

Họ và tên học sinh:.....Số báo danh:.....

### I. LISTENING

**You will hear an advertisement about a language learning app called "Duolingo." listen to carefully and complete the advertisement. before you hear, you have some time to look through the text. you will hear twice.**

#### LANGUAGE LEARNING APP "DUOLINGO."

A particular language learning app called "Duolingo."

People from different (1)\_\_\_\_\_ of the world speaking various languages. They were engaged in everyday conversations, discussing topics like food, travel, and culture. Learning a new language in real-life contexts . Learning a new language could open (2) \_\_\_\_\_ to new cultures, friendships, and experiences. (3)\_\_\_\_\_ people to start their language learning journey. It dispels the myth that language learning is tedious and difficult. Instead, it presents it as an exciting adventure. It also promotes the Duolingo app as a user-friendly platform to begin this journey.

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| 1. A. countries | B.local     | C. nation      | D.areas       |
| 2. A. ways      | B. roads    | C. doors       | D. windows    |
| 3. A.changed    | B.persuaded | C. unmotivated | D. encouraged |

**Listen to the recording about the role of women in society. Choose the correct answer for each question. You will hear the recording twice.**

4. \_\_\_\_\_ of the world's population are women.  
A. 40 percent                      B. 50 percent                      C. 60 percent                      D. 70 percent
5. Women do most of the domestic work like cooking and \_\_\_\_\_ .  
A. cleaning up the house                      B. feeding the baby  
C. washing clothes                      D. sweeping the house
6. In Africa, the number of men over women does all agricultural work is \_\_\_\_\_ .  
A. less                      B. more                      C. equal                      D. approximate

### II. PRONUNCIATION

**Choose the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the option which is pronounced differently from the others**

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| 7. A. <u>k</u> now | B. <u>k</u> eeP | C. <u>k</u> nee  | D. <u>k</u> nife |
| 8. A. <u>s</u> eal | B. <u>d</u> eal | C. <u>g</u> reat | D. <u>e</u> ach  |

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

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| 9. A. suitable   | B. physical | C. fantastic   | D. popular     |
| 10. A. necessary | B. economy  | C. environment | D. development |

### III LEXICO-GRAMMAR

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

11. Going by bus is cheap, but the taxi is \_\_\_\_\_ .  
A. more comfortable                      B. more comfortable than  
C. most comfortable                      D. the most comfortable
12. Can Tho bridge is the \_\_\_\_\_ one in the South of Viet Nam.  
A. long                      B. shortest                      C. longest                      D. longer

13. My teacher, \_\_\_\_\_ has been teaching for 25 years, finds it hard to make use of electronic devices in her teaching.

- A. she                                      B. who she                                      C. who                                      D. whose

14. Discrimination on the basis of gender \_\_\_\_\_ from workplaces.

- A. should be removed                                      B. must be removed  
C. can be removed                                      D. will be removed

15. UNICEF has helped many \_\_\_\_\_ teenagers continue their education by offering them job training.

- A. active                                      B. advantaged                                      C. disadvantaged                                      D. talented

**IV. READING:**

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

Marriage is an ancient religious and legal practice celebrated around the world. However, wedding customs vary from country to country.

*The Wedding Dress:* In many countries, it is customary for the bride to wear a white dress as a symbol of purity. The tradition of wearing a special white dress only for the wedding ceremony started around 150 years ago. Before that, most women could not afford to buy a dress that they would only wear once. Now, bridal dresses can be bought in a variety of styles. In some Asian countries and in the Middle East, colors of joy and happiness like red or orange other than white are worn by the bride or used as part of the wedding ceremony,

*The Wedding Rings:* In many cultures, couples exchange rings, usually made of gold or silver and worn on the third finger of the left or right hand, during the marriage ceremony. The circular shape of the ring is symbolic of the couple's **eternal union**. In Brazil, it is traditional to have the rings engraved with the bride's name on the groom's ring, an vice versa.

*Flowers:* Flowers play an important role in most weddings. Roses are said to be the flowers of love, and because they usually bloom in June, **this** has become the most popular month for weddings in many countries. After the wedding ceremony, in many countries the bride throws her bouquet into a crowd of well-wishers – usually her single female friends. The person who catches this bouquet will be the next one to marry.

*Gifts:* In Chinese cultures, wedding guests give gifts of money to the newly-weds in small red envelopes. Money is also an appropriate gift at Korean and Japanese wedding. In many Western countries, for example in the U.K, wedding guests give the bride and groom household items that they may need for their new home. In Russia, rather than receiving gifts, the bride and groom provide gifts to their guests instead.

With the continued internationalization of the modern world, wedding customs that originated in one part of the world are crossing national boundaries and have been incorporated into marriage ceremonies in other countries.

**16. Which of the following is the best title of the passage?**

- A. Wedding ceremonies                      B. Wedding customs                      C. Wedding day                      D. Wedding history

**17. The tradition of wearing a special dress only on one's wedding day is \_\_\_\_\_.**

- A. about 150 years                      B. over a century ago  
C. less than 100 years ago                      D. less than 200 years ago

**18. In some cultures, the bride wears a white dress as a traditional symbol of \_\_\_\_\_.**

- A. modesty                      B. secrecy                      C. purity                      D. security

**19. In some Asian and Middle Eastern countries, which colour is NOT considered to be suitable for a wedding?**

- A. red                      B. orange                      C. white                      D. blue

**20. The phrase "eternal union" in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.**

- A. never-ending relationship                      B. lovely relationship  
C. temporary relationship                      D. healthy relationship

**21. The word "this" in paragraph 4 refers to which of the following?**

- A. role                      B. love                      C. June                      D. rose

**22. Which of the following information is TRUE according to the passage?**

- A. Nowadays, every bride can afford to buy a wedding dress to wear only once.  
B. It is believed that any person who catches the bride's bouquet will be the next to marry.  
C. It is customary to write the groom's name on the bride's wedding ring.  
D. Thanks to globalization, one country's wedding customs may be added to other countries.

**Read the passage and choose the best option A, B, C or D.**

In some regions, boys' educational opportunities are (23) \_\_\_\_\_ by gender roles that force them to work rather than attend school. These financial responsibilities are often increased in boys' adolescent years, (24) \_\_\_\_\_ it difficult for them to complete secondary school in some regions.

(25) \_\_\_\_\_, in many parts of the world, girls are most often the victims of gender discrimination as they pursue an education. For instance, for many African girls, five years of schooling is the most education they can expect and they are the lucky ones. Across the sub-Saharan region, almost 33 million girls (26) \_\_\_\_\_ between the ages of 6 and 15 are not in school. 56 per cent of them will never even set foot in a classroom compared to 41 per cent of out-of-school boys.

Moreover, poor girls from rural areas with (27) \_\_\_\_\_ mothers are the children most likely to be excluded from learning opportunities. In West and Central Africa, more than 40 percent of secondary school-aged girls are not in school. More than 60 per cent of illiterate young people in the world are women.

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| 23. A. limiting       | B. limited     | C. limits           | D. limitative    |
| 24. A. making         | B. taking      | C. getting          | D. having        |
| 25. A. In addition    | B. As a result | C. Therefore        | D. However       |
| 26. A. commonly       | B. primarily   | C. roughly          | D. essentially   |
| 27. A. to be educated | B. uneducated  | C. to be uneducated | D. have educated |

**Read the passage and choose the best option A, B, C or D.**

Vietnam's partnership with international organizations is vital for its development. Firstly, it benefits from their expertise and resources, aiding various sectors like healthcare and education. (28) \_\_\_\_\_. Secondly, it gains access to best practices and innovative solutions, (29) \_\_\_\_\_. Furthermore, (30) \_\_\_\_\_ and promotes diplomacy. Moreover, international organizations provide financial support for development projects, driving economic growth and (31) \_\_\_\_\_. In summary, collaboration with these organizations is instrumental in advancing Vietnam's development agenda and strengthening its global position and (32) \_\_\_\_\_.

**28:**

- A. This collaboration enhances Vietnam's capacity to address challenges.
- B. This collaboration boosts Vietnam's economic growth.
- C. This collaboration expands Vietnam's global trade opportunities.
- D. This collaboration empowers Vietnam's technological innovation.

**29:**

- A. facilitates Vietnam's cultural exchange.
- B. accelerates Vietnam's industrialization.
- C. improves efficiency.
- D. strengthens Vietnam's diplomatic relations.

**30:**

- A. enhances Vietnam's military capabilities.
- B. fosters cross-cultural understanding.
- C. facilitates Vietnam's environmental conservation efforts.
- D. promotes Vietnam's tourism industry.

**31:**

- A. facilitates Vietnam's infrastructure development.
- B. encourages Vietnam's agricultural productivity.
- C. promotes Vietnam's renewable energy initiatives.
- D. supports Vietnam's cultural preservation efforts.

**32:**

- A. fosters cross-border cooperation.
- B. enhances Vietnam's cybersecurity measures.
- C. promotes gender equality in Vietnam.
- D. advances Vietnam's digital economy.

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A,B,C or D on your answersheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL DAY OF WOMEN IN DIPLOMACY**

24 June marks the International Day of Women in Diplomacy. Women have long made an (33) \_\_\_\_\_ contribution to peace, development and human rights.

The International Day recognizes this and offers a chance to renew commitment to women's equality (34) \_\_\_\_\_ the interest of all humanity.

This resolution and in the co-sponsors for its really broad cross-regional supports. This day as an annual opportunity to reflect on the successes of women who have paved the way and to commit the United Nations to promote the cause of women to \_\_\_\_\_ (35) \_\_\_\_\_ .

33. A. outsized                      B. outsided                      C. outline                      D. outreach  
34. A. into                      B. in                      C. on                      D. onto  
35. A. diplomats                      B. diplomacy                      C. diplomatics                      D. diplomates

**V. WRITING:**

**Part 1: Write the letter A, B, C, D, E OR F on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions.**

**36:**

- A. Besides, women can be as mentally strong as men.
- B. Finally, both men and women can make great surgeons.
- C. I think that both men and women can do the surgeon's job well.
- D. Therefore, women can perform long and tiring operations as well.
- E. First of all, men and women have the same abilities to learn and apply medical knowledge.

**Your answer:** 1-    ;2-    ;3-    ;4-    ;5-

**37:**

- A. First, we have breakfast together every day. During breakfast, we either eat bread or share our plans for the day.
- B. What do you think about my family routines? Please write back soon and let me know.
- C. Second, every Saturday evening, we watch TV together.
- D. Best wishes.
- E. Hi Joey, how are you? We're all doing fine here. You asked me about my family routines. Here are three main ones.
- F. Lastly, we visit our grandparents on the second Sunday of every month. During our visit, we do some housework for them and have lunch together.

**Your answer:** 1-    ;2-    ;3-    ;4-    ;5-    ;6-

**Part 2: Write a paragraph about 100-120 words about the surgeon's job. Use these following ideas to help you.**

- Is the job traditionally done by men or women?
- What are the main responsibilities of the job? Give details.
- What qualities do people need for the job? Give details or / and explanations.
- Can both men and women do it? Give reasons.
- Will people benefit from having both male and female surgeons?

