

11: The street food in Hoi An is delicious; _____, it is quite affordable for tourists.

- A. however B. therefore C. moreover D. although

12: The astronaut _____ visited our school yesterday gave an inspiring talk about space exploration.

- A. which B. who C. whom D. whose

PHẦN B: READING (4.0 điểm)

I. Sign/Notice Understanding (0.5 điểm). *Chọn đáp án đúng về ý nghĩa của các biển báo/thông báo sau.*

13: Look at the sign. What does it mean?



- A. Pedestrians are allowed here. B. No pedestrians allowed.
C. Watch out for pedestrians. D. Pedestrian crossing ahead.

14: Look at the notice.

ECO-CLUB: Join us this Sunday to
clean up the beach.
Gloves and bags provided.

- A. You need to bring your own cleaning tools.
B. The event takes place on Saturday.
C. Watch out for pedestrians.
D. Pedestrian crossing ahead.

II. Cloze Test (1.0 điểm)

Đọc đoạn văn và chọn đáp án đúng để điền vào chỗ trống.

In the digital age, electronic devices have become an essential part of our lives, especially in education. Tablets and laptops allow students to access a huge amount of information (15) _____ the internet. They can download digital textbooks, which are much lighter than traditional paper books. Moreover, educational apps make learning more interactive and engaging. For example, language apps can help learners practise listening and speaking skills effectively. However, students should use these devices wisely to avoid (16) _____ from their studies. If used correctly, technology can bring (17) _____ benefits to learners. Teachers also play a key role in guiding students (18) _____ to use technology for self-study.

- 15: A. on B. via C. at D. in
- 16: A. distract B. distractions C. distracted D. distracting
- 17: A. much B. many C. little D. a little
- 18: A. what B. why C. how D. when

III. Reading Comprehension 1 (1.25 điểm)

Đọc đoạn văn và trả lời câu hỏi.

Bat Trang, a traditional pottery village in Hanoi, is famous for its high-quality ceramic products. The village has a history of over seven centuries. Local **artisans** here preserve the old techniques of making pottery by hand. They pass down their skills from generation to generation. Visiting Bat Trang, tourists can not only buy beautiful pottery but also learn how to make it themselves. There are many workshops where visitors can mould clay into cups, bowls, or vases under the guidance of skilled workers. After that, they can paint their products with their own designs. This **hands-on** experience helps people understand the hard work and creativity of the artisans.

19: What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. The history of Hanoi. B. A famous pottery village in Vietnam.
C. How to paint pottery. D. The life of local artisans.

20: How long has Bat Trang village existed?

- A. Less than 100 years. B. Exactly 700 years.
C. More than 700 years. D. Since the last century.

21: The word "**artisans**" in the passage refers to _____.

- A. tourists B. skilled craftspeople C. farmers D. sellers

22: According to the passage, what can tourists do in Bat Trang?

- A. Only buy pottery. B. Make and paint their own pottery.
C. Sell pottery to the villagers. D. Watch TV shows about pottery.

23: The word "**hands-on**" implies that the experience is _____.

- A. boring B. theoretical C. practical D. expensive

IV. Reading Comprehension 2 (1.25 điểm)

Đọc đoạn văn và trả lời câu hỏi.

Ha Long Bay is one of the most magnificent natural wonders in Vietnam, recognized by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. It is famous for its thousands of limestone karsts and isles in various shapes and sizes. However, the beauty of Ha Long Bay is facing some threats. The increasing number of tourists has led to water pollution and waste problems. Plastic bags and bottles are often found floating on the water. To protect this heritage, the local government has launched several campaigns. They encourage tourists to use eco-friendly products and ban single-use plastics on cruise ships. Additionally, volunteers regularly organize clean-up activities to remove trash from the bay. Preserving Ha Long Bay is not just the duty of the government but also the responsibility of every visitor. We need to raise awareness to ensure that this wonder remains beautiful for future generations.

24: What is the best title for the passage?

- A. The History of Ha Long Bay.
- B. Threats to Ha Long Bay and Conservation Efforts.
- C. A Tour to Ha Long Bay
- D. The Geology of Limestone Karsts.

25: According to the passage, what is a major problem in Ha Long Bay?

- A. Lack of tourists.
- B. Air pollution only.
- C. Water pollution and waste.
- D. Dangerous animals.

26: The word "**They**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. Tourists
- B. Plastic bags
- C. The local government
- D. Cruise ships

27: Which statement is NOT mentioned as a solution to protect the bay?

- A. Banning single-use plastics.
- B. Closing the bay to all tourists forever.
- C. Organizing clean-up activities.
- D. Encouraging eco-friendly products.

28: The word "**magnificent**" is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. ugly
- B. impressive
- C. small
- D. simple

PHẦN C: WRITING (3.0 điểm)

I. Letter/Paragraph Rearranging (0.5 điểm)

Chọn phương án đúng nhất để sắp xếp các câu sau.

29:

- (1) I believe that with these preparations, you will have a safe trip.
- (2) You should also bring a map and some necessary medicines.
- (3) First, you need to book your accommodation in advance.
- (4) Here are some tips for your upcoming backpacking trip.

(5) Next, pack light clothes because the weather is quite hot.

A. 4-3-5-2-1

B. 4-1-3-5-2

C. 3-5-2-1-4

D. 4-2-3-5-1

30:

(1) Dear Sir/Madam,

(2) I am writing to apply for the volunteer position at your center.

(3) I look forward to hearing from you.

(4) I have experience in teaching English to children.

(5) Yours faithfully, Nam.

A. 1-2-4-3-5

B. 1-4-2-3-5

C. 2-1-4-5-3

D. 1-3-2-4-5

II. Sentence Rearranging (0.75 điểm)

Sắp xếp các từ/cụm từ để thành câu có nghĩa.

31: expensive / Living / in / is / more / the / than / city / in / countryside / the / . /

32: traditional / We / preserve / should / our / cultural / values / heritage / and / . /

33: confident / If / you / are / , / you / will / interview / pass / the / easily / . /

III. Sentence Rewriting (0.75 điểm)

Viết lại câu sao cho nghĩa không đổi, sử dụng từ gợi ý.

34: "Have you finished your homework?" asked my mother. (ASKED)

=> My mother _____ if I had finished my homework.

35: It's a pity that I don't know how to swim. (WISH)

=> I wish _____ how to swim.

36: They started building this bridge two years ago. (have)

=> They _____ for two years.

IV. Paragraph Writing (1.0 điểm)

Topic: Write a paragraph (100-120 words) about **an important electronic device that helps you in your studies.**

Gợi ý (Suggested ideas):

- Name of the device (e.g., laptop, smartphone, tablet).
- How it helps you (search for information, online dictionaries, online courses).
- Convenience (portable, store many books).
- Conclusion (indispensable tool for modern students).