I. Choose the correct word, phrase or utterance (A, B, C, or D) to fill in the blank space: (2.5 pts)
1. ____________ is a piece of land full of rubbish.
   A. dustbin B. rubbish bag C. garbage dump D. junk shop
2. Many people were injured when the building ____________.
   A. collapsed B. destroyed C. struck D. damaged
3. The south-central coast can ____________ thunderstorms tomorrow.
   A. appear B. expect C. check D. cause
4. I'm disappointed ____________ people have polluted the environment.
   A. as B. but C. why D. that
5. Ha Long Bay is the place ____________ many tourists visit very often every summer.
   A. where B. when C. which D. whose
6. I love basketball, ____________ I must complete my homework.
   A. and B. but C. despite D. however
7. Let me congratulate you ____________ passing your exam.
   A. of B. for C. to D. on
8. Mrs. Smith has kindly provided a picnic lunch ____________ conservationists.
   A. to B. for C. of D. with
9. You should bring along a raincoat ____________ it rains.
   A. in case B. because C. even though D. so that
10. “What a lovely house you have!” – “__________.”
    A. No problem B. You're welcome C. Of course, it’s costly D. Thank you. Hope you will drop in

II. Choose the underlined word or phrase (A, B, C, or D) that needs correcting: (0.5 pt)
11. She is looking happy at her children playing joyfully in the yard.
    A B C D
12. They want to spend their holiday by the sea and enjoying sea food.
    A B C D

III. Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that best fits the blank space in the passage: (1.5 pts)
   More than two hundred years ago, the term “environmental pollution” was quite strange (13) ____________ people. They livedhealthily, drank pure water, and breathed fresh air. Nowadays, the situation is quite (14) ____________. People all over the world are worried about things that are happening to the environment. Actually, it is man that is (15) ____________ the surroundings with many kinds of waste. Everybody knows that motorbikes and cars emit dangerous gases that cause (16) ____________ air and cancer, but no one wants to travel on foot or bicycle. Manufacturers know that wastes from factories make water and soil polluted, (17) ____________ they don't want to spend a lot of their money on treating the waste safely. Scattering rubbish is bad for our health, but (18) ____________ wants to spend time burying it. Is it worth talking a lot about pollution?
IV. Read the passage, then decide if the statements that follow are True or False: (1.0 pt)

Good evening. And this is the 8 o’clock news. Devastating floods along the coast have done great damage to many fishing villages and left many people homeless. People are asked to help by donating food, clothes, furniture and other supplies to the Relief Fund. Donations of bottled water are especially needed, since the floods have damaged the local water supply. In addition, volunteers are needed to go to the flooded area to help distribute the donations and look after sick people.

19. This is from a morning news program.  
20. The effect of the floods can be seen in urban areas.  
21. The victims of the floods are in great need of bottled water.  
22. Volunteers are asked to help give out donations and take care of sick people.

V. Use the correct form of the word given in each sentence: (1.5 pts)

23. Vehicles and factories can poison the environment with gases and chemical waste.

24. Traditional are a good source of fun and entertainment.

25. He was fined for dropping litter in public places.

26. The most earthquake occurred in Japan in 1923.

27. His sense of humor him from others.

28. He has been nominated as one of the most effective .

VI. Use the correct tense or form of the verb given in each sentence: (1.0 pt)

29. Her father up smoking since last month.

30. This action helps energy.

31. I suggest less on lighting.

32. The situation better if he could score a goal.

VII. Rewrite each sentence so that it means almost the same as the one printed before it: (2.0 pts)

33. The students are working in a laboratory with good equipment.

34. They didn’t find the trip interesting although the weather was fine.

35. Let’s replace this old waste basket with another new one.

36. Lan is the best student in the class.

THE END
I. **Multiple choice**: (2.5 pts, 0.25 pt each correct answer)
1. C. garbage dump
2. A. collapsed
3. B. expect
4. D. that
5. C. which
6. B. but
7. D. on
8. B. for
9. A. in case
10. D. Thank you. Hope you will drop in.
II. **Error identification**: (0.5 pt)
11. B (happily)
12. C (enjoy)
III. **Guided cloze**: (1.5 pts)
13. C. to
14. B. different
15. A. dirtying
16. D. harmful
17. C. but
18. B. no one
IV. **Reading comprehension**: (1.0 pt)
19. FALSE
20. FALSE
21. TRUE
22. TRUE
V. **Word form**: (1.5 pts)
23. polluting
24. celebrations
25. heavily
26. disastrous
27. distinguishes
28. activists
VI. **Verb tense and form**: (1.0 pt)
29. has given
30. save / to save
31. spending
32. would be
VII. **Rewrite**: (2.0 pts - 0.5 pt each correct answer)
33. The laboratory where/in which the students are working is well-equipped/has good equipment.
34. In spite of the fine weather, they didn’t find the trip interesting.
35. I suggest this old waste basket should be replaced with another new one.
36. No one else in the class studies as/so well as Lan./ No one else in the class is as/so good a student as Lan.

THE END