

1. She has a heel injury but her _____ allows her to overcome the physical pain. (**compete**)
2. Managing _____ has always been a complex issue. (**create**)
3. By showing his great social _____ and carrying out a variety of tasks, he received a lot of *compliments (lời khen)* from the manager. (**flexible**)
4. "Get out of here!" she shouted _____. (**fury**)
5. The two playwrights worked in close _____ with each other. (**collaborate**)

IV. Match the words in column A with their correct definitions in column B.

A	B	Answers
0. anxiety	a. a large piece of card, paper, etc. with a message written or printed on it, often carried in public places	0 – c
1. cell	b. a strong desire for success, achievement, power, or wealth	1 –
2. counselor	e. an uncomfortable feeling of nervousness or worry	2 –
3. ambition	d. the fact of being extremely fat, in a way that is dangerous for health	3 –
4. obesity	e. a person who has been trained to advise people with problems, especially personal problems	4 –
5. placard	f. the smallest part of an animal or plant that is able to function independently	5 –

V. Replace the underlined part of each of the following sentences with a suitable SYNONYM chosen from the words in the box. Make changes where necessary. Some words are not needed.

vulnerable to eliminate disturb distract conceal frightened depressed **aspiration**

0. His ambition is to become a successful entrepreneur. → aspiration
1. Areas susceptible to flooding can also be problematic. → _____
2. They recommend you should focus on your breathing and banish negative thoughts as you inhale. → _____
3. But as the woman came down the stairs, Aislinn had to suppress a smile. → _____
4. She was terrified of public appearances. → _____
5. Turkin tapped him on the shoulder. "Sorry to interrupt, Colonel." → _____

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The lecturer is talking about the benefits of fracking. Listen to the first part of the lecture, look at question 1 and choose the correct answer, A, B or C. Why is this answer correct?

- 1 Those who are in favour of fracking say that the main benefit is
- A better energy supply.
 - B lower energy bills.
 - C increased electricity generation.

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Underline the important words and phrases in question 2, then listen and choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

- 2 When fracking starts in a new location
- A local businesses lose many of their employees.
 - B companies bring in most of the workers needed.
 - C it creates more opportunities for businesses in the area.

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Look at questions 3 and 4 and underline the words and phrases you think are significant. Then listen to the next part of the lecture and choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

- 3 Although burning gas produces carbon dioxide,
- A it does not produce chemicals which are harmful to the body.
 - B the amount produced is slightly less than from coal and oil.
 - C it produces much less water than coal and oil burning produces.
- 4 Some people think that using more gas from fracking to produce energy means that
- A 50% less electricity will be produced than now.
 - B more water can be used in the production of coal and oil.
 - C there will be more time to work on environmentally friendly sources of energy.

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The lecturer is talking about people's concerns about fracking. Before you listen, underline the words and phrases in the statements that you think are important, so that you can recognise words and phrases which express the same ideas in the recording. Then listen and choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

- 1 One of the environmental concerns is that
- A increased use of shale gas will significantly raise carbon dioxide levels.
 - B using shale gas in some areas will not benefit the environment overall.
 - C countries that use shale gas will still use high levels of oil and natural gas.
- 2 Fracking may not be economically beneficial because
- A it can reduce the value of homes in the areas where it takes place.
 - B after five years of fracking, production can fall significantly.
 - C the levels of gas in the ground are unlikely to be sustainable.
- 3 One medical concern related to fracking is that
- A the quality of the water supply in some areas can be badly affected.
 - B poor air quality causes breathing problems in healthy people.
 - C workers are passing on illnesses to local people.
- 4 Fracking has not been able to take place in some places because
- A local people have managed to prevent it.
 - B the authorities are waiting for better information about its effects.
 - C some countries want to follow the example of France.

4 Read Questions 6–10 and underline the key ideas in each question.

Questions 6–10

- 6 At approximately what time will the ship arrive?
A at 7 a.m. B at 8 a.m. C at 9 a.m.
- 7 Which of these can children have in the restaurant?
A a children's menu
B earlier mealtimes
C a children's party
- 8 What are available at a reduced price?
A souvenirs of the ship
B first-class cabins
C train tickets
- 9 Which of these is situated in the lounge?
A a computer
B a coffee machine
C a television
- 10 What special event will happen during the voyage?
A a fashion show
B a concert
C a competition

Các con mở link nghe sau bằng
máy tính:
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5 Each of these phrases from the recording will help you to focus on the correct question when you listen. Write the number of the question (6–10) by each phrase.

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| a a unique feature on this crossing only | <input type="text" value="10"/> |
| b for those using the lounge | <input type="text"/> |
| c for 20 percent off | <input type="text"/> |
| d passengers with children | <input type="text"/> |
| e reaching our destination | <input type="text"/> |

6 ¹⁰ Now listen and answer Questions 6–10. Choose the correct letter: A, B or C.

For questions 1–8, read the text below and decide which answer (A, B, C or D) best fits each gap. There is an example at the beginning (0).

Mark your answers on the separate answer sheet.

Example:

0 A choice B variety C diversity D selection

0	A	B	C	D
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Building roads with waste coffee

Used coffee grounds, which are left in coffee machines after cups of coffee have been made, are already recycled in a (0) of ways. Now a team of scientists have discovered that they can also be (1) to good use as a material for building roads.

Coffee lover and professor of geotechnical engineering Arul Arulrajah (2) the idea of using them in this way after observing workers at his favourite coffee shops in Melbourne, Australia, (3) throwing away used coffee grounds. He then (4) several experiments to find something suitable to mix with the coffee grounds to (5) the base layer under a road's (6)

According to Professor Arulrajah's estimates, the 150 kg of coffee grounds the team (7) from Melbourne's coffee houses every week could create enough material to build about five kilometres of road per year. This would (8) to a reduction in the amount of organic and industrial waste that ends up in the city's landfills.

- 1 A made B put C given D got
- 2 A considered B regarded C acknowledged D realised
- 3 A forgetfully B carelessly C neglectfully D insensitively
- 4 A controlled B directed C guided D conducted
- 5 A compose B form C position D install
- 6 A covering B ground C surface D exterior
- 7 A collects B keeps C saves D stores
- 8 A bring B come C lead D arrive

*Lưu ý:

1. Khi làm bài tập có từ mới, các con phải tra từ điển. Sau khi tra từ điển, các con chép mỗi từ mới 2 dòng để ghi nhớ.

2. Các con gạch chân các từ khoá chính trong bài đọc.

I. Write the missing English letters that match the given Vietnamese meanings.

No.	Vietnamese	English
1.	tán dương, biết ơn (a)	a _____
2.	khiêu khích (a)	d _____
3.	đình công (v)	g _____
4.	mời đến, triệu tập (n)	s _____
5.	viết nguệch ngoạc (v)	s _____

II. Do the matching.

1. It is such an annoyance	a. these vitamin C tablets should help you to fight it off.
2. I know you are anxious about this midterm exam,	b. to have to drive you everywhere.
3. Managers are meeting this week	c. and he had various tests, including a brain scan.
4. If you feel like you are getting a cold,	d. but just remember what we have gone over and try to keep a cool head
5. We took him to hospital	e. to resolve differences in versions of the budget.

1 -	2 -	3 -	4 -	5 -
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***Lưu ý:** Với những từ con không nhớ và viết sai, con viết từ đó vào vở 2 dòng.