

SỞ GIÁO DỤC ĐÀO TẠO THÀNH PHỐ HỒ CHÍ MINH <b>TRƯỜNG THPT NGUYỄN CHÍ THANH</b> Họ và tên học sinh: .....		<b>KIỂM TRA CUỐI HỌC KỲ II</b> <b>NĂM HỌC 2024 - 2025</b> <b>MÔN: TIẾNG ANH – Khối 10</b> <i>Thời gian làm bài: 60 phút</i> <i>(không kể thời gian phát đề)</i>		<b>Số phách:</b>
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## SECTION 1. WRITING (2.5 points)

### I. Give the correct form of the words in brackets. (1.25 pt)

- Have you ever tried an \_\_\_\_\_ holiday or even an ecotourism holiday? (**adventurous**)
- We should \_\_\_\_\_ oil and gas by making full use of other energy sources.  
(**conservation**)
- \_\_\_\_\_, he was able to walk around without being recognized. (**amazing**)
- This species has nearly died out because its natural \_\_\_\_\_ is being destroyed. (**habit**)
- She's \_\_\_\_\_ that her mother might find out her secret. (**terrify**)

### II. Rewrite the sentences without changing their meanings, using the words provided or as directed. (1.25 pt)

- Elise has ironed your shirt this morning. (*use Passive Voice*)

→ Your shirt \_\_\_\_\_

- Using this electronic dictionary may enrich your vocabulary. (*use Passive Voice*)

→ Your vocabulary \_\_\_\_\_

- She last watched the movie 'Snow White' three weeks ago.

→ She hasn't \_\_\_\_\_

- I haven't attended the club since 1997.

→ The last time \_\_\_\_\_

- "I can't work very hard because I have a bad back," he said. (*use Reported Speech*)

→ He \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION 2. MULTIPLE CHOICES (5 points)

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. cathedral      B. technology      C. temple      D. separate

**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 2.** A. palace                      B. peaceful                      C. fountain                      D. remote

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

**Question 3.** Dear Linda,

- a. It has many places of interests, including the Citadel, Royal Tombs, pagodas, and so on.
- b. I think Hue is very well worth visiting. I am sure you will have a great time in that charming city.
- c. I would like to recommend a well-known place in Vietnam to you. It's Hue City – a beautiful city in Central Viet Nam.
- d. Many of them can communicate in English, especially students and young people, and they're very helpful.
- e. I'm pleased to hear that you have decided to spend your summer vacation in Southeast Asia.
- f. Besides, people in Hue are very friendly and hospitable.

Yours sincerely,

Jackson

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

**Question 4.**

- a. In summary, computers have become essential in modern education, making learning easier and more effective.
- b. Using computers in education is beneficial because it provides students with access to vast amounts of information.
- c. Computers also help students work together on projects, as they can share documents and collaborate online.
- d. They support students' focus on tasks, such as completing assignments or researching topics.
- e. Firstly, when students use computers, they can find information quickly and improve their understanding of complex topics.

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

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

Dear Ms. Jessica,

I was interested to read about your company in the online issue of "Technology Today." Perhaps your company's technology can help us. We manufacture a variety of kinds of candy which (5) \_\_\_\_\_ all over Viet Nam and in other countries as well. As part of their work, my employees use heavy equipment and move large boxes every day. Sometimes they fall or hurt their backs. (6) \_\_\_\_\_, they miss days of work. Everyone suffers from this situation.

These accidents cost my company a lot of money, and my employees (7) \_\_\_\_\_ health problems. Rapid Technology's "cobots" may help. I understand that a "cobot" is like a robot. However, it is a robot that collaborates - or works with - people. So, you call it a "cobot". Is that right? I understand that people are safer when they work with "cobots". However, the article I read only discussed "cobots" at car companies. Could they also be used at a candy company? What do you think? Please reply via email. Thank you.

Best wishes,

Vinh Nguyen - *President, Vina Candies*

**Question 5.** A. sold                      B. are sold                      C. must sold                      D. are selling

**Question 6.** A. As a result                      B. So far                      C. However                      D. Due to

**Question 7.** A. take part in                      B. suffer from                      C. appeal to                      D. agree to

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

**Question 8.** “Does your mobile phone seem old and \_\_\_\_\_? Click here to view our latest models.”

- A. impressive                      B. interactive                      C. out-of-date                      D. wireless

**Question 9.** They discovered the \_\_\_\_\_ of the historical ancient city near our town.

- A. bay                      B. botanical gardens                      C. theme park                      D. ruins

**Question 10.** You can get your \_\_\_\_\_ at the airport or you can use the online check-in and print yours at home.

- A. departure lounge                      B. flight attendant                      C. boarding pass                      D. passport control

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

As a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, school has moved online for many students. This means more time sitting and staring at a screen. In addition to school, teenagers are also spending a significant amount of time socializing, playing games, and shopping virtually. This over-use of technology (11) \_\_\_\_\_ the mental and physical health of young people across the country, as well as right here at Becton.

Becton’s Student Assistance Coordinator, Mr. Connor Wills stresses that “ (12) \_\_\_\_\_, their brain stops developing and it is hard to change habits and learn new skills.” It is for this reason that children need to learn how to manage their emotions and not become too dependent on technology.

(13) \_\_\_\_\_ and their purpose. While computers are normally used during class time, cell phones are used to keep in touch with friends. According to Science Daily, “One in five young people regularly wake up in the night to send or check messages on social media.” Teenagers that do this are three times more likely to be tired at school, compared to those who do not log on a night.

Studies have shown that females are more likely to log onto their social media accounts than boys leading to emotional issues. Citing a study from 2015, Jamie Zelazny, a professor at the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine explains that “ (14) \_\_\_\_\_ more than two hours a day were much more likely to report poor mental health outcomes like depression, and even suicide.”

Unfortunately, these habits tend to form at a much younger age. The American Association of Pediatrics states that there should be “avoidance of screens (15) \_\_\_\_\_ (except for video-chatting), and limits of an hour per day of high-quality programming for children up to the age of five.”

*(from ‘The Effects of Technology on Teens’ – The Cat’s Eye View)*

**Question 11.**

- A is negative affecting                      B. is negatively affecting  
C. are negatively affecting                      D. are negative affecting

**Question 12.**

- A. While people were becoming 25-27 years of age                      B. Because of people are 25 and 27 years of age  
C. Since people have become 25-27 years of age                      D. When people become 25-27 years of age

**Question 13.**

- A. How some dependent factors of technology use                      B. How some factors use technology dependently on  
C. How technology uses on some factors independently                      D. How technology is used depends on some factors

**Question 14.**

- A. Teens reported that you used no social media sites                      B. Teens who told social media sites that they use  
C. Teens who used social media sites                      D. Teens whose social media sites was using

**Question 15.**

- A. for children under 18 months                      B. for children across 18 months  
C. for children next to 18 months                      D. for children in front of 18 months

**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.**

### ***Egypt travel guide***

♦ **Culture:** Courtesy and hospitality are important when doing business in Egypt. The host of a business meeting will usually offer tea or a small snack before commencing. It's polite to refuse the first offer, but once the host insists, the guest should then accept.

Throughout the Arab world, it is considered bad manners either to display anger or to openly criticize another person in public. In social life, punctuality is almost laughable. For business, visitors should be on time but expect locals to be often late, and do not take offence.

♦ **Economy:** On taking power in 1970, Anwar al-Sadat introduced a policy of '*infitah*' (openness) towards investment. Egypt's economy underwent rapid growth during the 1970s with the quick expansion of the oil industry, tourism and the Suez Canal, and **it** has continued to expand in subsequent decades.

The tourist sector is expanding rapidly, particularly along the Red Sea and Mediterranean coasts, despite sporadic terrorist activities of Islamic fundamentalists. Agriculture, which relies on irrigation from the Nile River, employs one-third of the working population.

♦ **Internet:** There are lots of internet cafés in the main cities, including Cairo, Alexandria, Dahab and Luxor. Even small, more remote towns including Siwa will have at least one venue, usually in the market area. Internet connection is usually **reliable**. Tourists can also access the Internet in hotels, with in-room Wi-Fi available, though often at a costly price.

♦ **Media:** The Egyptian press is one of the most influential and widely read in the region, while Egyptian TV and the film industry supplies much of the Arab-speaking world with shows from its Media Production City. Press laws which allow prison sentences for libel have encouraged self-censorship on sensitive issues.

**Question 16.** What does the word '**it**' in paragraph 3 refer to?

- A. Quick expansion of the oil industry
- B. Egypt's tourism
- C. The Suez Canal
- D. Egypt's economy

**Question 17.** Based on the information about Egypt's economy, which of the following sectors has experienced significant growth since the 1970s due to the '*infitah*' policy?

- A. Agriculture focused on local consumption
- B. Oil industry, tourism and the Suez Canal
- C. Traditional crafts and manufacturing
- D. Heavy industry and technological innovation

**Question 18.** What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. To describe the political situation and recent changes in Egyptian leadership
- B. To provide practical information about cultural customs, economic context, and communication access for visitors to Egypt
- C. To compare the quality of internet service in Egypt to other countries in the Middle East
- D. To persuade tourists to visit the historical sites along the Nile River

**Question 19.** Which of the following statements is **NOT TRUE** according to the passage?

- A. Showing anger publicly is considered unacceptable in the Arab world.
- B. Refusing the first offer is the polite thing to do when offered tea or a snack at the beginning of a business meeting in Egypt.
- C. Egyptian media primarily focuses on local news with no regional influence.
- D. Tourists can usually find internet access in hotels, although it might be costly.

**Question 20.** What is the **OPPOSITE** of the word "**reliable**" as used in the passage?

- A. impossible
- B. flexible
- C. powered
- D. atmospheric