

USE OF ENGLISH

TASK 8

Read the texts below. For questions (39–48) choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D). Write your answers on the separate answer sheet.

The United Nations Member States (39) _____ the 17 Sustainable Development Goals in 2015 because they understood that it would not be possible to build a peaceful world if steps are not taken to (40) _____ economic and social development for all people everywhere, and ensure that their rights are (41) _____. The Sustainable Goals (42) _____ a broad range of issues, including poverty, hunger, health, education, climate (43) _____, gender equality, water, sanitation, energy, environment and social justice.

	A	B	C	D
39	submitted	emphasized	adopted	brought
40	grab	achieve	negotiate	effect
41	fostered	issued	hedged	protected
42	cover	lid	top	guard
43	difference	variation	change	violation

Sustainable Development Goal 13 “Climate Action” is a (44) _____ for immediate action by all to (45) _____ greenhouse emissions, build resilience and improve education (46) _____ climate change.

Affordable, scalable solutions such as (47) _____ energy, clean technologies are available to (48) _____ countries to leapfrog to greener, more resilient economies.

	A	B	C	D
44	challenge	slogan	motto	call
45	rise	lower	raise	strengthen
46	in	at	on	off
47	definite	renewable	infinite	possible
48	ability	able	enable	disabled

TASK 9

Read the texts below. For questions (49–58) choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D). Write your answers on the separate answer sheet.

Pi Day (49) _____ on March 14th (3/14) around the world. Pi (Greek letter “π”) is the symbol (50) _____ in mathematics to represent a constant — the ratio of the circumference of a circle to (51) _____ diameter — which is approximately 3.14159. Pi Day is an annual opportunity for math enthusiasts (52) _____ the infinite digits of Pi, talk to their friends (53) _____ math, and to eat a pie.

	A	B	C	D
49	celebrates	was celebrating	is celebrated	will be celebrated
50	use	used	using	to used
51	it	its	it's	its'
52	reciting	recited	has recited	to recite
53	of	about	at	off

Mometrix is a test preparation company that (54) _____ the world's largest collection of educational materials for (55) _____ individuals pass high-stakes standardized tests.

They pride themselves on producing the very best content for exams and certifications across the country. What they care about even more, however, is empowering individuals across the nation (56) _____ their dreams. In fact, creating 'prep that empowers' is in their company's DNA.

Mometrix's goal is for their study materials, coupled (57) _____ diligent effort, to empower a test-taker to attain the highest score within their ability to achieve. Mometrix (58) _____ people to achieve their dreams by helping them overcome the testing hurdles necessary for them to get where they want to be.

	A	B	C	D
54	created	has created	had created	was created
55	help	to help	helping	helps
56	to achieve	achieving	achieved	has achieved
57	about	for	of	with
58	to prepare	prepares	preparing	will be preparing