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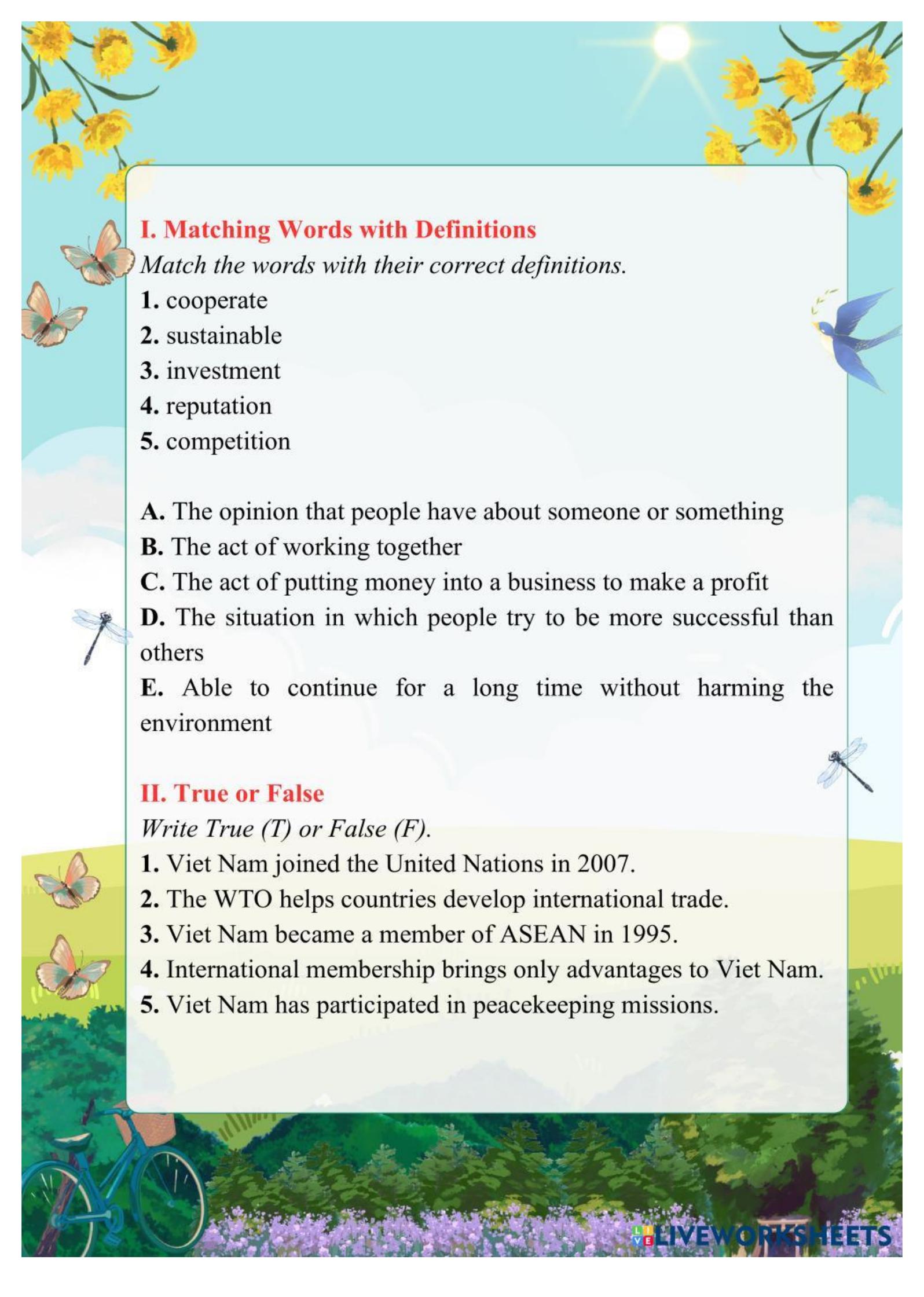
UNIT 7: **VIET NAM** **AND** **INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS**

Viet Nam has become an active member of many international organizations in recent decades. These organizations help countries cooperate in areas such as trade, education, health, and peacekeeping. By joining them, Viet Nam has strengthened its position in the global community.

One important organization is the United Nations (UN). Viet Nam became a member in 1977. Since then, the country has taken part in many UN activities, including peacekeeping missions and sustainable development programs. Another major organization is the World Trade Organization (WTO), which Viet Nam joined in 2007. Membership in the WTO has helped Viet Nam increase exports and attract foreign investment.

In Southeast Asia, Viet Nam plays an important role in the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN). As a member since 1995, Viet Nam has worked closely with neighboring countries to promote economic growth and regional stability.

Through participation in these organizations, Viet Nam has improved its economy, expanded international partnerships, and enhanced its global reputation. However, membership also brings challenges, such as strong competition and the need to follow international rules. Overall, international cooperation has created many valuable opportunities for Viet Nam's future development.



I. Matching Words with Definitions

Match the words with their correct definitions.

1. cooperate
2. sustainable
3. investment
4. reputation
5. competition

- A. The opinion that people have about someone or something
- B. The act of working together
- C. The act of putting money into a business to make a profit
- D. The situation in which people try to be more successful than others
- E. Able to continue for a long time without harming the environment

II. True or False

Write True (T) or False (F).

1. Viet Nam joined the United Nations in 2007.
2. The WTO helps countries develop international trade.
3. Viet Nam became a member of ASEAN in 1995.
4. International membership brings only advantages to Viet Nam.
5. Viet Nam has participated in peacekeeping missions.

III. Multiple Choice Questions

Choose the best answer (A, B, C, or D).

1. Why does Viet Nam join international organizations?

- A. To avoid cooperation
- B. To become isolated
- C. To strengthen its global position
- D. To reduce trade

2. What has WTO membership helped Viet Nam do?

- A. Decrease exports
- B. Increase exports
- C. Stop foreign investment
- D. Limit trade

3. ASEAN mainly promotes _____.

- A. war
- B. space travel
- C. regional cooperation
- D. tourism only

4. One challenge of joining international organizations is _____.

- A. strong competition
- B. no rules
- C. less trade
- D. fewer opportunities

5. The main idea of the passage is _____.

- A. Viet Nam avoids global cooperation
- B. International organizations harm Viet Nam
- C. Viet Nam's participation in international organizations brings benefits and challenges
- D. ASEAN is the only important organization