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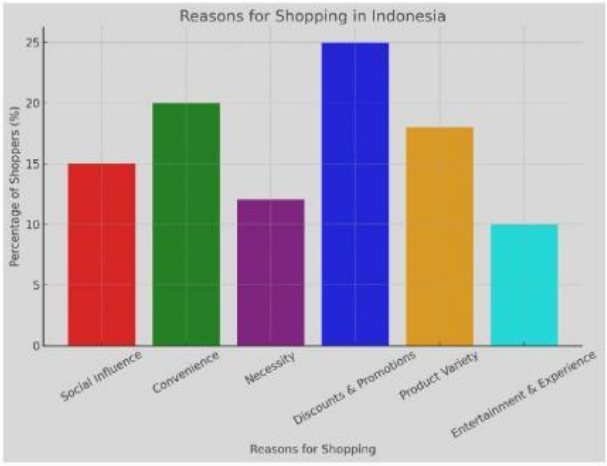
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A. PILIHAN GANDA

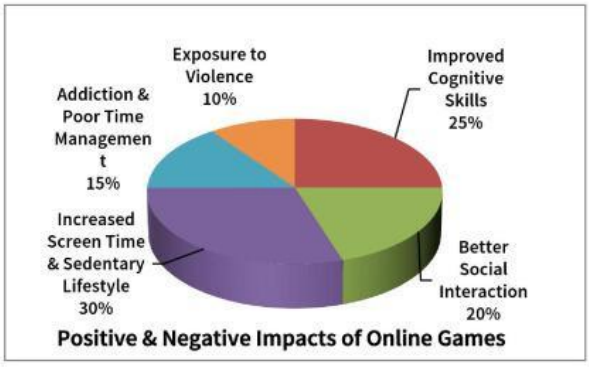
Pilihlah salah satu jawaban A, B, C, D, atau E yang merupakan jawaban paling benar !

Chart for questions number 1-2



1. **What does the chart suggest about the impact of social influence on shopping habits?**
   A. **Convenience is one of the top reasons people shop.**
   B. **Shoppers in Indonesia do not prioritize convenience.**
   C. **More shoppers choose necessity over convenience.**
   D. **Discounts & Promotions are less influential than convenience.**
   E. **Entertainment & Experience is more important than convenience.**
2. **What can be inferred about the role of convenience in shopping behavior in Indonesia?**
   A. **Necessity has no impact on shopping decisions.**
   B. **Social Influence is the least significant reason for shopping.**
   C. **Discount & Promotion is twice more important factor than product variety.**
   D. **Shoppers are less likely to be influenced by entertainment and experience.**
   E. **Entertainment & Experience becomes a stronger motivator than Social Influence.**

Chart for questions number 3-5



3. **The most influential according to the chart is ….**
   A. **Improvement in cognitive abilities**
   B. **Addiction and lack of time control**
   C. **Exposure to violent digital content**
   D. **Enhanced social communication skills**
   E. **More screen time and less physical activity**
4. **Which of the following statements is TRUE based on the chart?**
   A. **Better social interaction shows the lowest level of impact.**
   B. **Screen time issues affect fewer teens than addiction cases.**
   C. **Cognitive skills improvement is higher than screen exposure.**
   D. **Addiction and time misuse are the least common impacts.**
   E. **Exposure to violence is the rarest impact among all factors.**
5. **What can be inferred about the effect of online games on teens?**
   A. **Online games mostly lead to positive outcomes for teens.**
   B. **Most teens play games in moderation without risks.**
   C. **There are no drawbacks from online games.**
   D. **The negative impacts are more prevalent.**
   E. **Advantages of online games are common.**

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Text for number 6 to 8
Read the following text!

In today's digital age, social media platforms have become integral to the daily lives of teenagers. While these platforms offer avenues for connection and self-expression, they also present significant challenges that can adversely affect the mental and emotional well-being of young users.

Prolonged engagement with social media has been linked to increased rates of anxiety, depression, and other mental health issues among teenagers. The constant exposure to curated images and lifestyles fosters unrealistic comparisons, leading to feelings of inadequacy and low self-esteem. A study highlighted that teenagers who engage with social media during the night could be damaging their sleep and increasing their risk of anxiety and depression.

Social media platforms often expose teenagers to content that is not age-appropriate, including discussions on suicide, drugs, and extremist behavior. Investigations have revealed that within just 20 minutes of using certain apps, young users can encounter distressing material. This exposure can have detrimental effects on their developing minds, normalizing harmful behaviors and desensitizing them to serious issues.

The design of social media platforms encourages prolonged use, leading to addictive behaviors. Teenagers may find it challenging to disconnect, resulting in reduced attention spans and decreased academic performance. The constant need to check notifications and updates can interfere with daily responsibilities and real-world interactions.

In conclusion, while social media offers benefits in terms of connectivity and information sharing, it is crucial to recognize and address its potential harms to teenagers. Parents, educators, and policymakers must collaborate to establish guidelines that promote healthy usage patterns, ensuring that the digital environment supports the positive development of young individuals.

Based on the text above, choose the correct answer for the following question!

6. According to the passage, what is one effect of teenagers using social media late at night?
   - A. They may spend more time communicating with their friends online.
   - B. They are likely to experience stronger feelings of happiness and joy.
   - C. They can increase their popularity and number of online followers.
   - D. They may suffer sleep problems and higher anxiety or depression. ✓
   - E. They might develop better focus and improved academic results.
7. What can be inferred about the role of parents and educators regarding the use of social media for teenagers? They should…
   - A. collaborate to establish guidelines for healthy usage.
   - B. promote the use of multiple social media platforms.
   - C. ban teenagers from using social media entirely.
   - D. ignore teenagers' social media activities.
   - E. encourage unlimited use of social media.
8. Which of the following statements is incorrect based on the passage?
   - A. Social media exposure can lead to low self-esteem and anxiety in teens.
   - B. Teenagers may face addiction because platforms encourage long usage.
   - C. Every teenager who uses social media experiences mental disorders. ✓
   - D. Inappropriate online content can negatively affect young users' minds.
   - E. Parents and educators should guide teens to use social media wisely.

Text for number 9 to 11
Read the following text!

Is Artificial Intelligence Good for Society?

Artificial intelligence (AI) is one of the most important technologies in today's world. It is changing how people live, work, and communicate. Many believe AI brings great benefits, while others worry about its risks. This essay discusses both the advantages and challenges of AI in society.

AI can improve many areas of life. In healthcare, AI can study medical data, help doctors diagnose illnesses, and create personal treatment plans. In transportation, self-driving cars can make roads safer, reduce fuel use, and improve traffic flow. AI also supports environmental protection by predicting climate patterns and improving renewable energy systems. In agriculture, it helps farmers use resources wisely and increase food production.

However, AI also raises ethical and social concerns. Bias in AI systems can lead to unfair results in jobs, banking, or law. Another issue is accountability—who is responsible if an AI system makes a mistake? As AI becomes more independent, clear rules are needed to protect people and ensure fairness.

AI also affects employment. Machines can replace workers in factories, offices, and customer service, which may cause job loss and inequality. Yet, AI also creates new opportunities in data science, robotics, and technology development.

Privacy and data security are major worries too. AI systems collect a lot of personal data, which can lead to surveillance or misuse. Responsible AI must protect people's privacy and information.

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To make AI benefit everyone, responsible development and regulation are essential. Governments and companies must ensure AI is fair, transparent, and ethical. Education and equal access to technology can also reduce inequality and prepare people for a future with AI.

In conclusion, AI has the power to improve healthcare, education, and the environment. But it also brings risks to jobs, privacy, and fairness. Society must use AI wisely and responsibly so that it helps people and creates a better, more equal world.

Adopted from : https://revolutexdigital.com/artificial-intelligence-good-for-society/

Based on the text above, choose the correct answer for the following question!

9. " Another issue is **accountability...**" (paragraph 3 line 2)
   What is the closest meaning of the word **"accountability"**?
   A. The freedom to work without control
   B. The ability to create new inventions
   C. The fairness of human relationships
   D. The process of managing information
   E. Responsibility for actions or decisions
10. What is one explicit benefit of AI mentioned in the passage?
   A. It limits people's access to digital services.
   B. It removes human roles in all work sectors.
   C. It increases pollution through technology use.
   D. It encourages inequality between rich nations.
   E. It helps doctors diagnose illnesses accurately.
11. *"In agriculture, it helps farmers use resources wisely and increase food production"* (paragraph
   The word **"it"** in the sentence refers to ….
   A. The environment
   B. Renewable energy
   C. Farming resources
   D. Artificial intelligence
   E. Agricultural products

Dialogue for number 12 to 13
Read the following dialogue!

Alex : Hey, Sarah! I was reading about frugal living recently, and it actually seems like a really smart way to manage money. Have you ever thought about adopting a frugal lifestyle?

Sarah : Oh, definitely, Alex! I try to be mindful of my spending, but I wouldn't say I live frugally. Some people see it as being cheap, but I think it's more about making wise financial choices.

Alex : Exactly! It's not about being stingy—it's about spending on what truly matters. For example, instead of eating out all the time, cooking at home can save a lot of money and even be healthier.

Sarah : That's true! I've been trying to cut back on unnecessary expenses, like impulse shopping. I've realized that I don't actually need half the things I used to buy.

Alex : Same here! I started budgeting and tracking my expenses, and I was shocked at how much I was spending on little things, like coffee and subscriptions I don't even use.

Sarah : That's a good habit. I think frugal living also encourages sustainability. When we buy less and reuse things, it reduces waste and helps the environment.

Alex : Absolutely! I've started shopping secondhand and even trying DIY repairs instead of replacing things right away. It saves money and gives me a sense of accomplishment.

Sarah : That's a great idea! I also believe frugal living doesn't mean depriving yourself. It's about prioritizing experiences and long-term goals over material things.

Alex : Right! Some people think frugality is restrictive, but I actually feel more in control of my finances and less stressed about money.

Sarah : That's inspiring! I might start making small changes and see how it impacts my savings.

Alex : That's the best way to start! It's all about balance and making mindful choices that work for you.

Based on the dialogue above, choose the correct answer for the following question!

12. What financial habit did Alex adopt to better manage spending?
   A. Limiting grocery shopping to once a month
   B. Cutting off all entertainment expenses
   C. Budgeting and tracking expenses
   D. Only using cash for transactions
   E. Investing in cryptocurrency

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13. According to Sarah, how does frugal living contribute to sustainability?
    A. It eliminates the need to buy any new products
    B. It encourages minimalist design and aesthetics
    C. It helps people buy higher-end, eco-friendly products
    D. It focuses solely on saving money, not environmental impact
    E. It reduces waste by promoting reuse and mindful consumption

Text for number 14 to 16
Read the following text!

A Cosmic Misunderstanding

Clare was a dedicated astronomer, but she was never the first to discover something. Then, one night, she spotted a huge meteor that seemed to be getting closer to the Earth.
"It's coming right at us!" she exclaimed.
She emailed her colleagues about it, but none of them responded. So she started phoning them, but the calls all went to voicemail, and no one called back. Eventually, after calling fifty times, one of her colleagues picked up the phone.
"You're always saying things like this," said the other astronomer. "And you're always wrong. We don't believe you."
But Clare knew she was right. And if no one believed her, the Earth would be destroyed.
Clare decided to build a rocket. "I'll save everyone!" she declared. "Even if they don't believe me!"
During the day she worked on her rocket. At night, she planned her mission. She would fly to the meteor and destroy it.
Finally, it was the day of the launch. Trembling, Clare climbed into her rocket and soared into space.
She flew towards the meteor. It was exactly where she had predicted.
"Wait a minute," she said, looking closely through her window.
She felt very foolish. It wasn't a meteor. It was the *Space Guard*, a famous satellite that had stopped working years ago.
"Well, now that I'm here, at least I can do something useful," she said.
Clare put on her suit and went into space with her tools. She flew over to the satellite, and began to work. Eventually, she managed to fix the satellite.
Feeling embarrassed, she started flying back to Earth. She had pestered all her colleagues, and flown to space, but she was wrong. She didn't look forward to admitting it.
When she landed, all her colleagues were there.
"I'm back," she said with a sigh. "I have to apologise. I thought there was a meteor, but —"
"We're sorry for not listening to you," said the astronomer she'd spoken to on the phone. "We're lucky that you didn't give up, and you fixed the *Space Guard*. The satellite immediately identified the meteor you told us about. It was only one hour away!"
"Fixing the satellite was an excellent plan," said another astronomer. "Its automatic systems destroyed the meteor quickly. You saved everyone!"
Clare had crossed her arms. "Next time, pick up the phone!" she snapped.

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Based on the text above, choose the correct answer for the following question!

14. What can be inferred about Clare's character from the story?
    A. She is careless and often ignores other people's advice.
    B. She is determined and brave, never giving up easily.
    C. She is selfish and never listens to her colleagues.
    D. She is doubtful and afraid to take bold decisions.
    E. She is kind but too shy to speak her opinion.

15. If the story had continued, what most likely would happen next?
    A. Clare would continue exploring space with greater confidence.
    B. Clare would be promoted to lead a major discovery mission.
    C. Clare would give up astronomy and travel around the world.
    D. Her colleagues would realize their mistake and thank her.
    E. The repaired satellite would suddenly stop working again.

16. What moral value can be learned from Clare's experience?
    A. Teamwork always brings better results than working alone.
    B. Trust others only when they have the same opinion as you.
    C. Giving up is better than being criticized by other people.
    D. Keep believing in yourself even when others doubt you
    E. Success depends more on luck than on responsibility.

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Text for number 17 to 20
Read the following text!

Ali Baba was a poor but honest woodcutter who lived in Persia (modern-day Iran). One day, while working in the forest, he accidentally overheard a group of forty thieves arriving at a secret cave. The leader of the thieves stood before a large rock and shouted:"Open Sesame!"

To Ali Baba's amazement, the rock magically opened, revealing a hidden treasure trove filled with gold, silver, and precious jewels. After the thieves left, Ali Baba cautiously entered the cave and took only a small amount of gold, just enough to support his family. He returned home and told his wife, swearing her to secrecy.

However, Ali Baba had a greedy brother named Kasim, who betrayed his trust. When Kasim learned about the cave, he rushed to take more treasure. But in his greed, he forgot the magic words to open the cave again and was trapped inside. When the thieves returned, they found Kasim and killed him.

Realizing that someone else knew their secret, the thieves devised a plan to find and kill Ali Baba. They disguised themselves as merchants and went to Ali Baba's house, hiding inside large oil jars to attack him at night. However, Ali Baba's faithful and clever servant, Morgiana, overheard their plan. She boiled oil and poured it into the jars, killing the hidden thieves.

When the leader of the thieves tried a final attack, Morgiana outwitted him again, saving Ali Baba's life. As a reward for her honesty and loyalty, Ali Baba freed her and treated her as part of the family.

Ali Baba, remaining humble and honest, never misused the treasure and helped the poor with his newfound wealth. He kept the secret of the cave, ensuring the treasure did not fall into the wrong hands.

Based on the text above, choose the correct answer for the following question!

17. What does Ali Baba's initial decision to take only a small amount of gold from the cave imply about his character?
    A. He was unsure whether the treasure belonged to him.
    B. He was cautious and did not want to attract attention.
    C. He was uncertain whether the treasure was real.
    D. He wanted to test if the cave would remain open.
    E. He feared being caught by the thieves.
18. Why did Kasim forget the magic words needed to open the cave?
    A. The words changed every time someone entered the cave.
    B. The thieves had placed a curse on the cave's entrance.
    C. He panicked after realizing he had stolen too much.
    D. He was overwhelmed by greed and excitement.
    E. He was distracted by an approaching thief.
19. What strategy did the thieves use to eliminate Ali Baba?
    A. They spread false rumors to turn the townspeople against him.
    B. They set a trap inside the cave by changing the magic words.
    C. They hid inside large oil jars and planned to ambush him.
    D. They disguised themselves as royal guards to arrest him.
    E. They attempted to poison him by bribing his servant.

Text for number 20 to 23
Read the following text!

Should Video Games Be Considered a Sport?

Video games have become one of the most popular hobbies in the world, and competitive gaming now offers millions in prizes. This raises a common question: Should video games be considered a sport? People have different opinions about this debate.

Those against the idea argue that video games do not require the physical activity that defines most sports. Traditional sports like football or basketball involve running, jumping, and physical endurance, while gaming mainly uses mental focus and hand-eye coordination. They believe gaming is entertainment, not a sport, and that spending too much time playing can make people inactive or even addicted.

However, supporters believe that gaming shares many qualities with traditional sports. Professional gamers train for hours, improve their skills, and compete under pressure—just like athletes. Studies have shown that during competitions, a gamer's heart rate can reach similar levels to marathon runners or Formula 1 drivers. Gamers also develop quick reaction times, strong focus, and advanced strategic thinking.

Another important argument is teamwork. Many video games require players to communicate, plan strategies, and cooperate to win, just like in team sports. Games such as *Fortnite*, *Overwatch*, or *Splatoon* teach coordination, communication, and leadership. Gaming can also develop useful life skills like persistence, problem-solving, and creativity.

Some also see gaming as an inclusive sport. Unlike traditional sports, e-sports can be played by people with physical disabilities, allowing everyone to compete equally. For example, studies show that gaming can help children with autism build social and motor skills while also encouraging creativity and confidence.

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On the other hand, critics worry that video games make players less physically active and too dependent on screens. Parents must help set limits to ensure gaming remains healthy and balanced.

In conclusion, whether gaming is a sport or not depends on how we define the word *sport*. While it may lack physical activity, gaming still demands skill, strategy, discipline, and teamwork — all the qualities that make sports exciting.

Adopted from : https://funtech.co.uk/latest/should-video-games-be-considered-a-sport

Based on the text above, choose the correct answer for the following question!

20. What is the main idea of the text?
    - A. Gaming cannot be compared to any traditional sport.
    - B. Playing video games only provides entertainment value.
    - C. Video games should never be recognized as a real sport.
    - D. Gaming offers prizes but causes negative health impacts.
    - E. The debate continues on whether gaming qualifies as sport. ✓

21. What is the writer's attitude toward video games as sports?
    - A. Completely against recognizing gaming as a real sport.
    - B. Neutral but acknowledges both sides of the discussion. ✓
    - C. Highly supportive and sees no drawbacks in gaming.
    - D. Uninterested and unsure about the topic of e-sports.
    - E. Negative and critical of modern competitive gaming.

22. What can be inferred about gaming from the passage?
    - A. Gaming only entertains and offers no personal benefits.
    - B. Gaming causes the same injuries as traditional athletes.
    - C. Gaming is more dangerous than physical outdoor sports.
    - D. Gaming reduces teamwork and increases social isolation.
    - E. Gaming can improve skills that are useful beyond the screen.

23. The word "competitive" in the sentence "competitive gaming now offers millions in prizes" is closest in meaning to …
    - A. Cooperative
    - B. Relaxed
    - C. Rivalrous
    - D. Passive
    - E. Simple

Text for number 24 to 26
Read the following text!

People often shape their lifestyles based on their values, needs, and personal preferences. Two contrasting yet equally influential approaches to lifestyle are minimalism and maximalism. While minimalism promotes simplicity and reducing excess, maximalism embraces abundance and self-expression. Understanding these lifestyles can help individuals find a balance that suits their own way of living.

Minimalism is a lifestyle that focuses on simplicity, functionality, and decluttering. It encourages individuals to own only what they truly need and value, reducing distractions and unnecessary possessions. Minimalists often choose neutral colors, clean designs, and open spaces in their living environments. They believe that having fewer items leads to a more peaceful and stress-free life.

Minimalism also extends beyond material possessions. It influences habits, time management, and even digital consumption. Many minimalists practice mindful living, focusing on experiences rather than material wealth. They prefer quality over quantity and often advocate for sustainable and ethical consumption.

On the other hand, maximalism embraces abundance, boldness, and creativity. It is characterized by vibrant colors, layered textures, and a mix of patterns. Maximalists enjoy collecting and displaying items that reflect their personality, memories, and artistic tastes. Their spaces are often filled with meaningful objects, artwork, and decorations that bring them joy.

Maximalism is not just about material possessions; it is a mindset that values variety, self-expression, and uniqueness. Many maximalists believe that surrounding themselves with diverse and visually rich environments enhances their creativity and happiness. They see beauty in the details and find comfort in an environment full of energy and character.

The debate between minimalism and maximalism is not about right or wrong but about personal preference and lifestyle choices. Minimalism can help reduce stress and encourage mindfulness, while maximalism allows for individuality and creativity. Some people may prefer a minimalist home but adopt a maximalist approach in their hobbies or social life. Others may combine both approaches, balancing simplicity with self-expression.

Based on the text above, choose the correct answer for the following question!

24. Why do maximalists surround themselves with a variety of objects and decorations? To …
    - A. build setting enhances creativity and happiness.
    - B. ensure they always have extra items available.
    - C. make cleaning their space more difficult.

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D. follow traditional minimalist design rules.
E. show their wealth and success.

25. How do maximalists typically design their living spaces? By …
A. removing all unnecessary items.
B. limiting the use of decorations to avoid clutter.
C. focusing only on neutral colors and clean lines.
D. keeping their spaces empty to enhance relaxation.
E. incorporating vibrant colors, layers, and meaningful objects.

26. How does minimalism impact a person's daily life beyond their home environment?
A. Influences their time management, habits, and consumption patterns.
B. Requires them to follow strict rules about social interactions.
C. Forces them to avoid any form of entertainment.
D. Encourages them to eat only plant-based foods.
E. Prevents them from using any digital devices.

Text for number 27 to 29
Read the following text!

Imagine walking into a classroom and feeling judged not for your ideas but for your clothes. This is a real issue for many students. A 2021 study by the National Center for Education Statistics found that over 20% of students were bullied or excluded because of their appearance, especially clothing. For this reason, many people believe schools should require uniforms. School uniforms should be mandatory because they create unity, reduce peer pressure, and help students focus on learning, even if some people worry about freedom of expression.

One main reason uniforms are important is that they promote unity. When everyone wears the same clothes, it reduces social and economic differences. This can help prevent bullying based on fashion or brand names. Research by Bodine (2003) showed that schools with uniforms reported less bullying and peer pressure. Uniforms make students feel safer, more equal, and accepted.

Uniforms also reduce peer pressure and improve discipline. Without the daily stress of choosing what to wear, students can save time and start school with a clear mind. Wearing a uniform creates a sense of order and reminds students that school is a place to learn. Brunsma and Rockquemore (1998) found that uniforms improved students' attitudes, reduced tardiness, and decreased behavior problems. This shows that uniforms help students become more responsible and focused.

Another advantage is that uniforms help students concentrate on learning. When students don't worry about clothes or trends, they can pay more attention in class. A study by Gentile and Imberman (2012) found that students in schools with uniforms were more engaged in learning and less distracted by appearance. This means uniforms create a more productive learning environment.

Some people say that uniforms limit self-expression, since clothing is a way to show personality. However, students can still express themselves through art, music, writing, and other activities. Studies show that uniforms do not reduce creativity but instead encourage students to focus on achievement and teamwork.

In conclusion, school uniforms bring many benefits. They reduce bullying, lessen pressure, and help students focus on education. Uniforms are not a restriction but a step toward unity, equality, and better learning in every school.

Taken from: https://www.kompasiana.com/

Based on the text above, choose the correct answer for the following question!

27. What can be inferred about the author's opinion on school uniforms?
A. The author believes uniforms can harm students' individuality.
B. The author supports uniforms because they create equality.
C. The author disagrees that uniforms improve school behavior.
D. The author is uncertain whether uniforms are truly useful.
E. The author thinks uniforms only benefit wealthy students.

28. What conclusion can be drawn from the research mentioned in the text?
A. Schools with uniforms have less peer pressure and better focus.
B. Students in uniforms become less creative and independent.
C. Uniforms only improve fashion sense, not academic success.
D. Wearing uniforms makes students arrive late more often.
E. Uniforms encourage bullying and lower student discipline.

29. *"They reduce bullying, lessen pressure, and help students focus on education"* (paragraph 6 line 1)The word "they" in the sentence refers to …
A. Students who wear the same clothes every day.
B. Teachers who promote order and responsibility.
C. Schools that implement new learning programs.

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D. School uniforms that promote equality and focus. ✓

E. Parents who encourage discipline at home.

Dialogue for number 30 to 34
Read the following text!

Sarah : Hey Emily, check this out! I just hit 2,000 followers on Instagram!
Emily : Wow, that's impressive, Sarah! How do you feel about it?
Sarah : Honestly, it's a mix. It's exciting to know that so many people are interested in what I post, but lately, I've been getting some negative comments.
Emily : I'm sorry to hear that. What kind of comments?
Sarah : Some are just mean, criticizing my appearance or the things I share. It's like they're trying to bring me down.
Emily : That's awful. It sounds like you're experiencing cyberbullying.
Sarah : I guess so. I didn't think it would happen to me. I thought having more followers would be fun, but now I'm not so sure.
Emily : Remember, the number of followers doesn't define your worth. It's important to focus on the positive interactions and not let the negative ones affect you.
Sarah : You're right. But sometimes, it's hard to ignore the hurtful comments.
Emily : Have you considered reporting or blocking those users? Most social media platforms have features to help protect against bullying.
Sarah : I haven't tried that yet. I was worried it might make things worse.
Emily : It's worth a shot. Also, talking to someone you trust, like a teacher or counselor, can provide additional support.
Sarah : Thanks, Emily. I appreciate your advice. I'll look into those options.
Emily : Anytime, Sarah. Remember, you're not alone in this.
Sarah : Thanks for reminding me. I'll try to focus on the positive and not let the negativity get to me.
Emily : That's the spirit. And if you ever need to talk, I'm here for you.
Sarah : I know. Thanks, Emily.
Emily : Let's get back to our project. It'll help take your mind off things.
Sarah : Good idea. Let's do it.

Based on the dialogue above, choose the correct answer for the following question!

30. How does Sarah feel about reaching 2,000 followers?
    A. Indifferent
    B. Unaware
    C. Satisfied
    D. Regretful
    E. Excited
31. Why has Sarah hesitated to report or block the negative commenters? She….
    A. doesn't know how to do it
    B. thinks it's against platform rules
    C. fears it might escalate the situation
    D. believes the comments are justified
    E. wants to keep her follower count high
32. How does Sarah plan to handle the situation moving forward? She plans to handle the situation by...
    A. ignoring all comments
    B. quitting social media
    C. creating a new account
    D. focusing on positive interactions
    E. confronting the negative commenters
33. What can be inferred about Emily's perspective on social media? She ….
    A. sees it as a useful tool that must be used carefully.
    B. believes it is completely negative in every aspect.
    C. thinks that having many followers is very important.
    D. considers it a total waste of time and attention.
    E. feels neutral and shows no real interest in it.

Text for number 34 to 36
Read the following text!

In recent decades, environmental issues have become a global crisis, demanding immediate action. Climate change, deforestation, pollution, and biodiversity loss threaten not only nature but also human survival. Some argue that economic

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development should take priority over environmental concerns, but this perspective ignores the long-term consequences of environmental degradation. Protecting the environment is not just an ethical responsibility; it is a necessity for sustaining life on Earth.

One of the most pressing environmental issues is climate change, caused primarily by human activities such as burning fossil fuels and deforestation. Rising global temperatures have led to extreme weather events, melting glaciers, and rising sea levels, which endanger coastal communities. Opponents of strict environmental policies claim that industries should be free to expand without restrictions, as economic growth creates jobs and wealth. However, this argument overlooks the fact that environmental destruction ultimately harms economies. Natural disasters, droughts, and food shortages—exacerbated by climate change—cause billions of dollars in damage each year.

Another critical issue is pollution, particularly plastic waste and air pollution. Factories, vehicles, and improper waste disposal contribute to toxic air and water contamination, leading to severe health problems. While some believe that industries should not be overregulated because regulations might slow down production, the truth is that ignoring pollution leads to increased medical costs and reduced productivity due to illness. Implementing stricter environmental policies will not only protect ecosystems but also improve public health, benefiting society as a whole.

Skeptics argue that transitioning to renewable energy and sustainable practices is too expensive. However, renewable energy sources like solar and wind power are becoming more affordable and efficient. Investing in sustainability can create new jobs, reduce long-term costs, and ensure that future generations have a livable planet. Countries that prioritize green technology are already seeing economic benefits and energy independence, proving that environmental protection and progress can go hand in hand.

The idea that economic growth must come at the cost of environmental health is outdated and dangerous. Climate change, pollution, and deforestation are not distant threats—they are already affecting millions of people worldwide. Governments, businesses, and individuals must take responsibility by adopting sustainable practices and enforcing stricter environmental regulations. Protecting the environment is not just about saving nature; it is about securing a future where both humanity and the planet can thrive.

Based on the text above, choose the correct answer for the following question!

34. "...solar and wind power are becoming more affordable and efficient". (paragraph 4 line 2)
    What is the synonym of the underlined word?
    A. Impossible
    B. Expensive
    C. Difficult
    D. Limited
    E. Inexpensive
35. Which of the following are effects of climate change mentioned in the passage?
    A. Lower temperatures and reduced rainfall
    B. Melting glaciers and rising sea levels
    C. Increased animal population
    D. Stable weather conditions
    E. Growth of more forests
36. According to the text, why do some people oppose strict environmental regulations? Because they ...
    A. believe it will slow down industrial production.
    B. think regulations are not strict enough.
    C. support renewable energy completely.
    D. believe pollution is beneficial.
    E. want to stop climate change.

Text for number 37 to 40
Read the following text!

The current world is a technological one. All the sectors of the economy are making use of the available technology to enhance productivity The Importance of technology in industrial development cannot be downplayed in any way since technology plays a very crucial role in the development of industries. We will look into some of the ways in which technology contributes to industrial development to see its relevance.

One of the reasons why technology is relevant for industrial development is because it promotes greater discoveries. An industrial development is reliant on discoveries for successful development. In the current world, technology is solely responsible for all the discoveries made. Even when an individual makes a discovery in any field, he/she has to use technology to make the discovery viable. This clearly shows that technology cannot be sidelined when talking matters innovation. Therefore, technology is very relevant to the industrial development since it promotes greater discoveries that will boost the various aspects needed for industrial development.

Efficiency is one of the most important elements needed for industrial development. An industry needs to be efficient in the delivery of its core services. Time taken in production is one of the measures used in determining efficiency. An industry that takes less time to produce a certain product is considered efficient. Technology plays a big role in promoting efficiency. This is through making work easier. The advancement of technology is making it possible for an industry to work faster than before. **This** means that employees in an industry get equipped with technological knowledge

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their tasks much faster. The effect of this is improved production in industries, thus making technology an important element in industrial development.

Apart from changing the world, any industrial development is geared towards profit-making. Therefore, an industry will do whatever it takes to cut costs of production. This is why a company would use altium design software due to the cost benefits of having such software. The development in technology enables industries to save a lot of money that could have been used in doing a simple thing. For example, altium design software makes it possible to develop great industrial plans at a very cheap cost. Building the same plan without technological aid is quite hard, and when possible, it costs a lot of money.

Technology is a pillar of the economy that many industries are relying on for maximum productivity. From above, you can see that technology plays an important role in industrial development and thus remain an important component in any industrial development.

Based on the text above, choose the correct answer for the following question!

37. What is the main idea of the second paragraph? Technology ….
    A. promotes greater discoveries
    B. makes work easier for people
    C. can cut off unnecessary costs
    D. changes the world of industries
    E. is important to improve productivity
38. It can be inferred from the third paragraph, that employees ….
    A. are resistant to change
    B. perform tasks more slowly
    C. are equipped technologically
    D. are not involved in technological processes
    E. prefer manual tasks over technological ones
39. How does the advancement of technology contribute to improved production in industries?
    A. Slowing down processes.
    B. Hindering time measurements.
    C. Making work more complicated.
    D. Providing technological equipment.
    E. Reducing the importance of efficiency.
40. "**This** means that employees in an industry get …" (Paragraph 3)
    The word "this" refers to ….
    A. advancement
    B. technology
    C. employees
    D. industries
    E. product

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