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| **PEOPLE COMMITTEE OF LONG BIEN DISTRICT**  **CU KHOI SECONDARY SCHOOL**  ***Full name***: …………………………………..  ***Class*:** 9A…. | **THE FIRST MID-TERM TEST- GRADE 9**  **SCHOOL YEAR: 2023- 2024**  ***Time allowed: 60 minutes***  ***Date***: **31/10/2023**  **CODE: 903** |

***\* Mark 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 each of the following questions. (0.5pt)***

***Question 1:*** My uncle often has a **bad relationship** with his neighbour.

A. lives on B. gets on with C. face up to D. pass down

***Question 2:*** These products are called lacquerware because they are decoratively **covered** with lacquer.

A. Exposed B. hidden C. roofed D. painted

***\* Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best written from the words/phrases given.(1 pt)***

***Question 3: City/ dwellers/ tend/ be/ busier,/ ambitious/ distant/ compared/ the village folk.***A. City dwellers tend to be busier, ambitious and distant compared to the village folk.

B. City dwellers tend will be busier, ambitious and distant compared to the village folk.  
C. City dwellers tend to be more busier, ambitious and distant compared to the village folk.  
D. City dwellers tend to be the busier, ambitious and distant compared to the village folk.

***Question 4: Vietnamese people/ buy/ Dong Ho pictures / hang them / their wall for a year.***

A. Vietnamese people bought Dong Ho pictures in order that hang them on their wall for a year.

B. Vietnamese people bought Dong Ho pictures in order to hang them on their wall for a year.

C. Vietnamese people bought Dong Ho pictures so that hang them on their wall for a year.

D. Vietnamese people bought Dong Ho pictures because hang them on their wall for a year.

***Question* 5: *I asked / Lan / where / going / her holidays.***

A. I asked Lan where was she going on her holidays.

B. I asked Lan where she is going on her holidays.

C. I asked Lan where is she going on her holidays.

D. I asked Lan where she was going on her holidays.

***Question 6: We / go out / a picnic / although / weather / bad.***

A. We went out for a picnic although the weather was bad.

B. We go out for a picnic although the weather was bad.

C. We went out for a picnic although the bad weather.

D. We went out for a picnic although the weather is bad.

***\* Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions. (0.5 pt)***

***Question* 7:** Trang is very depressing because her closest friend is moving to another city.

A. closest B. depressing C. another D. is moving

***Question* 8:** Phuong asked Quang whether he went to Hoa’s birthday party the night before .

A. birthday B. went C. the night before D. whether

\* ***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable answer to each of the following questions.*****(2.5 pts)**

***Question 9:***  My parents once took me to Bat Trang village. I could make my own \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ there. I really enjoyed it.

A. pottery B. sculpture C. painting D. lacquer

***Question 10:*** My friends wanted to know what time \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. does the movie begin B. did the movie begin

C. the movie begins D. the movie began

***Question 11:*** This kind of car is much more user-friendly, but it costs ………. the other one.

A. so much as B. as many as C. twice as many D. twice as much as

***Question 12:*** She wondered …………..to tell the news to her parents.

A. Why B. What C. Which D. How

***Question 13:*** Quang is taking extra lessons to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ what he missed while he was sick.  
A. keep up with B. look forward to C. get on well  with D. take back

***Question 14:*** The farmers usually works in the fields\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the sun sets.

A.as soon as B. until C. but D.although

***Question 15:*** He said that he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his parents’ high expectations which \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ him stressed.

A. can’t meet - had made B. couldn’t meet - made

C. won’t meet - made D. wouldn’t meet - makes

***Question 16:*** My hometown now is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ than it was 15 years ago.

A. more large B. as large C. much larger D. the largest

***Question 17:*** I’ve \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the product catalogue and decided to buy this table.

A. looked through B. found out C. lived on D. found out

***Question 18:*** Her son is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that he will pass the examination.

A. confidence B. confide C. confidentiality D. confident

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***Question 19:*** When we travel **overseas** we hope to go to Iceland.

A. to foreign lands B. by water C. with foreigners D. on the sea

***Question 20:*** I often ask my sister to **look after** the children while I am away on business.

A. to foreign lands B. look forward to C. take part in D. pay attention to

***Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the most suitable response to complete each of the following exchanges.*** ***(0.5pt)***

***Question 21: -*** “My life’s got stuck these days. I am so depressed and unable to think of anything.”

- “……………….”

A. Stay calm. Everything will be alright.B. You will be tired.

C. Stay stuck there. D. No, thanks.

***Question 22:***“I’m having an English test tomorrow." – “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

A. Yes, of course. B. Poor you. C. What a pity! D. Good luck.

**\* *Read the passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer for each question. (1.25 pt)***

Social skills are one of the most noticeable skill deficits that children with autism display. It is common for parents to detect this symptom first because as humans we are social by nature. When a child does not see social interactions as reinforcing it indicates that they may have Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD). This does not mean children with autism do not value their relationships, it means they do not understand them. The sooner a child with autism is taught the reinforcing qualities of social interaction the better their long-term **outcome** will be.

Children with autism will display their level of understanding social interaction in different ways. Commonly young children with autism will avoid eye-contact, fail to babble or point, not respond to language, have a preference of playing alone, and will not engage in pretend play. However, not all children with autism show a severe lack of social skills. They can still show a great interest in social relationships but may not understand how to engage in them.

As children with autism get older it is challenging for them to understand emotions or the perception of others. These social skills always have to be taught to enable the person with autism to fully understand their social world. With treatment children with autism are able to learn how to express their own feelings and engage with others. Without treatment people with autism often feel very isolated which can lead to anxiety or depression in their adolescent years.

- Autism Spectrum Disorder: *Hội chứng tự kỷ*

*-* deficit: *sự thiếu hụt*

***Question* 23:** *The word “****outcome****” in the first paragraph can be replaced by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.*

A. impact B. treatment C. cure D. result

***Question* 24:** *According to the second paragraph, what symptom will a child with autism show?*

A. play alone B. engage in pretend play

C. prefer using eye-contact D. babble or point to respond to language

***Question* 25:** *Which of the following is true about children with autism?*

A. Children with autism do not value their relationships.

B. Child with autism should be taught social interactions as soon as possible.

C. All children with autism show a severe lack of social skills.

D. Children with autism have no interest in social relationships.

***Question* 26:** *According to the third paragraph, children with autism \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.*

A. will never understand other people’s emotions and perception

B. will develop social skills when they grow old

C. need to be taught to develop their social skills

D. will fully understand their social world without any treatment

***Question* 27:** *What is the passage mainly about?*

A. Social skills in children with autism

B. Children with autism and the society

C. Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) in children

D. Improving social skills in children with autism

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***Question 28: It was an interesting film. My sister stayed up all night to watch it.***

A. My sister stayed up all night to watch the film, therefore, it was interesting.

B. Unless it were an interesting film, my sister would stay up all night to watch it.

C. The film was so interesting that my sister stayed up all night to watch it.

D. Though it was an interesting film, my sister stayed up all night to watch it.

***Question 29: I was very exhausted, but I didn’t stop working.***

A. Even though I was very exhausted, I didn’t stop working.

B. I stopped working because I was exhausted.

C. If I didn’t stop working, I would be very exhausted.

D. I didn’t stop working; therefore, I was very exhausted.

***Question 30: “Shall we meet at the school gate?” Peter said.***

A. Peter suggested to meet at the school gate.

B. Peter suggested meeting at the school gate.

C. Peter suggested that shall we meet at the school gate.

D. Peter suggested that we meeting at the school gate.

***Question 31: We think that no one in our class is more intelligent than Peter is.***A. I think Peter is not the most intelligent in our class.

B. I think Peter is most intelligent in our class.

C. I think Peter is the most intelligent in our class.  
D. I think Peter is the more intelligent in our class.

**\* *Mark the letter A, B, Cor 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.* (0.5 pt)**

***Question 32:*** A. treasure B. measure C. great D. pleasure

***Question 33:*** A. conduct B. stuck C. funny D. difficult

**\* *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.* (0.5 pt)**

***Question 34:*** A. collaborate B. authenticity C. multicultural D. recreational

***Question 35:*** A. workshop B. preserve C. picture D. sculpture

**\* Cloze test:** ***Read the following passage and mark the letter A,B,C or D to indicate the correct word/ phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.(1,25 pt)***

There are 21,900 households in an area of less than 100 hectares of the Old Quarter in Ha Noi. In many houses, an entire family may occupy no more than a single room.

A house on Hang Ca Street, **(36)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the 1940s, originally belonged to one wealthy man and his wives, and now there are six households there with about 30 people. Many say the convenience of the Old Quarter living compensates for the shortage of facilities. Tradition is also a(n) (**37**) because some residents have (**38**) houses elsewhere but no one wants to sell the old houses or rooms (**39**) these are the houses of the ancestors.

The authorities of Ha Noi have had a plan to move 25,000 of the Old Quarter’s 84,000 residents, beginning in 2009 when 1,900 households will go to a new development area, across the Red River.

However, people don't want to live in a high-rise block because they (**40**) to it. Authorities will take time to find out what people will need to make them feel comfortable in their new neighbourhood.

***Question* 36: A.** to be built **B.** was built **C.** build **D.** built

***Question* 37: A.** situation **B.** occasion **C.** factor **D.** element

***Question 38*: A.** bigger **B.** biggest **C.** no **D.** none

***Question* 39: A.** but **B.** because **C.** so **D.** although

***Question* 40: A.** are not used **B.** didn’t use **C.** were not used **D.** are used

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*Question 3:*A. City dwellers tend to be busier, ambitious and distant compared to the village folk.

*Question 4:* B. Vietnamese people bought Dong Ho pictures in order to hang them on their wall for a year.

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*Question* 27: A. Social skills in children with autism

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