

Mã đề 115
(Đề có 04 trang)

Họ và tên học sinh : Lớp:

Mark the letter A, B, c, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions.

Question 1. *The basketball team knew they lost the match. They soon started to blame each other.*

- A. Hardly had the basketball team known they lost the match when they started to blame each other.
- B. As soon as they blamed each other, the basketball team knew they lost the match.
- C. No sooner had the basketball team started to blame each other than they knew they lost the match.
- D. Not only did the basketball team lose the match but they blamed each other as well.

Question 2. *The holiday was so expensive. We could only afford five days.*

- A. A five-day holiday wasn't cheap, so we couldn't afford it.
- B. It was such an expensive holiday that we could only afford five days.
- C. So expensive was a five-day holiday that we could hardly afford it.
- D. The holiday was cheap, so we could afford more than five days.

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 3. ASEAN aims at promoting economic growth, regional peace as well as provide opportunities for its members.

- A. economic growth B. provide C. aims at D. its

Question 4. Even though the extremely bad weather in the mountains, the climbers decided not to cancel their climb.

- A. not to cancel B. climb C. Even though D. extremely

Question 5. Although smokers are aware that smoking is harmful to their health, they can't get rid it.

- A. to B. get rid it C. are aware D. Although

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.

CULTURE SHOCK

Many people dream of living in a foreign country. It can be an amazing experience for those (6) _____ are willing to settle down in a new place. (7) _____, there's one potential problem you should be aware of: culture shock. Culture shock is the feeling we get from living in a place that is so different to where we grew up that we are not sure (8) _____ to deal with it. Societies are organized in many different ways. Customs and traditions can be very different and that can sometimes make it difficult to get on with local people who might not approve (9) _____ things you do and might object to things you say. You might be banned from doing things in another country that are perfectly legal in your own. For example, in Singapore people can be forced to (10) _____ a large fine just for dropping rubbish. Eventually, though, most people who live abroad fall in love with their adopted country and learn to accept its differences.

- Question 6. A. which B. what C. whose D. who
- Question 7. A. However B. Therefore C. Although D. Moreover
- Question 8. A. when B. why C. how D. what
- Question 9. A. of B. off C. on D. with
- Question 10. A. waste B. pay C. borrow D. spend

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.

Question 11. The whole village was wiped out in the bombing raids.

- A. changed completely B. removed quickly C. cleaned well D. destroyed completely

Question 12. Those who advocate for doctor-assisted suicide say the terminally ill should not have to suffer.

- A. annul B. support C. convict D. oppose

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 13. A. naked B. wicked C. worked D. wanted

Question 14. A. statistic B. handle C. valuable D. sacrifice

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

Question 15. Julie failed the exam _____ of working very hard.

- A. though B. in spite C. due to D. despite

Question 16. Have you ever read ____ "Oliver Twist", ____ interesting novel written by Charles Dickens?

- A. an / the B. Ø / Ø C. the / the D. Ø / an

Question 17. Please send me a postcard _____ in London.

- A. when you are going to arrive B. after you had arrived
C. when you will arrive D. as soon as you arrive

Question 18. The flood victims _____ with food and clean water by the volunteers.

- A. provided B. were provided C. were providing D. provide

Question 19. I had a test this morning. I didn't do it well. I _____ last night.

- A. should study B. must have studied C. should have studied D. must study

Question 20. I saw John yesterday morning while I _____ home from work.

- A. was walking B. walked C. had been walking D. am walking

Question 21. Nobody wears clothes like that any more – they're _____.

- A. fashion B. fashionable C. fashionably D. unfashionable

Question 22. Remember to take _____ your shoes when you go into the temple.

- A. with B. off C. in D. up

Question 23. The weather is getting _____.

- A. more and more warm B. warm and warm
C. warmer and warmer D. more warm and more warm

Question 24. The kind-hearted woman _____ all her life to helping the disabled and the poor.

- A. wasted B. lived C. dedicated D. spent

Question 25. Nobody cheated in the exam, _____?

- A. did they B. didn't they C. didn't he D. did he

Question 26. _____ it several times, he didn't want to read it once again.

- A. To have read B. Having read C. To read D. Reading

Question 27. They asked me a lot of questions, _____ I couldn't answer.

- A. most of whom B. most of that C. most of them D. most of which

Question 28. Hey, did you _____ Jack about the scholarship?

- A. speak B. tell C. say D. talk

Question 29. _____ interested in Curling, I would try to learn more about this sport.

- A. Should I B. Were I C. I was D. If I am

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

Question 30. Peter and Tony are discussing on the topic "Love and Marriage".

Peter: " _____ " - **Tony:** "There's no doubt about it."

- A. Why do you think a happy marriage should be based on love?
B. What do you think a happy marriage should be based on love?
C. I think that a happy marriage should be based on love.
D. What is a happy marriage should be based on love like?

Question 31. Adam and Janet are at the school canteen. Adam: " _____ " Janet: "Yes, please."

- A. Can you pass me the salt, please? B. It's a bit hot in here, isn't it?
C. Do you mind if I sit here? D. Would you like a cup of coffee?

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 primary stress in each of the following questions.

Question 32. A. beauty B. schedule C. reserve D. wildlife

Question 33. A. partnership B. attitude C. actually D. romantic

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions.

Question 34. "Why don't you reply to the President's offer right now?" said Mary to her husband.

- A. Mary suggested that her husband should reply to the President's offer without delay.
B. Mary ordered her husband to reply to the President's offer right now.
C. Mary told her husband why he didn't reply to the President's offer then.
D. Mary wondered why her husband didn't reply to the President's offer then.

Question 35. *The film didn't come up to my expectations.*

- A. The film fell short of my expectations. B. I expected the film to end more abruptly,
C. The film was as good as I expected. D. I expected the film to be more boring.

Question 36. My sister is often sick because she doesn't do physical exercise.

- A. If my sister isn't physical exercise, she does sick.
B. If my sister does physical exercise, she won't often be sick.
C. If my sister wasn't physical exercise, she would do sick.
D. If my sister did physical exercise, she wouldn't often be sick.

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.

Question 37. Public opinion is currently running against the banking industry.

- A. kick out B. stand up for C. look up to D. poke fun at

Question 38. If we continue to deplete our planets natural resources, we will damage the environment significantly.

- A. exhaust B. use up C. add to D. reduce

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 questions.

Probably the most famous film commenting on the twentieth-century technology is *Modem Times*, made in 1936. *Charlie Chaplin* was motivated to make the film by a reporter who, while interviewing him, happened to describe the working conditions in industrial Detroit, Chaplin was told that healthy young farm boys were lured to the city to work on automotive assembly lines. Within four or five years, these young men's health was destroyed by the stress of work in the factories.

The film opens with a shot of a mass of sheep making their way down a crowded ramp. Abruptly, the film shifts to a scene of factory workers jostling one another on their way to a factory. However, the rather bitter note of criticism in the implied comparison is not sustained. It is replaced by a gentle note of satire. Chaplin prefers to entertain rather than lecture.

Scenes of factory interiors account for only about one-third of *Modem Times*, but they contain some of the most pointed social commentary as well as the most comic situations. No one who has seen the film can ever forget Chaplin vainly trying to keep pace with the fast-moving conveyor belt, almost losing his mind in the process. Another popular scene involves an automatic feeding machine brought to the assembly line so that workers need not interrupt their labour to eat. The feeding machine malfunctions, hurling food at Chaplin, who is strapped in his position on the assembly line and cannot escape. This serves to illustrate people's utter helplessness in the face of machines that are meant to serve their basic needs.

Clearly, *Modem Times* has its faults, but it remains the best film treating technology within a social context. It does not offer a radical social message, but it does accurately reflect the sentiment of many who feel they are victims of an over-mechanised world.

Question 39. The author refers to all of the following notions to describe *Modem Times* EXCEPT _____.

- A. satire B. criticism C. revolution D. entertainment

Question 40. According to the passage, Chaplin got the idea for *Modem Times* from _____.

- A. a newspaper B. fieldwork C. a movie D. a conversation

Question 41. According to the author, about two-thirds of *Modem Times* _____.

- A. entertains the audience most B. is rather discouraging
C. is more critical than the rest D. was shot outside a factory

Question 42. The phrase "jostling one another" in the third paragraph is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. pushing one another B. hurrying up together C. jogging side by side D. running against each other

Question 43. According to the passage, the opening scene of the film is intended _____.

- A. to introduce the main characters of the film B. to give the setting for the entire plot later
C. to produce a tacit association D. to reveal the situation of the factory workers

Question 44. The word "vainly" in the fourth paragraph is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. effortlessly B. recklessly C. hopelessly D. carelessly

Question 45. The young farm boys went to the city because they were _____.

- A. forced to leave then sheep farm B. driven out of then sheep farm
C. attracted by the prospect of a better life D. promised better accommodation

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 questions.

The 22nd SEA Games, hosted this year by Vietnam, has joined the international movement to rid sports of tobacco. For the first time, the regional sporting event will be tobacco-free under a landmark cooperative

agreement signed in April 2003 between the World Health Organization (WHO), the 22nd SEA Games Organizing Committee and the Vietnamese Ministry of Health. Hanoi Health Department has organized a press seminar to celebrate and raise awareness about the tobacco-free SEA Games.

The 22nd SEA Games is the first games hosted by Vietnam and 10 countries from the Southeast Asian region with nearly 8,000 athletes and coaches will participate. It will be the first tobacco-free international sporting event in Vietnam, joining other international tobacco-free sporting events such as the FIFA World Cup 2002, and the Winter Olympic Games 2002.

The 22nd SEA Games will ban all sales, advertising and other promotion of tobacco products, and restricts smoking in all Games venues. The aim is to protect spectators, athletes, event staff, media and other visitors from the serious health hazards of second-hand tobacco smoke, as well as to change public attitudes about the social acceptability of smoking.

Madame Pascale Brudon, WHO Representative in Vietnam, stated, "Vietnam has established 3 years ago a comprehensive, ambitious national tobacco control policy and a national tobacco control program. The tobacco-free 22nd SEA Games will be yet another area where Vietnam is leading the way for other countries in the region and the world in protecting its citizens from the debilitating and disastrous consequences of tobacco use."

WHO has provided funding and technical assistance to the SEA Games Organizing Committee and Vietnamese Ministry of Health to train of over 4,000 SEA Games organizers and volunteers on the implementation of the tobacco-free policy. An international team of trainers from the Ministry of Health, International Organization for Good Temper (IOGT), WHO and International Development Enterprises (IDE) began a series of national training workshops for volunteers in April, 2003.

The tobacco-free SEA Games are an inspiration and a model for other sport events, big and small, not only in Vietnam but also in the Southeast Asian and Western Pacific Region.

Question 46. Which sentence is not true?

- A. The tobacco-free SEA Games in Vietnam get great support from several world organizations
- B. There are national training workshops for volunteers in April, 2003 for the tobacco-free SEA Games.
- C. The tobacco-free SEA Games is considered a model for other sport events.
- D. Vietnam itself has to pay a lot for the volunteers on the implementation of the tobacco-free policy.

Question 47. In the 22nd SEA Games _____.

- A. there will be the attendance of athletes from the World Health Organization
- B. is held by the Vietnamese Ministry of Health
- C. smoking is only for the leader, not any athletes
- D. smoking is not allowed

Question 48. According to the third paragraph, _____.

- A. cigarettes are not allowed to sell in the 22nd SEA Games venues
- B. second-hand tobacco smoke cannot cause any harm to the athletes in the 22nd SEA Games
- C. tobacco companies can have an advertising campaign during the SEA Games
- D. everyone can buy cigarettes in the 22nd SEA Games venues except the athletes

Question 49. According to the text, _____.

- A. the tobacco-free SEA Games is not announced to newspapers and magazines
- B. Vietnam has ever organized several tobacco-free sport events before the 22nd SEA Games
- C. the tobacco-free SEA Games in Vietnam has been encouraged and supported by many world organizations
- D. the tobacco-free SEA Games in Vietnam has not been approved by any world organizations

Question 50. One of the aims of the tobacco-free SEA Games is _____.

- A. to sell more and more tobacco during the event
- B. to help athletes to solve the problems of the serious health hazards
- C. to change public attitudes about the social acceptability of smoking
- D. to reduce the production of tobacco

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