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| SỞ GIÁO DỤC - ĐÀO TẠO NINH BÌNH**Trường THPT chuyên****Lương Văn Tụy**-- 🕮 -- | **ĐỀ KIỂM TRA HỌC KỲ II****NĂM HỌC 2023- 2024****Môn: Tiếng Anh - Lớp 10** *Thời gian: 45 phút (không kể thời gian giao đề)**(Đề thi gồm có 04 trang)*  |

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**Giám thị 1: ............................................................. Chữ ký: ..........................**

**Giám thị 2: ............................................................. Chữ ký: ..........................**

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**I. LISTENING**

***Part 1.******Listen to the effects of climate change and fill in each blank with NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/ OR A NUMBER.***

1. According to NASA, ice area is getting smaller at a rate of\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_every 10 years.

**A.** nineteen percent **B.** five percent **C.** ninety percent **D.** nine percent

2. If ice melted, it would go to\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**A.** our oceans  **B.** seas **C.** rivers **D.** lakes

3. To stop ice from\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, we have to start at the root of the problem.

**A.** melting **B.** freezing **C.** appearing **D.** forming

***Part 2.******Listen to the benefits off teaming online and choose the best option to answer each of the following questions.***

4. Where can students engage with multimedia content?

**A**. in the campus **B**. during travelling

**C**. in the classroom **D**. from their own home

5. Why is further training for employees a problem for corporations?

**A**. Corporations don’t have much money. **B**. Employees are not interested In it.

**C**. Corporations don’t encourage them. **D**. Further training courses are not easily accessible.

6. Why are many students changing to online learning courses?

**A**. They are serious students.

**B**. They think it’s a better way to learn.

**C**. They understand many things.

**D**. They want to work for large organisations after studying.

**II. PRONUNCIATION**

***Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.***

7. **A**. nature **B**. manage  **C**. balance **D**. campfire

8. **A**. discount **B**. observe **C**. scuba-diving **D**. safari

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions.***

**9. A**. delighted **B**. confident **C**. nomadic **D**. untreated

**10. A**. protection **B**. chemical **C**. pollutant **D**. pesticide

**III. LEXICO-GRAMMAR**

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

11. The farmer, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_name was Fred, sold us 10 kilograms of potatoes.

**A**. which **B**. that **C**. whose **D**. who

12. Tony said he\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_the accident at the comer of the street.

**A**. sees **B**. will see **C**. had seen **D**. has seen

13. If he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_the final exam, he will hold a celebration party.

**A**. passes **B**. passed **C**. had passed **D**. have passed

14. I would go and see her if I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_where she lives.

**A**. know **B**. knew **C**. knows **D**. have known

15. I can easily scan a page of a book with a\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_camera on a smartphone.

**A**. digital **B.** native **C**. portable **D**. financial

**IV. READING**

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

**GLOBAL WARMING**

Few people now question the reality of global warming and its effects on the world's climate. Many scientists (16) \_\_\_\_ the blame for recent natural disasters on the increase in the world's temperatures and are convinced that, more than (17) \_\_\_\_ before, the Earth is at risk from the forces of the wind, rain and sun. (18) \_\_\_\_ to them, global warming is making extreme weather events, such 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 actions to reduce the amount of carbon dioxide (19)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_is given off by factories and power plants, thus attacking the problems at its source. They are (20)\_\_\_\_\_\_ favor of more money being spent on research into solar, wind and wave energy devices, which could then replace existing power stations.

16. **A**. give B. put **C**. take **D**. have

17. **A**. yet **B**. never **C**. once **D**. ever

18. **A**. Concerning **B**. Regarding **C**. Depending **D**. According

19. **A**. which **B**. whom **C**. who **D**. when

20. **A**. in **B.** on **C**. at **D**. with

***2. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.***

Tourism will always have an impact on the places visited. Sometimes the impact is good, but often **it** is negative. For example, if lots of people visit one place, then this can damage the environment. The question is - how can we minimize the problems without preventing people from travelling and visiting places?

The main aim of ecotourism is to reduce the negative impact that tourism has on the environment and local people. The idea is to encourage tourists to think about what they do when they visit a place.

It's great to talk about protecting the environment, but how do you actually do this? There are a number of key points. Tourists shouldn't drop litter, they should stay on the paths, they shouldn't interfere with wildlife and they should respect local customs and traditions.

Some people see ecotourism as a contradiction. They say that any tourism needs infrastructure - roads, airports and hotels. The more tourists that visit a place, the more of these are needed and, by building more of these, you can't **avoid** damaging the environment.

But, of course, things aren't so black and white. Living in a place of natural beauty doesn't mean that you shouldn't benefit from things like better roads. As long as the improvements benefit the local people and not just the tourists, and the local communities are consulted on plans and changes, then is there really a problem?

In 2002 the United Nations celebrated the "International Year of Ecotourism". Over the past twenty years, more and more people have started taking eco-holidays. In countries such as Ecuador, Nepal, Costa Rica and Kenya, ecotourism represents a **significant** part of the tourist industry.

21. What is the main idea of the passage?

**A**. A brief introduction about ecotourism **B**. Some Dos for ecotourists

**C**. Some Don'ts for ecotourists **D**. Benefits and drawbacks of ecotoursim

22. In paragraph 1, the word "**it**" refers to \_\_\_\_.

**A**. tourism **B**. environment **C**. impact **D**. damage

23. According to the passage, what does the ecotourism aim at?

**A**. stopping ecotourism altogether **B**. reducing the tourism problems

**C**. preventing tourists from travelling **D**. finding a new form of tourism

24. According to the passage, which of the following is **not mentioned** as an activity to protect the environment?

**A**. not littering **B**. not interfering with wildlife

**C**. respecting local customs and traditions **D**. not hunting animals for food

25. The word "**avoid**" is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_.

**A**. present **B**. pretend **C**. prevent **D**. protest

26. Which of the following is TRUE about the author's opinion?

**A**. Building extra infrastructure in ecotourism areas must be prohibited.

**B**. New infrastructure could be accepted as long as it also helps local people.

**C**. Tourists are consulted about the plans to build new infrastructure.

**D**. Governments are consulted about the plans to build new infrastructure,

27.The word "**sinificant**" is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_

**A**. important **B**. beautiful **C**. interesting **D**. small

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

**A POWERFUL INFLUENCE**

There can be no doubt at all that the Internet has made a huge difference to our lives. (28) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ children spend too much time playing on the Internet, hardly ever doing anything else in their spare time. Naturally, parents are curious to find out 29\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and they want to know if it can be harmful for their children. Should parents be worried if their children are spending that much time staring at their computers?

Obviously, if the children are bent over their computers for hours, absorbed in some game, (30) \_\_\_\_\_\_, then something is wrong. Parents and children can decide how much use the child should make of the Internet, and the child should give his or her word that it won't interfere with homework. (31)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, parents can take more drastic steps. (32)\_\_\_\_\_\_is not much different from negotiating any other sort of bargain about behavior.

**28**. **A**. Parents are worried that **B**. That parents are worried about

 **C**. Although parents are worried **D**. Because parents are worried

**29**. **A**. what the Internet is so attractive **B**. why the Internet is so attractive

 **C**. why the Internet is such attractive **D**. what the Internet is such attractive

**30**. **A**. fond of doing their homework **B**.enoying doing their homework

 **C**. instead of doing their homework **D**. interested in doing their homework

**31**. **A**. If the child were not holding to this arrangement **B**. If the child didn’t hold to this arrangement

 **C**. If the child won’t hold to this arrangement **D**. If the child is not holding to this arrangement

**32**. **A**. deal with a child's use of the Internet **B**. Dealing out a child's use of the Internet

 **C**. to deal with a child's use of the Internet **D**. Dealing with a child's use of the Internet

***4. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.***

**FREE SUNGLASSES AND CASE**

Purchase a 12 month subscription to *Vacation the Nation* today and receive a free pair of Sunnies Sunglasses with your very own soft leather case.\* To get your free Sunnies follow these 3 easy steps.

1. Purchase a copy of *Vacation the Nation*, New York's #1 Travel magazine.
2. Fill out the application card (found in the center of the magazine)
3. Mail the card and $21. 95 US to the address provided

\*This is a limited time offer only. Application and funds must be received no later than Dec 1st 2004. Canadian residents should add $3 US for shipping. Offer not available for residents outside of North America.

**33.** What is this advertisement for?

**A**. A summer trip. **B**. A travel company.
**C**. A special deal. **D**. A free magazine.

**34.** How much do the sunglasses cost?

**A**. They are free with a subscription. **B**. They cost $1.
**C**. They cost $3 Canadian. **D**. They cost $21. 95 US.

**35.** Who cannot benefit from this special deal?

**A**. Canadians.
**B**. UK residents.
**C**. North Americans.
**D**. US residents.

**V. WRITING** (2 points)

**1. Arranage the following sentences to make a meaningful letter/ paragraph**

a. Additionally, I would appreciate it if you could inform me if SGV Vocational School offers any discounts for students

b. Firstly, I would like to ask if there is a test requirement to enroll in the tour guide training courses.

who are financially disadvantaged

c. Thank you for considering my request. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

d. This would greatly assist me in planning for the cost of the training.

e. Dear Sir / Madam,I am writing to enquire about the tour guide training courses offered by SGV Vocational School. I am very interested in exploring different cultures and would like to know more about the courses.

f. Lastly, I would like to know about the daily wage for the apprenticeships provided by SGV Vocational School. It would be great if you could provide me with more information about this opportunity.

**Your answer: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**2. Arranage the following sentences to make a meaningful letter/ paragraph**

b. Our environment is being seriously polluted and we need to protect it from now.

d. First of all, we should reduce, reuse and recycle. We can recycle plastic bottles, cans, paper to reduce garbage

a. Besides, we should purify contaminated lakes or rivers in order to lessen the pollution in the water.

e. Last but not least, the gorvernment should educate about protecting the environment to everybody so that they can aware of it.

c. In conclusion, the Earth is our home so protecting it is everyone's responsibility.

**Your answer: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**3. *Write a short paragraph about how to make your city more beautiful.***

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**VI. SPEAKING** (1 point)

Talk about the benefits of travelling.

Talk about the drawback of travelling.

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