3. I can't run a marathon if I don't train very hard.

A. I train very hard, and I can run a marathon.
B. Unless I train very hard, I can't run a marathon.
C. Unless I train very hard, I can run a marathon.
D. I can't run a marathon although I train very hard.

4. The last time I visited my grandparents was a year ago.

A. I didn't visit my grandparents for a year ago.
B. I visited my grandparents for a year.
C. I haven't visited my grandparents for a year.
D. I haven't visited my grandparents a year ago.

5. My father has to reduce the number of cigarettes he smokes.

A. My father has to cut down on smoking.
B. My father used to smoke more.
C. My father should give up smoking.
D. My father will definitely give up smoking.

6. Chau says life on a farm is more liveable than in the city.

A. Life on a farm is always more liveable than Chau says.
B. Chau says life on a farm is as liveable as it is in the city.
C. For Chau, life in the city is not as liveable as it is on a farm.
D. For Chau, life in the city is more liveable than on a farm.

Exercise 8: Mark the letter A B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.

1. The doctor / ask / him / cut / down / sweet food / drinks.
A. The doctor asked him cutting down on sweet food and drinks.
B. The doctor asked him cut down on sweet food and drinks.
C. The doctor asked him to cut down on sweet food and drinks.
D. The doctor asked he to cut down on sweet food and drinks

2. *The smell / freshly baked cookies / remind me / my grandmother/kitchen.*
A. The smell of freshly baked cookies reminds me of my grandmother's kitchen.
B. The smell of freshly baked cookies remind me with my grandmother's kitchen.
C. The smell in freshly baked cookies reminds me of my grandmother's kitchen.
D. The smell of freshly baked cookies remind me of my grandmother's kitchen.

3: We / plan / visit / historical places / Cao Bang.
A. We plan visiting some historical places in Cao Bang.
B. We are planning visit some historical places in Cao Bang.
C. We plan to visit some historical places in Cao Bang.
D. We are plan to visit any historical places in Cao Bang.

4. I / wish / I / can / attend / traditional festivals / minority people / Viet Nam.

A. I wish I could attend some traditional festivals in minority people in Viet Nam.
B. I wish I can attend the traditional festivals of minority people of Viet Nam.
C. I wish I can attend the traditional festivals of minority people in Viet Nam.
D. I wish I could attend some traditional festivals of minority people in Viet Nam.

5. I /take care/your plants/while/you/on vacation.
A. I take care of your plants while you're on vacation.
B. I will take care of your plants while you're on vacation.

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I will take care of your plants while you on vacation.
I take care of your plants while you will be on vacation.

6. Let/find out/answer/that question/by/do some research

A. Let find out the answer that question by doing some research.
B. Let's find out answer to that question by doing some research.
C. Let find out the answer to that question by do some research.
D. Let's find out the answer to that question by doing some research.

Exercise 9: Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

1. Look at the signs. Choose the best answer for the question.

SPECIAL
SUPERMARKET OFFER
TODAY ONLY!
5 APPLES FOR $2 ONLY
OFFER ENDS AT 6P.M.

A. Today you can buy apples at a cheaper price before 6 p.m.
B. You can't buy any apples before 6 p.m.
C. You can buy cheaper apples after 6 p.m.
D. You can only buy apples today.

2. What does the notice say?

A. Children should not be here.
B. Adults cannot sit at the front.
C. There are no seats at the back.
D. Children should come with their parents.

SEATS AT THE FRONT
RESERVED FOR CHILDREN

3. What does the notice say?

The private rooms are open from 10 a.m to 2 p.m to people with membership cards.

A. You can get your membership cards from the Private Rooms between 10 a.m and 2 p.m.
B. Only members can visit the Private Rooms from 10 a.m to 2 p.m.
C. Anyone can visit the private rooms from 10 a.m to 2 p.m.
D. Membership cards are not required to use the private rooms.

4. What does this sign mean?

A. Be careful because building work is happening.
B. You have to construct buildings with caution.
C. There is careful construction.
D. Construction must be carefully done in progress

Exercise 10: Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 1 to 6.

Task 1

Hawaii is often considered to be one place in the world where you can find paradise. But when I arrived in Hawaii, I was shocked to discover beaches were covered in plastic rubbish washed up from around the world. As I dug through the sand, I realised the sandy beach was being **transformed** into a plastic beach. A chill *went down my spine*. From the beaches of Hawaii to the seas around Britain, we are polluting our own environment.

Beaches are now covered in more rubbish than ever before. The plastic we see on our beaches is just a small amount of the plastic waste that exists in our oceans. Scientists believe that sea currents have created five **huge** garbage areas in our oceans, including the one in the North Atlantic. This is a global problem for which we are all responsible.

Plastic makes our life easier, but its production and use are completely out of control. Because plastic rubbish in the oceans looks like food, it is being eaten by small fish, which in turn is eaten by large fish, which

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in turn is eaten by us. Plastic is damaging our beaches, polluting the oceans, and poisoning our food ch
The consequences are still not fully understood, but they are likely to be terrible.

We need to stop using plastic bags for packaging and single-use water bottles. These make up most of the plastic garbage in the oceans. In Bangladesh and Kenya, they have stopped using plastic bags completely. The UK has put a tax on plastic bags. Many supermarkets around the world are not packing goods in plastic.

The future of our beaches, our seas, and the food chain is at risk. This is an environmental problem that we need to solve immediately.

(Adapted from ***Headway*** by Soars, Soars and Hancock)

Question 23: Which of the following is the best title for the passage?
A. Common Plastic Products **B.** A Green Lifestyle
C. Benefits of Plastic Products **D.** A Planet Poisoned by Plastic

Question 24: The word **transformed** in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to_____.
A. changed **B.** placed **C.** checked **D.** broken

Question 25: According to paragraph 4, both Bangladesh and Kenya_____..
A. have used more and more plastic bags. **B.** have produced a lot of plastic bags.
C. do not use plastic bags any more. **D.** encourage the use of plastic bags.

Question 26: Which of the following is NOT true according to the passage?
A. Hawaii is protected from plastic rubbish.
B. One huge garbage area in the oceans is in the North Atlantic.
C. The UK has introduced a tax on plastic bags.
D. Production and use of plastic are now out of control.

Question 27: The phrase **huge** in paragraph 5 is OPPOSITE in meaning to_____.
A. large **B.** diverse **C.** small **D.** big

Question 28: Which of the following can be inferred from the passage?
A. The environment in Hawaii was not as good as the writer had expected.
B. There is far more plastic waste on the beaches than in the oceans.
C. Plastic helps maintain the natural food chain in the oceans.
D. People in the past were more concerned about the effects of plastic waste.

Task 2

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 following questions from 5 to 10.

Experiences are the things we do and feel in our lives. **They** help us understand ourselves and the world better. Reflecting on these experiences helps us grow.

One of my favorite experiences is traveling. Every trip brings new adventures. For example, when I visited a small village, I got to taste local foods and take part in their traditions.

Riding horses and snorkeling were exciting. Watching a tribal dance and seeing beautiful coral reefs made me appreciate the **diversity** of our world.

Traveling teaches us a lot. It helps us learn about different cultures and ways of life. Meeting new people and exploring new places make us more open-minded and understanding.

Another key part of my experiences is dealing with challenges. I remember a **difficult** school project that required a lot of work and teamwork. It was hard, but finishing it made me feel proud. This experience taught me to keep trying, even when things are tough, and gave me confidence to face new challenges.

Even small daily activities are important experiences. Working on group projects, helping others, and talking with friends all teach us something. For example, attending workshops on communication and teamwork has made me better at working with others and more confident.

In conclusion, our experiences shape who we are. **They** help us grow, understand ourselves, and connect with others. Every experience, big or small, makes our lives richer.

Question 5: What is the main topic of the passage?
A. The overall impact of experiences on personal growth
B. The role of traveling in learning about different cultures
C. The importance of dealing with academic challenges
D. The benefits of attending workshops on communication

Question 6: The word " **diversity**" in paragraph 2 is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.
A. difficulty **B.** variety **C.** similarity **D.** flexibility

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Question 7: According to the passage, traveling helps us _____.
A. discover different cultures and ways of life **B.** provide us with financial benefits
C. improve academic grades **D.** make us more physically fit

Question 8: The word "**They**" in the first paragraph refers to _____.
A. experiences B. school projects C. challenges D. workshops

Question 9: According to the passage, which statement is NOT true about experiences?
A. Facing challenges teaches us to keep trying.
B. Attending workshops makes us better at communication.
C. Traveling helps us learn about different cultures.
D. Experiences only include major life events.

Question 10: The word **difficult** in paragraph 4 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.
A. simple B. hard C. fun D. easy

Exercise 11: Four phrases/ sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 1 to 4.

Task 1

A. They hop and run fast to escape from danger
B. can fly to find food and travel
C. They swim in the water and breathe with gills
D. They are slow but have strong protection

Animals are amazing creatures because they can do many things that help them survive. Birds, for example, (1) ..... They have wings that allow them to fly high in the sky, and they can travel long distances when they migrate. Some animals, like rabbits and kangaroos, are very fast and can jump high. (2) ..... They use their strong legs to hop quickly away from danger, such as predators. Fish are different because they live in water, like oceans, rivers, and lakes. (3) ..... They have scales to protect their bodies and fins that help them swim smoothly. Finally, some animals, like turtles and snails, move very slowly. (4) ..... They have shells on their backs, which act as a strong shield to keep them safe from harm.

Question 1.___ Question 2.___ Question 3.___ Question 4.___

Task 2

Four phrases/ sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 1 to 4.

I still remember the first time I delivered a presentation in front of my class. The mere thought of standing (1) _____ filled me with anxiety.

My first presentation topic was my favorite hobby, astronomy. (2)_____. I rehearsed my speech in front of the mirror until I could recite it without glancing at my notes.

The day of the presentation finally arrived. As I stood before the class, I could feel my heart thumping in my chest. I took a deep breath, looked at my classmates, and began my presentation.

As I spoke, I found that my nervousness slowly faded away. My classmates listened attentively, and some even asked questions. When I finished, the class broke into applause. (39)_____.

From that day forward, I was no longer afraid of public speaking. (40)__.....__. This experience taught me a valuable lesson that I would carry with me throughout my academic journey.

A. I realized that preparation and practice were the keys to a successful presentation.
B. before all my classmates and speaking
C. I spent days researching and preparing my slides.
D. I felt a sense of accomplishment and relief.

Question 1. ___ Question 2. ___ Question 3.___ Question 4 ___

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