

**ĐỀ 12 – SỞ GD&ĐT BẮC GIANG***Time allowed: 45 minutes*

**I. Circle the word A, B, C or D in each group whose underlined part is pronounced differently from others.**

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|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. A. <u>ou</u> t    | B. ab <u>ou</u> t | C. <u>rou</u> nd     | D. <u>wou</u> ld     |
| 2. A. help <u>ed</u> | B. wash <u>ed</u> | C. play <u>ed</u>    | D. laugh <u>ed</u>   |
| 3. A. <u>ch</u> ild  | B. <u>sch</u> ool | C. head <u>ach</u> e | D. <u>ch</u> emistry |
| 4. A. <u>h</u> eat   | B. <u>r</u> eason | C. <u>te</u> acher   | D. <u>ap</u> pear    |

**II. Circle the best answer among A, B, C or D to complete the following sentences.**

1. A: "May I go out for just a while?" - B: " \_\_\_\_\_ "
- A. It's nice of you!.      B. That's great!      C. Go ahead!      D. Yes, you could!
2. Mother! Someone \_\_\_\_\_ my bike. I cannot see it. \_\_\_\_\_
- A. took      B. has taken      C. takes      D. is taking
3. He was named \_\_\_\_\_ a famous singer.
- A. for      B. to      C. from      D. after
4. She said she \_\_\_\_\_ Ha Long Bay the following day.
- A. would visit      B. will visit      C. visited      D. will be visited
5. Hoa never goes to the zoo, \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- A. is she      B. does she      C. doesn't she      D. isn't she
6. Is she used \_\_\_\_\_ up early in the morning?
- A. to get      B. get      C. getting      D. to getting
7. She will be \_\_\_\_\_ by the structure of the complex of Hue Monuments.
- A. impressed      B. impress      C. impression      D. impressment
8. It's nearly three months \_\_\_\_\_ he visited his parents.
- A. While      B. during      C. since      D. when

**IV. Give the correct tense/ form of the verb in brackets.**

1. Nam (*not see*) \_\_\_\_ his sister for a long time.
2. She (*ask*) \_\_\_\_ me if I came from Vietnam
3. Listen to these foreigners! What language they (*speak*) \_\_\_\_?
4. The house (*build*) \_\_\_\_ ten years ago.

**V. Fill in each numbered blank with one suitable word in the box to complete the passage.**

Many            to get            recently            decorating            buy

Great numbers of home computers have been sold (1) \_\_\_\_\_. People know more about computers than they used (2) \_\_\_\_\_. Computers help us much in our work and they are playing a big part in our lives. (3) \_\_\_\_\_ people believe we can look forward to the day when our household jobs like cleaning, ironing and (4) \_\_\_\_\_ will be done by computer-controlled robots.

**VI. Read the following passage and answer the questions.**

As a result of years of research, we know that too much animal fat is bad for our health. For example, American eat a lot of meat and only a small amount of grains, fruit and vegetables. Because of their diet, they have high rates of cancer and heart disease. In Japan, in contrast, people eat large amounts of grains and very little meat. The Japanese also have low rates of cancer and heart disease. In fact the Japanese live longer than anyone else in the world. Unfortunately, when people move to the US, the rates of heart disease and cancer increase as their diet changes. Moreover, as hamburgers, ice-cream, and other high fat food become popular in Japan, the rates of heart disease and cancer are increasing there as well. People are also eating more meat and dairy products in other countries such as Cuba and Hungary. Not surprisingly, the disease rates in these countries are increasing along with the change in diet. Consequently, doctors everywhere advise people to eat more grains, fruit and vegetables and to eat less meat and fewer dairy products.

1. Why do American have high rates of cancer and heart disease?
2. Do the Japanese live longer than anyone else in the world?
3. In which countries are people also eating more meat and dairy products?
4. What do doctors everywhere advise people?

**VII. Rewrite the sentence so that it means as the first one, beginning with the given words.**

1. I haven't seen my brother for a month.

I didn't \_\_\_\_\_.

2. "How often do you go to the English club?" Nam asked Lan.

Nam asked Lan \_\_\_\_\_.

**VIII. Using the suggested words or phrases to write meaningful sentences.**

1. We / used / wear / uniforms / when / we / be / school.

\_\_\_\_\_

2. He / wish / he / have / new / computer.

\_\_\_\_\_

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**ĐỀ 13 – TRƯỜNG THCS MỸ HÀO***Time allowed: 45 minutes***Choose the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the others:**

1. A. champagne                      B. check                      C. chease                      D. choose  
 2. A. boxes                              B. washes                      C. watches                      D. goes

**Choose the correct answer(s) in the following sentences. Write A, B, C or D on your answer sheet:**

3. Lan..... listening to music in her free time.  
 A. enjoys                      B. likes                      C. wants                      D. loves
4. John .....write the letter to me when he lived abroad.  
 A. is used to                      B. was used to                      C. used to                      D. used
5. **Mary:** “ That’s a very nice dress you are wearing.” - **Julia:** “ .....”  
 A. That’s nice                      B. I like it                      C. That’s all right                      D. I’m glad you like it
6. He wishes he .....fly  
 A. can                      B. will                      C. should                      D. could
7. I ..... these books in the book store near my house last Sunday morning.  
 A. buy                      B. bought                      C. has bought                      D. buying
8. All the teachers in this language center are.....  
 A. good-qualified                      B. good-qualifying                      C. well-qualified                      D. well-qualifying
9. Peter and John will leave here .....5 o’clock early .....the morning.  
 A. at/in                      B. on/in                      C. in/on                      D. in/at
10. Susan studied very well,.....she could pass the exam easily.  
 A. if                      B. or                      C. but                      D. so
11. Maths and Literature are..... subjects at school in our country.  
 A. adding                      B. compulsory                      C. optional                      D. religious
12. British people can drive on the left, \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. can he                      B. are they                      C. can't they                      D. do they

**Read the passage about clothes, then answer the questions below.**

Clothes can tell a lot about a person. Some people like very colorful clothes because they want everyone to look at them and they want to be the center of things. Other people like to wear nice clothes, but their clothes are not colorful or fancy. They do not like people to look at them. Clothes today are very different from the clothes of the 1800s. One difference is the way they look. For example, in the 1800s all women wore dresses. The dresses all had long skirts.

But today women do not always wear dresses with long skirts. Sometimes they wear short skirts. Sometimes they wear pants. Another difference between 1800s and today is the cloth. In the 1800s, clothes were made only from natural kinds of cloth. They were made from cotton, wool, silk, or linen. But today, there are many kinds of man-made cloth. A lot of clothes are now made from nylon, rayon, or polyester.

1. Why do some people like very colorful clothes?
2. Were the clothes of the 1800s the same as clothes today?
3. Who wore dresses with long skirts in the 1800s?
4. What is another difference between 1800s and today?
5. When were clothes made from only from natural kinds of cloth?

**Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it means exactly the same as the sentence printed before**

1. My brother last ate that food five months ago.  
-> My brother hasn't.....
2. He said to me "Do you like listening to music?"  
-> He asked.....
3. They have built two department stores recently.  
-> Two department stores.....
4. It's a pity they don't speak English well.  
-> They.....

**Complete the letter using the cues given. Write the letter in your answer sheet.**

Dear Sir,

0. I/ see/ Institute's advertisement/ TV/ yesterday.

-> I saw your Institute's advertisement on TV yesterday.

1. I/ be / interested/ learn/ English.

2. I/ like/ information/ your Institute.

3. I/ study/ English/ over four years /and / speak/ little English.

4. I want / improve / reading and writing skills.

5. Could / please send me details / courses / fees?

6. I / complete / English test if necessary.

*I am looking forward to hearing from you.*

*Yours faithfully,*

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**ĐỀ 14 – SỞ GD&ĐT THANH HÓA***Time allowed: 45 minutes**Circle the word with the underlined part pronounced differently from that of the others.*

1. A. school                      B. Christmas                      C. chemistry                      D. chicken
2. A. kissed                      B. helped                      C. learned                      D. forced
3. A. grade                      B. pray                      C. slavery                      D. gather
4. A. leader                      B. ready                      C. beat                      D. leave

*Write the correct form of the verb in each bracket.*

1. Maryam \_\_\_\_\_ (stay) with us at the moment. She is my sister's friend.
2. If you keep making such a noise, she \_\_\_\_\_ (complain).
3. She \_\_\_\_\_ (learn) English since she was ten.
4. Minh \_\_\_\_\_ (not visit) the museum with his class last Sunday because he caught a cold.
5. My son enjoys \_\_\_\_\_ (listen) to traditional stories.

*Circle the best option A, B, C or D to complete each sentence.*

1. My uncle has smoked \_\_\_\_\_ 20 years.
- A. since                      B. in                      C. at                      D. for
2. Where is Janet? She is out. She said she \_\_\_\_\_ back soon.
- A. is                      B. would be                      C. was                      D. will be
3. I've got \_\_\_\_\_ books than you.
- A. less                      B. same                      C. as                      D. fewer
4. What do people do for a \_\_\_\_\_ in your hometown?
- A. living                      B. live                      C. lives                      D. life

5. You don't like playing computer games, \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. don't you                      B. do you                      C. will you                      D. won't you

**Give the correct form of the words given in brackets.**

1. Graham hates queuing; He is very \_\_\_\_\_ . (PATIENT)  
 2. His parents are very \_\_\_\_\_ of him. (PRIDE)  
 3. You look more \_\_\_\_\_ in your new dress. (BEAUTY)  
 4. The Internet is a very useful means of \_\_\_\_\_ in our life. (COMMUNICATE)

**Find and correct the mistake in each sentence.**

1. The man listen to music is my younger brother.  
 2. They have been learning English from their childhood  
 3. He became interest in reading while he was working in the library.

**Complete the passage with the words in the box, then answer the questions below.**

kind            have            asstaying            hardly            this

Dear grandparents,

This is a quick note to tell you how the holiday is going.

We're \_\_\_\_\_ (1) in a nice holiday – a very quiet part of the town. As you know, \_\_\_\_\_ (2) is a small city. The people here are very \_\_\_\_\_ (3), hospitable and friendly. We have such nice weather since we got here, so we are feeling very happy. We \_\_\_\_\_ (4) seen some of beautiful sights and a few museums. We thought they were very impressive. Yesterday we decided to go for a swim; we went to a nice beach where the water was blue and clean. Last night, we had a delicious meal in a wonderful restaurant. The food and services were excellent. When the bill came, we could \_\_\_\_\_ (5) believe in it because it was so cheap. \_\_\_\_\_ (6) our hobbies are sightseeing and swimming, we enjoyed the holiday so much.

I'll write again soon

Love

Jannet and Jackson

*Complete the second sentence so that it has the similar meaning to the first.*

1. It took me three days to repaint the room.

-> I spent .....

2. "I live with my parents in this city", the girl said.

-> The girl said .....

3. Nobody has cleaned the house since last week.

-> The house hasn't.....

4. The dress is cheaper than the skirt.

-> The skirt.....

5. Unless we water these flowers, they'll die.

-> If we.....

*Put the words in the correct order to make meaningful sentences.*

1. about / to / the / What / cinema / going / tonight /?

2. should / placed / Matches / be / children / out of / reach of /.

3. at / six / It / o'clock / to / began / rain /.

4. my / lazy / daughter / weren't / I / wish /.