

SỞ GIÁO DỤC ĐÀO TẠO THÀNH PHỐ HỒ CHÍ MINH TRƯỜNG THPT NGUYỄN CHÍ THANH Họ và tên học sinh:		KIỂM TRA CUỐI HỌC KỲ II NĂM HỌC 2024 - 2025 MÔN: TIẾNG ANH – Khối 11 Thời gian làm bài: 60 phút (không kể thời gian phát đề)		Số phách:
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SECTION 1: WRITING (2.5 points)

I/ WORD FORMATIONS: Give the correct form of the words in brackets. (1.25 pts)

- Traffic noise is just one of several minor _____. (irritate)
- Jessie believes that most street art is done by men and that yarn bombing is more _____ activity. (femininity)
- If your eyes _____, you suddenly look interested or excited. (brightness)
- At that time, the internet was a _____ new phenomenon. (relative)
- Cutting down the old forest was an act of _____. (vandal)

II/ SENTENCE TRANSFORMATIONS: (1.25 pts)

Rewrite the sentences without changing their meanings, using the words provided or as directed.

- They are going to repair my laptop by Monday. (use **Have something done** structure)
 ✎ I _____
- The local people planted many more trees in the neighborhood last week.
 (Change into **Passive voice**)
 ✎ Many _____
- Helen didn't make a shopping list, and she forgot to buy some sugar.
 (use **The conditional sentence**)
 ✎ If _____
- She was wearing a necklace that belonged to her grandmother.
 (Rewrite the sentence as **Participle phrase to replace Relative clause**)
 ✎ She _____
- It's really important that you pay the bill today. (Rewrite the sentence, using **'remember'**)
 ✎ You must _____

SECTION 2: MULTIPLE CHOICES (5 points)

Read the following passage and choose the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 1 to 5.

Scientists have dreamed for a long time about building a ‘*flying train*’ which can float through the air above the tracks. With Maglev technology, their dreams are now a reality. Maglev trains have no wheels. Instead, **powerful** magnets lift them into the air and push them forward, at speeds of up to 500 km per hour.

As well as speed, Maglev has a number of advantages over other transport systems. The trains are quieter and the journey is smoother because **they** don’t have wheels. They are also greener because they don’t use fuel and so create less pollution. Right now there is only one high-speed Maglev train system in the world. It carries passengers from Shanghai city centre to the airport. However, work has started on a new, longer Maglev track in Japan. Trains will go from Tokyo to Nagoya in 40 minutes. But don’t expect to ride on it on your next trip to Japan. It won’t open until 2027! Then, in 2045, the line will extend to Osaka.

There is one major problem with Maglev technology: it is incredibly expensive to build the tracks. Transport planners predict that the Tokyo to Osaka line will cost 91 billion dollars. The high cost means that Maglev technology probably won’t replace other forms of transport in the near future. However, the technology is still in development and somebody might find a cheaper and simpler way to build the tracks. And then, who knows? In the future, some of us might fly to work by train.

(Adapted from *Navigate* by Caroline Krantz and Julie Norton)

Question 1. Which of the following can be the best title for the passage?

- A. The Next Generation of Technology
- B. The End of Trains?
- C. Train System in Shanghai
- D. Flying by Train

Question 2. The word “**powerful**” in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. strong
- B. simple
- C. heavy
- D. standard

Question 3. According to paragraph 2, Maglev trains _____.

- A. travel faster than other vehicles
- B. don’t make any noise
- C. require a special type of fuel
- D. don’t do much harm to the environment

Question 4. The word “**they**” in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. transport systems
- B. wheels
- C. Maglev trains
- D. advantages

Question 5. Which of the following is NOT true, according to the passage?

- A. The cost of building Maglev train tracks can be enormous.
- B. Maglev train system in Japan will come into operation in 2045.
- C. A high-speed Maglev train system was first developed in Shanghai.
- D. Maglev trains can travel at an incredibly fast speed

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 6. A. hostel B. mainstream C. tattoo D. traffic

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 7. A. antenna B. temple C. boulevard D. vendor

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. A _____ is a figure or an object made out of stone, metal, or some other hard material.

- A. sculpture
- B. sculpturing
- C. sculptor
- D. sculpt

Question 9. There’s _____ to sit in the cinema. Every seat has been occupied.

- A. everywhere
- B. somewhere
- C. anywhere
- D. nowhere

Question 10. Most of the city dwellers want to escape the _____ and bustle of the city for the weekend.

- A. skyscraper
- B. tram
- C. hustle
- D. mosque

Read the following advertisement / school announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 11 to 13.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF SCHOOL GREEN CLUB

Are you excited (11) _____ sustainability and protecting our planet?

Join us for our first project this Sunday on May of 15th.

Hundreds trees (12) _____ along Sweet Road in the morning and we also will clean up the river bank in the afternoon.

If you need more (13) _____, please contact Ms. Sam via phone number 555-0234

Question 11. A. on

B. with

C. about

D. in

Question 12. A. are plant

B. will plant

C. will be planted

D. plant

Question 13. A. information

B. informant

C. inform

D. informative

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 from 14 to 18.

Many children have music classes when they attend school. And it is thought that music can help them learn other subjects better. Research has shown that it can improve children's performance in certain subjects.

Some studies have shown that music training can help you understand your own language better. It could also help you with learning a second one. Moreover, young people (14) _____ also seem to get higher scores in other subjects like Maths. So it could be that (15) _____.

Music also helps you think of new ideas, (16) _____. If you are learning the guitar, for example, it can be really exciting (17) _____. One of the biggest benefits, of course, is that listening to music can reduce (18) _____. And composing music can make you feel the same way. Maybe your musical knowledge will even open up a great career path for you in the future!

Question 14. A. studied music

B. that studied music

C. who have studied music

D. who were studying music

Question 15. A. these school subjects connecting in some way

B. students are connected in some way

C. these school subjects are connected in some way

D. it makes it easier to connect in some way

Question 16. A. and believe more in yourself

B. believing more in yourself

C. but believe more in yourself

D. so believe more in yourself

Question 17. A. when having able to start composing your own pieces of music

B. when you are able to start composing your own pieces of music

C. to start composing your own pieces of music

D. when you started composing your own pieces of music

Question 18. A. this stress

B. your stress

C. her stress

D. their stress

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.

Question 19.

a. Finally, it makes our planet a better place to live for future generations.

b. Moreover, by saving the environment, we are protecting our ecosystem and other natural resources.

c. Also, the effects of climate change can also be reduced greatly.

d. Firstly, when we protect the environment, we are saving ourselves from the problems that will arise in the future.

e. It is important to save the environment for the survival of the planet and the living beings in it.

f. In conclusion, it is vital to preserve and protect life on Earth

A. e – d – a – f – b – c

B. e – d – b – c – a – f

C. e – d – c – a – f – b

D. e – d – c – b – f – a

Question 20. Dear Jason,

- a. It's fascinating to learn about different styles and get inspired by other artists.
- b. I look forward to hearing about any new hobbies you're taken up as well!
- c. It's such a relaxing way to express myself, and I love experimenting with colors and techniques. I've even signed up for a local art class to improve my skills.
- d. I wanted to share that I recently picked up painting as a new hobby, and I'm really enjoying it.

Cheers,

Sarah

A. b – a – d – c

B. c – d – b – a

C. a – d – c – b

D. d – c – a – b

SECTION 3: LISTENING (2,5 points)

(HỌC SINH NGHE VÀ TÔ ĐÁP ÁN ĐÚNG VÔ PHIẾU TRẢ LỜI TRẮC NGHIỆM)

PART 1:

You will hear a talk. Look at the questions below and choose the best answer (A, B, or C).

You will hear the speech TWICE.

Question 21. *The Gold Performance Academy*

- A. is a school of contemporary dance.
- B. teaches people dance, drama and music.
- C. specialises in classical ballet and musical theatre.

Question 22. *The Academy helps student to*

- A. build confidence as a performer.
- B. choose the right performing art for them.
- C. decide on a future career.

Question 23. *Many of the teachers at the Academy*

- A. have experience in the industry.
- B. perform in the lessons.
- C. like pop music.

Question 24. *Every year, students*

- A. work in a theatre during the summer.
- B. design a certificate for a ceremony.
- C. take part in stage performances.

Question 25. *The speaker*

- A. wants everyone in the audience to attend the Academy.
- B. invites her audience to come to see a lesson at the Academy.
- C. asks the audience to write an email to apply to the Academy.

PART 2:

You're going to listen to six extracts, and decide whether the statement below is True or False.

You will hear the speech TWICE.

Question 26. Passengers boarded the *Princess Ariadne* in the early morning.

A. TRUE

B. FALSE

Question 27. Just as passengers stepped out of the hotel, it was raining heavily.

A. TRUE

B. FALSE

Question 28. Passengers are scheduled to reach Ely at 15:17, where the train will terminate.

A. TRUE

B. FALSE

Question 29. The holidays aren't expensive, because they take care of everything for you – flights, transfers, accommodation.

A. TRUE

B. FALSE

Question 30. His wife is waiting to board British Airways flight 7082 to Dallas.

A. TRUE

B. FALSE

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