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Môn Tiếng Anh khối 11 – Global success

I. PRONUNCIATION:

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| 1. A. <u>cert</u> ificate | B. <u>co</u> urse | C. <u>co</u> nsult | D. <u>cr</u> itical |
| 2. A. <u>al</u> cohol | B. awa <u>re</u> ness | C. <u>an</u> xiety | D. <u>ca</u> mpaign |
| 3. A. <u>bo</u> dy | B. <u>po</u> verty | C. <u>co</u> nfident | D. <u>vi</u> olent |
| 4. A. <u>discu</u> ss | B. <u>redu</u> ce | C. <u>prod</u> uct | D. <u>rub</u> bish |
| 5. A. <u>scen</u> ic | B. <u>her</u> itage | C. <u>res</u> pect | D. <u>spe</u> cies |
| 6. A. <u>ach</u> ieve | B. <u>car</u> ry | C. <u>rem</u> ove | D. <u>res</u> ponse |
| 7. A. <u>her</u> itage | B. <u>teen</u> ager | C. <u>att</u> ention | D. <u>cit</u> adel |
| 8. A. <u>per</u> formance | B. <u>her</u> itage | C. <u>mon</u> ument | D. <u>viol</u> ence |
| 9. A. <u>mot</u> ivate | B. <u>man</u> agement | C. <u>de</u> pendent | D. <u>co</u> nfident |
| 10. A. <u>dec</u> ision | B. <u>devel</u> op | C. <u>im</u> portant | D. <u>teen</u> ager |

II. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR:

11. _____ are rising due to melting ice and thermal expansion related to global warming.
A. Sea levels B. Level seas C. Levels of sea D. Sea's level
12. Can you pass me a couple of _____ from the shelf?
A. tea cups B. tea's cups C. cups of tea D. cup tea
13. Trang An is a UNESCO World Heritage Site located _____ Ninh Binh Province, Vietnam
A. in B. on C. to D. about
14. It was _____ the woman gave him.
A. the English book which B. the English book what
C. the English book that D. the English who
15. He regretted _____ a more interesting course at university.
A. having chosen B. having been chosen
C. not having been chosen D. not having chosen
16. My brother wants to go to the best university _____ for an engineering degree.
A. study B. to study C. having studied D. to studying
17. Many parents today work long hours. _____, they miss seeing their children grow up.
A. As a consequence B. Besides C. However D. Although
18. Many teenagers should be more independent _____ parents' financial support.
A. with B. on C. at D. of
19. It was _____ I saw some amazing caves.
A. in Ha Long Bay that B. from Ha Long Bay which
C. Ha Long Bay that D. Ha Long Bay which
20. Linda thanked David for _____ useful feedback on her essay about further education.
A. give B. to be given C. having given D. gave
21. My brother wants to go to the best university _____ for an engineering degree.
A. study B. to study C. having studied D. to studying
22. Overpopulation is a common problem in big cities. _____, the population in rural areas is declining.
A. By contrast B. Besides C. In addition D. Although

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word (s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word (s) in each of the following questions.

23. I admire Emma for her courage in standing up to those bullies in class.
A. informing B. accepting C. promoting D. resisting
24. Besides studying, university students also have the opportunity to live independently, make new friends, and join different clubs.
A. chance B. position C. subject D. institution
25. Chau Van singing is now preserved as a traditional folk singing.
A. conserved B. selected C. prevented D. enhanced
26. Life skills are helpful for a person's development. They can manage on their own.
A. necessary B. useful C. important D. specific

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word (s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word (s) in each of the following questions.

27. Cuc Phuong National Park is home to thousands of rare plants and animal species.
A. common B. extraordinary C. tenuous D. distinctive
28. She was very disappointed because her father couldn't attend the teacher-parent meeting.
A. popular B. satisfied C. depressed D. hopeless
29. It's necessary for you to understand English culture to communicate with English people successfully.
A. unlucky B. unfortunate C. inessential D. uncomfortable
30. Good students are motivated and very confident. They take responsibility for their learning.
A. enthusiastic B. encouraged C. determined D. discouraged

III. ERROR IDENTIFICATION:

31. It is by practicing every day which she has become such a skilled pianist.
A. by B. which C. become D. skilled
32. He was proud of had won the first place at the biology competition.
A. was B. had won C. at D. competition
33. Although the heavy police presence, there is an increase in crime in the city.
A. although B. presence C. there is D. in crime
34. It was English pronunciation that puzzles me most.
A. was B. that C. puzzles D. most
35. Despite some people develop health problems, they continue to drink too much.
A. Despite B. develop C. they D. to drink
36. To maintain independence, avoid to get into the habit of procrastination.
A. to maintain B. to get C. the habit D. procrastination
37. My father used to giving me some good advice whenever I had a problem.
A. giving B. some good C. whenever D. a problem
38. It is Dorry who installed the time-management apps for me.
A. is B. who C. the D. apps
39. Many young people don't know how managing their money.
A. Many B. don't know C. managing D. money
40. Nowadays, teenagers suffer a lot of pressure from their parents. As a result, they also suffer peer pressure.
A. from B. of C. suffer D. As a result

IV. TRANSFORMATION:

41. *He married her because he wanted to spend the rest of his life with her.*

- A. He married her so that he wanted to spend the rest of his life with her.
- B. He married her to spend the rest of his life with her.
- C. He married her not to spend the rest of his life with her.
- D. He married her to want to spend the rest of his life with her.

42. *He finished his homework and then he went out with his friends.*

- A. Having finished his homework, he went out with his friends.
- B. He finished his homework, having gone out with his friends.
- C. Having been finished his homework, he went out with his friends.
- D. Having gone out with his friends, he finished his homework.

43. *Amanda is going to the party because she wants to meet new people.*

- A. Amanda is going to the party so that she wants to meet new people.
- B. Amanda is going to the party to meet new people.
- C. Amanda is going to the party not to meet new people.
- D. Amanda is going to the party she wants to meet new people.

44. *He completed the assignment and then he submitted it to his supervisor.*

- A. Having completed the assignment, he submitted it to his supervisor.
- B. After having completed the assignment, he submitted it to his supervisor.
- C. After completing the assignment, he submitted it to his supervisor.
- D. Having been completed the assignment, he submitted it to his supervisor.

45. *Although his legs were broken, he managed to get out of the car before it exploded.*

- A. Despite his legs to be broken, he managed to get out of the car before it exploded.
- B. Despite his broken legs, he was able to get out of the car before exploding.
- C. Despite his legs were broken, he managed to get out of the car before it exploded.
- D. Despite his broken legs, he was able to get out of the car before it exploded.

V. TEXT ARRANGEMENT:

46. **Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/ letter in each of the following questions.**

- a. Finally, it would be great if you write back to me with details about what topics it will cover and how long it will take.
- b. I am writing to ask for more information about the tour guide training courses at the SGV Vocational School. I am over 18 years now and I am very interested in travelling and exploring different cultures. I would really like to apply for one of your courses.
- c. I am looking forward to you reply and I would appreciate it if you could inform me as soon as possible.
- d. Next, I would like to know the course fee and the daily wage for the apprenticeship. It is very important for me to have this information so that I can decide if I can afford to study at your school.
- e. First, I would appreciate it if you could tell me what the entry requirements are. I finished upper-secondary school last summer. Could you please let me know if I still need to take a test? If there is one, please let me know where I can find detailed information about it.

A. a-b-c-d-e

B. b-e-d-a-c

C. e-d-c-b-a

D. c-a-d-e-b

47. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions.

- a. Dear Sir or Madam,
- b. First, I would appreciate it if you could tell me what the entry requirements are. I finished upper-secondary school last summer. Could you please let me know if I need to take a test? If there is one, please let me know where I can find detailed information about it.
- c. Finally, it would be great if you write back to me with details about what topics the course will cover and how long it will take.
- d. I look forward to hearing from you soon.
- e. Next, I would like to know the course fee and the daily wage for the apprenticeship. It is very important for me to have this information so that I can decide if I can afford to study at your school.
- f. I am writing to ask for more information about the tour guide training courses at the SGV Vocational School. I am over 18 years now and I am very interested in travelling and exploring different cultures. I would really like to apply for one of your courses.

A. a – f – b – e – c – d

B. a – b – e – c – f – d

C. a – b – e – c – d – f

D. a – f – e – c – b – d

48. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions.

- a. Finally, vocational training gives you the knowledge, hands-on experience, and connections to start your career quickly and successfully.
- b. Firstly, it teaches practical, hands-on skills that relate directly to the job you want.
- c. Vocational training offers numerous benefits for individuals.
- d. Second, it helps you get into work faster because it focuses on what industries really need.
- e. Graduates often have skills that are in demand, making them stand out to employers.

A. a – b – d – e – c

B. c – b – d – e – a

B. a – b – e – c – d

D. c – e – b – d – a

49. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions.

- a. She was angry then, but now we are close friends.
- b. When I was 9, I used to fall in love with a girl in my class.
- c. I hoped she would like it. However, I didn't know that she was allergic to pollen.
- d. One day, I bought a bunch of flowers to give her.
- e. She coughed terribly when she smelt the flowers.

A. a-e-b-d-c

B. c-d-b-e-a

C. b-d-c-e-a

D. a-e-c-d-b

50. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions.

- a. In the afternoon, we are going to try cooking rice in bamboo tubes.
- b. Dear Jimmy; We are going to have the annual Spring Fair this Sunday. Can you join us?
- c. PS: We have arranged everything, so you don't have to bring anything.
- d. All the students are going to enjoy an enormous concert in the morning.
- e. Late at night, making Banh Chung must be the key activity for a foreigner like you.

A. b-c-d-e-a

B. b-d-a-e-c

C. a-e-d-c-b

D. c-e-a-d-b

VI. READING:

PARAGRAPH 1: Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to fill in each of the blanks.

The "greenhouse effect" is the warming that happens when certain gases in Earth's atmosphere (1) _____ heat. These gases let in light but keep heat from escaping, like the glass walls of a greenhouse. First, sunlight shines onto the Earth's surface, (2) _____ it is absorbed and then radiates back into the atmosphere as heat. In the atmosphere, "greenhouse gases trap some of this heat, and the the rest escapes into space. The more greenhouse gases are in the atmosphere, the more heat gets trapped.

Scientists have known about the greenhouse effect since 1824, when Joseph Fourier calculated that the Earth would be much colder if it had no atmosphere. This greenhouse effect is what keeps the Earth's climate (3) _____. Without it, the Earth's surface would be an average of about 60 degrees Fahrenheit cooler. Scientists often use the term "climate change" instead of global warming. This is because as the Earth's average temperature climbs, winds and ocean currents move heat around the globe in ways that can cool some areas, warm (4) _____, and change the amount of rain and snow falling. (5)_____, the climate changes differently in different areas.

(Source: <https://www.open.edu/openlearncreate/mod/oucontent>)

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|---------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|
| 1. A. seize | B. capture | C. trap | D. grasp |
| 2. A. which | B. where | C. that | D. which |
| 3. A. lively | B. alive | C. livable | D. living |
| 4. A. others | B. another | C. one | D. the other |
| 5. A. However | B. In addition | C. On the contrary | D. As a result |

PARAGRAPH 2: Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to fill in each of the blanks.

Ha Long Bay is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and popular travel (1) _____ in Quang Ninh Province, Vietnam. The bay features thousands of limestone karsts and isles in various shapes and sizes. Ha Long Bay is a center of a larger zone which (2) _____ Bai Tu Long Bay to the northeast, and Cat Ba Island to the southwest.

Ha Long Bay has an area of around 1,553km², including 1,960 - 2,000 islets, most of (3)_____ are limestone. The core of the bay has an area of 334km² with a high density of 775 islets. The limestone in this bay has gone through 500 million years of foundation in different conditions and environments. The evolution of the karst in this bay has taken 20 million years (4) _____the impact of the tropical wet climate. The geo-diversity of the environment in the area has created biodiversity, including a tropical evergreen bio-system, oceanic and sea shore bio-system. Ha Long Bay is (5) _____ to 14 endemic floral species and 60 endemic faunal species.

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| 1. A. situation | B. destination | C. direction | D. ground |
| 2. A. offers | B. includes | C. consists | D. covers |
| 3. A. that | B. those | C. which | D. whom |
| 4. A. in | B. of | C. for | D. under |
| 5. A. way | B. place | C. home | D. house |

PARAGRAPH 3: Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks

Bullying and cyberbullying threaten students' physical and emotional safety and can (1) _____ their social and academic success at school.

In a 2019 survey about bullying, about 22 percent of students aged 12-18 reported having been (2)_____ at school. The survey also found that close to 16 percent of students in grades 9-12 reported

being electronically bullied during the previous 12 months. Bullying is associated with negative outcomes for those (3)_____ are bullied, including substance use, suicide, or impacts on physical and mental health.

Everyone at school can work together to create an environment where bullying is not acceptable. Local authorities and schools should adopt policies to help (4)_____ bullying and cyberbullying. Procedures for monitoring student behavior at school and online can help schools identify at-risk behaviors (4)_____ provide interventions before they create safety issues.

(Adapted from <https://www.schoolsafety.gov>)

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| 1. A. impact | B. encourage | C. develop | D. discover |
| 2. A. tested | B. bullied | C. created | D. told |
| 3. A. which | B. who | C. whom | D. whose |
| 4. A. to prevent | B. prevent | C. preventing | D. prevented |
| 5. A. in addition | B. but | C. and | D. so |

PARAGRAPH 4: Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.

Do you feel like your teenager is spending most of the day glued to a phone screen? You're not too far off. A new survey from the Pew Research Center reveals the surprising ways that technology intersects with teen friendships and the results show that 57 percent of teens have made at least one new friend online. Even more surprisingly, only 20 percent of those **digital** friends ever meet in person.

While teens do connect with their friends face-to-face outside of school, they spend 55 percent of their day texting with friends, and only 25 percent of teens are spending actual time with their friends on a daily basis (outside of school hallways). These new forms of communication are key in maintaining friendships day-to-day. 27 percent of teens instant message their friends every day, 23 percent connect through social media every day, and 7 percent even video chat daily. Text messaging remains the main form of communication — almost half of survey respondents say it's their chosen method of communication with their closest friend.

While girls are more likely to text with their close friends, boys are meeting new friends (and maintaining friendships) in the gaming world - 89 percent play with friends they know, and 54 percent play with online-only friends. Whether they're close with their teammates or not, online gamers say that playing makes them feel "more connected" to friends **they** know, or gamers they've never met.

When making new friends, social media has also become a major part of the teenage identity - 62 percent of teens are quick to share their social media usernames when connecting with a new friend (although 80 percent still consider their phone number the best method of contact). Despite the negative consequences - 21 percent of teenage users feel worse about their lives because of posts they see on social media - teens also have found support and connection through various platforms. In fact, 68 percent of teens received support during a challenging time in their lives via social media platforms.

Just as technology has become a gateway for new friendships, or a channel to stay connected with current friends, it can also make a friendship breakup more public. The study reveals that girls are more likely to block or unfriend former allies, and 68 percent of all teenage users report experiencing "drama among their friends on social media."

(Source: <https://www.realsimple.com>)

1. What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. Social media affects friendship too much.
- B. Teenagers are making and keeping friends in a surprising way.
- C. The difference of making new friends between girls and boys.
- D. Social media connects friendship.

2. The word "**digital**" in the first paragraph is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. Analogue B. numeracy C. numerous D. online

3. According to the passage, what percentage of teens spend actual time with their friends?

- A. 25% B. 55% C. 27% D. 23%

4. The following sentences are true, **EXCEPT** _____.

- A. According to the survey, more than half of teens have ever made new friends online.
- B. Teens only meet face-to-face one fifth of online friends they have made.
- C. Most teenagers use video chat to maintain relationship with friends.
- D. New forms of communication play an important role in keeping friendships.

5. The word "**they**" in paragraph 3 refers to _____.

- A. friends B. online gamers C. their teammates D. online-only friends

PARAGRAPH 5: Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.

Like many other school leavers, Duong is coping with the issue of high life-plan anxiety. There are two conventionally available options for her to consider: entering the world of work or enrolling in the university system. She has finished high school this year and wants to get work immediately; however, it's difficult for her to go ahead with her plan due to her parents' objections. In Viet Nam's society, it's a common practice that people with low qualifications rarely earn others' respect and have fewer opportunities to get promotions in their career ladder. That's why her parents strongly expect that her distinguished academic result of the national entrance examination can help her win a place at a popular economic university despite her family's state of financial crisis. In contrast, she doesn't want to put more strain on her family with costly tuition fees and huge student loan debts during the four years of university. She has convinced her parents to let her find a stable job to support her family several times before, but they haven't agreed yet. Yesterday she had a consultation meeting with Mr Trung, her homeroom teacher. He advised her to give in her parents' demand by choosing a university with reasonable fees and scholarships offered to excellent students. Meanwhile, she can obtain a part-time job to relieve the cost burden, accumulate more experience and decorate her future CV. Now she is taking his advice into account and ready to persuade her parents to change their minds one more time.

1. What is the passage mainly about?

- A. Anxiety of many school-leavers about their future jobs
- B. The supporting roles of parents and teachers in guiding school-leavers to pursue their dreams
- C. Contrasting views on future education choices between a school-leaver and her parents
- D. The misunderstanding of choosing a university between a school-leaver and her parents

2. What does the word **their** in line 9 mean?

- A. Low-qualified individuals' B. Ordinary people's C. Duong's parents' D. School-leavers'

3. Why do Duong's parents try to impose their opinions on her?

- A. Because of her homeroom teacher's advice
- B. Because of her impressive academic performance
- C. Because of her parents' hardship
- D. Because of social prejudice

4. Which of the following is NOT a recommendation from Mr Trung?

- A. Trying to win a place at a popular economic university
- B. Finding a part-time job while studying at university
- C. Selecting a university with reasonable costs
- D. Choosing a university that awards scholarships to top students

5. Which of the following is true about the passage?

- A. Duong has had a lot of practical experience since her graduation.
- B. Duong prefers going straight to university to training for a stable job.
- C. Duong can make her own decision without her teacher's advice.
- D. Duong's parents might be convinced by her new idea once again.

PARAGRAPH 6: Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word for each of the questions.

Self-study is a learning method where students direct their own studying outside the classroom and without help from teachers.

First, self-study allows students to take learning at their own pace, focusing on areas **they** are most interested in. This helps reduce feelings of frustration, **anxiety**, or boredom that students may struggle with in a classroom setting.

Second, self-study allows students to be able to think about the topics more deeply and make connections between what they are learning. Exploring a topic on his or her own encourages students to actively engage with the information. And when students are engaged and excited about what they are learning, they're able to remember it better.

Third, self-study can boost students' self-esteem. As students do more self-study, many become more self-motivated learners. They are able to see themselves as an independent person who is able to learn new things without anyone helping them. This can be a major motivation boost for students.

(Adapted from <https://gradelearning.com/what-is-self-study/>)

Question 1. Which best serves as the title for the passage?

- A. The meaning of self-study
- B. The importance of self-study
- C. The benefits of self-study
- D. The tips for self-study

Question 2. The word "**they**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____

- A. teachers
- B. students
- C. areas
- D. feelings

Question 3. According to the passage, which of the following is **NOT mentioned** as a characteristic of self-study?

- A. Self-motivating
- B. Self-exploration
- C. Self-discipline
- D. Self-pacing

Question 4. According to the passage, which of the following statements about self-study is **TRUE**?

- A. Self-study prevents students from thinking.
- B. Self-study is done with the support of teachers.
- C. Self-study boosts frustration.
- D. Self-study promotes concentration.

Question 5. The word "**anxiety**" in the second paragraph is closest in meaning to _____

- A. nervousness
- B. happiness
- C. satisfaction
- D. angeriness

REWRITE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCE USING SUBORDINATING CONJUNCTIONS.

1. Henry will pass the exam with flying colors. He studies hard. (IF)

→ _____.

2. Sarah came to work late. She got a flat tire. (BECAUSE)

→ _____.

3. Her father was very ill. She couldn't come to class yesterday. (SO)

→ _____.

4. Helen was very lazy. She passed the final examination well. (ALTHOUGH)

→ _____.

5. Henry Nguyễn is very kind. All of his friends love him very much. (THEREFORE)

→ _____.

6. Alex is a very brainy girl. She always gets the scholarships. (SUCH....THAT)

→ _____.

7. We will have a long picnic in the countryside. It is stormy. (UNLESS)

→ _____.

8. I had forgot locking the door. I drove to the office this morning. (WHEN)

→ _____.

9. We study hard. We want to pass the final examination. (SO THAT)

→ _____.

10. Henry earned his living by writing books. He got a B.A degree. (ALTHOUGH)

→ _____.

1. Bullying refers to the assertion of dominance over an individual by displaying _____behaviour towards them. (**AGGRESS**)

2. We should plan our campaign around social issues that _____affect teenagers like us. (**DIRECT**)

3. We should promote issues that affect a lot of people in our city, such as crime and _____. (**POPULATION**)

4. Many children live in _____. They often stop going to school so that they can work. (**POOR**)

5. The government has promised to solve our _____issues. **(ENVIRONMENT)**
- 6._____, this can lead to poor academic performance and a lack of physical activity.
(ADDITION)
7. In many cases, peer pressure can lead to depression, low self-confidence, distance from family and poor school _____. **(PERFORM)**
8. They also encourage people to be more _____and understanding of others. **(EMPATHY)**
9. It's important to ensure that campaigns are inclusive and _____of different perspectives.
(CONSIDER)
10. Campaigns should provide _____ steps for individuals to make a positive impact (act)