SỞ GIÁO DỤC VÀ ĐÀO TẠO
THÀNH PHỐ HỒ CHÍ MINH
**TRƯỜNG THPT XUYÊN MỘC**

**ĐỀ KIỂM TRA GIỮA HỌC KỲ II**
**NĂM HỌC 2025-2026**
**MÔN: TIẾNG ANH - LỚP: 10**
*Thời gian làm bài: 60 phút*
*(Gồm cả phần listening)*

**ĐỀ CHÍNH THỨC**
*(Đề KT có 04 trang)*

**Mã đề: 139**

**Họ và tên:** .....**Lớp:**.....

***(Học sinh làm ngay trên đề kiểm tra)***

**LISTENING (2.0 pts)**

**I. Listen to Dawn talking about her trip to California. Listen to the tape and choose the correct answer from 1-4. You will hear conversation twice (1pt).**

**Question 1.** Dawn booked the concert ticket _____.

A. on the internet. B. over the phone. C. by post.

**Question 2**. Dawn's plane ticket cost _____.

A. £230 B. £300 C. £350

**Question 3**. Dawn thought the concert was _____.

A. not very good B. too short C. too noisy

**Question 4**. Most of the time, Dawn was _____.

A. on the beach. B. on a tour bus. C. in the shops.

**II. You will hear a talk about an event and complete the note. Write NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/ OR A NUMBER in each blank. You will hear conversation twice. (1pt)**

**STUDENT'S NOTES**

**Event:** Spring Festival

**Date: (5) January** _____

**Special guests:** a well-known rock band and one of the best singers

**First-time competition on: (6)** _____

**Ticket price: (7)** _____

**Number of tickets: (8)** _____

**KEY: 5. 18th 6. Dancesport 7.free 8. limited**

***I. Read the following advertisement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 1 to 6. (1,5 pt)***

**Discover New Learning Methods!**
**Join Our Modern Study Skills Workshop!**

**Are you a student (1) _____ are interested in:**

- Learning new and easy study techniques?
- **(2)** _____ your concentration and memory?
- Trying fun and interactive learning activities?

Enroll in our workshop designed **(3)** _____ students want to enhance their study habits!

**Our workshop offers:**

- **(4)** _____ activities led by friendly instructors
- Cutting-edge learning techniques
- The resources and a supportive environment
- **(5)** _____ exercises to improve your study skills

Our workshop **(6)** _____ next Saturday at the school hall, so don't miss this chance!

**Sign up today to transform your learning experience!**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Question 1: A.** who | **B.** whom | **C.** which | **D.** whose |
| **Question 2: A.** Reducing | **B.** Investing | **C.** Learning | **D.** Boosting |
| **Question 3: A.** with | **B.** for | **C.** to | **D.** by |
| **Question 4: A.** Hands-on | **B.** Negative | **C.** Boring | **D.** Stressed |
| **Question 5: A.** Useful | **B.** Use | **C.** Used | **D.**Usage |
| **Question 6: A.** start | **B.** started | **C.** starts | **D.** has started |

***II. Choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful conversation/paragraph. (0.5 pt)***

**Question 7.**

a. Jane: I don't think that's true anymore. Women can do many jobs as well as men.
b. Tom: Do you think men are better leaders than women?
c. Tom: Yes, many successful companies are led by women now.

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

**Question 8.**

a. Finally, learners can study topics in depth to achieve their personal goals.
b. Firstly, it allows students to choose subjects they are interested in.
c. In conclusion, self-learning can bring many academic and personal benefits.
d. Self-learning offers flexibility, allowing learners to study at their own pace.
e. Moreover, it helps develop critical thinking and problem-solving skills.

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

***III. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 9 to 13. (1.25 pt)***

In recent years, many new ways of learning have been used to make education better. One popular method is learning through games. This means using game elements like rewards and challenges to make learning more fun. Students often feel more excited and interested when they learn with games.

Another method is online learning. This allows students to study through the internet from home or anywhere else. They can watch videos and complete tasks at their own speed. Online learning helps students learn when it is convenient for them.
A third method is project-based learning. In this approach, students work together in groups to solve real-life problems. This helps them use their knowledge in practical ways and learn important skills like teamwork. Even though these new methods are helpful, they can have some problems. **They** might need extra equipment and training for teachers. Also, not all students may have easy access to the necessary **tools**. But when used well, these methods can make learning more enjoyable and effective.

**Question 9:** What is the best title for the passage?
**A.** New Learning Method
**B.** Traditional Teaching Methods
**C.** The Cost of Online Learning
**D.** How to Play Educational Games

**Question 10:** According to the passage, what does **"learning through games"** mean?
**A.** Using rewards and challenges in learning
**B.** Watching video lessons online
**C.** Solving real-life problems in groups
**D.** Reading textbooks at home

**Question 11:** The word **" they "** in the paragraph 4 refers to _____.
**A.**new learning methods
**B.** video lessons
**C.** important skills
**D.** problems

**Question 12:** According to the passage, which of these is NOT mentioned?
**A.** Learning through games makes learning more fun.
**B.** Online learning allows students to learn at their own pace.
**C.** Project-based learning helps students solve real-life problems.
**D.** All students easily have access to extra equipment.

**Question 13:** The word **"tools"** in the paragraph 4 is closest in meaning to _____.
**A.** games **B.** equipment **C.** videos **D.** books

***IV. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the answer to each of the following questions from 14 to 18. (1.25 pt)***

Gender equality is an essential goal in modern society, aiming to ensure that both men and women have equal rights, responsibilities, and opportunities. In many countries, significant progress has been made in education and employment. For example, more girls now attend school and pursue higher education than ever before. However, challenges still remain, especially in developing regions where cultural traditions may limit women's roles.

One important aspect of gender equality is equal pay for equal work. Despite improvements, women in many parts of the world still earn less than men for doing the same job. This inequality not only affects women's financial independence but also slows down economic growth. Another issue is the unequal distribution of household responsibilities. Women are often expected to do most of the housework, even when they have full-time jobs.

Governments and organizations have taken steps to promote gender equality through laws and awareness campaigns. These efforts aim to change outdated attitudes and encourage people to respect both genders equally. It is important to understand that gender equality benefits everyone, not just women. When both men and women are given equal opportunities, societies become more productive and harmonious.

**Question14:** What is one example of progress mentioned in the passage?
**A**. Women earn more than men
**B**. More girls attend school
**C**. Men do all housework
**D.** Women avoid higher education

**Question 15:** The word **"they"** in paragraph 2 refers to:
**A**. men **B**. women **C**. governments **D**. organizations

**Question 16:** The word "**equal**" in paragraph 1 is **opposite** in meaning to:
**A**. unfair **B.** same **C**. different **D**. limited

**Question 17:** According to the passage which off the following statements is TRUE
**A**. Women always earn more than men
**B.** Gender equality only benefits women
**C**. Some cultures still limit women's roles
**D**. All countries have achieved gender equality

**Question 18:** What is the main idea of the passage?
**A**. Women should work less
**B**. Gender equality is important but still faces challenges
**C**. Men are more successful than women
**D**. Education is the only solution

**V. Choose the best answer (A, B, C, or D) to complete the passage**.

International organisations **(19)** _____ in solving global problems such as poverty, climate change, and health crises. Many of these organisations **(20)** _____ by countries around the world to promote cooperation and peace. One of the most well-known organisations is the United Nations, which aims to maintain international security.

In recent years, these organisations have become more active in providing humanitarian aid to developing countries. Their efforts are often **(21)** _____ those of individual nations because they involve cooperation on a global scale. For example, many programs, **(22)** _____ by international organisations, focus on education and healthcare improvement.

In addition, member countries contribute **(23)** _____ resources to support these activities. However, to achieve better results, international organisations need **(24)** _____ more effective strategies and stronger cooperation among nations.

**Question 19:**
**A**. play an important role
**B**. is playing an important role
**C**. has played an important role
**D**. plays an important role

**Question 20:**
**A**. can establish
**B**. can be established
**C**. could establish
**D**. can being established

**Question 21:**
**A**. as effective than
**B**. more effective than
**C**. the most effective than
**D.** as effective than

**Question 22:**
**A**. who are supported
**B**. which are supported
**C**. that are supported
**D**. which supported

**Question 23:**
**A**. its resources **B**. his resources **C**. their resources **D**. our resources

**Question 24:**
**A**. develop **B**. developing **C**. to develop **D**. developed

**VI. WRITING. (2 pt)**

1. Students can use this online learning app easily. ***(Change the sentence into passive voice)***

→ _____.

2. Traditional learning is not as flexible as online learning. ***(Rewrite the sentence, using a comparative or superlative structure)***

→ Online learning _____.

3. No river in Vietnam is longer than the Mekong River. ***(Rewrite the sentence, using a comparative or superlative structure)***

→ The Mekong River _____.

4. This website is very useful. Students use it to study English online. ***(Combine the sentences using Relative Clause)***

→ _____.

*(Giáo viên coi kiểm tra không giải thích gì thêm)*

***--- HẾT---***

SỞ GIÁO DỤC VÀ ĐÀO TẠO
THÀNH PHỐ HỒ CHÍ MINH
**TRƯỜNG THPT XUYÊN MỘC**

**ĐỀ CHÍNH THỨC**
*(Đề KT có 04 trang)*

**ĐỀ KIỂM TRA GIỮA HỌC KỲ II**
**NĂM HỌC 2025-2026**
**MÔN: TIẾNG ANH - LỚP: 10**
*Thời gian làm bài: 60 phút*
*(Gồm cả phần listening)*

**Mã đề: 648**

**Họ và tên:** .....**Lớp:**.....

***(Học sinh làm ngay trên đề kiểm tra)***

***I. Read the following piece of news on the leaflet and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 1 to 6. (1,5 pt)***

**World Health Organization (WHO)**

**Basic information**

WHO is an international organisation responsible for global public health. Its main **(1)**_____ is to protect populations from disease and strengthen **(2)**_____ health systems.

**Main roles**

- Provides technical support **(3)**_____ vaccination and disease control
- Helps countries get access to essential medicines and health data
- Supports health workers through training and research programmes

**Global impact**

Nowadays, WHO **(4)**_____ in over 190 countries. It is the most influential global health authority **(5)**_____ sets medical standards and emergency guidelines.

**Working approach**

WHO cooperates with governments and hospitals. Many countries follow its recommendations, while each country **(6)**_____ decisions on how to apply them in practice.

(Adapted from WHO)

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Question 1:** | **A.** expert | **B.** peace | **C.** goal | **D.** poverty |
| **Question 2:** | **A.** nation | **B.** native | **C.** national | **D.** nationality |
| **Question 3:** | **A.** for | **B.** with | **C.** to | **D.** on |
| **Question 4:** | **A.** operates | **B.** operated | **C.** has operated | **D.** operate |
| **Question 5:** | **A.** who | **B.** whose | **C.** that | **D.** whom |
| **Question 6:** | **A.** gets | **B.** makes | **C.** takes | **D.** has |

***II. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 7 to 12. (1,5 pt)***

Gender equality (7) _____ in modern society, as it ensures equal rights and opportunities for all individuals. In many countries, efforts (8) _____ to eliminate discrimination and promote fairness in education and employment. These efforts have brought about noticeable improvements over the years. Recently, more people have become aware of the importance of gender equality and its impact on sustainable development. Women today have (9) _____ to education and career opportunities than in the past. Various organisations, (10) _____, have made significant contributions to raising public awareness.

Furthermore, individuals are encouraged to respect (11) _____ in both personal and professional contexts. However, achieving full gender equality requires societies (12) _____ continuous efforts and long-term commitment from all sectors.

**Question 7:**

**A**. is an essential goal **B**. are essential goals

**C**. have been essential goals **D**. being an essential goal

**Question 8:**

**A**. can make **B**. can be made **C**. could made **D**. can being made

**Question 9:**

**A**. many access **B**. more access **C**. the most access **D**. as many access

**Question 10:**

**A**. who advocate for women's rights **B**. which advocate for women's rights

**C**. that advocate for women's rights **D.** whom advocate for women's rights

**Question 11:**

**A.** his rights and responsibilities **B**. its rights and responsibilities

**C**. their rights and responsibilities **D**. her rights and responsibilities

**Question 12:**

**A**. make **B**. making **C**. to make **D**. made

***III. Choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful conversation/paragraph. (0.5 pt)***

**Question 13.**

a. Tom: Yes, it allows students to study anytime and anywhere.

b. Tom: Online learning has become very popular recently.

c. Anna: Do you think it is an effective way to learn?

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

**Question 14.**

a. Because of fear, many victims do not report the abuse and continue to suffer in silence.

b. It happens when one person hurts another family member, causing physical and emotional pain.

c. For these reasons, society should raise awareness and support victims to stop the violence.

d. Domestic violence is a serious problem in many families around the world.

e. As a result, children in violent homes may feel unsafe and have emotional problems.

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

***IV. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions. (1.25 pt)***

UNICEF has been active in Vietnam since 1975 and its programmes aim to promote the respect for, protect and fulfil the rights of all children, with fairness at its core, UNICEF promotes the inclusion of the most **vulnerable** children, including those from ethnic minorities. And in line with its commitment in the Convention, it continues to provide technical advice or assistance to duty-bearers, with special attention to the Concluding Observation of the Committee on the Rights of the Child.

UNICEF continues to work with the Government and other people in addressing challenges that are putting children's lives and development at risk. Nutrition is a key priority, and **it** provides technical support and therapeutic products, while advocating for increased attention and resources - and this involves including therapeutic products in health insurance for children. It continues to support essential maternal and new-born care, access to clean water and sanitation, social assistance and the protection of every child against violence, abuse and exploitation. In the area of education, key priorities are further improvement of inclusive education and ensuring that every child acquires digital skills, **which** are essential in today's world. Through schools, it is also supporting mental well-being promotion, prevention and programming.

With climate-related impacts and disasters on the rise, it is also working on strengthening child-sensitive, social services and capacity for effective disaster-risk reduction and humanitarian responses.

*Source: https://www.unicef.org/vietnam/press-releases/unicef-accompanying-happiness-vietnamese-children*

**Question 15.** What would be the most suitable title for the passage?

**A**. UNICEF's Historical Impact in Vietnam

**B**. UNICEF's Efforts in Promoting Children's Rights in Vietnam

**C**. UNICEF's Ideas in Climate Change Adaptation

**D**. UNICEF's Focus on Maternal and Child Health in Vietnam

**Question 16.** The word "**vulnerable**" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

**A**. independent **B**. healthy **C**. helpless **D**. technical

**Question 17.** The word "**it**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

**A**. nutrition **B.** key **C.** UNICEF **D**. government

**Question 18**. What does UNICEF support for regarding therapeutic products in health insurance for children?

**A**. increased attention and resources **B**. exclusion from health insurance

**C**. decreased attention and resources **D**. no changes in health insurance policies

**Question 19**. What is one of UNICEF's key priorities in education according to the passage?

**A**. enhancing physical education B. improving inclusive education

**C**. focusing on arts and crafts **D**. providing vocational training

***V. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the answer to each of the question. (1.25 pt)***

In recent years, new ways of learning have become increasingly popular thanks to advances in technology. Online courses, mobile applications, and virtual classrooms allow students to study anytime and anywhere. This **flexibility** helps learners manage their time better and access a wide range of resources. As a result, learning is no longer limited to traditional classrooms.

One major advantage of modern learning methods is personalization. Students can choose courses that match their interests and learning pace. For example, some platforms use artificial intelligence to recommend lessons based on students' performance. This makes learning more effective and engaging. However, these methods also require learners to be more independent and responsible for their own progress.

Another important aspect is collaboration. Many online platforms encourage students to work together through discussion forums and group projects. **They** can share ideas, give feedback, and support each other. This helps them develop communication and teamwork skills. Although there are still some challenges, such as lack of face-to-face interaction, new ways of learning are expected to continue growing in the future.

**Question 20:** What is one benefit of online learning mentioned in the passage?

**A**. Students must study in classrooms **B**. Students can study anytime and anywhere

**C**. Learning becomes more expensive **D**. Teachers do all the work

**Question 21:**The word **"they"** in paragraph 3 refers to:

**A**. teachers **B**. students **C**. platforms **D**. group projects

**Question 22.**

The word "**flexibility**" in paragraph 1 is **OPPOSITE** in meaning to:

**A.** freedom **B**. rigidity **C**. choice **D**. convenience

**Question 23:** According to the passage, which of the folowing statements is True?

**A**. Online learning removes all challenges

**B**. Students need to be more responsible in modern learning

**C**. Technology has no impact on education
**D**. All students prefer traditional classrooms

**Question 24:** What is the main idea of the passage?
**A.** Traditional learning is better than modern learning
**B**. Technology makes learning more difficult
**C**. New ways of learning bring benefits but also challenges
**D**. Students should not study online

**VI. WRITING.** (2 pt)

1. Students must finish the environmental project today. ***(Change the sentence into passive voice)***
→ _____.

2. Women today are not as dependent as in the past. ***(Rewrite the sentence, using a comparative or superlative structure)***

→ **Women in the past were** _____.

3. No student in our school is as intelligent as Ryan. ***(Rewrite the sentence, using a comparative or superlative structure)***

→ **Ryan**_____.

4. The teacher introduced a new learning app. He is good at information technology. ***(Combine the sentences using Relative Clause)***

→ _____.

*(Giáo viên coi kiểm tra không giải thích gì thêm)*

***--- HẾT---***