

## Part 1

### Vocabulary

**Circle the best answer to complete each sentence.**

1. It took hours to put the composter together because it was so difficult to \_\_\_\_.  
A) extract  
B) transform  
C) minimize  
D) assemble
  
2. You can \_\_\_\_ energy from the sun with the use of solar panels.  
A) utilize  
B) assemble  
C) extract  
D) assume
  
3. Reusing bottles and jars helps to \_\_\_\_ negative impacts on the environment.  
A) minimize  
B) utilize  
C) sustain  
D) construct
  
4. The Madisons \_\_\_\_ a bus into an eco-friendly home.  
A) utilized  
B) transformed  
C) constructed  
D) assembled
  
5. There are many \_\_\_\_ to consider when setting up a recycling program.  
A) constructions  
B) assumptions  
C) elements  
D) extractions
  
6. A significant \_\_\_\_ in green architecture is the use of environmentally friendly materials.  
A) innovation  
B) factor  
C) bulk  
D) assumption

**Circle the correct word form to complete each sentence.**

7. The \_\_\_\_ that recycling is the best way to help the environment is not necessarily correct.  
A) assume  
B) assumed  
C) assumption  
D) assuming

8. Reusing bottles to create windows in homes is an \_\_\_ use of trash.

A) innovate  
B) innovative  
C) innovation  
D) innovates

9. They are \_\_\_ a house made completely of recycled materials.

A) construct  
B) construction  
C) constructing  
D) constructive

10. It's surprising how many company practices are not environmentally \_\_\_.

A) sustain  
B) sustainable  
C) sustained  
D) sustainability

**Use five of the words in the box to complete the sentences.**

assemble	assumptions	bulk	components
construct	contrary	extractions	factors
innovation	minimize	sustain	utilize

11. What were the \_\_\_\_\_ of his talk on sustainability?

12. That tree cannot \_\_\_\_\_ another cold winter or it will die.

13. The \_\_\_\_\_ of most waste in landfills is recyclable.

14. Recycling is not the best way to help the environment, \_\_\_\_\_ to popular opinion.

15. Making outdoor planters is a great way to \_\_\_\_\_ old tires.

## **Part 2**

### **Listening**

**Listen to the interview. Circle the best answer to complete each sentence.**

16. The interview is mainly about \_\_\_.

A) the Black Bear Ecolodge  
B) sustainable workplace practices  
C) sustainable business practices  
D) making a profit in business

17. \_\_\_ can waste a lot of energy.

A) Hotels  
 B) Ecolodges  
 C) Solar panels  
 D) Environmentalists

18. Sustainable practices always involve \_\_\_.

A) sources of energy  
 B) the hotel industry  
 C) a healthy workplace  
 D) the environment

19. The first step to sustainability is convincing \_\_\_ that it's a good idea.

A) management  
 B) consumers  
 C) staff  
 D) communities

**Listen to the interview again. As you listen, choose the correct symbol or abbreviation in the box. Write it on the line.**

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### Summary of Sustainable Business Practices

#### 1. Definition

- involves a (20.) \_\_\_ of imp. factors – environmental, social (21.) \_\_\_ economic
- business success imp., (22.) \_\_\_ need 2 get all on board

#### 2. Why use

- traditional hotels (23.) \_\_\_ waste energy, water + bldg materials
- (24.) \_\_\_ changes can make big dif.

#### 3. Energy use ↓

- cost ~ 4 (25.) \_\_\_ less
- can ↑ profit

**Read the sentences. Replace the underlined signal phrase with another signal phrase. Circle the best answer.**

26. Today, we'll begin with different types of sustainability.

A) for example  
 B) finally  
 C) I'm going to talk about  
 D) in this case

27. There are many types of sustainability, for example, ecotourism.

- A) such as
- B) we'll begin with
- C) in summary
- D) I'm going to talk about

28. Second, let's define ecotourism.

- A) For example
- B) Finally
- C) In summary
- D) Next

29. Ecotourism is not the same as community-based tourism. In this scenario, ecotourism means tourism directed toward threatened natural environments.

- A) To sum it up
- B) In this case
- C) For example
- D) I'll begin with

30. Finally, as a trend, ecotourism is becoming the choice for tourists who prefer responsible travel.

- A) First
- B) I'll begin with
- C) In summary
- D) In this case