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| PHÒNG GDĐT QUẾ SƠN  **TRƯỜNG THCS QUẾ THUẬN** | **KIỂM TRA CUỐI KỲ 1- NĂM HỌC 2023-2024**  **MÔN TIẾNG ANH - LỚP 8**  Thời gian làm bài: 60 phút(*Không kể thời gian giao đề)* |

ĐỀ CHÍNH THỨC

*(Học sinh làm bài trên đề này - Đề gồm có 3 trang)*

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| ĐIỂM | | CHỮ KÝ CỦA  GIÁM KHẢO | MÃ PHÁCH |
| Bằng số: | Bằng chữ:  ......................................... |

**SECTION A. LISTENING (2pts)**

**I. Listen to the conversation about living in the countryside in Japan. Circle A, B or C to answer each question. (1.0pt)**

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| 1. | Where is Sam living now? | | |
|  | A. in England | B. in Japan | C. in Europe |
| 2. | What does he like about the village? | | |
|  | A. the mountains | B. the ocean | C. the pollution |
| 3. | How does he feel about the people in the village? | | |
|  | A. difficult | B. friendly | C. easy |
| 4. | Which among these is true about Sam's attitude towards the weather in the village? | | |
|  | A. He likes it very much. B. He thinks it is comfortable C. He hates it.. | | |
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| 5. | What is the most unusual about the village in Sam's opinion? | | |
|  | A. There are many snakes. B. Snakes like to stay in his office C. All snakes are green. | | |

## II. Listen to the conversation. Decide if these sentences are True (T) or False (F).(1.0pt)

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| **Statements** | **True (T)** | **False (F)** |
| 6. Ok Om Bok festival is held in Soc Trang. |  |  |
| 7. It is held on the 14th and 15th evenings of the 12th lunar month. |  |  |
| 8. They worship their Moon God at the festival. |  |  |
| 9. They only have a worshipping ceremony at home. |  |  |
| 10. They have many activities such as float paper lanterns, hold dragon boat races |  |  |

**SECTION B. LANGUAGE COMPONENTS (2pts)**

**I.Phonetics** : Circle the word having different sound in the underlined part.(0,4 pt)

11. A.girl B. village C. tiger D. game

12. A circle B.custom C.community D.culture

***II. Choose the best word or phrase (A, B, C or D) to complete each sentence below.(1.6 pts)***

13. Look! Some boys are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the buffaloes.

A. picking B. playing C. driving D. herding

14. We are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on playing basketball after school.

A. interested B. keen C. crazy D. fond

15.Last year, thousands of festival \_\_\_\_\_ participated in the Lim Festival.

A. comers B. goers C. movers D. travellers

16.The Lunar New Year is \_\_\_\_ most important holiday in Viet Nam.

A. a B. an C. the D. Ø

17.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ does Hoa Ban Festival take place? - In Lai Chau.

A. What B. Where C. When D. How

18. .................Miss Hoa .................Mrs. Lan three days ago?

A. Did/visited B. was /visiting C. Did/visit D. Does /visit

19 .If we meet at 9:00, we \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ plenty of time to talk.

A. have B. is having C. will have D. had

20.During Tet, people often prepare \_\_\_\_\_ such as sticky rice and boiled chicken to worship their ancestors

A. decorative items B. food offerings C. spirits D. ornamental tre

**SECTION C. READING (2pts)**

***I.* Read the passage, and then decide whether the statements that follow** **are True (T) or False (F).**

Terraced rice fields are located in the northern mountainous provinces. Local ethnic minority peoples can grow rice and establish terraced rice fields, one after another, from the foot to nearly top of mountains. In distance, the terraced rice fields look like a picture of nature with heart-catching beauty keeping tourists to stay for admiration for a while. This picture however has its colour changed seasonally. As usual in April and May, the local people water their fields at full to prepare for a new crop. At this time, the surface of terraced fields shines like a mirror. In June and July, the terraced rice fields with fully-grown paddy rice and forest trees spread the green out to the entire area. In September and October when autumn ends, the terraced rice fields look like golden silk scarves flying over in the wind above green mountain slopes. Famous terraced rice fields can be found in Yen Bai, Ha Giang. Especially, the fields in Sa Pa (Lao Cai Province) were voted as one of seven most beautiful and impressive terraced rice fields of Asia.

…………21.Terraced fields are established from the foot to the nearly top of mountains. …………22. Terraced rice fields look like a picture of nature.

…………23.Terraced fields keep its color the same all year round.

…………24.People can see famous terraced rice fields in Yen Bai, Ha Giang.

…………25.Fields in Sa pa were voted as the most beautiful and impressive terraced fields of the

world.

***II*. Read the passage and choose the best answer A, B, C, or D to answer the quesions. (1pt )**

**A Longevity Celebration**

On the fifth day of Tet, Binh An Village holds a longevity celebration for elderly people over 70. This tradition has continued for centuries in the village.

In the morning, everyone dresses nicely and walks to the village temple. According to tradition, the elderly wear traditional Ao Dai. They sit at the most honourable place. The village leaders congratulate them. They offer each elder a "longevity flag" and a bunch of flowers. Then, each family takes photographs with their elders. At noon, families hold a home party for their elders. It is customary for the family members to cook for their elders. The traditional dishes served are five-colour sticky rice, steamed chicken, spring rolls, and deep-fried fish.

The longevity celebration is important to all villagers. It is an opportunity for them to show their respect to the elders. It is also a great time for family gatherings.

26. What is the passage mainly about?

A celebration for the elderly. B. A spring festival.

C. A cooking contest. D. A celebration for the children

27. How do people go to the village temple?

A. By car. B. By motorbike.

C. On foot. D. By bike

28. According to the passage, what do the elders NOT do during the official ceremony?

A. Sit at an honourable place. B. Have a party at a restaurant

C. Wear traditional Ao dai D. Take photographs with family.

29. Who cooks at the home party?

A. The elderly. B. The nearby restaurant.

C. The family members. D.The village leaders

30. The celebration is important to Binh An villagers because

A. it shows their respect to the elders. B. it is an opportunity to admire their culture.

C. it is a great opportunity for them to gather. D. it is an opportunity for having a party.

**SECTION D- WRITING (2.0 pts)**

***I. Circle A, B, C or D which is not correct in standard English (0,4 pts)***

31. How many cheese do you need to make three pizzas?

A B C D

32. If we travel to London, we visit the museums.

A B C D

***II.* Reorder the words and phrases to make correct sentences*. (0,8 pts)***

33. doesn’t / it / If / / rain,/ camping / they / will / go

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34.interested / I’m / in / free / making / in / my / origami / time.

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35. must / study /You/ harder; / otherwise, / you / the/ will / fail / exam.

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36. village / is / March / Our / held / on / of / festival / 10th.

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***III. Rewite the sentence without changing its meaning using the given words in brackets (0,8 pts)***

37. Eat an apple every day, and you will be healthier. (If)

You…………………………………………………………………………………….

38. It’s a good idea to hand bowls with both hands. (should)

You……………………………………………………………………………………………

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