

Đề thi thử THPT Quốc gia môn Tiếng Anh (năm học 2015-2016): Mã đề thi 17

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.

Question 1: A. Fare B. Black C. Match D. Calcium

Question 2: A. Scissors B. Sugar C. Sense D. Soft

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.

Question 3: A. Ashamed B. Patient C. Trouble D. Alter

Question 4: A. Candidate B. Adventurous C. Relevant D. Applicant

Question 5: A. Appreciate B. Contraction C. Suicide D. Abnormal

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

Question 6: I gave the waiter a \$50 note and waited for my _____.

A. change B. supply C. cash D. cost

Question 7: I'm going to stay at university and try to _____ off getting a job for a few years!

A. stay B. put C. move D. set

Question 8: People can become very _____ when they are stuck in traffic for a long time.

A. nervous B. stressful C. pressed D. bad-tempered

Question 9: I believe that judges should be independent _____ the government.

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

Question 10: A: "Are you coming on Saturday?" – B: "_____."

A. I'm afraid not B. I'm afraid not to C. I'm afraid to D. I'm afraid I don't

Question 11: He apologizedable to finish the project on time

A. his colleagues not being B. his colleagues not to be
C. his colleagues for not being D. to his colleagues for not being

Question 12: I know we had an argument, but now I'd quite like to _____.

A. look down B. make up C. fall out D. bring up

Question 13: I'm going to set up the equipment in a minute. _____ give you a hand?

A. Shall we B. Will I C. Would I D. Do I

Question 14: _____, the workers will stop working.

- A. Unless the working conditions are improved
- B. Unless the working conditions aren't improved
- C. If not working conditions are improved
- D. If the working conditions are improved

Question 15: A: "Good morning. My name is Turner. I have a reservation." – B: "_____."

- A. What do you want?
- B. Yes, a single room for two nights.
- C. I haven't decided yet. What about you?
- D. What do you like?

Question 16: John _____ this task yesterday morning, but I did it for him. He owes me a thank-you.

- A. must have completed
- B. should have completed
- C. could have completed
- D. may have completed

Question 17: _____ had my teacher arrived than he gave us exercises.

- A. Hardly
- B. Not until
- C. When
- D. No sooner

Question 18: They are not _____ to take part in this program of the World Health Organization.

- A. enough old
- B. so old
- C. old enough
- D. as old

Question 19: The room needs _____ for the wedding.

- A. decorating
- B. to decorate
- C. decorate
- D. be decorated

Question 20: In the _____ of proof, the police could not take action against the man.

- A. lack
- B. shortage
- C. absence
- D. want

Question 21: Actually, I not only read the stories about princes or princesses in the great castles in the school library _____ in the public library.

- A. or
- B. whether
- C. but also
- D. either

Question 22: _____ furniture needs supplying for the schools in the whole country will slow down the process of the reform of education.

- A. Few
- B. A few
- C. Little
- D. That little

Question 23: I wish you _____ to the theatre last night, but you didn't.

- A. would come
- B. came
- C. was coming
- D. had come

Question 24: It was not _____ Micheal Jackson's death people around the world understood his contribution in music.

- A. since
- B. when
- C. until
- D. result

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

Question 25: The new cow boy-film catches the fancy of the children.

- A. attracts
- B. satisfies
- C. surprises
- D. amuses

Question 26: Now I understand why you moved out of that house.

- A. I am surprised B. it frustrates me C. I am intrigued D. it makes sense to me

Question 27: It was inevitable that the smaller company should merge with the larger.

- A. urgent B. unavoidable C. important D. necessary

Question 28: Around 150 B.C. the Greek astronomer Hipparchus developed a system to classify stars according to brightness.

- A. shine B. record C. categorize D. diversify

Question 29: Mayo Hospital in New Orleans was so named in recognition of Dr. Mayo's outstanding humanitarianism.

- A. exhaustive B. charitable C. remarkable D. widespread

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

Question 30: He was too exhausted that he couldn't even stand on his feet.

- A B C D

Question 31: There are few areas of human experience that have not been writing about.

- A B C D

Question 32: If one doesn't have respect for himself, you can't expect others to respect him.

- A B C D

Question 33: The governor, with his wife and children, are at home watching the election returns on TV.

- A B C D

Question 34: She was used to do shopping on Sunday but now she doesn't have time.

- A B C D

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

In this week's issue, our resident film critic discusses the etiquette of cinema going, and the(35) ____ who prefer chewing hot-dogs, slurping drinks, gossiping and rustling crisp papers to actually watching the film. Fair complaint, or just cinema snobbery ?

It's the munchers and talkers, not those who complain about them, who are(36) ____ other people's(37) ____ pleasures and the (38)____ seem to me to be self-evident. Junk(39) ____ and even popcorns and choc ices, when eaten in a(40) ____ and possibly crowded space, are inclined to demand living space. They spread themselves about – usually onto other people's(41) ____ Crisps, peanuts, and boiled sweets make a lot of noise, first when being (42) ____ then when being crushed or sucked. These are definite(43) ____, especially if you yourself – having merely come to see and hear the film – are not eating and therefore generously(44) ____ your friend onions, mustard and ketchup with the trousers of the stranger in the next seat.

Question 35: A. spectators B. observers C. witnesses D. audiences

Question 36: A. damaging B. spoiling C. hurting D. injuring

Question 37: A. Simple B. natural C. Primary D. elementary

Question 38: A. excuses B. accusations C. reasons D. complaints

- Question 39:** A. diets B. meals C. dishes D. foods
- Question 40:** A. confined B. closed C. reduced D. narrow
- Question 41:** A. dress B. costume C. outfit D. clothing
- Question 42:** A. unpacked B. untied C. unwrapped D. unfolded
- Question 43:** A. irritations B. amusements C. anxieties D. inconveniences
- Question 44:** A. exchanging B. dividing C. splitting D. sharing

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following question

Although they are an inexpensive supplier of vitamins, minerals, and high-quality protein, eggs also contain a high level of blood cholesterol, one of the major causes of heart diseases. One egg yolk, in fact, contains a little more than two-thirds of the suggested daily cholesterol limit. This knowledge has driven egg sales to plummet in recent years, which in turn has brought about the development of several alternatives to eating regular eggs. One alternative is to eat substitute eggs. These egg substitutes are not really eggs, but they look somewhat like eggs when they are cooked. They have the advantage of having low cholesterol rates, and they can be scrambled or used in baking. One disadvantage, however, is that they are not good for frying, poaching, or boiling. A second alternative to regular eggs is a new type of egg, sometimes called „designer“ eggs. These eggs are produced by hens that are fed low-fat diets consisting of ingredients such as canola oil, flax, and rice bran. In spite of their diet, however, these hens produce eggs that contain the same amount of cholesterol as regular eggs. Yet, the producers of these eggs claim that eating their eggs will not raise the blood cholesterol in humans.

Egg producers claim that their product has been portrayed unfairly. They cite scientific studies to back up their claim. And, in fact, studies on the relationship between eggs and human cholesterol levels have brought mixed result. It may be that it is not the type of eggs that is the main determinant of cholesterol but the person who is eating the eggs. Some people may be more sensitive to cholesterol derived from food than other people. In fact, there is evidence that certain dietary fats stimulate the body’s production of blood cholesterol. Consequently, while it still makes sense to limit one’s intake of eggs, even designer eggs, it seems that doing this without regulating dietary fat will probably not help reduce the blood cholesterol level.

Question 45: What is the main purpose of the passage?

- A. To introduce the idea that dietary fat increases the blood cholesterol level
- B. To make people know about the relationship between eggs and cholesterol
- C. To persuade people that eggs are unhealthy and should not be eaten
- D. To convince people to eat „designer“ eggs and egg substitutes.

Question 46: According to the passage, which of the following is a cause of heart diseases?

- A. minerals B. cholesterol C. canola oil D. vitamins

Question 47: What has been the cause for changes in the sale of eggs?

- A. increasing price B. decreased production
- C. dietary changes in hens D. concerns about cholesterol

Question 48: What is meant by the phrase „mixed result“?

- A. The result are blended B. The result are a composite of things
- C. The result are inconclusive D. The result are mingled together

Question 49: According to the author, which of the following may reduce blood cholesterol?

- A. reducing egg intake but not fat intake B. increasing egg intake and fat intake

C. decreasing egg intake and fat intake

D. increasing egg intake but not fat intake

Question 50: Which of the following could best replace the word „somewhat“?

A. in fact

B. a little

C. indefinitely

D. a lot

Question 51: According to the passage, one yolk contains approximately what fraction of the suggested daily limit for human consumption of cholesterol?

A. 3/4

B. 2/3

C. 1/2

D. 1/3

Question 52: The word „portrayed“ could best be replaced by which of the following?

A. studied

B. destroyed

C. tested

D. described

Question 53: What is the meaning of „back up“?

A. reverse

B. advance

C. block

D. support

Question 54: According to the passage, egg substitutes cannot be used to make any of the following types of eggs EXCEPT _____.?

A. boiled

B. poached

C. scrambled

D. fried

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

Diamond value is based on four characteristics: carat, color, clarity, and cut. A diamond's size is measured by carat weight. There are 100 points in a carat and 142 carats in an ounce. Each point above 1 carat is more valuable than each point below 1 carat. Thus, a stone that weighs more than 1 carat is more valuable per point than a stone that is smaller than 1 carat.

The scale used for rating a diamond's color begins with "D," which means the stone is absolutely colorless and therefore most valuable. "E" and "F" are almost colorless. All three are good for investments. A stone rated between "G" and "J" is good for jewelry. After that the stones take on a slightly yellowish color, which gets deeper as the grade declines.

The clarity of a stone is determined by its lack of carbon spots, inner flaws, and surface blemishes. While most of these are invisible to the unaided eye, they do affect the diamond's brilliance. For jewelry, a diamond rated VVS1 (very very slight imperfections) is as close to flawless as one will find. After that the scale goes to VVS2, VS1, VS2, SI1, SI2, I1, I2, and so on.

The final characteristic is cut. When shaped (round, oval, emerald, marquise, pear, or heart), the diamond should be faceted so that light is directed into the depths of the prism and then reflected outward again. A well-cut diamond will separate the light into different colors when the light is reflected. Only stones of similar shape should have their reflective qualities compared, as some shapes are more reflective than others. For example, the round shape is the most reflective.

Question 55: The passage is mainly about _____ .

A. the cost of diamond

B. quantities affecting diamond values

C. how to judge an expensive diamond

D. buying diamonds for jewelry

Question 56: What can be said about a 1- carat diamond?

A. It has 100 points

B. It weighs an ounce

C. It cost twice as much as a small one

D. It has the same quality as a half- carat diamond

Question 57 : A stone that has no color at all is rated _____ .

A. A

B. Z

C. D

D. J

Question 58: It can be inferred from the passage that a stone rated „H“ is _____ .

- A. Good for jewelry B. Good for investment C. Very colorful D. Deep yellow

Question 59: clarity of a stone

- A. is invisible to the unaided eye B. affects the diamond's brilliance
 C. has spots, flaws, and blemishes D. is determined by imperfections

Question 60: All of the following ratings refer to the clarity of a stone EXCEPT _____ .

- A. perfection B. very slight imperfection C. slight slight imperfection D. imperfection

Question 61: It can be inferred from the passage that a diamond which perfect is _____ .

- A. not used for jewelry B. rated VVSI
 C. very large D. invisible to the unaided eye

Question 62: Diamonds reflect

- A. the brism B. the depths C. facets D. light

Question 63: Two diamonds of the shape _____ .

- A. have the same value B. can be compared for reflective quality
 C. are usually the same weight D. are equally brilliant.

Question 64: . Even though they affect a diamond's brilliance, slight carbon spots, inner flaws, and surface blemishes _____ .

- A. lack imperfections B. are rated VVS1
 C. cannot be seen with the naked eye D. can make a diamond more valuable

WRITING

Part I. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the sentence printed before it.

Question 65: The last time I went swimming was when I was in France
 > I haven't

Question 66: I didn't spend as much money as my friend did.
 > My friend

Question 67: I would prefer you to deliver the package on Monday.
 > I'd rather

Question 68: This button mustn't be touched under any circumstances.
 > Under no

Question 69: She said "John, I'll show you round my city when you're here."
 > She promised

Part II. In about 140 words, write a paragraph to describe your head teacher.

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ĐÁP ÁN ĐỀ 17

PHẦN TRẮC NGHIỆM (8 điểm)

Câu số	Đáp án	Câu số	Đáp án
1	A	33	B
2	B	34	B
3	A	35	D
4	B	36	B
5	C	37	A
6	A	38	C
7	B	39	D
8	D	40	A
9	B	41	D
10	C	42	C
11	D	43	A
12	B	44	D
13	A	45	B
14	A	46	B
15	B	47	D
16	B	48	C
17	D	49	C
18	C	50	B
19	A	51	B
20	C	52	D
21	C	53	D
22	D	54	C
23	D	55	B
24	C	56	A
25	A	57	C
26	D	58	A
27	B	59	D
28	C	60	A
29	C	61	A
30	A	62	D
31	D	63	B
32	B	64	C

PHẦN VIẾT (2 điểm)**I. (0,5 điểm)**

65. I haven't been swimming since I was in France/gone swimming since I was in France

66. My friend spent more money than I did.

67. I'd rather you delivered the package on Monday.

68. Under no circumstances should this button be touched.

69. She promised to show John round her city.

II. (1,5 điểm)

	Mô tả tiêu chí đánh giá	Điểm tối đa
1.	Bố cục	0,40
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Câu đề dẫn chủ đề mạch lạc o Bố cục hợp lí rõ ràng phù hợp yêu cầu của đề bài o Bố cục uyển chuyển từ mở bài đến kết luận 	
2.	Phát triển ý	0,25
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Phát triển ý có trình tự logic 	
3.	Sử dụng ngôn từ	0,30
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Sử dụng ngôn từ phù hợp nội dung o Sử dụng ngôn từ đúng văn phong/ thể loại o Sử dụng từ nối các ý cho bài viết uyển chuyển 	
4.	Nội dung	0,30
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Đủ thuyết phục người đọc o Đủ dẫn chứng, ví dụ, lập luận 	
5.	Ngữ pháp, dấu câu, và chính tả:	0,25
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Sử dụng đúng dấu câu o Chính tả: Viết đúng chính tả Lỗi chính tả gây hiểu nhầm/ sai lệch ý sẽ bị tính một lỗi (trừ 1% điểm của bài viết) Cùng một lỗi chính tả lặp lại chỉ tính là một lỗi 	

	Tổng	1,50
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