

# UNIT 7 : URBAN LIFE

## I. Pronunciation

### A) Find the different sound:

1. A. traffic                      B. accident                      C. jam                      D. walk
2. A. promoted                      B. struggled                      C. congested                      D. collected
3. A. reduce                      B. pedestrian                      C. encourage                      D. repair
4. A. banned                      B. used                      C. walked                      D. involved
5. A. encourage                      B. government                      C. congest                      D. damage

### B) Find the different stressed syllable

1. A. solution                      B. tourist                      C. struggle                      D. sidewalk
2. A. direct                      B. agree                      C. pedestrian                      D. accident
3. A. attract                      B. tourist                      C. litter                      D. sidewalk
4. A. homeless                      B. reduce                      C. criminal                      D. implement
5. A. urban                      B. pollution                      C. apartment                      D. potential

## II. Multiple choice:

1. I am late today because I 'm stuck in a \_\_\_\_\_
- A. traffic jam                      B. traffic light                      C. traffic                      D. accident
2. A person who is walking and not travelling in a vehicle is called \_\_\_\_\_
- A. policeman                      B. pedestrian                      C. study                      D. walking
3. Why don 't the government \_\_\_\_\_ people not to throw trash here ?
- A. allow                      B. provide                      C. ban                      D. litter
4. People should cross the streets at the \_\_\_\_\_
- A. sidewalk                      B. pedestrian                      C. crosswalk                      D. traffic law
5. Don 't use your phone while you are driving because it may cause \_\_\_\_\_
- A. traffic                      B. creation                      C. pollution                      D. accident
6. People struggle to get to work when the streets are very \_\_\_\_\_
- A. direct                      B. homeless                      C. congested                      D. potential
7. Some people have to \_\_\_\_\_ to find a job in the city. It is really hard for them .
- A. allow                      B. provide                      C. ban                      D. struggle
8. We are \_\_\_\_\_ to bring food or drinks when we are watching in the movie theater .
- A. banned                      B. studied                      C. allowed                      D. encouraged
9. Another problem is the \_\_\_\_\_ of houses, so many people are living in the poor slums
- A. population                      B. lack                      C. rise                      D. medical

10. The population of the world is \_\_\_\_\_ quickly

- A. rising                      B.dropping                      C.attracting                      D.owning

11.What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ when I saw you last night ?

- A. did ...do                      B.were ..doing                      C.was ....doing                      D.are doing

12. This test is \_\_\_\_\_ long that we can 't finish it on time

- A. so                      B.such                      C. such a                      D.and

13. I think that all humans have the right to live in a safe and clean place. \_\_\_\_\_, most cities have many problem

- A.Though                      B.But                      C.However                      D.Because

14.Sarah : “ Was life hard when you looked for work for a long time ?

Gary : Yes, .....

- A. It was homeless                      B.My job banned me                      C.I struggled a lot                      D.I encouraged them

15. Sidewalk is a part at the side \_\_\_\_\_ a road for people to walk on

- A. in                      B.to                      C. of                      D.from

### III. Signs

1.What does the sign mean?



- A. This voucher is used to buy two meals.  
B. Without this voucher, you cannot buy meals.  
C. You can pay less for your meals with this voucher.  
D. You must use this voucher to pay for your meals.

1.What does the sign mean?



- A.traffic accident  
B.traffic jam  
C.traffic light  
D.traffic policeman

### IV. Word form

1.Don 't \_\_\_\_\_ in these problems. They are so complicated . ( involvement)

2.There are so many \_\_\_\_\_ in the city that so government will provide more police. (crime)

3.These kid have preformed the show \_\_\_\_\_ on the stage .( attract)

4. People need \_\_\_\_\_ care in remote areas so that they can have a better life. ( medicine)

5. Children will have a lot of \_\_\_\_\_ from parents to join in the sports ( encourage)

6. I will explain the \_\_\_\_\_ solutions below. ( potent)

V. Look at the entry of the word 'CREATIVE AND POTENTIAL' in a dictionary. Use what you can get from the entry to complete the sentences with two or three words.

## creative *adjective*



OPAL W

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- 1 ★ [only before noun] involving the use of skill and the imagination to produce something new or a work of art
- a course on **creative writing** (= writing stories, plays and poems)
  - **creative thinking** (= thinking about problems in a new way or thinking of new ideas)
  - the company's **creative team/director**
  - the **creative process**
  - She channels her **creative energy** into her art.
  - **creative with something** (*informal*) You can **get creative with** this recipe and add whatever fruit you like.

1. Schools should encourage \_\_\_\_\_ to help students develop new ideas.

2. Let's \_\_\_\_\_ our cooking and try new recipes.





# potential *adjective*

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[only before noun]

★ that can develop into something or be developed in the future

SYNONYM **possible**

- *potential customers/buyers/investors/clients*
- *We have compiled a list of 10 potential candidates.*
- *the potential benefits of European integration*
- *potential risks*

3. The \_\_\_\_\_ of remote work include greater flexibility, reduced commuting stress, and improved work-life balance.

4. Several \_\_\_\_\_ were interviewed for the leadership role to find the best fit for the company.

**VI. Choose the correct answer that best fits the blank space in the following passage:**

## THE REALITIES OF URBAN LIVING

Urban life is fast-paced and full (17) \_\_\_\_\_ energy. People from different cultures and backgrounds come together in big cities, creating a (18) \_\_\_\_\_ environment. There are many opportunities in urban areas, such as better job prospects, educational institutions, and various entertainment options. However, living in a big city also has its (19) \_\_\_\_\_. High living costs, noise (20) \_\_\_\_\_, and crowded public spaces are just a few of the common challenges. Many people find it (21) \_\_\_\_\_ to live in such an environment and often seek ways to balance work and leisure. The key to enjoying urban life is finding a routine that works for you and (22) \_\_\_\_\_ advantage of the city's resources.

ANSWERS

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17. A. to                      B. of                      C. for                      D. in
18. A. unique                B. dangerous            C. normal                D. lonely
19. A. benefits                B. advantages            C. downsides            D. methods
20. A. safety                 B. pollution              C. traffic                 D. control

