

**1. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each the numbered blanks. (Đề chính thức 2020 mã đề 423 đợt 2)**

### PEER PRESSURE

Sociologists have been carrying out research into the social pressures off being a teenager. (1)\_\_\_\_\_ adolescents are unhappy at school because they find it difficult to make friends, which can bring on illness or (2)\_\_\_\_\_ in poor grades. They may also worry about their appearance and often feel under enormous pressure to dress, talk and behave the same as others. This phenomenon is called peer pressure, and it is very common in today's society.

Advertising contributes a lot to the social pressures teenagers feel. Advertisers know how important it is to feel that you belong to a group when you are in your teens, \_ try to persuade teenagers that certain products will make them popular with their classmates. Sadly, many teenagers act (4)\_\_\_\_\_

and even do dangerous things just to make others accept them. Peer pressure is often the reason for teenage smoking, drug abuse or dangerous driving. Teenagers need to learn to say "no" to social pressure and to find friends (5) \_\_\_\_\_ they can talk things over with when they have a problem.

*(Adapted from Mastering Use off English by Georgia Graham with Anna Johnson)*

**Question 1:** A. Each                      B. Any                      C. Every                      D. Many

**Question 2:** A. lead                      B. result                      C. induce                      D. cause

**Question 3:** A. nor                      B. till                      C. so                      D. but

**Question 4:** A. irrelevantly                      B. informally                      C. irresponsibly                      D. inconsiderably

**Question 5:** A. which                      B. why                      C. where                      D. who

**2. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the answer to each of the question. (Đề chính thức 2020 mã đề 406 đợt 1)**

More and more young people are choosing to take a gap year between finishing school and starting university. Alternatively, they may decide to take a gap year between graduating from university and starting a career feeling the need for some time out before joining the rate Most students see the time as an opportunity to travel. The idea of travelling to as m places as possible appeals greatly.

A large percentage of gap-year students have wealthy parents who can easily **subsidize** their travel. Others have to save up before they go, or look for some form of employment while traveling. For example, they may work on local farms or in local hotels. By doing so, they not only earn some money, but they are likely to meet local people and acquire some understanding of **their** culture.

There are some students who choose students who choose to work for the whole of their gap year. A number may decide to get work experience, either at home or abroad, in ar area which they hope to career, such as medicine or computers. A large proportion of students are now choosing to work with a charity which arranges voluntary work in various parts of the world. The projects provide hands-on experience of a very varied nature from teaching to helping build roads or dams.