**ĐÁP ÁN**

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| **TRƯỜNG THPT CHUYÊN**  **HOÀNG VĂN THỤ**  **HÒA BÌNH**  **ĐỀ THI ĐỀ XUẤT** | **KỲ THI HỌC SINH GIỎI CÁC TRƯỜNG THPT CHUYÊN**  **KHU VỰC DUYÊN HẢI VÀ ĐỒNG BẰNG BẮC BỘ**  **LẦN THỨ XV, NĂM 2023**  **ĐỀ THI MÔN:TIẾNG ANH- KHỐI 10**  *Thời gian: 180 phút (Không kể thời gian giao đề)* |

**A. LISTENING (50 points):**

**Part 1.** Listen and complete the notes below. Write NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER for each answer. Write your answers in the corresponding numbered boxes. (10 points)

1. shopping
2. guided tours
3. 15 pounds/ £15
4. more than 12
5. notice board

**Part 2.** You will hear a conversation between Margaret and Larry about space tourism. Decide whether the statements are true (T) or false (F). Write your answers in the corresponding numbered boxes. (10 points)

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| **1 F** | **2 F** | **3 T** | **4 T** | **5 T** |

**Part 3.** You will hear an interview with a woman called Amy Martles, who works as a choreographer, creating dance performances for live shows. For questions 1-5, choose the answer (A, B, C or D) which fits best according to what you hear. (10 points)

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| **1 B** | **2 A** | **3 C** | **4 B** | **5 C** |

**Part 4.** You will hear a talk on the radio about the Loch Ness Monster. For questions 1-10, complete the sentences **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER**. (20 points)

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1. sheep 2. surgeon's 3. boat 4. sightings 5. publicity  
6. photography 7. submarine 8. dolphins 9. flipper  
10. plants / animals (in either order)

**B. LEXICO – GRAMMAR (40 points)**

**Part 1. Choose the correct answer** **to complete each of the following sentences.  Write your answers in the space provided. (20 points)**

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| 1. D | 2. C | 3. D | 4. C | 5. A | 6. A | 7. A | 8. C | 9. B | 10. B |
| 11. C | 12. C | 13. A | 14. B | 15. B | 16. B | 17. A | 18. A | 19. A | 20. C |

**Part 2: Put each word in brackets into an appropriate form. (10 points)**

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| 1. livelihood. | 2. unattended | 3. individuality | 4. impressionable | 5.underestimation |
| 6. systematically | 7. breadwiner | 8. unwritten | 9. indestructible | 10.uncompromising |

**Part 3: Complete each of the following sentences with a suitable preposition or particle. Write your answer in the boxes provided. (10 points)**

1. by 2. through 3. after 4. up 5. down

6. out 7. on 8. down 9. out 10. up

**C. READING (60 points)**

**Part 1: Fill each blank with ONE suitable word. Write your answers in the numbered blanks provided below the passage. (15 points)**

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| 1. as | 2. so | 3. despite | 4. plant | 5. like |
| 6. have/ produce | 7. no | 8. such | 9. how | 10. more |

**Part 2*.* Read the passage and choose the best option to complete the passage. Write your answers in the space provided. (15 points)**

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| **1. C** | **2.C** | **3.D** | **4.A** | **5.A** | **6.D** | **7.B** | **8.D** | **9.B** | **10. C** |

**Part 3: Read the passage and choose the best answers to questions below. (15 points)**

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| 1.A | 2.B | 3.D | 4.B | 5.A |
| 6.B | 7.C | 8.B | 9.B | 10.C |

**Part 4: Questions 1-10**: Read the passage below and do the following exercises. **(15 points)**

**1.**  C **2.**  E **3.**  G **4.**  H **5.**  F **6.**  B **7.**  D

1. hot mantle
2. rounded dome
3. simply eruptions

**D. WRITING *(50 points)***

**Part 1**: **Graph description (20 points)**

1**. Completion**: 2 pts

2. **Content**: 7 pts

- Cover the main information in the chart yet not go into too many details.

- Make general remarks and effective comparisons.

3. **Organisation**: 3 pts

- The ideas are well organized

- The description is sensibly divided into paragraphs

4. **Language**: 7 pts

- Use a wide range of vocabulary and structure

- Good grammar

5. **Punctuation and spelling**: 1 pt

**Part 2: (30 points)**

Youngsters now admire and imitate media and sports personalities even though they do not always set a good example. Do you think that this is a positive or negative development? Express your view in an essay of about 250 words. Give reasons for your answer and include any relevant examples from your own knowledge or experience

1. **Completion:** (3 pts.)

2. **Content**: (10 pts)

Provide relevant and convincing ideas about the topic, supported by specific example and/or reasonable justification.

3. **Organization**: (5 pts)

- Ideas are well organized and presented with unity, cohesion and coherence.

4. **Language**: (10 pts)

- Demonstrate of a wide range of vocabulary and structures.

- Good use of grammatical structures.

- Present the ideas with clarity.

5. **Punctuations and spelling**. (2 pts)

**Tapescript**

**Part 3.** You will hear an interview with a woman called Amy Martles, who works as a choreographer, creating dance performances for live shows.  
Choose the answer A, B, C or D which fits best according to what you hear.  
M: My guest today is the choreographer Amy Martles, who’s put together many diverse dance productions; everything from classical ballet to modern stage musicals and experimental modern dance – the list goes on. Amy, tell us, how did you get into choreography in the first place?  
F: Well I got the performance bug as a kid – you know, we’d put on plays at primary school. Dance was a part of that, though it wasn’t ever to the forefront particularly. Gymnastics was the thing I excelled at, and it was my sports coach who suggested trying private dance classes. She saw something in the way I used my body to communicate feeling, and thought that might be worth developing. She was right. I naturally leaned towards rather athletic dance styles, and there wasn’t much of a repertoire for that, so creating dances was the natural way forward. I like to do my own thing, and movement and gesture are a very effective means of communication. That whole idea’s always fascinated me.  
M: So, do you need to be a good dancer to be a good choreographer?  
F: Well, when I was a dancer, I had the experience of working under a choreographer and I  
keep reminding myself how that felt – how frustrating it can be when the choreographer just seems to be trying out ideas on a whim – and you’re the guinea pig. You know, after a long tiring session, that’s the last thing a dancer wants. Any choreographer worth her salt would pick up on that and call it a day. I’m not sure you have to be an exceptional dancer yourself though, and I know of choreographers who hardly ever set foot on stage themselves – and certainly couldn’t reproduce all the steps. Because that’s not the point really – it’s more what you bring out in others.  
M: Sure. Talk us through how you go about creating a new dance.  
F: Well it really depends – like, sometimes I’m commissioned for a show where the music, the narrative – that’s all in place and I’m working within those constraints – and that’s the  
challenge. Other times it’s an idea that comes first and I work with the composer to create  
something coherent that could be performed as an original piece of dance – and that’s just  
as challenging, but in a different way. For that I create the final version with the dancers,  
seeing what their bodies can manage, which moves are more achievable or visually  
effective. It can be pretty experimental and almost random – like, you might see a  
movement that really works by chance – if, say, a dancer slips and creates a particular  
shape – and you make something of it.  
M: Right. So what do you aim for in your work?  
F: Well, I have to feel that everything comes together as a unified whole, that we’re saying  
something to the audience that’s honest and meaningful. That means having harmony and  
balance in everything – the music, the dance steps, the costumes and the lighting, and  
they’re all equally important. Sometimes you can see a piece that has originality and  
groundbreaking steps, but performed on a set that’s distracting, and the message gets  
blurred. I want to enhance people’s perceptions not confuse them – I want them to  
understand what I’m doing and the idea I’m trying to put across. So it’s more about them  
than me really, but it’s certainly not about impressing them with flashy moves or anything  
like that.  
M: I’ve heard choreographers are very choosey about which dancers they’ll work with. What do you look for in a dancer?  
F: For me, it’s got to be someone who’s ready to collaborate in anything and explore any  
options without pre-conceptions. I’m pretty intolerant of dancers who go in for introspection or whose egos need massaging. Actually, in some ways, working with students is more straightforward because they’ve got the basic training, they’re desperate to learn, but they’re not weighed down with expectations. I guess I like the idea of the blank canvas best. But if I am working with professionals, then it’s more collaborative, and that’s nice too. We develop a conversation about the work and through that something emerges – it’s a coming together of minds, so always stimulating.  
M: And if you’re asked to work on a new production of a well-known piece, is it a very different approach?  
F: I think I stay true to the spirit of the piece – and to my own instincts. All art is created to  
speak to contemporary audiences. Even productions of historical dramas end up being  
about today’s concerns. That’s inescapable. But I wouldn’t set out to change the underlying  
ideas in a piece. I know people will inevitably make comparisons with past productions, and I don’t have a problem with that, but it’s not my starting point. Actually more of an issue for me is the gulf that people perceive between the experimental original piece and the new production of a known work – because it just isn’t as wide as they imagine. Sure, the starting point is different, as are the practical considerations – but if you’re talking about the essence – the choreographer’s vision – her craft if you like – then for me there’s hardly a gulf at all.  
M: Thanks for your insights, Amy …