**Tiếng Anh 8 – i-LEARN SMART WORLD**

***UNIT 2 TEST - KEYS***

**I. PRONUNCIATION**

***A. Choose the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.***

1. A. church B. chemistry C. lunch D. cheese

2. A. Christmas B. armchair C. teacher D. chocolate

3. A. school B. headache C. character D. children

***B. Choose the word whose primary stress is NOT placed on the first syllable.***

4. A. never B. country C. prefer D. weather

***C. Choose the word whose primary stress is NOT placed on the second syllable.***

5. A. another B. flower C. computer D. because

**II. USE OF ENGLISH**

***Choose the best option (A, B, C or D) to complete each of the following questions.***

6. It’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to have a walk along the rice fields early in the morning.

A. relaxed B. relaxes C. relax D. relaxing

7. People in the countryside prefer \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the rice they grow in their fields.

A. to eat B. ate C. eat D. eats

8. Lisa’s hometown is about 250 kilometers \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Ho Chi Minh city.

A. for B. from C. to D. away

9. **Jane’s mom:** People in the countryside often have a healthy lifestyle. - **Jane:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. Really? I love the countryside, too. B. I disagree. They don’t have good doctors.

C. I agree. They do more physical activities. D. I agree. They usually eat fruit and fish.

10. **Liz:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ does John play spinning tops? - **Ben**: Not often, about once or twice a month.

 A. How long B. How far C. When D. How often

11. One of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ festivals in the countryside is Mid-Autumn festival.

A. traditional B. tradition C. traditionally D. traditions

12. My sister seldom plays badminton after work, she prefers \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the nearby river.

A. swims B. to swim C. to swimming D. swam

13. It’s very interesting to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ activities like a lantern parade.

A. take part B. participating C. participate D. take part in

14. **Tom:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_? **Peter:** Good idea. It’s the best place to play shuttlecock.

A. What are you going to do this afternoon? B. How about going to the park after school?

C. Do you like to play shuttlecock? D. How often do you play shuttlecock?

15. There’s not much \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the countryside. People usually enjoy the fresh air there.

A. noise B. water C. pollution D. air

16. Some folk games in the countryside can keep children away \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their cell phones.

A. to B. from C. for D. with

17. Most students in my class are hard-working. They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ finish all their homework before they come to class.

A. always B. sometimes C. rarely D. never

**III. WORD FORMATION**

***A. Write the correct compound of the words in brackets.***

18. Russia is known as one of the biggest countriesin the world. (COUNTRYSIDE)

***B. Write the correct form of the words in brackets.***

19. No one is bringing raincoats or umbrellas. Rainy weather at this time of year is very unusual. (USUALLY)

20. They announced the time and place of the Hiền Lương Village Tết festival last night. (ANNOUNCEMENT)

**IV. ERROR RECOGNITION**

***Find the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.***

21. We’d like to announce the village festival will take place on January 21st to February 2nd. A B C D

22. All the children are interested in the animal perform at the festival.

 A B C D

**V. READING**

***Read the text and choose the best answer, A, B, C, or D, for each question.***

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| **Milford Nature Festival!****The event for all the family!**Come and celebrate the first day of spring on Saturday 1st April, with: * a flower show [at 11.00 and 2.00]
* tree planting [at 11.30 and 2.30]
* a nature walk [at 12.00 and 3.00]
	+ with information about all the flowers and trees from a plant scientist
* and entertainment for all the family, including:
	+ tug of war [3 age groups]
	+ face painting for younger visitors
	+ competitions

The event starts at 10.00 on the grass near the west gate of South Park, opposite the Milford Sports Center. The gate opens at 9.00. You can get:* an all-day ticket for just $10
	+ 10.00 to 4.00
* a half-day ticket for $6
	+ 10.00 to 1.00

or * + 1.00 to 4.00

[students and under 11s = 50% discount] |

23. What does the festival celebrate?

A. The start of a month

B. The beginning of a season

C. Flowers

D. Trees

24. Where does the festival take place?

A. In South Park

B. Near South Park

C. In the Milford Sports Center

D. In Westgate

25. How much does a half-day ticket cost for a 10-year-old student?

A. $3

B. $5

C. $6

D. $10

26. What takes place in the afternoon?

A. A flower show.

B. Tree planting.

C. A nature walk.

D. All three things.

27. How long does the festival last?

A. 3 hours.

B. 4 hours.

C. 5 hours.

D. 6 hours.

**VI. LISTENING**

***Listen to a conversation between two friends. Choose the best answer, A, B, C, or D, for each question.***

28. What does the girl like about the village?

A. The sound of birds.

B. The insects.

C. The wildflowers.

D. The peace and quiet.

29. The girl

A. would like to move to the city.

B. would like to stay in the country.

C. would like to live in a large town.

D. is not sure about the best place to live.

30. The girl and the boy agree about

A. the facilities in the village.

B. the transport in the village.

C. the problems of living in a city.

D. the idea of living in a large town.

31. The boy doesn’t want to move to the city because

A. he likes his house.

B. he loves his bedroom.

C. cities are noisy and dirty.

D. city people are not friendly.

32. How is the girl getting home?

A. By car.

B. By bus.

C. On foot.

D. On her bicycle.

**VII. WRITING**

***A. Rewrite the following sentences without changing their meaning. Use the given word(s) if any.***

33. The food and drink at the outdoor dinner tonight are free for children under 11. (PAY)

→ Children under 11 don’t have to pay for the food and drink at the outdoor dinner tonight.

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34. My mother hates noisy parties and crowded places. (NEVER)

→ My mother never goes to noisy parties and crowded places.

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35. Julie doesn’t usually take part in traditional festivals because she works in the city.

→ Julie works in the city, so she doesn’t usually take part in traditional festivals.

36. Jack sometimes rides his bike around the countryside to enjoy some fresh air.

→ Jack sometimes goes around the countryside to enjoy some fresh air by bike.

→ Jack sometimes goes by bike around the countryside to enjoy some fresh air.

→ Jack sometimes goes cycling around the countryside to enjoy some fresh air.

→ Jack sometimes goes biking around the countryside to enjoy some fresh air.

***B. Use the given words or phrases to make complete sentences.***

37. There / a lot / outdoor / activity / for / children / the countryside / .

→ There are a lot of outdoor activities for children in the countryside.

→ There are a lot of outdoor activities for the children in the countryside.

38. Most / big / city / world / seriously / polluted / .

→ Most big cities in the world are seriously polluted.

→ Most big cities around the world are seriously polluted.

→ Most big cities all over the world are seriously polluted.

→ Most big cities throughout the world are seriously polluted.

→ Most big cities all around the world are seriously polluted.

***C. Put the words in the correct order to make correct sentences.***

39. to play / games / folk / students / like / young / Most / .

→ Most young students like to play folk games.

40. do / often / they / how / hometown / visit / their / ?

→ How often do they visit their hometown?

***\*\*\*\*\* THE END \*\*\*\*\****

**\*Audio script\***

Girl: I’m so bored living here.

Boy: Why? Don’t you love the birds and the insects and the wildflowers?

Girl: The birds wake me up, the insects are all around my head, and the wildflowers make me ill. I have a problem at this time of year.

Boy: Oh, dear. Perhaps you’d like a noisy city?

Girl: Well, no. I like the quiet roads here, but I’d love all the facilities, like trains, shops, and movie theaters.

Boy: So do you really want to move away?

Girl: Yes, but I don’t want to live in a dirty city. A large town near the city would be best.

Boy: I love it here, but it’s true that it’s boring sometimes, with no movie theater and only one coffee shop.

Girl: So you want to leave here, too?

Boy: No! Our house is small, but my bedroom is great. I don’t want to share with my brother in a small apartment in the city.

Girl: Also, they say that city people aren’t very friendly.

Boy: Yes, but some of our village people are unfriendly, too!

Girl: I must go. That’s my mum’s car.

Boy: Why don’t you walk home?

Girl: I told you! The flowers make me ill. Do you want a ride?

Boy: No, thanks. I’m walking.