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| **PHÒNG GIÁO DỤC VÀ ĐÀO TẠO****CẨM GIÀNG****ĐỀ GIỚI THIỆU** | **KỲ THI CHỌN HỌC SINH GIỎI CẤP HUYỆN****NĂM HỌC 2024 - 2025****MÔN THI: TIẾNG ANH – LỚP 9****Ngày thi: …….tháng ……năm 202….***Thời gian làm bài: 150 phút, không kể thời gian giao đề**(Đề thi gồm có 06 trang)* |

**CHÚ Ý:**

**Thí sinh làm bài vào tờ giấy thi**

**Phần trắc nghiệm: Chỉ cần viết số câu và đáp án A, B, C, hoặc D**

**Phần tự luận: Viết đầy đủ theo yêu cầu của bài**

*(Thí sinh không được sử dụng bất cứ tài liệu gì.)*

**A. LISTENING**

**Hướng dẫn làm bài nghe**:

 *Bài nghe gồm có 04 phần, mỗi phần thí sinh được nghe 02 lần. Mở đầu và kết thúc phần nghe có tín hiệu nhạc.*

 *Mọi hướng dẫn cho thí sinh (bằng tiếng Anh) có trong bài.*

**I. Listen to FIVE short conversations and choose the correct answer to each question. (5.0 points)**

**Question 1.** What will they eat for dinner this evening?

**A.** egg **B.** fish **C.** pizza

 **Question 2.** What time is it?

**A.** 2:10 **B.** 2:20 **C.** 2:30

**Question 3.** What’s Michelle going to read?

**A.** a book **B.** a letter **C.** a newspaper

**Question 4.** How much did the tickets cost?

**A.** $19  **B.** $90 **C.** $99

**Question 5.** Where is the Chemist’s?

**A.** next to the supermarket **B.** opposite supermarket **C.** behind the post office

**II. Listen to Eric talking to Mary about the weekend. Their friend, Carlos, is coming to visit them. Listen and choose the correct answer A, B or C (5.0 points)**

**Question** **6.** When is the football match?

**A.** Saturday morning. **B.** Saturday afternoon. **C.** Sunday afternoon. **D.** Sunday morning.

**Question** **7.** Where are they going to eat on Saturday evening?

**A.** at home. **B.** in an Italian restaurant. **C.** in a Chinese restaurant. **D.** in a Vietnamese restaurant.

**Question 8.** What are they going to do on Sunday morning?

**A.** go for a drive. **B.** get up late. **C.** go to the cinema. **D.** watch DVD.

**Question 9.** Where are they going to have lunch on Sunday?

**A.** in a café. **B.** in a pub. **C.** at home. **D.** in the park.

**Question** **10.** What time does Carlos’s train leave?

**A.** 4 p.m **B.** 4 a.m **C.** 2 a.m **D.** 2 p.m

**III. You will hear a tour guide talking to a group of people. Complete the note below with NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER OR A TIME for each answer. (5.0 points)**

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| **PHONE MESSAGE** |
| From: Bike shopColor of bike: (**11**)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Bike costs: (**12**)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Shop has also got: (**13**) bicycle\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Come tonight before: (**14**)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Address to go: (**15**)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

**Question 11.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ **Question 12.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ **Question 13.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ **Question 14.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ **Question 15.** \_\_\_\_\_\_

**IV. You will hear a conversation between Laura and her son, Richard, about preparing for exams. Mark the statements below as true (T) or false (F). (5.0 points)**

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| **Statements** | **T** | **F** |
| ***Example: 0.*** *Richard thinks that last-minute studying is best.* |  |  **√** |
| **Question 16.** Laura thinks that a revision timetable is a good idea.  |  |  |
| **Question 17**. With his present system, Richard will be able to revise everything.  |  |  |
| **Question 18.** Richard agrees that his present lifestyle is crazy. |  |  |
| **Question 19.** Coffee and chocolate help Richard to work better. |  |  |
| **Question 20.** Richard has been exercising properly. |  |  |

**B. LEXICO-GRAMMAR**

**I. Choose the word, phrase or expression that best completes each sentence below.**

**Question** **21.** Do very young children really…… foreign travel?

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| 1. appreciate
 | 1. benefit
 | 1. delight
 | 1. evaluate
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**Question** **22.** Modern techniques call… …the skill of engineers.

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| 1. on
 | 1. in
 | 1. at
 | 1. for
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**Question** **23.** I didn’t come to the party because I ……..

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| 1. don’t invite
 | 1. am not invited
 | 1. was not invited
 | 1. didn’t invite
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**Question** **24.** That director ……..a big company

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| 1. guides
 | 1. runs
 | 1. leads
 | 1. goes
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**Question** **25.** She wishes that she … ….the meeting last week.

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| 1. attended
 | 1. attends
 | 1. had attended
 | 1. would attend
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**Question** **26.** They have given us instant, world-wide communication that…… the world nearer.

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| 1. Takes
 | 1. carries
 | 1. brings
 | 1. pulls
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**Question** **27.** If I ………..a bird, I’d be a dove

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| 1. were
 | 1. am
 | 1. is
 | 1. are
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**Question** **28.** The telephone was …..by Alexander Bell

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| 1. invent
 | 1. inventing
 | 1. invents
 | 1. invented
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**Question** **29.** The player is very skillful…….playing football on the left side.

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| 1. On
 | 1. at
 | 1. in
 | 1. up
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**II. Read the following advertisement/ announcement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 30 to 35.**

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|  **ADVERTISEMENT** WORK FOR SCHOOL COFFEESchool Coffee is a gathering **(30)**\_\_\_\_\_ for high school students. Do you have excellentcommunication skills? Can you work in a **(31)**\_\_\_\_\_? Are you willing to learn? A lot ofteenagers and adults come and work with us, so start your weekend job with us:*• Choose the hours you work•* **(32)**\_\_\_\_\_ *work experience• Meet talented peers and mentors.*Join us as a team member, assistant manager or content writer. Contact: Ms. Thu An.789 Dinh Tien Hoang Street, Binh Thanh District, Ho Chi Minh City. |

**Question 30. A.** mark **B.** point **C.** rooftop **D.** balcony

**Question 31. A.** canteen **B.** Food court **C.** team **D.** food center

**Question 32. A.** Gain **B.** Share **C.** Adopt **D.** Offer

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| **THE POST MERIDIAN RESTAURANT****\*\*\*\*\*\*****Employer:** The Post Meridian Restaurant at the Royal Point Hotel**Job Title:** (**33**) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Server **Purpose:** The banquet server will serve all food and drink at hotel functions.**Reports to:** Manager, Captain, Maiter D'**Primary Duties:** These duties include: • attending pre-meal meetings • bus trays and Queen Mary with other staff members.• serving guests during hotel events and making sure they are (**34**) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.• completing all assigned side work.• knowing what the liquor liability laws are and following them.• reporting damaged equipment to the Manager.• must be able to lift (**35**) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_least fifty pounds.**Qualifications:** Previous experience in food service is preferable. *(Adapted from Hotels and Catering)* |

**Question 33. A.** night shift **B.** party **C.** Banquet **D.** public

**Question 34. A.** available **B.** polite **C.** sincere **D.** comfortable

**Question 35.** **A.** at **B.** on **C.** with **D**. about

II. Give the correct form of the words in brackets. (5.0 points)

**Question 36.**  That little girl can dance \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (**BEAUTY**).

**Question 37.**  Since her \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (**ARRIVE**) the room has been full of laughter.

**Question 38.**  Most modern buildings has underground \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (**PARK**) lots.

**Question 39.**  I went to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (**GROCER**) store to buy something.

**Question 40.**  There is no water left in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (**NEAR**) well.

**III. There are 05 errors in the following passage. Identify the errors, write the line number and correct them.Write your answers in the numbered spaces below. (5.0 points)**

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| **Line** | **Passage** |
| **1****2****3****4****5****6****7****8****9****10****11****12** |  In the 1960s, The Beatles were probably the most famously pop group in the whole world. Since then, there were a great many groups that have achieved enormous fame, so it is perhaps difficult now to imagine how sensational The Beatles were at that time. They were four boys from the north of England and none of them had any training in music. They started by performing and record songs by black Americans and they had some success with these songs. Then they started writing their own songs and that was when they became really popular. The Beatles changed pop music. They were the first pop group to achieve great success from songs they had written themselves. After that it became common for groups and singers to write their own songs. The Beatles did not have a long career. Their first hit record were in 1963 and they split up in 1970. They stopped doing live performances in 1966 because it had become too dangerously for them – their fans were so excited that they surrounded them and tried to take their clothes as souvenirs! However, today some of their songs remain as famous as they were when they first came out. Throughout the world many people can sing part of a Beatles song if you ask them. |

**Question 41.** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Question 42.** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Question 43.** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Question 44.** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Question 45.** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**C. READING**

**I. Five sentences have been removed from the text below. Choose from the sentences A-H the one which fits**

**each gap. There is one extra sentence which you do not need to use. (5.0 points)**

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| **A** | Every day we had a different destination  |
| **B** | I have a whole group of new creative friends |
| **C** | A healthful lifestyle is active  |
| **D** | There were four of us and it was great – more fun than school |
| **E** | There weren’t any tests |
| **F** | Her mum and dad didn’t like her going off by herself |
| **G** | They all sound like lots of fun |

**SUMMER TIME**

This week we speak to three people who have had very different summer holiday experiences. You don’t need to have money to try any of these activities and **00.\_\_\_\_C\_\_\_**!

**We started our very own English club!**

Carla and Ricardo started their own English club. But isn’t that a bit like school? ‘No, not at all,’ Carla laughs. ‘We had a lot of friends who went to London and New York for summer school. That’s a great idea, but a lot of us didn’t have much money and so we decided to start our own summer school right here at home. **46.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_!** Every day one of us brought in some English food. On rainy days we watched films in English and listened to English music and on sunny days we went to the beach, hung out together and chatted in English. It was really good fun and it was cheap too.’ The best thing about the English club? ‘**47.\_\_\_\_\_\_!’**

**I’ve always wanted to make films!**

Sophie had always been mad about film making but she got fed up with working alone all the time. She wrote an advert which said that she was looking for people to make films with. She got a lot of answers and soon had her own small film crew of five teenagers. They wrote a short film script and really enjoyed going to different parts of the city to film scenes. ‘I’m so glad I wrote that advert!’ Sophie says now. ‘**48.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** and we made a short film. It’s a horror movie which we filmed in an old house at night time! The people I met through the advert were such fun and when we weren’t filming we just really enjoyed chilling out and watching films together.’

**I organised a hiking group!**

Florence loves walking and was looking forward to going for long walks in the beautiful countryside near her home. There was only one problem – **49.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** She decided to get together with some friends and start a hiking group. ‘It was amazing!’ Florence says. **50.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.** We had picnics by waterfalls and sunbathed on rocks. Every day someone brought a cake from home and we always found a nice place to sit and eat. I had the best summer ever!’

**II. Read the passage below and decide which option A, B, C or D best fits each space. (10.0 points)**

 In recent years, environmental issues have become increasingly important. One of the biggest challenges we face today is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(51) climate change. This phenomenon is largely caused by human activities, such as burning fossil fuels and deforestation. As a result, global temperatures are rising, leading to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(52) weather patterns and more frequent natural disasters.

Another significant issue is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(53) of natural resources. Many resources, like fresh water and minerals, are being used at an unsustainable rate. This puts pressure on ecosystems and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(54) biodiversity. It is crucial for governments and organizations to work together to promote \_\_\_\_\_\_\_(55) practices that reduce waste and conserve resources.

Individuals can also make a difference by adopting more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(56) lifestyles. For example, using public transportation, reducing energy consumption, and recycling are all effective ways to lessen our environmental impact. Education plays a key role in raising awareness about these issues and encouraging \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(57) behavior.

However, there are also some \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(58) to making these changes. Often, there are economic costs associated with transitioning to greener technologies or practices. Additionally, there may be resistance from industries that benefit from the current systems. Nonetheless, it is essential to address these \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(59) in order to create a sustainable future for all.

Finally, it is important to remember that every small action counts. By working together and making conscious choices, we can contribute to a healthier \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(60) for future generations.

**Question** **51.** **A.** preventing **B.** understanding **C.** addressing **D.** causing

**Question** **52.** **A.** stable **B.** unpredictable **C.** minimal **D.** enjoyable

**Question** **53.** **A.** preservation **B.** degradation **C.** enrichment **D.** celebration

**Question** **54.** **A.** supports **B.** interrupts **C.** reduces **D.** enhances

**Question** **55.** **A.** wasteful **B.** innovative **C.** sustainable **D.** harmful

**Question** **56.** **A.** wasteful **B.** extravagant **C.** eco-friendly **D.** traditional

**Question** **57. A.** harmful **B.** indifferent **C.** proactive **D.** passive

**Question** **58. A.** advantages **B.** barriers **C.** results **D.** solutions

**Question** **59. A.** challenges **B.** rewards **C.** benefits **D.** agreements

**Question** **60. A.** environment  **B.** economy **C.** policy **D.** technology

**III. Read the following passage and choose the best answer to each question. (10.0 points)**

Without the Nile River, the great civilization of ancient Egypt may never have existed. Until about nine thousand years ago, all of Egypt was under water. When the climate began to turn dry, tribes moved from North Africa to land near the river. Small villages appeared along the banks of the Nile. Each village had a chief who would battle other villages. Around 3300 BCE, these tribes came together to form the civilization of ancient Egypt.

One reason ancient Egypt was built around the Nile River was because its yearly flood made farming possible. The flood was so important that religious leaders would perform ceremonies that were believed to cause the river to rise and flood. The flood made the land very good for growing grains such as wheat and barley. Farmers began to plant these crops in November, right after the flood. Because of the Nile, **they** were usually able to grow a lot of crops. If the grain was not used, it would be **stored** for later use. Historians believe this is one reason that ancient Egypt became a powerful and wealthy nation.

The Nile also served as an important means of transportation. Ancient Egypt did not have the wheel, so there were no wagons or carts back then. However, ancient Egyptians learned to build boats so that when the Nile flooded they could use the river as a main road throughout Egypt. It is said that without the Nile, there would be no pyramids. This is because historians think that the huge stones were carried on the river by boat. This would explain why the pyramids sit close to the river on its west bank.

**Question** **61.** What is the passage mainly about?

**A.** Ancient Egyptian civilization

**B.** The formation of ancient Egypt

**C.** The importance of the Nile River in ancient Egypt

**D.** The importance of farmingin ancient Egyptian civilization

**Question** **62.** According to the passage, when did people begin to move to the Nile?

**A.** Nine thousand years ago **B.** After the climate became dry

**C.** When the river began to flood **D.** After the first crops began to grow

**Question** **63.** Which of the following facts about ancient Egyptians is NOT mentioned?

**A.** They were tribes led by chiefs. **B.** They lived along the Nile River.

**C.** They moved from North Africa. **D.** They first arrived on boats.

**Question** **64.** Why does the author mention religious leaders?

**A.** To explain why the Nile flooded every year

**B.** To stress the importance of the Nile’s floods

**C.** To suggest that ancient Europe was a religious society

**D.** To note the role they played in ancient Egyptian society

**Question** **65**. According to the passage, how did the Nile’s floods affect farming along the river?

**A.** They made the land good for growing crops.

**B.** They caused the crops to grow earlier in the year.

**C.** They allowed farmers to plant crops every few years.

**D.** They drowned all the crops, except for wheat and barley.

**Question** **66.** In the second paragraph, the word **they** refers to

**A.** crops **B.** farmers **C.** historians **D.** religious leaders

**Question** **67.** In the second paragraph, the word **stored** is closest in meaning to .

**A.** planted **B.** carried **C.** burned **D.** saved

**Question** **68.** According to the passage, why were there no carts or wagons in ancient Egypt?

**A.** They could not carry large stones. **B.** There were no horses to pull them.

**C.** Ancient Egyptians did not need them. **D.** There were no wheels in ancient Egypt

**Question** **69.** Why did ancient Egyptians learn to build boats?

**A.** There were no roads through ancient Egypt.

**B.** They wanted to build their pyramids far away.

**C.** Boats were easier to make than carts and wagons.

**D.** They needed boats to transport things on the river.

**Question** **70.** What does the author imply about the pyramids sitting close to the Nile?

**A.** The pyramids’ stones were used to make Egypt’s main roads.

**B.** Historians think it is proof that the stones were carried on the Nile.

**C.** The pyramids’ stones were too big for carts and wagons to carry.

**D.** Historians think there were also pyramids far away from the Nile.

**D. WRITING**

**I. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the sentence printed before it. (5.0 points)**

**Question 71.** “ You’d better not lend that man any more money, Mary” - said John.

🖎 John advised .……………………………….………………………..................................................................……………………

**Question 72.** He speaks more fluently than his brother does.

🖎 He is …………………………………………………………...............................................................……………………….…………

**Question 73.** I can not go out with you because I’m not free today.

🖎 If I .…………………………………………………………………........................................................……………………….…………

**Question 74.** “ Could I borrow five pounds from you, Jane?”- asked Nick.

🖎 Nick asked Jane if she …………….………………………………………………..................................................................….

**Question 75.** Adeles tries hard, but she doesn't get anywhere.

🖎 However ……..………………………………………….............................................................…………………………….…………

**II. This is part of a letter you have received from John, your pen pal from America. In about 100 - 120 words, write a letter to answer his questions. (10.0 points)**

***“I live in a really busy street. What is it like where you live? If you were able to move, where would you like to live?”***

***NOTE: You are required to******sign your name as Khanh Linh!***

**III. Some people say that the prevention of health problems and illnesses is more important than treatments and medicine. To what extent do you agree or disagree with this statement?**

**In about 150-170 words, write a paragraph to support your opinion. (15.0 points)**

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*Họ và tên thí sinh:……………………………………………... Số báo danh:…………….....……..*

*Chữ ký giám thị 1:……………………….......… Chữ ký giám thị 2:……………………….......…*