

### Reading comprehension activity

I) Read the following text about globalization and complete it with the missing words from the box (12 pts)



#### What is the meaning of \_\_\_\_\_ (1)?

In simple words, globalization means the \_\_\_\_\_ (2) of movements and \_\_\_\_\_ (3): they are mainly related to people travelling \_\_\_\_\_ (4), some \_\_\_\_\_ (5) (like cars, food or technological devices, among others) or even by sharing some cultural practices all over the planet.

- a) Local products
- b) Global trade
- c) Acceleration
- d) Integration
- e) Growth
- f) Acquisition
- g) Development
- h) Globalization
- i) Abroad
- j) Global village
- k) Increases
- l) Exchanges
- m) Goods

#### What are the general effects of globalization?

The general effects of globalization are that it promotes and \_\_\_\_\_ (6) interactions between different regions and populations around the globe. This interaction between the countries is called a "\_\_\_\_\_ (7)" and it helps to the \_\_\_\_\_ (8) of countries for becoming one.

In addition, the previous contributes to the exchange of \_\_\_\_\_ (9) of each country to the rest of the world easily.

#### In which areas does the global trade contribute to?

The \_\_\_\_\_ (10) contributes to the \_\_\_\_\_ (11) of seven main areas, which are: the \_\_\_\_\_ (12) of economy, culture, politics, the \_\_\_\_\_ (13) of technological tools, geography, education and societies.

II) Change the following sentences into their negative, interrogative or affirmative tense where it corresponds (3 pts)

- a) Globalization accelerates the exchanges around the globe. (-)
- b) Global trade does not contribute in the development of fire (?)
- c) Does the global village contribute to the interaction of countries around the globe? (+)