Name: ……...

Class: S8…

Ngày giao bài: Thứ……., ngày…./….

Ngày nộp bài: Thứ……., ngày…./….

Grammar: …….

Reading: …….

Writing: ..…...

Mini Test: …….

GLOBAL ENGLISH 8

WRITING PRACTICE

A. EXTRA VOCABULARY

No.	Words	Meanings	No.	Words	Meanings
1	**punting** (n)	chèo (thuyền, bè)	4	**overshadow** (v)	làm lu mờ
2	**preference** (n)	sở thích	5	**distraction** (n)	sự sao nhãng
3	**jokey** (adj)	khôi hài/ bỡn cợt	6	**individuality** (n)	cá tính, tính cá nhân

** **Note**: n = noun: danh từ; adj = adjective: tính từ; v = verb: động từ.*

Con học thuộc nghĩa của từ, chỉnh phát âm theo từ điển và chép mỗi từ **1 dòng vào vở ghi.*

B. HOMEWORK

GRAMMAR

I. Choose the correct answers.

0. The student (could have / <u>should have</u>) finished the national test by now.

1. My colleague looks exhausted. She **(must have / should have)** worked hard all day.

2. If people had been more aware of environmental protection, many animals **(wouldn't have / can't have)** gone extinct.

3. You **(might not have / need not have)** done that assignment today. Our professor already gave us the answer keys for it.

4. Ben **(can't have / couldn't have)** been at John's home last night. I was there all the time, but I didn't see Ben.

5. She **(must have / can have)** left the office by now because she had a meeting at 5 p.m.

II. Fill in the blanks with suitable connectives from the box. Capitalize if necessary.

though/ although	that	so	and	because/ as/ since	why

The person that I gave it to was a very good friend of mine at the time. His name was Kaliya ***(0)*** *<u>and</u>* he came from India. I knew him **(1)** _____ we studied together at a language school in Cambridge. **(2)** _____ we were from different backgrounds and cultures, we got on really well and we had the same sense of humor, **(3)** _____ we became very good friends.

The present was a picture that had been painted of the River Cam in Cambridge. It was not so big - maybe around 10 inches by 14 inches, but it was very beautiful. It came in a gold plated frame and the picture had been drawn by a particularly well-known Cambridge artist. It had been signed by this person as well.

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It was the first time I have given this person a present, and I guess it's quite different from presents **(4)** _____ I have given to other people before – I don't recall ever giving someone a picture actually. If I'm buying for family then I'll usually buy clothes or maybe some jewelry if it is a special occasion. Normally when I've bought something for friends it's something more jokey so we can have a laugh about it, nothing that serious.

The reason why I decided to give this particular gift is **(5)** _____ we had spent a lot of time together in Cambridge and we had some really fun times punting on the River Cam – that's obviously **(6)** _____ I thought this was an appropriate present. We used to go punting at least once a week, sometimes a couple of times. On one occasion there was a group of about ten of us that went down there, and we spent the whole day sitting by the river in the sun and as usual we went on a boat trip together. We all have a lot of photos to remind us of this great day.

(7) _____, Kaliya was the person I gave the present to. I chose this gift because I felt it would always remind him of the fun times we had and also of Cambridge.

III. Combine 2 sentences using noun phrases.

0. Many people attended the concert. It was held in the park last Saturday.

⇨ *Many people attended the concert that was held in the park last Saturday.*

1. John is learning skills. Those skills are necessary to be a teacher.

⇨ John is learning _____.

2. Lisa has just watched a movie. It was an interesting movie.

⇨ Lisa has just watched _____.

3. The organization initiated a project. It aims to combat homelessness in urban areas.

⇨ The organization initiated _____.

4. He bought a laptop. It's black and it's from a Japanese brand.

⇨ He bought _____.

5. She visited the museum. The museum was full of historical artifacts.

⇨ She visited _____.

IV. Put the verbs in the brackets into the correct forms using the Future Simple Tense.

0. I will send (send) you the documents tomorrow.

1. The new policy _____ (announce) by the CEO next week.

2. We _____ (not/attend) the meeting next week.

3. The book _____ (publish) next year.

4. _____ you _____ (go) to the concert with us next Saturday?

5. I _____ (call) you when I arrive at the station.

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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 **1 dòng** để ghi nhớ.

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

CAMBRIDGE READING PRACTICE

PART 3

Questions **11-15**

For each question, write the correct answer.

Tom Cruise

by Sarah Holden

When our teacher asked us to interview a person that we admire, I had never thought I could actually interview Tom Cruise. I had been thinking for some time who else I could talk to, but it seemed to me that anyone else would come a poor second.

Then, one day, out of the blue, as I was enjoying a hot cup of chocolate in our local coffee shop, I heard a man asking me if he could sit next to me. As I turned around and saw Tom Cruise smiling at me, I was at a loss for words. He was so pleasant and friendly that I felt confident and asked him for a mini interview. Much to my surprise, he happily agreed.

Over the years, Tom Cruise has become one of the most popular and successful actors in the world. He has long been an international star, who gets paid millions of dollars for every film he makes. "I'm lucky," says Tom. "I'm doing what I love, and I'm having a great time. Lots of people would love to do this job, but they didn't get the chances that I did."

For many of us, however, Tom is more than just lucky or good-looking, as great acting ability and determination were needed for him to become one of Hollywood's biggest names.

Is Tom happy with his success so far? He has a different outlook on his career than one might expect. "I've always looked to the future," says Tom. "I feel I'm always developing as an actor. I'm looking for new things all the time. I want to challenge myself to be better and always try new things. I know I've made a lot of progress in my career, but I still have ambitions for the future."

After interviewing him, I understood that Tom Cruise has a mind of his own and he's not at all like the characters in his movies. That's why, I believe, he has had so much success in his career; because of both his talent as an actor and his personal strength. Tom always knew what he wanted to do with his life and did his best to succeed.

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11. When Sarah was asked to interview the person she admired,

A. she never thought that she was likely to talk to Tom Cruise.
B. she was disappointed that her idol refused to talk to her.
C. she could not make up her mind as to whom she admired the most.
D. she was surprised to find out that she could write about a celebrity.

12. Sarah says that Tom Cruise

A. is actually less friendly than he might seem.
B. did not originally want to be interviewed.
C. was uncomfortable talking about himself.
D. is very likeable as a person.

13. What does Tom say about other people who try to become actors?

A. They are not as hard working as successful actors.
B. He was more fortunate at certain points in his career.
C. They did not love the job as much as he did.
D. He took more risks than them to achieve success.

14. How does Tom describe his attitude to his work?

A. He is only interested in making millions of dollars as an international star.
B. He is unlucky and has had many breaks in his career.
C. He looks forward and wants to improve and develop.
D. He is determined to become famous one day, whatever the cost.

15. What might Sarah say about Tom Cruise?

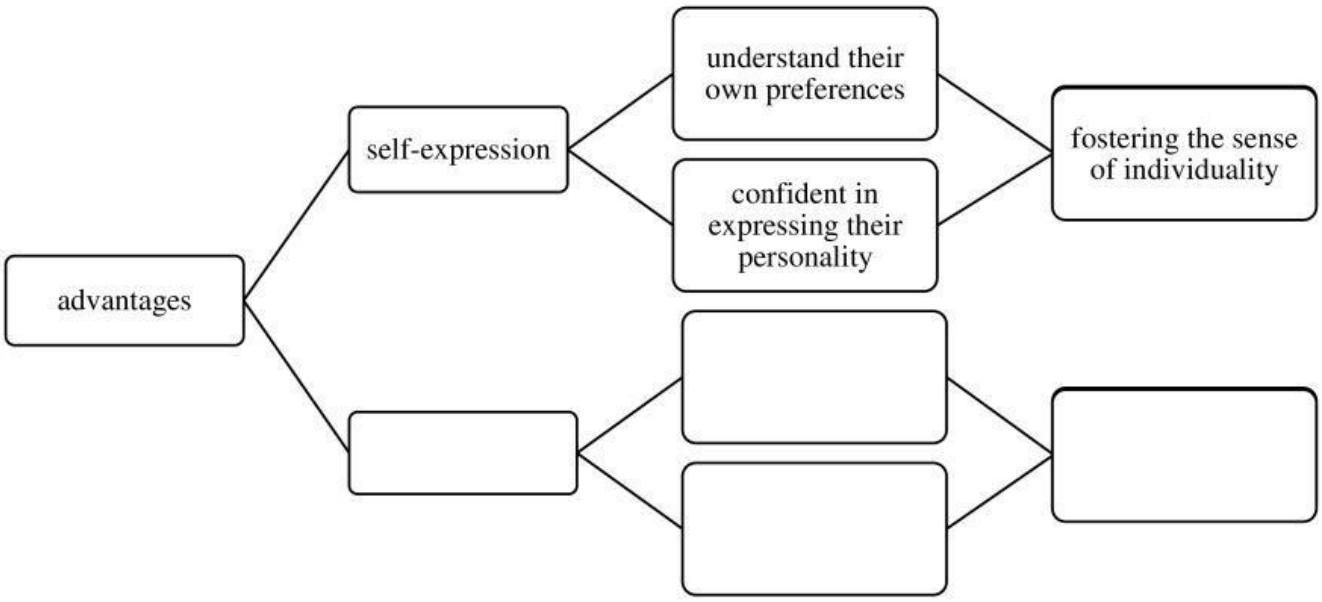
A. "Tom Cruise's success seems to be more down to luck and connections than anything else."
B. "Tom Cruise's success is such that almost anyone can achieve it quite easily."
C. "Tom Cruise wouldn't be so successful if he didn't try and work so hard."
D. "Tom Cruise has not been greatly successful as he has a lot more to do."

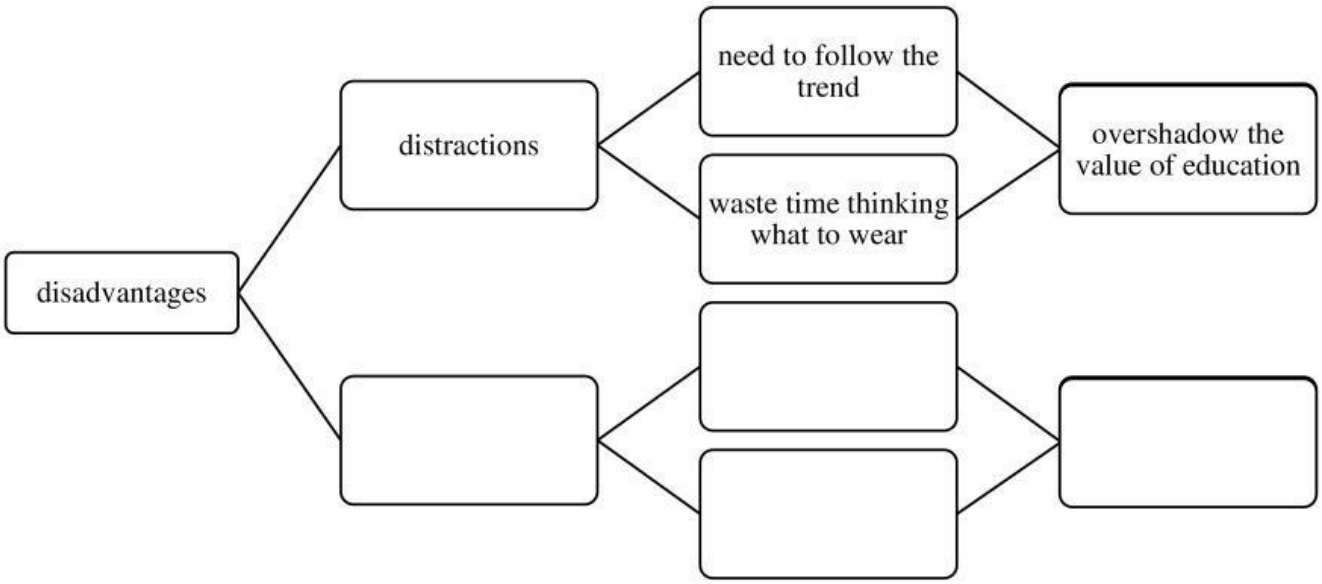
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WRITING

TOPIC: Teenagers are able to decide for themselves what clothes they wear to school.

- What are the advantages
- What are the disadvantages
- What is your opinion





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