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Chú ý: Thí sinh làm bài vào phiếu trả lời (có phát kèm đề).

A. PHẦN TRẮC NGHIỆM (4 pts)

I. PHONETICS (0.5 pt)

Choose the word (A, B, C or D) whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the rest in each of the following questions. (0.25 pt)

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| 1. | A. <u>h</u> onesty | B. ex <u>h</u> haust | C. <u>h</u> onor | D. <u>h</u> air |
| 2. | A. work <u>e</u> d | B. stop <u>e</u> d | C. nak <u>e</u> d | D. increas <u>e</u> d |
| 3. | A. nat <u>u</u> ral | B. <u>a</u> nimal | C. p <u>a</u> nda | D. <u>a</u> ncient |
| 4. | A. bush <u>e</u> s | B. headach <u>e</u> s | C. research <u>e</u> s | D. wish <u>e</u> s |
| 5. | A. ex <u>p</u> lorer | B. ex <u>t</u> inct | C. ex <u>i</u> st | D. ex <u>p</u> and |

Choose the word (A, B, C or D) whose main stress pattern is different from that of the rest in each of the following questions. (0.25 pt)

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| 6. | A. tropical | B. violent | C. delightful | D. influence |
| 7. | A. audience | B. character | C. cinema | D. discover |
| 8. | A. overcome | B. employee | C. understand | D. volunteer |
| 9. | A. profession | B. personality | C. activity | D. selection |
| 10. | A. pollute | B. reduce | C. garbage | D. conserve |

II. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR (2.5 pts)

Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that best completes each of the following sentences.

11. Polluted water can directly _____ harm to people's health and kill fish.
A. insert B. make C. get D. do
12. Hunting animals for food and burning forests for soil _____ wildlife.
A. protect B. conserve C. destroy D. survive
13. He felt _____ when he failed the exam the second time.
A. discouraged B. annoyed C. undecided D. determined
14. The wedding day was _____ chosen by the parents of the groom.
A. careless B. careful C. carelessly D. carefully
15. She got so _____ while watching the match on TV that she began shouting.
A. exciting B. excited C. excitingly D. excitedly
16. We were walking down the street when it began to rain _____.
A. heavy B. hard C. firmly D. hardly
17. Dinosaurs became _____ millions of years ago because the earth's climate changed drastically.
A. extinct B. rustic C. disastrous D. popular
18. In my family, my sister takes _____ for doing the household chores.

- A. action B. opportunity C. part D. responsibility
19. My father is a _____. He often does researches with animals and plants.
A. pianist B. biologist C. composer D. peasant
20. Birth control methods have _____ women from the endless cycle of childbearing and rearing.
A. free B. freely C. freedom D. freed
21. Her decision to cancel the concert _____ her fans.
A. amuses B. interests C. disappoints D. terrifies
22. The Ao dai _____ of a long silk tunic that is slit on the sides and worn over loose pants.
A. comprises B. combines C. composes D. consists
23. It's not easy to make Stanley furious. The boy is very gentle by _____.
A. himself B. personality C. reaction D. nature
24. After a lengthy debate, the spokesman announced the board had _____ a unanimous conclusion.
A. committed B. solved C. reached D. compromised
25. In spite of our big effort, we have not managed to _____ enough money for the renovation of the school buildings.
A. raise B. take C. rear D. score
26. Nobody took any _____ of the warning and they went swimming in the contaminated water.
A. information B. attention C. notice D. sight
27. The loan that we had received from our parents _____ us to buy a flat in Cambridge.
A. enabled B. resisted C. fulfilled D. granted
28. I was immensely _____ to hear that none of my relatives was killed in the bus accident.
A. relieved B. improved C. recovered D. shocked
29. If I had known that she had fallen so seriously _____, I'd certainly have visited her in hospital.
A. ill B. unhealthy C. invalid D. hurtful
30. If you don't feel well, you _____ better take a rest.
A. will B. had C. can D. should
31. Tony wasn't in class yesterday, and _____ was Caroline.
A. neither B. either C. too D. so
32. Tom hardly ever makes a mistake, _____?
A. does he B. doesn't he C. does Tom D. won't he
33. Do you know _____?
A. the bus will come when B. when does the bus come
C. when will the bus come D. when the bus comes
34. _____ the severe weather, the football match went ahead.
A. Although B. Owing to C. However D. In spite of
35. The teacher suggests _____ something for the poor in our area.
A. us to do B. we should do C. we are doing D. we will do
36. Heavy snowfall made _____ planes to land or take off.
A. it possible for B. impossible for C. it impossible for D. possible
37. Professor Alan insists that every student _____ the report by Friday.
A. finished B. finish C. finishes D. had finished
38. They took her to the International Hospital, _____ is only a mile away.
A. that B. where C. in which D. which
39. No sooner _____ the news than she fainted.
A. she heard B. as she heard C. had she heard D. she had heard
40. _____ you to be offered that job, would you have to move to another city?
A. Should B. Had C. Were D. Provided that
41. Petrol is _____ it used to be.
A. twice expensive more than B. twice more than expensive
C. twice as expensive as D. more expensive than twice

42. _____ immediately, your health will be badly affected.
 A. Unless you stop smoking B. Unless you stopped smoking
 C. If you stopped smoking D. If you stop smoking
43. Mark Twain, _____ works are loved by many people, was an American writer.
 A. whose B. who C. that D. whom
44. It was announced that neither the passengers nor the driver _____ in the crash.
 A. injured B. were injured C. was injured D. has been injured
45. I don't want _____ while I am working.
 A. disturbing B. to disturb C. to disturbing D. to be disturbed
46. There were two small rooms in the beach house, _____ served as a kitchen.
 A. the smaller of them B. the smaller of which
 C. the smallest of which D. the smallest of them
47. What beautiful eyes _____ !
 A. does she have B. she has C. has she D. she doesn't have
48. Between the California Coast Range and the Sierra Nevada _____.
 A. lie great Central Valley B. does the great Central Valley lie
 C. lies the great Central Valley D. the great Central Valley lie
49. Both nickel and iron are whitish metals _____.
 A. that are attracted by magnets B. that magnets are attracted by them
 C. are attracted by magnets D. magnets that attract them
50. If only I _____ a billionaire now.
 A. were B. would be C. had been D. am

Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that is CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined part in each of the following sentences.

51. Scientists have spent years collecting information about UFOs.
 A. requiring B. gathering C. analysing D. containing
52. In the thick fog, the two ships ran into each other outside the harbour.
 A. met by chance B. collided C. sunk D. broke
53. The water is so contaminated that it is not suitable for drinking.
 A. fresh B. salty C. dangerous D. polluted
54. Grand Canyon National Park was established in 1919 in northwestern Arizona.
 A. set up B. given up C. gone up D. taken up
55. Oil spills are having a devastating effect on coral reefs in the ocean.
 A. long-lasting B. temporary C. mild D. destructive

Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that is OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined part in each of the following sentences.

56. She is still weak after her illness.
 A. thin B. strong C. fat D. tall
57. I hate people who treat animals cruelly.
 A. cleverly B. reasonably C. gently D. brutally
58. The Red Cross is an international humanitarian agency dedicated to reducing the sufferings of wounded soldiers, civilians and prisoners of war.
 A. happiness B. worry and sadness
 C. pain and sorrow D. tolerance
59. The new post office has a spacious and pleasant front office.
 A. cramped B. ugly C. dirty D. empty
60. Schooling is compulsory for all English children from the age of 5 to 16.
 A. popular B. optional C. independent D. required

III. GUIDED CLOZE TEST (0.5 pt)

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

Environmental pollution is a term (61) _____ refers to all the ways in which man pollutes his surroundings. Man dirties the air with gases and smoke, (62) _____ the water with chemicals and other substances, and damages the (63) _____ with too many fertilizers and pesticides. Man also pollutes his surroundings in (64) _____ ways. For example, people ruin natural beauty by (65) _____ junk and litter on the land and in the water. They operate machines and motor vehicles that fill the air with disturbing noise.

Environmental pollution is one of the most serious problems (66) _____ mankind today. Air, water and soil are necessary to the (67) _____ of all living things. Badly polluted air can cause illness, and (68) _____ death. Polluted water kills fish and other (69) _____ life. Pollution of soil reduces the amount of land that is available (70) _____ growing food. Environmental pollution also brings the ugliness to man's naturally beautiful world.

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| 61. | A. that | B. who | C. whose | D. in which |
| 62. | A. poisons | B. develops | C. provides | D. equips |
| 63. | A. forests | B. soil | C. beaches | D. fauna |
| 64. | A. vary | B. variety | C. variously | D. various |
| 65. | A. spoiling | B. disposing | C. scattering | D. gathering |
| 66. | A. fighting | B. conquering | C. facing | D. dealing |
| 67. | A. destruction | B. offspring | C. presence | D. survival |
| 68. | A. even | B. too | C. so | D. also |
| 69. | A. aerial | B. underground | C. marine | D. wild |
| 70. | A. with | B. for | C. to | D. in |

IV. LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS (0.25 pt)

Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that best completes each of the following sentences

71. – Tom : “ Would you mind closing the window?” - Ana : “ _____ .”
A. Yes, certainly
B. Yes, I would. Go ahead.
C. Not at all. I will close it now.
D. Yes, very soon.
72. – Peter: “How do you often go to school?” - Carol: “ _____ ” .
A. Just in time
B. On foot
C. Half an hour
D. Everyday except Sunday
73. – John : “Your new dress looks gorgeous!” - Mary : “ _____ .”
A. You're so kind
B. I'd rather you didn't like.
C. Don't say that
D. Thanks, I bought at Macy's
74. – Nga : “ Let's go to the countryside on the weekend.” - Lien : “ _____ .”
A. That's a fine day
B. That's a good trip
C. Yes, please
D. Yes, let's
75. – Daisy : “In my opinion, action films are exciting.” - Susan : “ _____ .”
A. Yes, that's a good idea!
B. There's no doubt about it
C. What an opinion!
D. I think you shouldn't have said that

V. READING COMPREHENSION (0.25 pt)

Read the passage and choose the best answer for each question below.

The Dark Side of the Internet Chat Room

Are Internet chat rooms safe places for children? One teenager in the UK regretted logging on to a chat room after her online 'boyfriend' turned out to be 47 years old.

"I meant to make some new friends of my age," said the girl. "Instead, a strange man was chatting to me. I stopped visiting the chat room immediately after I found out who he was."

The girl made friends with the stranger when they chatted about music and the bands they liked. "I remember discussing Britpop and some music festivals with him. He said he was 16 years old and in a band. I regret believing every word he said."

Then he wanted to meet me in real life. I remember feeling excited on that bus journey to meet him. Luckily, I had called my mother to tell her where I was. She stopped to pick me up from work and found me talking to a 47-year-old man! She was as shocked as I was!

"I was very lucky because the man didn't mean to harm me. Meeting friends online is actually very dangerous as we know nothing about these people. What if they mean to hurt you?"

76. The girl intended to log on to a chat room in order to _____ .
A. make friends with people of her age B. find out who the strange man was.
C. chat to her closest friends. D. chat to an old man.
77. When chatting to her, the man _____ .
A. was lying to her about his age B. was 16 years old.
C. was in a band. D. sounded strange.
78. How did she feel when she went to meet him?
A. worried B. afraid C. excited D. strange
79. It can be inferred from the passage that _____ .
A. the girl was happy to see the man
B. unlike her, her mother was shocked to see him
C. the man intended to harm her
D. the girl was too afraid to visit the chat room again after seeing him.
80. The purpose of this passage is to _____ .
A. advertise Internet chat rooms
B. warn children about the danger of Internet chat rooms
C. prevent you from visiting Internet chat rooms
D. inform you of the advantages of Internet chat rooms

B. PHẦN TỰ LUẬN (6 pts)

I. VERB FORMS (0.75 pt)

Give the correct form of the verbs in brackets to complete the following sentences.

- I (81. not see) Alan for ages. When I last (82. see)him, he (83. try) to find a job in London.
- They were made (84. work)very hard.
- Why do you keep looking around? Are you afraid of (85. follow)?
- He stopped (86. smoke) a cigarette, but it was so windy that he failed (87. do)it.
- It's about time the government (88. do) something about the sewage system which (89. not upgrade) for years.
- The road (90. join) the two villages is very narrow.

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II. WORD FORMS (0.75 pt)

Give the correct form of the words in brackets to complete the following sentences.

- 91. They are too young and (EXPERIENCE) to recognize the danger of drugs.
- 92. They were impressed by the (FRIEND) of the local people.
- 93. Housework has (TRADITION) been regarded as women's work.
- 94. The speaker announced the (ESTABLISH) of a new college.
- 95. She is so busy with (SOCIETY) activities that she had no time for entertainment.
- 96. The United Nations is a(n) (NATION) organization which consists of about one hundred and sixty nations.
- 97. The police are investigating the sudden (APPEAR) of the valuable painting.
- 98. On the (DEPEND) Day, there are many meetings held by the government.
- 99. The Internet is one of the most wonderful (INVENT) of modern life.
- 100. My father always drives (CARE) He's never got accidents.

III. READING COMPREHENSION (0.5 pt)

Read the passage carefully and decide whether the following statements are True (T), False (F), or No Information (NI).

LIFE IN THE FUTURE

What will life be like in the future? Different people will have different answers to this question; some are pessimistic while others optimistic.

Things will be much worse than they are nowadays, pessimists say. The whole world will experience a period of economic depression. Many large corporations will be wiped out and millions of jobs will be lost. The security of the earth will be threatened by terrorism as terrorist groups will become more powerful and more dangerous. On the contrary, optimists believe that life will be far better than it is today. We will be living in a much cleaner environment, breathing fresher air and eating healthier foods. We will be also be better looked after by a more modern medical system. Domestic chores will no longer be a burden thanks to the inventions of labour-saving devices.

For better or worse, it is certain that in the future things will be very different. Take work, for instance. Robots will do most of the work in the factories, so they will be cleaner places for fewer people to work in them. As for travel, cars will still be with us, but instead of petrol, they will run on anything from electricity to methane gas. They will also be fitted with computers to tell us how efficiently we are driving and if there is anything wrong on the road ahead.

Whatever we expect from the future, remember that progress has never moved in straight lines, and history is full of unexpected developments. However we are confident that the future is in our hands, and it is our responsibility to contribute to bettering our own lives.

- 101. In the future, things will be very different.
- 102. According to pessimists, millions of people will be unemployed because of economic depression.
- 103. Optimists believe that in the future domestic chores will no longer be hard work thanks to the inventions of labour-saving devices.
- 104. In the field of work, robots will be replaced by people who will do most of the work in factories.
- 105. In the future, cars will run very fast because they run on environment-friendly fuels.

IV. PREPOSITIONS AND PHRASAL VERBS (0.75 pts)

Supply each space with a suitable preposition or adverbial particle to complete each of the following sentences.

- 106. Her parents do not approve her living away from home.
- 107. A lot of people I know really believe ghosts.
- 108. I'm sure he didn't do it purpose.
- 109. Yuri Gagarin's hometown was namedhim after his death.
- 110. On Tuesday morning, there is a meeting 11 am and 1 pm.
- 111. The material was very strong and it did not wear easily.
- 112. There was a power failure and the lights went
- 113. Gertrude takes her mother; she has blue eyes and fair hair, too.
- 114. Bill seems unhappy in his job because he doesn't get well with his boss.
- 115. She's very old and can't live alone. She needs someone to look her.

V. ERROR CORRECTION (1 pt)

There are 10 errors in the following passage. Identify the errors, underline and correct them. Write your answers in the numbered spaces below. Number (000.) is done as an example.

In much countries, overcrowd cities present a major problem as a result of the process of industrialize. The overpopulation of towns are mainly caused by the drift of large amounts of people from rural areas. The only long-term solution is to make life in rural areas more attractively, that would encourage people stay there. This can be achieved by provide incentives for people to go and work in the villages. Moreover, facilities in rural areas so as transportation and health services should be improve.

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VI. SENTENCE TRANSFORMATION (1.25 pts)

Rewrite the following sentences in such a way that their meanings remain unchanged.

- 126. The last time I saw David was in 1989.
=> I haven't
- 127. Jane is excited about meeting her old friends again.
=> Jane is looking
- 128. I regret not learning how to play a musical instrument.
=> I wish.....
- 129. People believe that a professional thief stole the statue.
=> The statue.....
- 130. "Are you interested in learning English?" said Ann to Mary

