

ĐỀ THI HỌC KÌ 2 – ĐỀ SỐ 2

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I. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

1. A. social B. cloning C. online D. emotion
 2. A. study B. upgrade C. capture D. chunk

II. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of the main stress in each of the following questions.

3. A. heritage B. cultivate C. safari D. holiday
 4. A. complete B. promise C. design D. expect

III. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

5. During the pandemic of Coronavirus, besides e-learning, Vietnamese students could also learn by watching lessons which were _____ on TV.

- A. broadcast B. downloaded C. programmed D. performed

6. David had difficulty choosing an online dictionary, so his teacher _____ him some advice.

- A. took B. passed C. offered D. explained

7. The Great Barrier Reef, _____ world's largest coral reef system, is located in _____ Coral Sea.

- A. no article / the B. the / the C. the / no article D. no article / no article

8. Don't forget _____ the lights when you leave the room.

- A. turning off B. turning on C. to turn off D. to turn on

9. My teacher says that the telephone _____ by Alexander Graham Bell in 1876.

- A. invented B. was invented C. had invented D. has been invented

10. Augmented reality applications _____ in several areas for many years now.

- A. use B. have been used C. were used D. are being used

11. Costa Rica is one of _____ eco-tourism destinations to visit in the world.

- A. the good B. the better C. the best D. much better

12. WWF, _____ main aim is to conserve nature and reduce the most pressing threats to biodiversity, was founded in 1961 in Switzerland.

- A. whose B. which C. that D. where

13. Noah _____ me that he was interested in the field of information technology.

- A. said B. spoke C. told D. asked

14. Nature lovers enjoy _____ because they can see breathtaking scenery and lots of wild animals.

- A. beach holidays
B. package holidays
C. sightseeing holidays
D. eco-holidays

15. A _____ is a container into which you place organic waste to turn into compost over time.

- A. compost bin B. recycle bin C. rubbish bin D. dustbin

IV. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to show the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

16. Thanks to the Internet, we can access to vast amounts of information quickly and easily.

- A. Thanks to B. access to C. vast amounts D. quickly and easily

17. This online course offers learners opportunities to interact between students from five different countries in Asia.

- A. offers learners B. between C. from D. five different countries

18. The scenery in Ba Be National Park is magnificent and the locals are friendly and hospitably.

- A. in B. is C. the locals D. hospitably

V. Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best completes each of the following exchanges.

19. Student A: _____ - Student B: It was great fun. I visited many interesting sites.

- A. What did you do and buy on your holiday?
B. What was the weather like?
C. How many places did you visit?
D. How was your holiday?

20. Student A: Mobile phones bring several benefits to students. - Student B: _____. They can use their phones to study online.

- A. I don't think so B. You're wrong
C. I don't quite agree D. You can say that again

VI. Read the following passage and choose the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

Many people would feel a little bit worried about travelling in an autonomous, or self-driving car. However, this kind of transport is already a reality. The idea behind self-driving cars is fairly simple: build a car with cameras and radars that can (21) _____ the vehicle's surroundings in 360 degrees, perfectly distinguishing road markings, traffic signs, vehicles, people, and all other elements in the environment. The in-car computers then use this information to predict how other objects will move, and determines its own route. There are plenty of advantages to self-driving cars. Imagine getting into your car, typing or saying a(n) (22) _____ into your vehicle's interface, then letting it drive you to your destination while you read a book, surf the web, or nap. Moreover, self-driving vehicles (23) _____ to be safer. "These cars won't get drunk or high, drive too fast, or take unnecessary risks – things people do all the time", said Robin Chase – the founder of Buzzcar. Unfortunately, at the moment, fully self-driving vehicles are not readily available.

(24) _____ some automakers and technology companies are getting closer and closer to coming out with fully autonomous vehicles, they're still years away. Still, there are a few vehicles that offer advanced driver

(25) _____ features that make them close to being able to drive themselves, such as audible alerts, visual displays or warning signals.

21. A. interact B. feel C. control D. scan
 22. A. location B. journey C. site D. area
 23. A. are suggested B. are expected C. make D. design
 24. A. Because B. Since C. Although D. When
 25. A. assistance B. assistant C. assisting D. assist

VII. Read the following passage. For each of the questions, write T if the statement is TRUE, F if the statement is FALSE and NI if there is NO INFORMATION on it.

Digital technologies are continually transforming the field of education. According to Gallup survey, 87 percent of American public school teachers use digital tools every week. Among the most significant trends in EdTech (educational technology), augmented reality (AR) takes a leading position. Augmented reality is the idea that you're bringing animation or 3D images into your real world and using your device to see something that isn't actually there. If you are not familiar with this concept, perhaps the best example is Pokémon Go. Unlike VR, AR doesn't require any expensive hardware. Because most people currently own a smartphone, AR technologies are immediately available for use for the majority of the target audience. AR can bring a number of benefits in education. It helps the students grasp abstract concepts through rich visuals and gain hands-on experience in low-risk virtual settings. For example, students can explore the internal organs of a frog easily without dissecting frogs in biology class. Or teachers can use AR to create a tornado right into the classroom so students can experience these destructive storms close up. Besides, AR can replace textbooks, physical forms, posters, and printed brochures. This helps reduce the cost of learning materials and makes it easy for everyone to access. Interactive, gamified AR learning also keeps students engaged throughout the lesson and makes learning fun and effortless. Moreover, every category of learners, from elementary school students to long-time professionals, can benefit from AR learning.

26. AR is a technology that uses mobile devices to create real-world objects.
 27. AR requires no extra equipment besides the smartphone.
 28. AR technology has a lot of educational advantages.
 29. AR technology doesn't cost as much as textbooks.
 30. AR may not be suitable for professional training.

VIII. Rewrite the following sentences in the reported speech. Use the given word(s) if any.

31. "I'm going to buy a new laptop next Monday," Linda said to Oscar.

=> Linda told _____.

32. You can download these study materials onto your computer at any time.

=> These study materials _____.

33. Camping doesn't cost as much as booking a hotel room. (EXPENSIVE)

=> Camping _____.

34. Sarah is willing to pay more for organic food because she believes it's better for her health.

=> Sarah doesn't mind _____.

35. "I will show you how to connect the printer to your computer," my friend told me.

=> My friend said _____.

IX. You will hear two friends talking about a place. Listen and decide if the following sentences are True or False.

36. Bob has already known about Paula.

37. Paula is an island country in the western Pacific.

38. Paula has got a tropical climate and is mostly covered in rainforests.

39. The Palau National Marine Sanctuary contains about 800 marine species.

40. Janet can't do anything to help with marine conservation.

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