

34. Choosing a career is not an easy task. Each student has to think about it soon.
- A. Each student has to think about choosing a career soon although it is not an easy task.
 - B. Choosing a career is not an easy task however each student has to think about it soon.
 - C. Each student has to think about choosing a career, what it is not an easy task.
 - D. Choosing a career is not an easy task, which each student has to think about it soon.
35. He doesn't like academic subjects. He wants to go to university.
- A. He doesn't like academic subjects so he doesn't want to go to university.
 - B. He doesn't like academic subjects although he doesn't want to go to university.
 - C. Although he doesn't like academic subjects, he wants to go to university.
 - D. As he doesn't like academic subjects, he doesn't want to go to university.
36. Nha Trang is a beautiful beach city. My best friend comes from this city.
- A. My best friend comes from this city, which is Nha Trang.
 - B. Nha Trang, which my best friend comes from, is a beautiful beach city.
 - C. Nha Trang which my best friend comes from is a beautiful beach city.
 - D. My best friend comes from Nha Trang which is a beautiful beach city.

9 Choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning in each of the following questions. (0.8 pt)

37. "Why don't you join our clean-up activities?" Mai asked me.
- A. Mai asked me not to join her clean-up activities.
 - B. Mai suggested that I should join her clean-up activities.
 - C. Mai suggested joining our clean-up activities.
 - D. Mai asked me why I don't join her clean-up activities.
38. Technology is developing so fast that new items become obsolete very soon.
- A. Many new items become obsolete very soon, but technology is developing so fast that.
 - B. Technology is developing too fast for new items to become obsolete soon.
 - C. Although technology is developing very fast, no new items become obsolete.
 - D. Many new items become obsolete very quickly as technology is developing so fast.
39. The flora and fauna of my area is very rich. It attracts many tourists every year.
- A. The flora and fauna of my area is rich enough, so attract tourists every year.
 - B. The flora and fauna of my area is too rich to attract tourists every year.
 - C. My area has such rich flora and fauna that it attracts many tourists every year.
 - D. My area attracts many tourists every year has rich flora and fauna.

40. Although people have put more effort into saving planet Earth, it is facing many problems.
- A. People have put more effort into saving it, so our planet is facing many problems.
 - B. People have put more effort into saving our planet or it is facing many problems.
 - C. People have put more effort into saving our planet because it is facing many problems.
 - D. People have put more effort into saving our planet; however, it is still facing many problems.

10 Choose A, B, C or D to indicate the word that is CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined part in each of the following questions. (0.4 pt)

41. Suoi Thau in Ha Giang is the most gorgeous grassland in the area.
- A. grand
 - B. spectacular
 - C. green
 - D. large
42. My new tablet is really lightweight, portable, and easy to use.
- A. easily-carried
 - B. user-friendly
 - C. easily-adjusted
 - D. smartly-designed

11 Read the following passage and choose A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word that best fills in each of the blanks below. (1.6 pts)

As students finish junior secondary school, they often have to choose whether to continue their academic study or to go to a vocational school. This is certainly a challenging (43) _____. While most parents want their children to continue to high school, some students don't feel like studying (44) _____ and some others feel they have no ability to enter the academic world. These students can choose a (45) _____ education.

There are different types of vocational training available for school (46) _____ to choose from. They can learn to become automobile repairmen, plumbers, or fashion designers.

Vocational training is important in a number of ways. First, it provides (47) _____ and job-specific experience. Students can be skilled and ready to work in a (48) _____ job. Vocational training can also bring employment (49) _____ to villages and small towns. This helps prevent the population from migrating to large cities. Moreover, vocational training can provide skilled labourers to the workforce. Finally, vocational students can receive (50) _____ or even diplomas. If they want to continue their academic study later, they can still do so.

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| 43. A. work | B. task | C. skill | D. exercise |
| 44. A. subjects | B. objects | C. areas | D. schools |
| 45. A. training | B. job | C. vocational | D. academic |
| 46. A. leavers | B. graduates | C. teachers | D. educators |
| 47. A. general | B. second-hand | C. hands-on | D. brand-new |
| 48. A. specify | B. specific | C. specifically | D. specified |
| 49. A. rate | B. development | C. opportunities | D. knowledge |
| 50. A. diplomas | B. degrees | C. qualifications | D. certificates |

Pronunciation

1 Listen and repeat. (78)

- Don't panic.
- He is doing a study on environmental protection.
- Jupiter is the largest planet in the solar system.
- A: I want to travel to the Amazon.
B: You want to travel to the Amazon?
- A: Jane went to the job fair this morning.
B: She went to the job fair this morning?

Vocabulary

2 Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D.

- Pu Luong is a _____ in Viet Nam. It has beautiful limestone mountains with high biodiversity.
A. nature reserve B. disaster area
C. grassland area D. natural habitat
- Pesticides can affect the whole _____ by entering plants first, then insects and birds, and people.
A. flora and fauna B. food chain
C. habitat D. food tour
- To make the best quality videos, the scientist used a modern _____ to film the animals in their habitat.
A. printer B. e-reader
C. camcorder D. touchscreen
- With a _____ music player, she could listen to music anywhere she goes.
A. portable B. grand
C. heavy D. smart
- A firefighter's job is one of the most _____ ones. He / She can help people out of a dangerous fire.
A. interesting B. basic
C. repetitive D. rewarding

3 Fill in each blank with the correct form of the given word.

- A _____ must be able to keep calm while performing a medical operation. (SURGERY)
- Deforestation is one of the causes of serious habitat _____. (LOSE)
- A food chain helps maintain _____ balance. (ECOLOGY)

- She closed the curtains because she wanted some _____. (PRIVATE)
- Household electronic devices save people a lot of time from doing _____ chores. (REPEAT)

Grammar

4 Which of the underlined parts in each question is incorrect? Find and correct it.

- That new 3D printer is such expensive that my company cannot afford it.
A B C
D
- Scientists suggest that people not taking plants and animals to other countries.
A B C
D
- Ms Ngoc, which is a famous doctor, has saved a lot of people's lives.
A B C
D
- George was so a friendly engineer that his colleagues liked him very much.
A B C D
- Maintaining the food chain, that is created by plants and animals, is vital to the ecosystem.
A B C D

5 Rewrite each sentence. Use the given word in brackets.

- "You should buy this music player," her cousin said. (suggested)
→ Her cousin _____.
- I don't have good eye-hand coordination. I can't be a good surgeon. (because)
→ I can't _____.
- Ms Hoa couldn't present her interactive lessons. The smartboard was out of order. (since)
→ Since _____.
- The Taronga Zoo is located in Sydney. It is home to over 4,000 animals. (which)
→ The Taronga Zoo, _____.
- The boy was very lazy. He ordered his home robot to do homework for him. (so)
→ The boy was _____.