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| **UBND QUẬN BÌNH THẠNH**  **TRƯỜNG TRUNG HỌC CƠ SỞ THANH ĐA**  **ĐỀ A** | **ĐỀ KIỂM TRA GIỮA KÌ I**  **NĂM HỌC 2022-2023**  **MÔN TIẾNG ANH LỚP 9**  Thời gian: 45 phút (Không kể thời gian phát đề) |

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