

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions from 1 to 2.

Question 1 [*]: A. wanted B. learned C. wicked D. started

Question 2: A. approaches B. washes C. notices D. loves

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions from 3 to 4.

Question 3: A. timeline B. event C. office D. happen

Question 4: A. interview B. compliment C. sacrifice D. represent

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 12.

Question 5: This travel vlog about Ha Giang is _____ than the one we watched in English class last week.

A. the most interesting B. most interesting C. as interesting D. more interesting

Question 6: After school, we usually _____ at the park to play badminton and talk about our day.

A. hang out B. break down C. pass down D. run out

Question 7: Before choosing a university major, you must _____ carefully, because the decision affects your future career path.

A. decide B. decisive C. decisively D. decision

Question 8:

Noah: "Your phone case looks really cool, Ava! I love the design."

Ava: "_____. I bought it on Shopee last week."

A. Thanks for your advice B. I'm glad you like it
C. No problem D. How cool! Congratulations!

Question 9: Every morning, I go to _____ school by _____ bike.

A. the/ Ø B. Ø/the C. a/ Ø D. Ø/ Ø

Question 10: My family _____ TV when Lan arrived.

A. was watching B. watch C. is watching D. watches

Question 11: Plants won't grow well _____ there is enough sunlight and water.

A. if B. when C. unless D. as

Question 12: This suitcase is too heavy _____ upstairs without help, so we wait for the elevator.

A. carry B. carrying C. to carry D. to carrying

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.

VIETNAMESE LIFESTYLE: THEN & NOW – "Story Booths"

Are you interested (13) _____ how Vietnamese life has changed from the 1990s to today? Visit our "Story Booths" and learn through real objects and short interviews.

DATE: Wednesday (after school)

TIME: 3:15–4:25 p.m.

VENUE: Block A – ground floor hallway

You can:

- match “old vs modern” items (lamp, radio, lunch box)
- try a 5-minute role-play: “shopping then / shopping now”
- take a quick quiz for small gifts

Fee: 10,000 VND (charity box). Please bring **(14)** _____ cash to cover the fee.

You will also learn new words about daily **(15)** _____ and family routines.

To join the role-play: **(16)** _____ in your name slip (to Ms. Mai Room 11) by Tuesday.

Question 13: A. on B. at C. in D. of

Question 14: A. plenty of B. enough C. a few D. many

Question 15: A. customers B. costumes C. cushions D. customs

Question 16: A. hand B. fill C. sign D. send

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.

Many students scroll on phones in bed and feel tired at school. When the phone is beside them, silent alerts can disturb their sleep. Some apps reduce blue light, but screens still keep the brain active. **(17)** _____ With a clear bedtime, you stop arguing with yourself each minute. **(18)** _____ Better sleep helps you focus in class and enjoy mornings more.

Question 17: Choose the sentence that can BEST fill in blank **(17)**.

- A. Using your phone all day is necessary for homework in many classes.
- B. Many phones have expensive cameras that students rarely use at night.
- C. A small evening change can protect sleep and mood for everyone.
- D. Teachers often complain about phones, so students should leave them at home.

Question 18: Put the sentences (a–c) in the correct order, then fill in blank **(18)** to make a logical text.

- a. This rule makes it easier to fall asleep without checking messages.
- b. Put your phone on a table across the room before bed.
- c. After a week, many students wake faster and feel calmer overall.

A. b – a – c B. a – b – c C. b – c – a D. c – b – a

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 19 to 24.

More and more teenagers are signing up for after-school sports training classes, such as badminton, basketball, or fitness. At first, many of them feel nervous **(19)** _____ everyone seems fast and confident. Yet the coach often starts with simple drills and explains how to move safely. Not only **(20)** _____ stronger, but they also learn discipline and teamwork. Some teens **(21)** _____ rather join a class than train alone, because friends remind each other to come on time. The first sessions can be exhausting; However, most teens feel proud when they finish. Only after a few weeks **(22)** _____ notice that they can run longer and climb stairs without stopping. To stay healthy, they need to stretch, drink water, and listen to their bodies. If they skip warm-ups, they may get hurt and miss practice. With regular effort, many students **(23)** _____ progress and become more motivated at school too. Parents like these classes because they keep teens active and away from screens. For many, this commitment becomes a healthy habit. Good coaches, **(24)** _____ patient with beginners, can make the experience both fun and beneficial.

Question 19: A. because B. yet C. therefore D. still

Question 20: A. they do become B. do they become C. do become they D. they become do

Question 21: A. can B. may C. must D. would

Question 22: A. they do really B. do really they C. do they really D. they really do

Question 23: A. do B. take C. make D. give

Question 24: A. who are very B. which are very C. who very are D. that very are

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions from 25 to 26.

Question 25: "What are you going to do after school, Anne?" Kevin asked.

A. Kevin asked Anne what was she going to do after school.

B. Kevin asked Anne what she was going to do after school.

C. Kevin wanted to know what Anne would do after school.

D. Kevin wanted to know what would Anne do after school.

Question 26: Why don't we take an eco-tour of Langbiang Mountain this weekend?

A. We took an eco-tour of Langbiang Mountain last weekend.

B. We shouldn't take an eco-tour of Langbiang Mountain this weekend.

C. Have you ever taken an eco-tour of Langbiang Mountain?

D. Let's take an eco-tour of Langbiang Mountain this weekend.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is best made from the given cues in each of the following questions from 27 to 28.

Question 27: ao dai / significant role / Vietnamese culture / it / show / beauty and tradition / country.

A. Because the ao dai has played a significant role in Vietnamese culture, so it shows the beauty and tradition of the country.

B. The ao dai has played a significant role of Vietnamese culture, as it shows the beauty and tradition of tire country.

C. The ao dai has played significant role in Vietnamese culture, since it shows beauty and tradition in the country.

D. The ao dai has played a significant role in Vietnamese culture, as it shows the beauty and tradition of the country.

Question 28: Tom / have / nightmare / while / he / sleep / the camp / the old castle.

A. Tom had a nightmare while he was sleeping in the camp by the old castle.

B. Tom have a nightmare while he was sleeping in the camp by the old castle.

C. Tom had a nightmare while he is sleeping in the camp by the old castle.

D. Tom had a nightmare while he sleep in the camp by the old castle.

Read the following notice or message 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 29 to 30.

Question 29: What does the notice mean?

A. Tourists can dive in the coral reef at any time.

B. If tourists stay in the water, they can damage the coral reef.

C. If anyone swims in the water, they will be punished.

D. If anyone damages the coral reef, they will be punished.

Question 30: What does the message mean?

A. Only soup is sold today, and you must pay with notes, not coins.



- B. Soup and canned drinks are not there, and hot drinks need 10p or 50p coins.
- C. The machine is closed all week, so you cannot buy anything now.
- D. Tea and coffee are free today because the machine has a small problem.

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 31 to 36.

Planet Earth is getting warmer. Scientists have clear evidence that our planet's average temperature has risen about 1.2 degrees Celsius since the late 1800s. This might sound like a small number, but it is actually a big change for our whole planet. The warming is happening faster now than at any other time in human history.

The main cause of this warming is human activity. When people burn coal, oil, and gas for energy, these fuels release gases into the air, especially carbon dioxide. These gases **trap** heat from the sun like a blanket around Earth, stopping it from escaping back into space. The more of these gases we put into the air, the warmer our planet becomes. Factories, cars, airplanes, and power plants all add to this problem every day.

This warming creates serious problems around the world. Ice at the North and South Poles is melting, causing ocean levels to rise. This puts coastal cities in danger of flooding. Weather patterns are changing too - some places get more storms and floods, while others face longer periods without rain. Many plants and animals cannot **adapt** quickly enough to these changes, which means they struggle to survive or must move to new areas. Farmers also face challenges as weather becomes less predictable, making it harder to grow food.

Scientists agree that we must act now to slow down global warming. We can use clean energy from the sun and wind instead of burning fossil fuels. We can also plant more trees, which take carbon dioxide out of the air. Every person can help by using less energy, recycling, and choosing products that are better for the environment. The future of our planet depends on the actions we take today.

[Adapted from NASA Earth Observatory - Global Warming Report]

Question 31: According to the passage, which of the following is **TRUE** about the current state of global warming?

- A. The rise of 1.2 degrees Celsius is considered an insignificant change by experts.
- B. The temperature increase in the past was much faster than what we see nowadays.
- C. Human daily reliance on fossil fuels is the primary driver behind the rising heat.
- D. Carbon dioxide is the only gas released into the atmosphere by modern factories.

Question 32: The word "**trap**" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. release
- B. hold
- C. remove
- D. cool

Question 33: What is the best title for the passage?

- A. The History of Fossil Fuels and Energy Consumption Since the 1800s.
- B. Global Warming: Its Anthropogenic Causes, Impacts, and Solutions.
- C. The Consequences of Melting Polar Ice Caps on Coastal Urban Areas.
- D. Modern Scientific Methods for Predicting Unstable Weather Patterns.

Question 34: The word "**adapt**" in paragraph 3 is **OPPOSITE** in meaning to _____.

- A. adjust
- B. change
- C. remain unchanged
- D. develop

Question 35: Why does the passage compare greenhouse gases to a "blanket" around Earth?

- A. Because the gases make Earth cooler by blocking sunlight from above.

- B. Because the gases stay only over cities, where factories release them.
- C. Because the gases keep heat from escaping back into space.
- D. Because the gases create clouds that always lead to stronger storms.

Question 36: Which action would most directly help reduce the cause of warming described in paragraph 2?

- A. Building higher walls to protect coastal cities from flooding.
- B. Moving plants and animals to safer regions during storms.
- C. Creating new farms in dry areas to grow food in droughts.
- D. Using solar or wind energy instead of burning coal and oil.

Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.

Natural disasters are becoming a daily topic on the news, from floods in Asia to wildfires in Europe and North America. **(37)** _____. In my view, it is not only “bad luck.” Warmer oceans and hotter summers can make storms and heatwaves more intense, **(38)** _____.

Social media also changes how we react. When a typhoon or earthquake happens, videos spread fast and people donate quickly. This is good, but it can also create panic or fake news. Some influencers share dramatic clips without context, **(39)** _____. To respond better, we need clear warnings, simple plans, and trusted information from local authorities.

At the same time, cities and schools should focus on disaster preparedness, not only on rescue after the event. **(40)** _____. Natural disasters may be unavoidable, but the damage is not fixed. With smart planning and responsible online sharing, communities can be more resilient.

- A. and that can distract from real safety advice
- B. so small changes in weather can turn into big disasters
- C. Early warning systems, stronger houses, and regular practice drills can save lives
- D. Many people feel that these events are stronger and happen more often than before

Question 37: _____. **Question 38:** _____. **Question 39:** _____. **Question 40:** _____.