**BO DE SECONDARY SCHOOL**

**MATRIX OF THE FIRST SEMESTER TEST**

**ENGLISH 8**

**SCHOOL YEAR : 2022-2023**

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**I. Aims:**

- Check the knowledge (from unit 1 to unit 6) which students have learned in the class.

- Help students realize the mistakes so that they can improve their marks next time.

**II. Language Focus**

- Verbs of liking + V-ing/ to infinitive

- Articles: a/an/the

- Word form

- Comparison of adj and adv

- Question words

- Modal verb: should/ have to

- Types of sentence: simple/ compound/ complex sentence

- Past simple and past continuous

**III. Objectives:**

* Find the word which has a different sound in the part underlined.
* Find the word which has a different stress pattern from the others.
* Choose the best answer
* Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each following questions.
* Find the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.
* **Choose the word that is CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined of the following question**
* **Choose the word that is OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined of the following question.**
* Read the text and select the correct option A, B, C or D to fill in the blank
* Read the passage and choose the best answer for the questions
* Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first, beginning with the given words
* Rewrite the sentences as directed

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| **PGDĐT QUẬN LONG BIÊN**  **TRƯỜNG THCS BỒ ĐỀ**  NĂM HỌC 2022 – 2023  **Mã đề 132** | **ĐỀ KIỂM TRA CUỐI HỌC KỲ I**  **MÔN: TIẾNG ANH 8**  Thời gian làm bài: 45 phút  Ngày thi: 03 / 01 / 2023 |
| Họ và tên: ……………………………………………………………… Lớp: ……… | |

***Lưu ý:***

*Đề thi có 04 trang, thí sinh có thể khoanh đáp án vào Đề thi trước khi tô vào phiếu trả lời bằng* ***bút chì****.*

*Thí sinh kiểm tra lại số trang Đề thi trước khi làm bài.*

*Khi nộp bài, thí sinh nộp cả* ***Đề thi và Phiếu trả lời trắc nghiệm****.*

*Thí sinh không được sử dụng bất kỳ loại tài liệu nào kể cả từ điển. Cán bộ coi thi không giải thích gì thêm.*

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1. **LISTENING (1.2 pts)**

***Listen to the recording and mark the best answer for each of the following questions.***

1.What is Mai talking about?

A. The xoe dance B. An ethnic minority C. A tradition D. A custom

2. Which ethnic group is this tradition?

A. The Tay B. The Thai C. The Nung D. The Kinh

3. How many *xoe* dance forms are there?

A. 13 B. 6 C. 30 D. 16

4. Why is the xoe vong the most popular form?  
A. Because it expresses people’s working life.

B. Because it expresses social unity.

C. Because it is performed in both public and private gatherings.

D. Because there are dances with conical hats, paper fans or scarves.  
5. Who can take part in the xoe dance?

A. Only young people B. Only old people C. People, young or old D. Men  
6. Old people say they shouldn’t break with this tradition because it reflects\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
A. family reunions B. social unity

C. Thai culture and lifestyle D. a happy and wealthy life

**B. PRONUNCIATION (0.8pt).**

***Find the word which has a different sound in the part underlined.***

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| 7. A. carn***i***val | B. m***i***nority | C. trad***i***tion | D. rel***i***gion |

8. A. harvest***ed*** B. design***ed*** C. display***ed*** D. enter***ed***

***Find the word which has a different stress pattern from the others.***

9. A. command B. worship C. preserve D. reflect

10. A. companion B. religion C. education D. procession

**C. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR (2.8 pts)**

***Choose the best answer***

11. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ethnic groups live in the southern province?

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| A. When | B. Which | C. Where | D. How often |

12. A village is often populated than a city.

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| A. less densely | B. more densely | C. much densely | D. little densely |

13. According to tradition, you \_\_\_\_\_\_ sweep the floor on the first day of Tet.

A. have to B. shouldn’t C. should D. must

14. The Yao have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ rich culture of folk literature and art, with tales, songs and poems.

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| A. a | B. an | C. the | D. Ø |

15. My dad doesn’t mind \_\_\_\_\_\_ my mom from work every day?

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| A. to pick up | B. picked up | C. picking up | D. picks up |

16. While people were talking to each other, he \_\_\_\_his book.

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| A. read | B. was reading | C. had read | D. reads |

17. Why don’t we go to Da Nang city on the weekend?    - “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”.

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| A. That’s a fine day | B. That’s a good idea | C. That’s a trip | D. That’s a reason |

18. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ children are waiting for the moon to rise, they sing, dance and listen to the story.

A. Because B. Although C. While D. If

***Circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each following questions.***

**19**. Sleeping Beauty was under a spell when the prince had found her.

A B C D

20. Because it was cold, Tom still went swimming.

          A           B                   C       D

***Choose the word that is CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined of the following question***

**21.** He was late, but ***fortunately*** his friends waited for him.

A. luckily B. magically C. cruelly D. lately

22. Will she be ***annoyed*** that you forgot to phone?

A. displeased B. pleased C. pleasure D. please

***Choose the word that is OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined of the following question.***

23. Ethnic peoples in the mountains have a ***peaceful*** way of farming.

A. complex B. noisy C. important D. easy

24. Mr Thompson works more ***carefully*** than Mr Baker.

A. carelessly   B. carefully    C. carefulness    D. uncarefully

**D. READING (1.6 pts)**

***Read the text and select the correct option A, B, C or D to fill in the blank.***

Once a farmer lived a (25) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ life with his family. His chickens laid many eggs which the farmer used to (26) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ food and clothing for his family.

One day, he went to (27) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the eggs and discovered one of the chickens laid a gold egg. He shouted excitedly to his wife, "We're rich! We're rich!"

His wife ran to him and they both looked at the egg in amazement. The wife wanted more, so her husband decided to cut open all the chickens and find (28) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ gold eggs. Unfortunately, he couldn't find any eggs. When he finished all the chickens were dead. There were no more eggs of any kind for the foolish farmer and his greedy wife.

**25. A.** comfortable **B.** comfortab**ly C.** comfort **D.** comfortful

**26. A. bought B. buying C.** buy **D. buys**

**27. A. bring B. take C. collect D. put**

**28. A. less B.** a little C. much D. more

***Read the passage and choose the best answer for the questions***

Hi! I’m Dean. I’m from England. My favorite time of the year is Christmas, which is on 25th December. That’s when Christians celebrate the birth of Christ. In the middle of December we send a lot of cards to our friends and family, here and abroad. Then we get a big tree and ***decorate*** it with lights and other things. On Christmas Day, we give each other presents. We have one enormous meal with turkey, and after that, we have Christmas pudding.

29. When is Christmas held?

      A. On 25 December                                       B. In the middle of December

      C. In the middle of the year                           D. no information

30. Christmas is held because Christians want to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

      A. have a good time                                        B. celebrate the birth of Christ

      C. visit their friends and family                      D. decorate big trees

31. What does the word ‘**decorate’** in line 3 mean?

      A. make something look nicer                        B. paint something

      C. make something look worse                       D. buy something

32. Which of the following is ***NOT*** true?

      A. Dean is English.

      B. At Christmas, people get big trees and decorate it.

      C. Dean prefers Halloween to Christmas.

      D. In the middle of December, people send a lot of Christmas cards to their friends and family.

**E. WRITING (1.6 pts)**

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

**33. You had better not to stay up late.**

A. You shouldn’t stay up late. B. You should stay up late.

C. You have to stay up late. D. You mustn’t stay up late.

**34. *The Museum of Ethnology* is the most interesting museum in Ha Noi.**

A. How is the most interesting museum in Ha Noi?

B. Who is the most interesting museum in Ha Noi?

C. Which is the most interesting museum in Ha Noi?

D. Why is the most interesting museum in Ha Noi?

**35. ethnic/ minority/ people/ the/ village/ very/ friendly.**

A. A ethnic minority people in the village are very friendly.

B. An ethnic minority people in the village are very friendly.

C. The ethnic minority people in the village are very friendly.

D. The ethnic minority people in the village is very friendly.

**36. We were having dinner and they were listening to the radio.**

A. We were having dinner while they were listening to the radio.

B. We were having dinner when they were listening to the radio.

C. When we were having dinner, they were listening to the radio.

D. We were having dinner after they were listening to the radio.

***Rewrite the sentences as directed***

37. It was cold. However, Tom still went swimming.

=> Although \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

38. She was reading a book and the man came in.

=> When \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

39. He uses all his free time to look after his garden *(Rewrite the sentence using “spend”)*.

=> \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

40. Mount Everest is the highest mountain in the world.

=> No mountain \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**--- GOOD LUCK! ---**