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**A. LISTENING SECTION (4 points): Listen carefully to Matthew talking about getting lost. For each question, choose the correct answer. (0.50 each)**

**Q1. What led to the speaker getting separated from their group?**

- B1. They were late to the meeting point.
- B2. They entered a shop and lost track of time.
- B3. They misunderstood the instructions.
- B4. Their friends walked too fast.

**Q2. Why didn't the speaker call their group right away?**

- B5. Their phone was on airplane mode.
- B6. There was no signal in the area.
- B7. They lost their phone in the bookstore.
- B8. Their battery had died earlier.

**Q3. What advice did the speaker remember from their teacher?**

- B9. Follow the guide closely.
- B10. Always bring a city map.
- B11. Stay calm and ask for help if lost.
- B12. Use public transportation only.

**Q4. How did the woman in the bakery help the speaker?**

- B13. She gave them her phone.
- B14. She called their teacher.
- B15. She showed them a map and directions.
- B16. She gave them free food.

**Q5. What did the speaker do before returning to the hotel?**

B17. Took a bus around the city

B18. Entered a small museum

B19. Bought more postcard

B20. Sent a message to the group

**Q6. What theme was explored in the museum the speaker visited?**

B21. Ancient Spanish history

B22. Famous sports players

B23. Stories from people who moved to Spain

B24. World art and fashion

**Q7. What is the speaker's final reflection on the experience?**

B25. They want to avoid traveling alone.

B26. It was not as interesting as they expected.

B27. It helped them feel more confident and independent.

B28. It made them afraid of big cities.

**Q8. Which statement best describes the speaker's message?**

B29. Mistakes abroad can lead to learning and growth.

B30. Group travel is not safe for students.

B31. Teachers should plan better trips.

B32. Local people are always difficult to talk to.

**B. C. READING SECTION (4 points): Read the following text, then choose the correct answer for each question. (0.50 each)**

### Cannes Film Festival

Every year, a very special event takes place in Cannes, France. This event is all about movies and is known as the Cannes Film Festival. People from all over the world come to see new films. Some films are very famous, and others are just being shown for the first time. The festival includes movies from many different countries. It is a place where filmmakers and actors can show their work.

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Movies are shown for about two weeks in May. During this time, people can watch movies and talk about them. There are also many parties and events for people to enjoy. The festival is not only about having fun. It is also a very important event for the business of making movies.

One of the most exciting parts of the festival is the awards. A group of judges watches the movies and decides which ones are the best. The best film wins a prize called the Palme d'Or. It is a great honor to win this award. Everyone who takes part in the festival hopes to win a prize.

Many famous people go to Cannes during the festival. You might see movie stars walking on the red carpet. The red carpet is where they go before watching the movies. Photographers take pictures of them, and fans try to see them.

The Cannes Film Festival is not just about the present. It is also about the future of movies. It is where new ideas are shared and new movies are started. People who love movies look forward to the festival every year. They want to see what will be new and exciting in the world of movies. The festival is a very special time for the city of Cannes. It brings many people and a lot of excitement to this part of France each year.

### Q1. Why do people from all over the world come to the Cannes Film Festival?

- C1. To meet movie stars.
- C2. To enjoy parties and events.
- C3. To see new films.

### Q2. What does winning the Palme d'Or represent at the Cannes Film Festival?

- C4. A lot of money.
- C5. It is a great honor.
- C6. Lifetime access to the festival.

### Q3. Why is the Cannes Film Festival important for the business of making movies?

- C7. Because of the location in France.
- C8. Because it attracts famous people.
- C9. Because it's a very important event for the business of making movies.

### Q4. What type of movies are included in the Cannes Film Festival?

- C10. Only French films.
- C11. Only award-winning films from the past.
- C12. Movies from many different countries.

### Q5. What do filmmakers and actors do at the Cannes Film Festival?

- C13. Sell tickets for their movies.
- C14. Show their work.
- C15. Give speeches about important world issues.

### Q6. Why do people who love movies look forward to the Cannes Film Festival?

- C16. To win money.
- C17. To see what will be new and exciting in the world of movies.
- C18. To buy movie posters.

### Q7. What happens during the two weeks of the Cannes Film Festival?

- C19. The city of Cannes is closed to tourists.
- C20. People mostly rest and relax.
- C21. People can watch movies and talk about them.

### Q8. How does the Cannes Film Festival impact the city of Cannes?

- C22. It creates traffic problems.
- C23. It brings many people and a lot of excitement.
- C24. It only allows movie professionals to enter the city

## C. USE OF LANGUAGE (4 points): Read the following short text and choose a correct answer for each line. You can circle or highlight it on the table. (0.25 each)

Emily has never gone hiking in the mountains (E1) \_\_\_\_, but she has (E2) \_\_\_\_ signed up for a guided trip in Switzerland this fall. She hasn't (E3) \_\_\_\_ climbed a mountain, so she's both nervous and excited. She has always enjoyed outdoor activities, so she thinks she (E4) \_\_\_\_ all the activities. Actually, she (E5) \_\_\_\_ go hiking

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in the fresh air all day than stay in a hotel for two hours. If the weather is good, she (E6) \_\_\_\_ try a longer trail with her group. She has seen photos online but hasn't experienced the real thing (E7) \_\_\_\_\_. Her friends (E8) \_\_\_\_ recommended this adventure, and she's ready to take on the challenge. (E9) \_\_\_\_ it doesn't rain, she \_\_\_\_ enjoy the view from the top! Emily is also planning to do some (E10) \_\_\_\_ while she's there. She hopes to ride a (E11) \_\_\_\_ to reach the top of one of the highest peaks, and take photos from a famous (E12) \_\_\_\_ she gets to the city. She's going to (E13) \_\_\_\_ a small cabin near the trail entrance and request a (E14) \_\_\_\_ bed for extra comfort after hiking. In the city she wants more comfort, but also a cozy home-like atmosphere at a reasonable price, so she plans to stay at a (E15) \_\_\_\_\_. If she makes friends and they go out to eat; she'll smile and say, (E16) \_\_\_\_ to show her gratitude.

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|-----|---------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| E1  | ever          | before              | already             |
| E2  | already       | so far              | yet                 |
| E3  | 'd rather     | never               | ever                |
| E4  | will love     | is going to love    | is loving           |
| E5  | would rather  | 'd rather           | wouldn't rather     |
| E6  | 'd rather to  | be going to         | will                |
| E7  | so far        | yet                 | so                  |
| E8  | have          | would               | will                |
| E9  | When / is     | Will / won't        | If / will           |
| E10 | disappointing | sightseeing         | unforgettable       |
| E11 | cable car     | the airport shuttle | dishes and utensils |
| E12 | mountains     | downtown            | skyscraper          |
| E13 | dryer         | book                | towels              |
| E14 | queen-size    | single              | shared bath         |
| E15 | hotel         | Bed & Breakfast     | youth hostel        |
| E16 | by the way    | is that all?        | it's on me          |

**D.WRITING SECTION (4 points): Writing process: Choose the correct TOPIC SENTENCE from the options provided for each SUPPORTING SENTENCE group.**

**Group 1.** Wearing a uniform saves time in the morning because you don't have to choose what to wear. It also creates a sense of community and makes everyone feel equal. For these reasons, many schools continue using uniforms.

**G1. Uniforms are expensive for families.**

**G2. Students enjoy wearing fashionable clothes.**

**G3. School uniforms have several benefits.**

**Group 2.** Romantic comedies are light and fun, often showing the funny side of love. Horror films try to scare the audience with suspense and surprise. Meanwhile, science fiction explores the future and technology.

**G4. Many people don't like going to the movies.**

**G5. There are different genres of movies for every taste.**

**G6. Comedy is better than horror.**

**Group 3.** You can learn a lot from visiting museums and historical places. Traveling helps you understand new cultures and different ways of life. It's an experience that opens your mind and helps you grow.

**G7. Traveling is expensive and tiring.**

**G8. Traveling is a great way to learn about the world.**

**G9. Museums are boring for students.**

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**Group 4.** Some students review their notes daily to avoid cramming before a test. Others make flashcards or study with a classmate to prepare. These methods can help students feel more confident on exam day.

**G10.** *Studying well helps students perform better on exams.*

**G11.** *Group study is always the best option.*

**G12.** *Exams should be easier.*

**4. CONCLUDING SENTENCES:** A concluding sentence often has one of these four important purposes:

**A. It restates the main idea. B. It offers a suggestion. C. It gives an opinion. D. It makes a prediction.**

**1. TS:** When you go to California, San Diego is a great spot to visit because of the many exciting things to see and do there.

**CS:** If you visit one, two, or all of the San Diego sites, it will certainly be a fun and interesting day! ( )

**2. TS:** New York and Boston attract millions of tourists, but one of the best cities to visit on the east coast of the United States is Washington, D.C.

**CS:** Although Washington, D.C., does not have the large number of visitors that New York or Boston does, this city is one of the best destinations for tourists. ( )

**3. TS:** At some point, most parents have to decide whether or not to allow their children to have cellphones.

**CS:** In brief, although many parents are against of giving a cellphone to their kids, I strongly believe it can be a great tool for children in case of an emergency. ( )

**4. TS:** Sweet tea is a very easy-to-make drink that is popular in the southern United States.

**CS:** You should try this sweet drink every time you feel thirsty. ( )

**5. Read the paragraph below. Underline two (2) sentences that are UNRELATED to the topic.**

### Making Chili

(1) Chili is an easy dish to prepare. (2) To make chili, cut up one large onion. (3) Then, fry the onion in a little vegetable oil. (4) Next, add fresh garlic and some chili peppers. (5) When the onions are soft, add one pound of ground meat. (6) Stir until the meat is cooked. (7) Sprinkle one tablespoon of red chili powder on top. (8) There are many types of chili powder that you can find in any supermarket. (9) After that, add four cups of tomatoes, one cup of water, and one can of red beans. (10) Cover the pot and cook over low heat for about one hour. (11) Fried chicken is another dish that takes about an hour to prepare. (12) This simple recipe creates a delicious dinner.

