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(Đề thi có 04 trang)

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**I. LISTENING: (2.0 pts)**

**PART 1.** *Listen to a teenager calling about the advert for summer jobs and decide if the following statements are true (T) or false (F). You will hear the conversation twice.*

**Question 1.** The part-time job requires 24 hours of work per week.

**Question 2.** The part-time job involves designing clothes for customers.

**Question 3.** Good communication with customers is necessary.

**Question 4.** The employer has applicants mail their letter and CV.

**PART 2.** *Listen to a radio advert for a wildlife centre and choose the correct answer to each of the following questions. You will hear the recording twice.*

**Question 5.** How can visitors see animals like lions and tigers?

A. By walking around the park

B. By watching a video

C. By driving around the Road Safari

D. By taking a train

**Question 6.** All of the following animals are mentioned as endangered EXCEPT .....

A. Giant pandas

B. Polar bears

C. Asian elephants

D. Giraffes

**Question 7.** When will the Really Radical Reptile Room open?

A. 10<sup>th</sup> March

B. 15<sup>th</sup> March

C. 20<sup>th</sup> March

D. 25<sup>th</sup> March

**Question 8.** How much does an adult ticket cost?

A. £12

B. £15

C. £50

D. £17

**II. LANGUAGE: (2.0 pts)**

*Choose the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.*

**Question 9.** If school-leavers learned more practical skills, they ..... jobs more quickly.

A. find

B. will find

C. would find

D. had found

**Question 10.** People who use eco-friendly products are ..... than those who use harmful chemicals.

A. as responsible

B. more responsible

C. responsible

D. the most responsible

**Question 11.** Choose the word whose main stress pattern is placed differently from the other three.

A. employee

B. analyse

C. digital

D. practical

**Question 12.** Many museums offer ..... tours so visitors can explore their collections online.

A. real

B. fake

C. guided

D. virtual

**Question 13.** Mary ..... passed the job interview and was offered a well-paid position at a big company.

A. success

B. successfully

C. successful

D. succeed

**Question 14.** In today's digital age, it is important for workers to ..... new technological skills to remain competitive.

A. keep up with

B. live up to

C. look down on

D. get through to

**Question 15.** The news spread so rapidly ..... it reached millions of people in just a few minutes.

- A. because                      B. but                      C. if                      D. that

**Question 16.** Choose the word *CLOSEST* in meaning to the underlined word in this sentence.

As technology continues to develop rapidly, many electronic devices become obsolete after only a few years of use.

- A. out-of-date                      B. old-established                      C. modern                      D. strange

### III. READING: (2.0 pts)

**PART 1.** Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 17 to 20.

#### The tabloid newspaper

Tabloid journalism is a (17) .....style of reporting that takes its name from the compact size of the newspaper, which is about half the size of traditional newspapers. However, not every newspaper printed in this format can be called tabloid, since its content and style are very different.

So, what are tabloid content and style? In 1900, Joseph Pulitzer, publisher of the New York World, invited the founder of a well-known newspaper in London, Alfred Harmsworth, to edit the New York World for one day. Harmsworth's version of The World, which came (18) .....on January 1, 1901, was half the size of the paper's traditional format and received a big reaction from its readers. However, it was not just the size of the newspaper that was smaller but also the reduced amount of printing space, which contained shorter stories with less complex sentences. In 1903, Harmsworth started The Daily Mirror in London, the first modern tabloid newspaper. It was attractive to a (19) .....audience and printed more photographs than any other newspaper of the time. By 1909, it was selling a million copies per day – far more than any other newspaper at the time.

By the late 20<sup>th</sup> and early 21<sup>st</sup> centuries, the British press was dominated by tabloids, with five national daily newspapers having a combined circulation of approximately ten million. (20) ..... their focus was mainly on entertainment rather than news or political issues, these papers remained an important source for the general public's opinion.

(Adapted from *Get involved B1*)

- Question 17.** A. popular                      B. popularly                      C. popularize                      D. popularity  
**Question 18.** A. about                      B. in                      C. over                      D. out  
**Question 19.** A. live                      B. mass                      C. distracted                      D. knowledgeable  
**Question 20.** A. Even though                      B. Besides                      C. Because                      D. Therefore

**PART 2.** 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 21 to 24.

One of the best series on TV at the moment is *Penguin Island* on Tuesday evenings at 7.30. Next Tuesday will be the last one. If you didn't see the first five programmes, you can still watch them online, but hurry! It's a brilliant series about Phillip Island, an island off the coast of Australia which is home to thousands of Little Penguins. These penguins are very small - the smallest in the world and they make their homes and lay their eggs a few hundred metres from the beach. Every day the adult penguins go to sea and swim hundreds of miles to find fish. Then they bring it back for their babies (called chicks) every night.

These penguins only live in one or two places in Australia and New Zealand so it is very important to protect them. A few years ago, there were holiday houses for Australians on the island which were too

close to the penguins. So the government started a penguin protection plan - they bought all the houses and then knocked them down.

Now people can come to the island, watch the penguins on the beach and hopefully want to help them. When the penguins return with their food, they have to walk the few hundred metres to their homes. This walk is called the Penguin Parade! So, people can still enjoy watching the penguins, but they don't live close to them anymore. In the last programme we will learn about Tilda, a young female chick. Will her parents come back with food or will she have to go and swim for the first time to find some? Watch on Tuesday to see what happens. I love this programme and I'm sure you will, too!

(Source: *Gateway A2*)

**Question 21.** The adult penguins leave their chicks alone all day.....

- A. to make their homes.
- B. to find food.
- C. to lay their eggs.
- D. to protect them.

**Question 22.** The word "them" in paragraph 2 refers to .....

- A. penguins
- B. places
- C. babies
- D. houses

**Question 23.** Which of the following details is **NOT MENTIONED** in the passage?

- A. The penguins lay their eggs near the beach.
- B. The penguins bring food back for their chicks at night.
- C. The penguins migrate to other countries in winter.
- D. People can watch penguins returning from the sea.

**Question 24.** What is the main idea of the text?

- A. A wildlife TV programme about Little Penguins
- B. The behaviour of penguins on Australian islands
- C. Efforts to protect penguins on Phillip Island
- D. Tourism activities on Phillip Island

#### IV. WRITING: (2.0 pts)

##### PART 1. (0.5 pts)

*Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best arrangement of sentences to make a meaningful conversation or paragraph in each of the following questions.*

**Question 25.**

- a. Anna: Look at this video! The president is singing a funny song!
- b. Anna: Oh no! How do we know what is true now? This is scary for voting!
- c. Ben: Wait, that's not real. It's a fake video made by a computer. We call it "deep fake."

- A. c - a - b
- B. a - b - c
- C. a - c - b
- D. b - c - a

**Question 26.**

- a. A job fair is an event where employers and job seekers meet to discuss career opportunities.
- b. Participants can learn about different companies, job requirements, and available positions.
- c. In recent years, job fairs have become more popular as people look for better career options.
- d. This makes many job seekers wonder how to prepare well to succeed in such events.

- A. c - a - b - d
- B. a - b - c - d
- C. a - c - b - d
- D. c - b - a - d

##### PART 2. (0.5 pts)

**Rewrite the following sentence without changing its meaning, using the phrasal verb in the bracket.**

**Question 27.** The manager encourages employees to have a good relationship with one another to create a more productive working environment. (**get on with**)

→ The manager .....

**Combine this pair of sentences into one by using the given word.**

**Question 28.** Parents must monitor their children's use of virtual reality. Otherwise, they may become addicted. (Use **UNLESS**)

→ .....

**PART 3. (1.0 pt) Read the announcement:**

Coral reefs are rapidly disappearing despite being vital ecosystems. **Nature and Environment Magazine** is organizing a writing competition to raise people's awareness about protecting coral reefs.

**Write a problem-solving report (110-130 words) describing the threats facing coral reefs and suggesting possible solutions. Use the ideas below to help you.**

**Threats:**

- Climate change causing coral bleaching
- Water pollution from plastic and chemicals
- Overfishing and destructive fishing methods

**Solutions:**

- Reduce carbon emissions to slow global warming
- Limit pollution by improving waste management
- Enforce laws to protect marine life and control fishing

**Your report may start with the following introduction:**

*This report describes the threats facing coral reefs and suggests several solutions to the problem.*

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