

ĐỀ THI HỌC KÌ 2 – ĐỀ SỐ 2

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PART 1. LISTENING

A vlogger is talking about herself. Listen and decide if each of the statements is T (True) or F (False).

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1. Anne has more than 500,000 subscribers.

A. True

B. False

2. Anne doesn't share her mistakes on social media.

A. True

B. False

3. Thanks to her balanced lifestyle, she's mentally and physically healthy.

A. True

B. False

4. She thinks people shouldn't spend too much time and money on their beauty.

A. True

B. False

Listen to Mia, Tom and Owen and choose the correct option to complete the sentences.

Tải audio [tại đây](#)

5. Mia thinks that email puts pressure on people because _____.

A. people's computers crash

B. emails sometimes don't arrive

C. we are expected to give an instant response

6. Tom says that Beijing has grown because people _____.

A. don't have as much money as before

B. came from around the world to get rich

C. came from all over China to make money

7. Owen says that living conditions around the world _____.

A. are improving, even though many people are still living in terrible poverty

B. are terrible and are going in the wrong direction

C. are not improving, and more and more people are living in poverty

8. Owen thinks that there are _____.

A. fewer wars than before, but weapons are getting more dangerous

B. more wars than before, and weapons are getting more dangerous

C. the same number of wars as before, and weapons are getting safer

PART 2. READING

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, and D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

Volunteer Recruitment

Summer Science Camp

Location: Greenfield Academy, Maplewood School, Hillside College

Dates: 20th June – 5th August 2024

Ages: 15 – 18 years old

We are excited to announce that our school is hosting a Summer Science Camp (9) _____ to inspire young minds. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to explore the world of science through fun and interactive activities.

The camp will take place at Greenfield Academy, Maplewood School, and Hillside College from June 20th to August 5th. It is open (10) _____ students aged 15 to 18 who are curious about science and eager to learn. Our program includes daily workshops (11) _____ include interactive experiments and group projects. In addition to these activities, there will be exciting excursions to science museums and research centers. Experienced instructors will guide students through various (12) _____ fields, motivating them to pursue their passion for discovery.

On-campus accommodation with full-time supervision ensures a safe and supportive environment. Whether you are new to science or already fascinated by it, this camp offers something for everyone.

Don't miss this opportunity to (13) _____ your sense of curiosity and discover new passions! We genuinely look forward to (14) _____ you there for an unforgettable summer of learning and fun adventures!

9.

A. designing

B. designed

C. design

D. to design

10.

A. to

B. for

C. with

D. by

11.

A. when

B. where

C. which

D. who

12.

A. scientific

B. scientific

C. scientist

D. science

13.

A. reduce

B. boost

C. hinder

D. deter

14.

A. have seen

B. be seen

C. see

D. seeing

Read the following advertisement and mark the letter A, B, C and D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

Discover the Power of Mass Media

Are you looking to boost your brand's (15) _____ and reach thousands of viewers? Mass media can help you achieve that! With a (16) _____ on TV, radio, and online platforms, your message will be seen and heard by a wide audience. Commercials, which are designed to grab attention, can be created for you by professional teams, (17) _____ your product stands out.

By using platforms that are trusted by millions, your brand will grow in ways you have never imagined. (18) _____ it's through ads that are made to inspire or campaigns that are crafted to inform, mass media works like a charm to deliver results. Don't miss this chance to connect (19) _____ your audience in a way (20) _____ leaves a lasting impression. Contact us today and let your story be told!

15.

A. publicity

B. public

C. publicly

D. publicize

16.

A. strong presence media

B. presence strong media

C. strong media presence

D. media presence strong

17.

A. ensuring

B. ensure

C. to ensure

D. which ensured

18.

A. While

B. When

C. Whether

D. If

19.

A. for

B. with

C. by

D. to

20.

A. whose

B. who

C. whom

D. that

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

The integration of technology into education has transformed the learning experience for both students and teachers. Digital tools, such as tablets and online resources, (21) _____. As a result, learning has become more interactive and accessible to a wider audience.

One of the significant advantages of using technology in education is the ability to customize learning experiences. Students can work through learning materials at their own pace and choose resources (22) _____. This personalized approach has been shown to enhance engagement and motivation, leading to better academic performance.

Furthermore, technology facilitates collaboration among students and teachers. (23) _____. This collaborative learning environment helps students develop essential skills such as teamwork and problem-solving, which are critical in today's job market.

(24) _____. Dependence on technology in classrooms can lead to distractions and hinder the development of critical thinking skills. Educators must find a balance between incorporating technology and maintaining traditional teaching methods to ensure a well-rounded education.

Finally, the cost of implementing new technologies can be a significant barrier for some educational institutions. (25) _____. It can also restrict the amount of support and supplies provided to teachers and students. Thus, it is essential for schools to seek funding and support to effectively integrate technology into their curricula.

21.

- A. have significantly altered the traditional classroom environments
- B. having gradually replacing traditional classroom environments
- C. are rapidly depleting traditional classroom environments
- D. is transforming the way we see traditional classroom environments

22.

- A. that suit their individual learning styles
- B. progressing through their lessons
- C. which represents the educational achievements
- D. engaged with educational content at schools

23.

- A. The use of digital platforms enables real-time communication and idea sharing
- B. Access to online forums and discussion groups make it hard to share ideas and converse
- C. The collaborative tools and resources requires communication regardless of distance
- D. Technology's role in promoting group projects allows users to exchange thoughts instantly

24.

- A. Hence, overexposure to digital devices improves concentration
- B. However, the reliance on technology also raises concerns
- C. Besides, excessive screen time leads to better learning outcomes
- D. Nevertheless, electronic devices eliminates the need for critical thinking

25.

- A. The required financial investment stretches their budgets thin
- B. That financial limitation creates budget problems for numerous schools
- C. The increasing affordability of advanced educational technology promotes innovation
- D. The challenge of maintaining outdated systems places burden on many schools

Read the following passage about Consumer Electronics Show and mark the letter A, B, C, D on your answer sheet to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions.

The Consumer Electronics Show in Las Vegas is always a spectacle of innovation. Imagine walking into the convention halls and being greeted by the next generation of artificial intelligence not just as digital assistants,

but as deeply integrated companions that anticipate our needs in ways we've only dreamed of. AI **could be woven into every fabric of our daily lives**, from personalized health monitoring to enhancing our creative endeavors.

Virtual and augmented reality have been making leaps and bounds, and by 2025, we might finally see the lines between the digital and physical worlds blur in profoundly immersive ways. Envision slipping on a pair of sleek AR glasses and instantly transforming your surroundings into a customized workspace or an interactive learning environment. This could make remote interactions feel as natural as face-to-face conversations.

[I] Sustainability is another trend that's been gaining momentum. [II] Tech companies are increasingly **conscious** of their environmental footprint, and at CES 2025, I wouldn't be surprised to see a plethora of eco-friendly gadgets. [III] Imagine homes equipped with smart systems that optimize energy use, reducing waste and promoting a greener lifestyle without sacrificing comfort or convenience. [IV]

The Internet of Things (IoT) is likely to become even more interconnected and intuitive. Smart homes could evolve into empathetic environments that adjust lighting, temperature, and ambiance based on our moods or health metrics. Perhaps we'll see refrigerators that not only keep track of groceries but also suggest recipes to reduce food waste, or closets that recommend outfits based on the weather forecast and your calendar.

Transportation technology is on the cusp of a revolution. Electric vehicles are just the beginning. By 2025, CES might showcase advancements in autonomous driving systems becoming mainstream, or even personal air transportation like flying cars or drones. It's thrilling to think about commuting not just on roads but through the skies, potentially reshaping urban planning and our daily lives.

Biotechnology could also take center stage. Wearables may transition from fitness trackers to health guardians, capable of monitoring municipal signs with medical-grade accuracy, predicting health issues before they arise, and seamlessly communicating with healthcare providers. **This integration of tech and wellness could empower us to lead healthier, more informed lives.**

While these are educated speculations based on current trends, the magic of CES lies in its ability to introduce the unexpected innovations that challenge our perceptions and expand the boundaries of what's possible. The 2025 show is bound to unveil something that will make us all stop and marvel.

26. According to the passage, which technological advancement might make remote interactions feel as natural as face-to-face conversations?

- A. Empathetic smart homes
- B. Artificial intelligence companions
- C. Advanced virtual and augmented reality
- D. Autonomous transportation systems

27. The phrase "**woven into every fabric of our daily lives**" in paragraph 1 could best be replaced by _____.

- A. totally separated from all of our regular activities
- B. integrated thoroughly throughout our everyday routines

- C. hidden away in selected aspects of everyday life
- D. entirely neglected in most parts of our day-to-day existence

28. The word **conscious** in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to_____.

- A. aware
- B. mindful
- C. distressing
- D. oblivious

29. Where in paragraph 3 does the following sentence best fit?

Think biodegradable wearables or devices powered entirely by renewable energy sources.

- A. [I]
- B. [II]
- C. [IV]
- D. [III]

30. Which of the following best summarizes paragraph 4?

- A. Biotechnology is about to seamlessly integrate in personal health monitoring.
- B. The rise of sustainable technologies could help reduce negative environmental impacts.
- C. The lot being more intuitive and interconnected may enhance everyday conveniences.
- D. Our daily life is likely to undergo a transformation with the help of smart companions.

31. All of the following are mentioned as potential advancements showcased at CES 2025 EXCEPT _____.

- A. smart homes adjusting to our health metrics
- B. confirmed updates about specific products
- C. personal air transportation like flying cars
- D. biodegradable wearables or devices

32. What potential feature of future refrigerators is discussed in the passage?

- A. Automatic restocking of groceries via drones
- B. Suggesting recipes to reduce food waste
- C. Voice-activated access
- D. Enhanced cooling efficiency

33. Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 6?

- A. The fusion of technology with health may enable us to live better and more knowledgeable lives.
- B. Using technology in wellness is unnecessary for remarkably improving ordinary people's lifestyles.
- C. Combining technology and health might completely mystify us about our well-being.
- D. Technology and wellness merging could make health services more and more expensive.

34. What can be inferred about the author's attitude toward technological advancements at CES?

- A. Indifferent to the considerable changes they may bring

- B. Concerned about technological overreach
- C. Optimistic and enthusiastic about their potential impact
- D. Skeptical about their practical applications

35. Which of the following best summarizes the passage?

- A. There are speculated to be transformative technological innovations at CES 2025, impacting various aspects of life.
- B. Current technological advancements are being widely criticised because of their shortcomings.
- C. A report on confirmed technologies is to be presented at CES 2025, highlighting potential impacts on various aspects of life.
- D. A detailed analysis of past CES events led to some profound changes in current technology.

PART 3. SPEAKING & WRITING

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best arrangement of utterances or sentences to make a meaningful exchange or text in each of the following questions.

36.

- a. Mark: I agree. The Cycling-to-school programme proposed by Class 12C is going to impress the judges.
- b. Nam: It's hard to predict who'll win. Other classes also have very interesting projects.
- c. Mark: Tomorrow, we'll get the results of the Green Classroom Competition. Do you think we will win?

- A. b – c – a
- B. c – a – b
- C. a – c – b
- D. c – b – a

37.

- a. Tom: How can we help protect the environment?
- b. Tom: I'll definitely start recycling more and being more mindful about energy use.
- c. Tom: That sounds good. What about reducing energy use?
- d. Lisa: We should also turn off lights when we're not using them and use energy-efficient appliances.
- e. Lisa: We can reduce waste by recycling and using less plastic.

- A. a – b – c – d – e
- B. a – e – d – c – b
- C. a – e – c – d – b
- D. b – a – c – d – e

38.

Hi Sarah,

- a. Thanks so much for the article about the impact of social media on society you sent me last week.

- b. It was great to read about how the media can shape public opinion.
- c. I think we should discuss this topic further - what do you think?
- d. I also appreciate the links to documentaries on media influence; they're much more insightful than some of the articles I've been reading.
- e. Mass media has changed over time, but I'm currently focused on my research on digital journalism.

Write back soon,

David

A. d – b – a – c – e

B. a – c – d – b – e

C. d – a – b – c – e

D. a – b – d – e – c

39.

- a. Many animals are at risk due to factors like deforestation, pollution, and illegal hunting.
- b. By raising awareness and supporting conservation organizations, we can all contribute to protecting wildlife for future generations and ensuring a healthy planet.
- c. Wildlife conservation is the protection and preservation of animal species and their natural habitats.
- d. This can be done through establishing protected areas, enforcing laws against poaching, and promoting sustainable practices.
- e. Conservation efforts help prevent species from going extinct and keep ecosystems balanced.

A. c – a – e – d – b

B. c – b – e – a – d

C. c – d – e – b – a

D. c – a – d – e – b

40.

- a. However, despite this increase in opportunities, many fields still lack sufficient training programs, especially in smaller towns.
- b. Career paths have evolved dramatically over the years, with more options available than ever before.
- c. The rise of digital technologies has also created new jobs, especially in fields like IT, marketing, and online business.
- d. This shift in the job market has led to a surge in specialized education and training, giving people a chance to pursue various career interests.
- e. As a result, more young people are seeking out non – traditional careers that allow for remote work and flexible schedules.

A. b – d – e – c – a

B. b – c – a – e – d

C. d – b – e – c – a

D. b – d – c – a – e

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