

ĐỀ THI HỌC KÌ 1 – ĐỀ SỐ 4

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Exercise 1. Which word has the underlined part pronounced differently from that of the others?

1. A. stop B. profit C. solar D. product
 2. A. cave B. valley C. wave D. volcano

Exercise 2. Which word has a different stress pattern from that of the others?

3. A. era B. follow C. bamboo D. fashion
 4. A. musician B. media C. interest D. indigo

Exercise 3. Choose the answer (A, B, C or D) that best fits the space in each question.

5. Elevate your workout with the ultimate performance _____ and sports bras from our newest collection.

- A. leggings B. shorts C. pants D. jeans

6. It was the decade _____ people only had black-and-white TVs.

- A. then B. when C. which D. X

7. At six o'clock yesterday evening, my mom _____ her favorite TV program.

- A. watches B. has watched C. was watching D. watched

8. Which one has the same meaning as this sentence "We used to be friends."

- A. We are friends forever. C. We are no longer friends.
 B. We will be friends. D. We have been friends for years.

9. Could I have _____ of butter, please?

- A. a few B. a bit C. a more D. a lots

10. People are not protecting Mother Earth, _____?

- A. are they B. aren't they C. is it D. isn't it

11. This is a(n) _____ kettle that switches itself off when it boils.

- A. automatic B. secondhand C. multifunctional D. homemade

12. I'm afraid there aren't _____ for everyone.

- A. enough desserts B. desserts enough C. too much desserts D. much desserts

13. Do you know how much energy a _____ panel produces?

- A. sun B. sunny C. solar D. non-solar

14. Sơn Đoòng Cave holds the world's largest natural cave _____ a volume of 38.5 million m³.

- A. in B. for C. with D. into

15. Although Nam had an interesting solo trip around Viet Nam, he found it hard to _____ his friends and family.

- A. stay with B. leave behind C. stop off D. carry on

16. A desert is a large area covered with sand or rocks, and with very little _____.

- A. evaporation B. solidification C. precipitation D. liquefaction

Exercise 4. Supply the correct form of the word given in each sentence.

17. They paid less for the house because it was in a/an _____ part of town. (FASHION)
 18. Cristiano Ronaldo was the first footballer to reach 100 million _____ on Instagram. (FOLLOW)
 19. Millions of wild flowers color the valleys _____ in April and May. (SPECIAL)
 20. A scientist has _____ a new species that belongs to a group of rare insects whose closest relative was last seen in 1969. (DISCOVERY)

Exercise 5. Read the following and decide if the following sentences are True or False.

In recent years, environmentalists have raised concerns about the future of food. Every year, 1.3 billion tons of food are consciously thrown away by consumers while over one-tenth of the population still go hungry. Many governments have started to take remedial action to reduce food waste. Since 2013, for example, the US government has launched the Food Waste Challenge, encouraging restaurants, schools and universities to make contact with hunger relief organizations like food banks and pantries. It also forces food manufacturers and stores to improve their product storage systems through which food can be kept longer. In addition, food suppliers are required to recycle their discarded but unexpired products to feed animals or create compost, bioenergy and natural fertilizers. In Viet Nam, diners at some buffet restaurants have to make a heavy charge for extra amounts of leftovers whereas some food retailers offer a big discount on near-expired products.

21. Food waste has recently caused concern among environmentalists.
 22. Not many countries want to address the problem of food waste.
 23. According to the US Food Waste Challenge, leftovers should not be given to food banks.
 24. Vietnamese buffet diners have to pay more than normal if they leave food behind.

Exercise 6. Choose the word (A, B, C or D) that best fits each blank space in the following passage.

I have always been a huge (25) _____ of video games, and no other game has developed my creativity like Minecraft. First released in 2011, the game is the (26) _____ game in history with over 140 million active players every month. In this game, I can not only explore many different worlds and build from the simplest of homes to the grandest of castles, but also (27) _____ my own stories, write my own destiny and bring my fantasies to life.

What I really like about Minecraft is that the game allows me to interact with other players who have a common interest. We can communicate with each other, gather materials for construction and fend (28) _____ potential risks together. Other games may let you buy a home with the money you earn, but (29) _____ of them really challenge you to search for building elements and make it yourself. What a (30) _____ of ownership!

25. A. fan B. fan C. form D. film
 26. A. sold best B. selling-best C. best-selling D. best-to-sell
 27. A. tell B. say C. inform D. answer
 28. A. up B. in C. off D. with

29. A. all B. both C. no D. none
 30. A. sense B. icon C. symbol D. emotion

Exercise 8. Rewrite each of the following sentences in another way so that it means almost the same as the sentence printed before it.

31. Sarah used to pay the bills.

□ The bills _____.

32. It is interesting to read the book. (INTERESTED)

□ I am _____.

33. How about trying on the shirt?

□ Why not _____.

34. Elizabeth is a big fan of comics. (INTO)

□ Elizabeth is _____.

35. Vietnamese pop music developed in the eighties. (WHEN)

□ The eighties was _____.

Exercise 9. Listen to the small talk and fill in each with NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS.

We only have five senses. I wonder why. It doesn't seem a lot. We have the senses of smell, touch, taste, (36) _____ . Many people say they have a (37) _____ sense. That's when you can sense things are happening that other people can't. Perhaps you can see into the future or talk to (38) _____. I'm not so sure this is a real sense. Of all our senses, I think the sense of sight is the most (39) _____. It's the most beautiful sense. I can't imagine not being able to see colours, or my children's happy, laughing faces as they grow up. I'm not sure about my next favourite sense. Is it taste or is it hearing? What would I miss most, tasting ice cream or listening to music? That's a (40) _____ one. I wonder if this is the same for everyone.

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