

(Đề gồm có 03 trang)

I. MULTIPLE CHOICE: (7.5 pts)

Listen to an old company director talking about his experience of learning how to use a computer, then do the tasks below.

Choose the best answer:

Question 1. Who bought a computer?

- A. The secretary B. The writer's wife C. The writer's son D. The writer

Question 2. What did the writer decide to do when his secretary asked him for a computer in the office?

- A. To sit down at the desk B. To take some computer lessons
C. To sell his old computer D. To buy a new computer

Question 3. How did he feel after a few lessons?

- A. He began to feel happy. B. He began to feel relaxed.
C. He began to feel tired. D. He began to feel excited.

Choose True or False

Question 4. The man was worried when his son bought a computer.

- A. False B. True

Question 5. The man became worried when his secretary asked him to buy a computer.

- A. False B. True

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 6. A. school B. food C. look D. afternoon

Question 7. A. wildlife B. violent C. dinner D. knife

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. I am not in a hurry. I don't mind_____.

- A. to wait B. waited C. waiting D. wait

Question 9. _____like going to pop concerts when you were a teenager?

- A. Did you used to B. Were you using to C. Were you used to D. Did you use to

Question 10. We are good friends. We_____ each other for a long time.

- A. knew B. have known C. know D. will know

Question 11. I'm never late for my English class. I _____ on time.

- A. was always B. always am C. am always D. always was

Question 12. Phong usually comes to class late, _____ makes his form teacher angry.

- A. whose B. whom C. who D. which

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word in the following question.

Question 13. The President expressed his deep sorrow over the Covid-19 deaths.

- A. anger B. passion C. sadness D. happiness

Choose 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 the following question.

Question 14. Computers can add, subtract, multiply, and divide with lightning speed.

- A. very carefully B. extremely quickly C. extremely slowly D. very regularly

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. John is asking Ellen, his friend, about her studying at the library.

John: _____? - **Ellen:** twice a week.

- A. How long do you go to the library B. How often do you go to the library
C. Why do you go to the library D. What do you go to the library

Question 16. _____ were taken to the hospital in the accident yesterday.

- A. The young B. The injured C. The deaf D. The unemployed

Question 17. When I came to the airport, the plane had taken _____.

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

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 21.

The computer has become very _____(18) for our lives. In fact it can not only do simple calculations - add, subtract, multiply or divide - with lightning speed, but also gather a wide range of information for many purposes. They can read hand-printed letters, play chess, compose music, write plays or even _____(19) other computers. In business and industry, the computer keeps track of sales trends and production needs, mails dividend checks, and makes out company payrolls. _____(20) they are taking over some of the tasks that were once accomplished _____(21) our brains, computers are not replacing us. Our brain has more than 10 billion cells and a computer has only a few hundred thousand parts.

Question 18. A. necessary B. necessarily C. necessitate D. necessity

Question 19. A. cooperate B. work C. interact D. design

Question 20. A. If B. Although C. When D. Because

Question 21. A. on B. in C. by D. for

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 from 22 to 25.

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE

William Shakespeare is probably the most famous playwright in history. He was born on April 23, 1564 in Stratford-upon Avon in England. He had seven brothers and sisters. His father was a successful businessman. Shakespeare went to school in Stratford and learned Latin and Greek, but he didn't go to university. At the age of 15, he went to work in his father's business.

When he was eighteen, he met and fell in love with Anne Hathaway. She was eight years older than him. They got married in November 1582, and six months later, their daughter Susanna was born. In 1585, they had Twins, Hamnet and Judith. Then he moved to London, leaving Anne and the children in Stratford. By 1592, he was writing plays and working as an actor.

His plays were very popular and he made a lot of money. In 1597, he bought a big house in Stratford for his family, but he stayed in London for another thirteen years. He continued to write and act and also bought a theatre. In 1611, he finally retired and moved back to Stratford to live in the house he had bought. In total, Shakespeare wrote 37 plays and 154 **sonnets** (fourteen-line poems). He died in Stratford on his 52nd birthday.

Question 22. When Shakespeare was a boy, he worked _____.

- A. in a language school B. as a playwright C. in his father's business D. as an actor

Question 23. What is NOT true about Shakespeare?

- A. He was 8 years older than his wife.
B. He is probably the most famous playwright in history.
C. His plays were very popular and he made a lot of money.
D. He wrote 37 plays and 154 sonnets.

Question 24. The word "**sonnets**" in paragraph 3 most likely means "_____".

- A. songs B. essays C. poems D. lines

Question 25. He died on _____.

A. April 22nd, 1615 **B.** April 23rd, 1616 **C.** April 22nd, 1616 **D.** April 23rd, 1615

II. WRITING (2.5 points)

A. Combine the two sentences into one as requested in the bracket. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

Question 26. Nam didn't complete the race. He tried his best. (use **despite**)

-> _____.

Question 27. Mrs Brown sold her old house. Then she decided to give the money to charity .(use **After**)

-> _____.

B. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the one printed before it. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

Question 28. We haven't seen Tom since he left school.

->Tom _____.

Question 29. That Mary didn't turn up at the party was very surprising.

->Mary didn't _____.

Question 30. My father cycled to school when he was a little boy.

->My father used _____.

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