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ĐỀ CHÍNH THỨC
(Đề có 03 trang)

Họ và tên HS: _____

Thời gian làm bài: 45 phút

MÃ ĐỀ: 123

(Thí sinh **KHÔNG ĐƯỢC** sử dụng tài liệu)

SBD: _____

I. Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the others:

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| 1. A. <u>lie</u> | B. <u>wide</u> | C. <u>circle</u> | D. <u>comprise</u> |
| 2. A. me <u>chanic</u> | B. <u>ch</u> emistry | C. <u>ch</u> arge | D. <u>campus</u> |

II. Choose the word whose main stress is placed differently from others:

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| 3. A. compulsory | B. education | C. academic | D. independent |
| 4. A. approach | B. polite | C. accept | D. instance |

III. Choose the word which has the CLOSEST meaning with the underlined word:

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| 5. Dark clouds began to <u>spread out</u> across the sky, so we rushed to the house as fast as possible. | A. shrink | B. diminish | C. lessen | D. extend |
| 6. I didn't think his comments were very <u>appropriate</u> at the time. | A. correct | B. right | C. exact | D. suitable |

IV. Choose the word which is OPPOSITE meaning to the underlined word:

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| 7. I'm sure it won't rain, but I'll take an umbrella just to be <u>on the safe side</u> . | A. careful | B. easy | C. careless | D. difficult |
| 8. I don't want to change jobs. I'm quite <u>content</u> with my present position. | A. unsatisfied | B. disappointed | C. happy | D. concerned |

V. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct response to each of the following exchanges:

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| 9. "Hello. Could I speak to the manager, please?" – "_____" | A. No, you can't. | B. Hello, but could you? | C. Yes, speaking. | D. I'm answering you now. |
| 10. "John had an accident. He has been in hospital for 5 days." – "_____" | A. Oh, is he? | B. Poor him. | C. How's terrific! | D. Poor it. |

VI. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs CORRECTION in each of the following questions.

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| 11. <u>The man, together with</u> his family, <u>were</u> invited <u>to the</u> Clambake last night. | A. to the | B. the | C. together with | D. were |
| 12. While he provides <u>interesting</u> examples from the past and present to support his views, the <u>argument</u> is often <u>lost</u> in the <u>torturous</u> language. | A. torturous | B. interesting | C. lost | D. argument |
| 13. The native teachers used the <u>advanced</u> English vocabulary in <u>his</u> presentation, <u>so</u> students don't understand the <u>lesson</u> . | A. advanced | B. his | C. so | D. lesson |

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

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| 14. Most doctors and nurses have to work on a _____ once or twice a week at the hospital. | A. solution | B. special dishes | C. household chores | D. night shift |
| 15. All parents are _____ to at least try to behave in ways that will give their own children an important protection | A. decided | B. supposed | C. followed | D. rejected |
| 16. He is one of the most _____ bosses I have ever worked with. He behaves rudely to not only me but also others in the staff. | A. thoughtful | B. impolite | C. attentive | D. communicative |
| 17. It is parents' duty and responsibility to _____ hands to take care of their children and give them a happy home. | A. shake | B. hold | C. join | D. take |

18. My mother often complains, "You're so messy. I always have to _____ after you."
 A. put on B. go up C. clean up D. keep on
19. The children had to _____ in the principal's office after they took part in a fight.
 A. hit the right notes B. beat around the bush
 C. play second fiddle D. face the music
20. John would like to specialize _____ computer science.
 A. of B. to C. in D. at
21. My family is the base from which we can go into the world with _____.
 A. confide B. confidence C. confident D. unconfident
22. She _____ in Hue for twenty years.
 A. lives B. will live C. lived D. has lived
23. A funny game _____ in class by the teacher yesterday.
 A. held B. was held C. holds D. is held
24. Tom was the last _____ the classroom yesterday.
 A. to leave B. leaving C. left D. leaves
25. I will call and tell you something interesting _____.
 A. when I come home after work B. after I had come home after work
 C. before I came home after work D. while I was coming home after work
26. Her parents rarely let her stay out late, _____?
 A. doesn't she B. don't they C. does she D. do they
27. I _____ along the street when I suddenly heard footsteps behind me.
 A. was walking B. walk C. am walking D. walked

VIII. Reading comprehension: Choose your best answer:

Modern civilization is heavily dependent on energy. Without reliable power sources, we couldn't operate machines, use transportation, communicate via the Internet, or do many other things. Although everyone recognizes the importance of energy, deciding what kind of energy the world should use in the future is not a simple task. The two leading candidates for this role are green energy and nuclear energy.

Currently, most of the energy we use is derived from fossil fuels. Although this energy source has got us this far, there are several problems with it. For starters, it is a **finite** resource which is quickly running out. Some analysts have even estimated that the Earth could run out of coal and oil within the next 50 years. Burning fossil fuels also creates large amount of pollution, which is harmful to the environment. Although fossil fuels still provide the majority of our power, governments are seeking better energy sources to use going forward.

Green energy is one option that is becoming increasingly attractive. It includes technologies such as solar, wind, and hydro power. These are seen as clean sources of energy because they cause very little pollution. In addition, they are completely renewable, so there is no danger that it will run out. The major disadvantage with green energy sources is that they are not cheap.

The other alternative is nuclear power. Like green energy, it is also a renewable source of power that will not run out, and **it** also doesn't produce air pollution. In addition, nuclear power is more reliable than green energy, as it doesn't depend on sunshine, rain, or wind to operate. The major issues with nuclear power are safety concerns and nuclear waste. Nuclear power plants create a considerable amount of nuclear waste which is extremely hazardous to people's health. If they happen to have a meltdown, this could destroy the surrounding area for years to come.

The recent nuclear disaster in Fukushima, Japan brought this reality into the **spotlight** once again. In response, Germany announced it would close down eight of its nuclear plants immediately, and close the rest by 2022. Meanwhile, other nations refuse to give up on nuclear power, stating that these disasters are rare. The debate of whether to use green or nuclear power will likely continue for some time. In the end, it is quite possible that both energy sources will be used to fuel our planet.

(Adapted from Intensive Reading Comprehension Skills)

28. What is the main focus of the passage?
 A. Why energy is important B. The energy sources used in the past
 C. Comparing future energy solutions D. Discussing how disasters affect power sources

29. The word “**finite**” in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.
 A. abundant B. limited C. insufficient D. replaceable
30. According to the passage, what is the main problem with green energy?
 A. It creates lots of pollution. B. It costs more money than other solutions.
 C. No one is interested in using it. D. It won’t work at all in many nations.
31. The word “**it**” in paragraph 4 refers to _____.
 A. source of power B. alternative power C. green energy D. nuclear power
32. Which of the following is **TRUE** according to the passage?
 A. Fossil fuels will continue to be the best choice for the future.
 B. Nuclear energy will outweigh green energy in the near future.
 C. It is easy to decide on the energy solution for the future.
 D. A mix of different energy sources will be used in the future.
33. The word “**spotlight**” in paragraph 5 is closest in meaning to _____.
 A. concern B. attention C. danger D. area of light
34. It can be **inferred** from the passage that _____.
 A. nuclear power is more expensive than other sources
 B. nuclear energy is renewable because it can be replenished
 C. nations have different viewpoints about the utility of nuclear power
 D. the nuclear disaster in Fukushima made other countries give up on nuclear power

IX. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the suitable answer for each question.

35. **I really regret that you haven’t told me about her family.**
 A. If only you would tell me about her family.
 B. If only I didn’t regret that you hadn’t told me about her family.
 C. If only you had told me about her family.
 D. If only you hadn’t told me about her family.
36. **“I will let you know the answer by the end of this week,” Tom said to Janet.**
 A. Tom suggested giving Janet the answer by the end of the week.
 B. Tom promised to give Janet the answer by the end of the week.
 C. Tom insisted on letting Janet know the answer by the end of the week.
 D. Tom offered to give Janet the answer by the end of the week.
37. **The last time I went to the museum was a year ago.**
 A. I have not been to the museum for a year. B. A year ago, I often went to the museum.
 C. My going to the museum lasted a year. D. At last I went to the museum after a year.
38. **It started to rain at 2 o’clock and it is still raining.**
 A. It has been raining at 2 o’clock. B. It has been raining since 2 o’clock
 C. It has been raining for 2 o’clock. D. It has been raining in 2 o’clock.
39. **This is the first time I have had such a delicious meal.**
 A. I have ever had much delicious meal before. B. I had had such a delicious meal several times
 C. I have never had such a delicious meal before. D. I had ever had a delicious meal like this before
40. **It is three years since I last saw her.**
 A. I haven’t seen her for 3 years. B. I haven’t saw her for 3 years.
 C. I seen her for 3 years ago. D. The last time I saw her for 3 years ago.