

REVIEW TEST 4

LISTENING

Questions 1-2. Listen to an online lecture about living underground (Track 1). Write the correct letters (a/b/c) in the blanks.

1. Why is there a need for a new solution to the problem of where to live? _____
 - a. The type of home people want to live in is changing.
 - b. Skyscrapers are no longer popular with architects.
 - c. The world's population is growing very quickly.

2. Why are architects creating plans for underground buildings in cities? _____
 - a. They are better than skyscrapers.
 - b. There is little room left on the surface.
 - c. People want to live underground.

Questions 3-6. Listen to an excerpt from an online lecture about living underground (Track 2). Write the correct letters (a/b/c) in the blanks.

3. What result of new building in cities does the speaker mention? _____
 - a. More people can enjoy life in the city.
 - b. Cities are less safe because of high buildings.
 - c. There is less green space for people to enjoy in the city.

4. What does the speaker say about Coober Pedy, Australia? _____

- Eight percent of the population lives underground.
- Temperatures can reach 130 degrees Fahrenheit.
- Living underground there started around 100 years ago.

5. What is the reason for possibly building underground in Mexico City? _____

- The fact that there are rules about certain parts of the city.
- The fact that there is a huge population
- The wish to build a new type of pyramid

6. What is the planned building in Singapore designed to provide? _____

- New homes for local residents
- A new place for people to work
- A new location for banks and stores

VOCABULARY

Questions 12-16. Read the text. Notice the bold words. Then choose the correct answer to complete each sentence.

It may be **obvious** that an **architect** always hopes to have a positive **impact** on the world, but the problems that he or she has to **deal with** in any situation can sometimes make this difficult to achieve. When designing a building where people will live, for example, the needs of the **residents** may not be the same as what the environment around the building needs. It is the architect's job to solve problems like this and do their best for everyone involved.

 **LIVEWORKSHEETS**

12. The word **obvious** is closest in meaning to _____.

- a. correct
- b. simple
- c. clear

13. An **architect** is a person who _____ buildings.

- a. designs
- b. invents
- c. discovers

14. The word **impact** means _____.

- a. an effect
- b. a purpose
- c. an appearance

15. To **deal with** is closest in meaning to _____.

- a. meet
- b. avoid
- c. handle

16. **Residents** are people who _____ a place.

- a. own
- b. live in
- c. work in

SPEAKING

Questions 33-35. Complete each conversation so that speaker B uses an expression to agree or disagree.

33. A: This house is too small for our family.

B: _____ point, but we don't have enough money to move.

34. A: Ugh! This hotel room isn't very clean!

B: You're _____. I'm going to speak to the manager.

35. A: You could use this room as your home office. It would be great!

B: Hmm. I see _____, but I think I'll keep it as a bedroom.