

*Read the following paragraph about 'minority languages'.*

Minority languages are **occasionally marginalized** within nations for a number of reasons. These include the small number of speakers, the decline in the number of speakers, and their occasional consideration as uncultured, primitive, or simple dialects when compared to the dominant language. Support for minority languages is sometimes viewed as supporting **separatism**. Immigrant minority languages are often also seen as a threat and as **indicative of** the non-integration of these communities. Both of these perceived threats are based on the notion of the exclusion of the majority language speakers. Often this is added to by political systems which do not provide support (such as education and policing) in these languages.

Are the following statements **TRUE, FALSE, or NOT GIVEN?**

1. Minority languages sometimes disappear.

Your answer:

2. Minority languages are simpler to learn than majority languages.

Your answer:

3. Minority languages are sometimes considered to be harmful.

Your answer:

Hoàn thành bảng từ vựng sau:

**Sort elements**

occasionally

marginalize something

indicative of something

separatism

giảm tầm quan trọng	
chủ nghĩa ly khai	
thỉnh thoảng, đôi khi	
cho thấy, là dấu hiệu của	