**THI THỬ TN THPT QUỐC GIA LẦN I NĂM 2022**

**Bài thi: NGOẠI NGỮ**

**Môn thi thành phần: TIẾNG ANH**

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**Mã đề thi: 203**

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Organic food is food produced by methods (**1**)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_conform to the standards of organic farming. On an overall basis, organic food is prepared and processed without using any chemical fertilizers, pesticides, or chemical preservatives.

According to environmentalists, fertilizing, overproduction, and the use of pesticides in (**2**) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ farming may negatively affect the biodiversity and water supplies. As harmful chemicals are excluded in organic farming, there is minimal soil, air, and water pollution. This will ensure a (**3**) **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** and healthier world for our future generations.

Demand for organic foods is also driven by consumer's concerns for healthcare. (**4**) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ kinds of organic food have higher vitamin and mineral contents which help to strengthen the human immune system. For instance, organic milk is proved to have 60% more omega-3 fatty acids, antioxidants, vitamins than nonorganic milk. Organic cows are also claimed to give better meat quality. (**5**) **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**, because organic food products are controlled by very strict standards, harmful chemicals will be eliminated from our diets, and only best products are introduced to customers.

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| **Question 2:**  **A.**  primary. | **B.**  conventional. | **C.**  valuable. | **D.**  current. |
| **Question 3:**  **A.**  shorter. | **B.**  safer. | **C.**  longer. | **D.**  worse. |
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**A.**  which. **B.**  that. **C.**  what. **D.**  who.

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**A.**  To inform. **B.**  Having been informed. **C.**  Having informed. **D.**  Informing.

**Question 19:**  All the students \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ part in the final exam must be at school on Sunday.

**A.**  taking. **B.**  taken. **C.**  who takes. **D.**  to take.

**Question 20:**  In case of emergency, you have to act very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**A.**  decisive. **B.**  decisively. **C.**  decision. **D.**  decide.

**Question 21:**  Everybody is tired of watching the same commercials on TV every night, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

**A.**  don’t they. **B.**  are they. **C.**  haven’t they. **D.**  aren’t they.

**Question 22:**  Her ant gave her a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ handbag on her birthday last week.

**A.**  Korean red beautiful. **B.**  beautiful Korean red.

**C.**  beautiful red Korean. **D.**  red Korean beautiful.

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**A.**  Raising. **B.**  Doing. **C.**  Gaining. **D.**  Receiving.

**Question 24:**  He wrote in his letter that he would \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ some documents but I couldn’t find anything in the envelope.

**A.**  endure. **B.**  enforce. **C.**  encounter. **D.**  enclose.

**Question 25:**  I can’t believe that my expensive bicycle \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ last night.

**A.**  is stolen. **B.**  has stolen. **C.**  stole. **D.**  was stolen.

**Question 26:**  After several injuries and failures, things have eventually\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for Todd when he reached the final round of the tournament.

**A.**  looked up. **B.**  turned on. **C.**  gone on. **D.**  taken up.

**Question 27:**  He always takes full \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the mistake made by these competitors.

**A.**  advantage. **B.**  advice. **C.**  benefit. **D.**  profit.

**Question 28:**  When Tom called yesterday, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the washing-up in the kitchen.

**A.**  am doing. **B.**  have done. **C.**  was doing. **D.**  did.

**Question 29:**  They are searching \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the cause of the leak.

**A.**  for. **B.**  out. **C.**  with. **D.**  at.

**Question 30:**  We should use bicycles instead of cars \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this will help to reduce exhaust fumes and pollution.

**A.**  although. **B.**  because of. **C.**  because. **D.**  despite.

**Question 31:**  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, she had studied English.

**A.**  Before she came to England. **B.**  After she came to England.

**C.**  While she was in England. **D.**  By the time she comes to England.

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**A.**  regularly. **B.**  occasionally. **C.**  rarely. **D.**  seldom.

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A. easy. **B.**  difficult. **C.**  optional. **D.**  unnecessary.

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B. If it hadn’t been for the good goalkeeper, we would have lost the final match.

C. We didn't lose the final match even though we had a good goalkeeper.

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**Question 36:**  **A.**  chemistry. **B.**  cinema. **C.**  festival. **D.**  decision.

**Question 37: A.**  argue. **B.**  confide. **C.**  access. **D.**  visit.

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**Question 38:**  The atmosphere at work was so bad that Brian eventually decided to **hand in his notice**.

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**C.**  notify the boss. **D.**  be given a better job.

**Question 39:**  Deforestation may seriously **jeopardize** the habitat of many species in the local area.

**A.**  make way for. **B.**  give rise to. **C.**  set fire to. **D.**  do harm to.

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Jenny: I think higher living standard is one of the reasons that many people want to be a city dweller.

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**A.**  That’s nonsense. **B.**  I don’t think so. **C.**  Absolutely. **D.**  What rubbish.

**Question 41:**  Peter and Mary are talking about the movie they saw yesterday. Peter: Did you enjoy the movie yesterday? Mary: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**A.**  Don't mention it. **B.**  Not really. I couldn’t follow the story.

**C.**  It doesn't matter. **D.**  No, I dislike moving.

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Many people see large urban cities as a wonder of human imagination and creativity. They represent how far the human population has come in terms of community development. Many positive things come from urbanization, but there are also negatives. This article will discuss and present data on the implications of urbanization on the physical health of humans living in these large urban areas.

As it would be expected, developing countries tend to see more negative physical health effects than modern countries in regard to urbanization. One example of a developing country experiencing **these problems** is China. China is a country that in the past 30–40 years went from being an agrarian based society to a significant industrialized country. This industrialization has in effect caused the need for more centralized cities, centralized meaning having lots of jobs and living spaces within a close proximity. This is what is known as urbanization. In most recent decades, since China’s change to being more of an industrial based economy, the country has experienced record high numbers of people migrating within its borders. In effect, the number of cities with over 500,000 people has more than doubled. These migrations are typically of people from rural areas of China moving to the new urban areas. Due to this large influx in the urban population, there are many possibilities for health challenges among these people.

One very common and fairly obvious negative aspect of highly **congested** urban areas is air pollution. Air pollution is defined as any harmful substance being suspended in the air. This could include particulate matter, most commonly attributed to industrial plants and refineries waste, or chemicals like CO2 or Methane (which are also products of plants and refineries as well as cars and other modes of transportation). Due to a vast number of people in these urbanized cities, the air pollution is known to be very extreme. These conditions can lead to many different health problems such as: Asthma, cardiovascular problems or disease, and different types of cancer (most commonly lung cancer). When exposed to these conditions for a prolonged period of time, one can experience even more detrimental health effects like: the acceleration of aging, loss of lung capacity and health, being more susceptible to respiratory diseases, and a shortened life span.

Another way that urbanization affects the populations’ health is people’s change in diet. For instance, urban cities tend to have lots of accessible, quick, and easy to get food. This food is also more than likely not as high quality as well as contains a large amount of sodium and sugar. Because this food is so accessible, people tend to eat it more. This increase in consumption of low quality food can then lead to diabetes, hypertension, heart disease, obesity, or many other health conditions.

(Adapted from https://medium.com)

**Question 42:  *Why are urban populations easy to get diseases from food, according to the last paragraph?***

A. Because of the change in people’s diet.

B. Because the way people get this food is rather accessible, quick and easy.

C. Because of the low quality and the high proportion of sodium and sugar in this food.

D. Because this food is so delicious that people have a tendency to eat more than normal. **Question 43:  *What can be inferred from the passage?***

**A.** One of the negative health effects comes from the overpopulation in industrialized countries.

**B.** The bad health effects from urbanization are not greater than the benefits it brings to people in urban cities.

**C.** People in developed countries suffer less harmful health effects from urbanization than those in developing nations.

**D.** Living in urban areas for a long time will not make the life expectancy of inhabitants shorten.

**Question 44:  *Which of the following could be served as the best title for the passage?***  **A.** Urban cities – The new opportunity for community development.

B. Developing countries – The fastest urbanization.

C. Urbanization – How people’s health is impacted?.

D. Urbanization – Pros and cons.

**Question 45: *According to paragraph 2, which of the following is*** **TRUE *about China***?

A. Most of the new urban areas’ populations are the emigrants from remote places.

B. Because of urbanization, more immigrants find their ways to new urban areas.

C. The population of cities now more than doubles that in the past.

D. This is a developed country in the past 30-40 years.

**Question 46:  *What does the phrase*** “**these problems**” ***in paragraph 2 refer to?***  **A.**  negative physical health effects.

B. industrialized countries.

C. the implications of urbanization.

D. lots of jobs and living spaces.

**Question 47:  *The following are the air pollution sources mentioned in paragraph 3, EXCEPT*** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**A.**  chemicals. **B.**  sewage.

**C.**  refineries waste. **D.**  industrial factories.

**Question 48:**  ***The word*** “**congested**” ***in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to*** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**A.**  sparse. **B.**  overcrowded. **C.**  contaminated. **D.**  fresh.

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**Question 22:**  **A.**  access. **B.**  argue. **C.**  visit. **D.**  confide.

**Question 23: A.**  decision. **B.**  chemistry. **C.**  cinema. **D.**  festival.

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

**Question 24:**  When Tom called yesterday, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the washing-up in the kitchen.

**A.**  did. **B.**  was doing. **C.**  have done. **D.**  am doing.

**Question 25:**  He wrote in his letter that he would \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ some documents but I couldn’t find anything in the envelope.

**A.**  endure. **B.**  enclose. **C.**  enforce. **D.**  encounter.

**Question 26:**  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, she had studied English.

**A.**  After she came to England. **B.**  Before she came to England.

**C.**  While she was in England. **D.**  By the time she comes to England.

**Question 27:**  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about the bad effects of chemical fertilizers, the farmers started using them sparingly on their farm.

**A.**  Having informed. **B.**  Informing. **C.**  Having been informed. **D.**  To inform. **Question 28:**  Everybody is tired of watching the same commercials on TV every night, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

**A.**  are they. **B.**  don’t they. **C.**  aren’t they. **D.**  haven’t they.

**Question 29:**  In case of emergency, you have to act very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**A.**  decisive. **B.**  decide. **C.**  decision. **D.**  decisively.

**Question 30:**  We should use bicycles instead of cars \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this will help to reduce exhaust fumes and pollution.

**A.**  because. **B.**  despite. **C.**  because of. **D.**  although.

**Question 31:**  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ people’s awareness is very important to save endangered species.

**A.**  Raising. **B.**  Gaining. **C.**  Doing. **D.**  Receiving.

**Question 32:**  After several injuries and failures, things have eventually\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for Todd when he reached the final round of the tournament.

**A.**  gone on. **B.**  taken up. **C.**  looked up. **D.**  turned on.

**Question 33:**  The water in this river is seriously polluted, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ places some species of native fish in danger of extinction

**A.**  which. **B.**  what. **C.**  who. **D.**  that.

**Question 34:**  He always takes full \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the mistake made by these competitors.

**A.**  profit. **B.**  advantage. **C.**  benefit. **D.**  advice.

**Question 35:**  All the students \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ part in the final exam must be at school on Sunday.

**A.**  taking. **B.**  to take. **C.**  taken. **D.**  who takes.

**Question 36:**  Her ant gave her a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ handbag on her birthday last week. **A.**  beautiful Korean red. **B.**  red Korean beautiful.

**C.**  beautiful red Korean. **D.**  Korean red beautiful.

**Question 37:**  I can’t believe that my expensive bicycle \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ last night.

**A.**  has stolen. **B.**  stole. **C.**  is stolen. **D.**  was stolen.

**Question 38:**  They are searching \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the cause of the leak.

**A.**  out. **B.**  for. **C.**  with. **D.**  at.

***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 39 to 45.***

Many people see large urban cities as a wonder of human imagination and creativity. They represent how far the human population has come in terms of community development. Many positive things come from urbanization, but there are also negatives. This article will discuss and present data on the implications of urbanization on the physical health of humans living in these large urban areas.

As it would be expected, developing countries tend to see more negative physical health effects than modern countries in regard to urbanization. One example of a developing country experiencing **these problems** is China. China is a country that in the past 30–40 years went from being an agrarian based society to a significant industrialized country. This industrialization has in effect caused the need for more centralized cities, centralized meaning having lots of jobs and living spaces within a close proximity. This is what is known as urbanization. In most recent decades, since China’s change to being more of an industrial based economy, the country has experienced record high numbers of people migrating within its borders. In effect, the number of cities with over 500,000 people has more than doubled. These migrations are typically of people from rural areas of China moving to the new urban areas. Due to this large influx in the urban population, there are many possibilities for health challenges among these people.

One very common and fairly obvious negative aspect of highly **congested** urban areas is air pollution. Air pollution is defined as any harmful substance being suspended in the air. This could include particulate matter, most commonly attributed to industrial plants and refineries waste, or chemicals like CO2 or Methane (which are also products of plants and refineries as well as cars and other modes of transportation). Due to a vast number of people in these urbanized cities, the air pollution is known to be very extreme. These conditions can lead to many different health problems such as: Asthma, cardiovascular problems or disease, and different types of cancer (most commonly lung cancer). When exposed to these conditions for a prolonged period of time, one can experience even more detrimentalhealth effects like: the acceleration of aging, loss of lung capacity and health, being more susceptible to respiratory diseases, and a shortened life span.

Another way that urbanization affects the populations’ health is people’s change in diet. For instance, urban cities tend to have lots of accessible, quick, and easy to get food. This food is also more than likely not as high quality as well as contains a large amount of sodium and sugar. Because this food is so accessible, people tend to eat it more. This increase in consumption of low quality food can then lead to diabetes, hypertension, heart disease, obesity, or many other health conditions.

(Adapted from https://medium.com)

**Question 39: *According to paragraph 2, which of the following is*** **TRUE *about China***?

A. Because of urbanization, more immigrants find their ways to new urban areas.

B. This is a developed country in the past 30-40 years.

C. Most of the new urban areas’ populations are the emigrants from remote places.

D. The population of cities now more than doubles that in the past.

**Question 40:  *What does the phrase*** “**these problems**” ***in paragraph 2 refer to?***

**A.** industrialized countries. **B.** lots of jobs and living spaces.

**C.**  negative physical health effects. **D.** the implications of urbanization.

**Question 41:  *The following are the air pollution sources mentioned in paragraph 3, EXCEPT*** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**A.**  refineries waste. **B.**  sewage.

**C.**  industrial factories. **D.**  chemicals.

**Question 42:  *Why are urban populations easy to get diseases from food, according to the last paragraph?***

A. Because of the low quality and the high proportion of sodium and sugar in this food.

B. Because the way people get this food is rather accessible, quick and easy.

C. Because of the change in people’s diet.

D. Because this food is so delicious that people have a tendency to eat more than normal.

**Question 43:  *Which of the following could be served as the best title for the passage?***  **A.** Urbanization – How people’s health is impacted?.

B. Developing countries – The fastest urbanization.

C. Urban cities – The new opportunity for community development.

D. Urbanization – Pros and cons.

**Question 44:  *What can be inferred from the passage?***

**A.** Living in urban areas for a long time will not make the life expectancy of inhabitants shorten.

**B.** One of the negative health effects comes from the overpopulation in industrialized countries.

**C.** The bad health effects from urbanization are not greater than the benefits it brings to people in urban cities.

**D.** People in developed countries suffer less harmful health effects from urbanization than those in developing nations.

**Question 45:**  ***The word*** “**congested**” ***in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to*** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**A.**  overcrowded. **B.**  contaminated. **C.**  fresh. **D.**  sparse.

***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 46 to 50.***

Organic food is food produced by methods (**46**)\_\_\_\_\_**\_**conform to the standards of organic farming. On an overall basis, organic food is prepared and processed without using any chemical fertilizers, pesticides, or chemical preservatives.

According to environmentalists, fertilizing, overproduction, and the use of pesticides in (**47**)\_\_\_\_\_farming may negatively affect the biodiversity and water supplies. As harmful chemicals are excluded in organic farming, there is minimal soil, air, and water pollution. This will ensure a (**48**)\_\_\_\_\_\_and healthier world for our future generations.

Demand for organic foods is also driven by consumer's concerns for healthcare. (**49**)\_\_\_\_**\_**kinds of organic food have higher vitamin and mineral contents which help to strengthen the human immune system. For instance, organic milk is proved to have 60% more omega-3 fatty acids, antioxidants, vitamins than nonorganic milk. Organic cows are also claimed to give better meat quality. (**50**)\_\_\_\_\_\_, because organic food products are controlled by very strict standards, harmful chemicals will be eliminated from our diets, and only best products are introduced to customers.

**Question 46:**  **A.**  who. **B.**  whom. **C.**  which. **D.**  what.

**Question 47: A.**  valuable. **B.**  primary. **C.**  current. **D.**  conventional.

**Question 48: A.**  worse. **B.**  safer. **C.**  shorter. **D.**  longer.

**Question 49: A.**  Few. **B.**  some. **C.**  little. **D.**  amount of.

**Question 50: A.**  However. **B.**  Furthermore. **C.**  But. **D.**  Therefore.

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