24. The government must _____ measures to preserve our man-made wonders.
 A. do B. take C. get D. make
25. Giving lucky money to the young at Tet is a common _____ in many Asian countries.
 A. practice B. behaviour C. tradition D. habit

PART C. READING

I. Read the following passage and choose the most suitable word from the ones given in the box to fill in each gap. Write the answers on your answer sheet.

from Therefore as different studying

Teenagers having exams may feel stressed for (different) reasons. Their future may depend on their exam results. Many of them will probably be afraid that their performances will not be as good (27) as their friends' and may feel worried about being compared negatively to them. They may feel so exhausted by the amount of (28) studying which they need to do. To obtain a good result, they may have to give up many leisure activities such as doing sports and listening to music. Teenagers who suffer (29) from exam stress may show a variety of symptoms including loss of appetite, being unable to sleep and a lack of motivation to study. (30) Therefore, it is important for teachers and parents to watch out for these signs and to be as supportive and encouraging as possible.

II. Read the following passage and choose the best answer A, B, C or D to fill in each gap. Write the answers on your answer sheet.

Fathers used to act as the "breadwinner" of their family, and as the teacher of moral and religious values. (31) _____, those roles are gradually changing.

More and more women are going out to work and (32) _____ money. This increases the budget of the family. Besides, there are various programmes assisting mothers financially. These changes have greatly impacted the role of fathers because they make paternal financial support less essential for (33) _____ families.

With the (34) _____ of financial support reduced, and with a changing concept of a father's role, modern fathers tend to be more involved in children's caregiving. They are now spending more time and energy on their children.

Researches suggest that fatherly love helps children develop a sense of their place in the world, which helps their social and emotional development. Moreover, children (35) _____ receive more love from their fathers are less likely to have behavioural problems.

31. A. Therefore

B. So

☒ C. However

D. Despite

32. A. take

☒ B. gain

☒ C. earn

D. get

33. A. each

B. much

C. little

☒ D. many

34. ☒ A. suffering

B. severity

C. intensity

☒ D. burden

35. ☒ A. who

B. which

C. whom

D. where

III. Read the following passage and answer the questions by choosing the best answer A, B, C or D. Write the answers on your answer sheet.

The environment is the natural world that surrounds us, consisting of the air we breathe, the water we drink, the land we live on, and the ecosystems that support life. It is essential for the well-being of all living beings on Earth.

One of the issues concerning the environment is climate change. Human activities, such as burning fossil fuels and deforestation, contribute to the release of greenhouse gases, leading to global warming and the change of ecosystems. Climate change has serious consequences, including extreme weather events, sea-level rise, and the loss of biodiversity. Another important aspect of the environment is pollution. Industrial activities, and the use of harmful chemicals contaminate the air, water, and soil. Pollution has negative effects on human health, wildlife, and the overall balance of ecosystems.

Preserving and protecting the environment requires collective actions. Conservation efforts, such as sustainable resource management and afforestation, play a crucial role in reducing environmental damage. Besides, individual actions, such as reducing waste, and adopting eco-friendly practices, contribute to a more sustainable future. It is essential to raise awareness and educate the public about environmental issues. By this way, individuals can make informed choices and take steps to minimize their ecological footprint.

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

☒ A. The Importance of Environmental Preservation

B. Pollution and Its Impact on the Environment

C. Climate Change: A Global Crisis

D. Raising Awareness for a Sustainable Future

37. The word "It" in the first paragraph refers to

A. the air

☒ B. the environment

☒ C. life

D. the land

38. According to paragraph 2, which of the following is **NOT** mentioned as the consequences of climate change?

☒ A. extreme weather events

B. sea-level rise

☒ C. reducing temperature

D. the loss of biodiversity

39. The word "contaminate" is closest in meaning to

☒ A. protect

☒ B. pollute

C. destroy

D. improve

40. According to the passage, pollution

☒ A. contaminates the environment

B. does not affect the air

C. has no effect on human health

D. does not change ecosystems

PART D. WRITING

I. Rewrite each of the following sentences beginning as shown, so that the meaning stays the same.

41. Emily is fond of doing yoga.

Emily likes **doing yoga**.

42. Jack passed the exam because he studied so hard.

Because of **studying hard, he passed the exam**.

43. It's a pity that you can't come to my party on Sunday.

I wish you **could come to my party on Sunday**.

44. "Let's eat out tomorrow," said Jenny.

Jenny suggested **eating out the following day**.

45. People say that the Chinese discovered acupuncture thousands of years ago.

Acupuncture is **said to have been discovered by Chinese thousands of years ago**.

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

46. They started playing chess 2 hours ago.

(HAVE)

They **have played chess for 2 hours**.

47. Ms. Nga is a nurse. She lives on the second floor.

(WHO)

Ms. Nga, **who lives on the second floor, is a nurse**.

48. The news was so bad that the lady got fainted.

(SUCH)

It **was such bad news that the lady got fainted**.

49. The manager complimented Linda on her work.

(PAID) what?

The manager **paid a compliment to Linda on her work.**

50. Ha sings the best in her group, doesn't she?

(ARE)

No one **in Ha's group sings better than her**.

HẾT

Họ và tên thí sinh:

SBD:

Chữ ký của CBCT1:

Chữ ký của CBCT2: