Gateway to maturita B1 unit 6

READING

IS THIS THE MOST IMPORTANT BUILDING IN THE WORLD?





Read or listen to the text about the most important building in the world on p.71 in your SB.

Then choose the correct alternative.

1. Countries *pay/don´t pay* to keep their seeds there.
   Paragraph_____
2. If there is an electrical problem at the Seed Vault, the temperature *will/won´t* be a problem.
   Paragraph_____
3. The most important thing about the location of the Seed Vault is that *it is easy to protect from attacks/the altitude will keep seeds dry.*
   Paragraph_____
4. In the case of future catastrophe, the important thing is to have a *lot/wide variety* of seeds.
   Paragraph_____
5. The Svalbard Global Seed Vault *has/doesn´t have* millions of types of seeds.
   Paragraph_____
6. Norway built this building because of *global warming/possible environmental disasters.*
   Paragraph_____
7. People believe droughts and floods *might/will never* make it difficult to find food in the future.
   Paragraph_____

Critical thinking

What plants from your country do you think are important to protect?



Are you generally optimistic or pessimistic about the future of the planet? Why?

Explain the following words in English

impact
agriculture
Vault
to survive
essential
a remote place
level
peas

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