

(Đề kiểm tra có 2 trang)

Mã đề 240

**I. LISTENING (2 MARKS)**

**II. MULTIPLE CHOICE: (5 MARKS)**

*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.*

**Question 1.** My father used to giving me some good advice whenever I had a problem.  
A B C D

**Question 2.** Being that he was a good swimmer, John managed to rescue the child.  
A B C D

*Mark the letter A, B, C, or 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*

**Question 3.** A. family B. fabulous C. miracle D. maximum

**Question 4.** A. control B. sponsor C. method D. compete

*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.*

**Question 5.** A. agent B. spirit C. support D. sculpture

**Question 6.** A. longevity B. agrarian C. participate D. difficulty

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

**Question 7.** How dare you accuse me \_\_\_\_\_.!  
A. of cheating B. that I cheat C. cheating D. to cheat

**Question 8.** The painting is not \_\_\_\_\_ of his work period.  
A. representative B. represented C. representing D. represent

**Question 9.** I want \_\_\_\_\_ but the best for my children.  
A. anything B. something C. nothing D. everything

**Question 10.** The world's population is \_\_\_\_\_ to be over 7 billion by 2010.  
A. claimed B. blamed C. expected D. reached

*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 blank*

It is better to go on a package tour, or to travel \_\_\_\_\_ (11) your own? I suppose the answer depends on what kind of tourist you are. A complicated tour organized by a travel agent has some advantages. You have an itinerary which gives you definite departure and arrival dates, and a \_\_\_\_\_ (12) of all your destinations. The accommodation may be cheaper, as it has been booked in advance, so you spend less time \_\_\_\_\_ (13) about where you are going to stay. If you book your own hotel, you might have trouble finding a vacancy, (14) \_\_\_\_\_ you are going to stay for a fortnight, for example. On the other hand, organising your own trip can be fun. Many students hitch-hike or buy cheap train tickets, and (15) \_\_\_\_\_ the night in student hostels or guest-houses.

**Question 11.** A. in B. on C. for D. with

**Question 12.** A. lots B. number C. list D. varieties

**Question 13.** A. worried B. worrying C. to worry D. worry

**Question 14.** A. as long as B. whether C. provided D. unless

**Question 15.** A. have B. at C. for D. spend

**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**

Edgar Allan Poe is today regarded as one of the premier authors of horror stories, but he received very little **recognition** and almost no money for his stories while he lived. Twenty-five of his greatest stories were published in a collection called *Tales of the Grotesque and Arabesque*, which appeared in 1840, but at the time little notice was taken of **it**. Three years later, another story "The Gold Bug", was published, selling 300,000 copies, and by 1845 he had written twelve more stories, which he published in *Tales*. His best-known stories include "The Pit and the Pendulum" and "The Tell-Tale Heart". But it was a poem "The Raven" that brought him greatest recognition as a writer. The centerpiece of a collection of thirty poems published in a volume titled *The Raven and Other Poems*, it became quite popular. The theme of the poem is grief over the loss of an ideal love. The dramatic, almost theatrical tone, the intensity of the repetition, and the hypnotic rhythm reflect the narrator's despondent and desperate state of mind. When read aloud, it produces a powerful effect.

**Question 16.** What is the author's main purpose in the passage?

- A. To give examples of horror stories                      B. To suggest that "The Raven" be read aloud  
C. To compare Poe's stories with his poems              D. To describe the work of Edgar Allan Poe

**Question 17.** According to the passage, which of the following tales sold 300,000 copies?

- A. "The Tell-Tale Heart"   B. "The Gold Bug"   C. "The Raven"   D. "The Pit and the Pendulum"

**Question 18.** The word "**recognition**" in line 2 is closest in meaning to

- A. appreciation              B. opportunities              C. imitation              D. criticism

**Question 19.** The word "**it**" in line 4 refers to

- A. a collection              B. the time              C. little notice              D. another story

**Question 20.** It can be inferred from the passage that Edgar Allan Poe

- A. lost his true love                      B. lived in poverty  
C. died young                              D. suffered a mental breakdown

### III. GIVE THE CORRECT FORM OF THE WORDS IN BRACKETS (1 MARK)

- Our journey to the Yukon was a very \_\_\_\_\_ experience. (REWARD)
- He prides himself on the \_\_\_\_\_ of the company. (LONG)
- She is a former tennis world number one but has not played \_\_\_\_\_ for two years. (COMPETE)
- \_\_\_\_\_ and originality are more important than technical skill. (CREATE)

### IV. PUT THE VERBS IN BRACKETS INTO THE CORRECT TENSE /FORM (1 MARK)

- But for Jack's help, I \_\_\_\_\_ in my current job. (NOT BE)
- When you get to the station, I \_\_\_\_\_ for you outside. (WAIT)
- I clearly remember \_\_\_\_\_ my alarm clock before going to bed last night. (SET)
- Barbara hopes \_\_\_\_\_ to represent the class on the Student Council. (CHOOSE)

### V. FINISH EACH OF THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES IN SUCH A WAY THAT IT MEANS THE SAME AS THE SENTENCE PRINTED BEFORE IT. (1 MARK)

- 'If you like, I'll help you do the decorating, Bob', said Ann.  
Ann offered .....
- 'I'm sorry I didn't phone you earlier, Daisy', said Jill.  
Jill apologized .....
- If you hadn't told me about Sue's hair, I wouldn't have noticed.  
Had .....
- It didn't rain last night, so it is hot today.  
If .....

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