



Đề thi môn tiếng Anh luyện thi giữa học kì 1 lớp 8

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(0,5p)**

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2. A. lived B. populated C. harvested D. loaded

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Choose A, B, C, D for each gap in the following sentences. (2ps)

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9. Is living in the city _____ than living in the country?

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11. The Viet (or Kinh) have _____ number of people, account for about 86% of the population.

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12. _____ ethnic group has a larger population, the Tay or the Ede?

A. What

B. Which



C. Why

D. Who

III. Give the correct form or tense of the words given to complete these sentences: (1pt)

1. If you write more (care)....., you will make more mistakes.

2. When I was a small child I fancied (fly)..... kites in the field.

3.They (live).....a nomadic life for six years.

4.Thien Nhan (win).....The Voice Kids 2014.

5.Their teacher (sing).....an English song now.

READING

1. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer for each gap. (2,5ps)

I go on the Internet every day, but I've never (1) _____ more than an hour at a time online. I've got laptop and also a smartphone, so I can (2)_____ the Internet anywhere. Today, for instance, I've been (3) _____ three times.

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In my experience, it's very useful for people who use the Internet (10) _____.

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4. A. write	B. email	C. send
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6. A. because	B. but	C. although
7. A. is	B. were	C. are
8. A. tired	B. hard	C. happily
9. A. change	B. to change	C. changed
10. A. sensible	B. sensibly	C. sensibleness

2. Read the text and answer the questions: (0,5p)

1. Is the writer an Internet addict?

→.....

2. Why has he never bought anything online?

→.....

WRITING: (3ps)

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1. Complete each sentence so it means the same as the sentence above.

(2ps)

1. Cats cannot swim as well as dogs.

→ Dogs can swim.....

2. Minh really loves to hang out with friends.

→ Minh really enjoys.....

3. Playing beach games is very interesting.

→ It is.....

4. He uses all his free time to look after his garden.

→ He spends.....

2. Write questions for the underlined parts of the following sentences. (1p)

3. The Hani people live in Lai Chau and Lao Cai.

→.....

4. The Hoa ethnic group has the most colourful clothing.

→.....

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I. LISTENING: Listen and complete the passage. (1p) – Skills 2(P.23)

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I live in a **mountain** village. My parents often tell me stories about their life in the past. It's not much like the village I can see nowadays.

Some villagers now live in brick houses instead of **earthen** ones. Our houses are better equipped with electric fans and TVs. Thanks to the TV, we now know more about life outside our village. We don't use oil lamps any more. We have **electric** lights which are much brighter. More villagers are using **motorcycles** for transport instead of riding a horse or walking. We – village children - no longer have to walk a long way and cross a stream to get to school, which is dangerous in the rainy season. Now there's a new school nearby. We also have more **visitors** from the city. They come to experience our way of life.

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→ *Where do the Hani people live?*

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→ *Which ethnic group has the most colourful clothing?*