

**Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each numbered blank from 13 to 16.**

## OFFICE STAFF RECRUITMENT

Show your skills and apply (13) ..... our office staff position.

Submit your (14) ..... by March 15 to [Hanoistar@company.com](mailto:Hanoistar@company.com). Interviews will be (15) ..... April.

We look forward to meeting (16) ..... right people.

Join us and be part of a great team.

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 17 to 18.**

**Question 17.** Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

We had organized a barbecue party in our backyard. Everything was set up, and the guests started arriving. However, something unexpected happened. ....

- a. We quickly moved everything indoors and continued the party inside.
- b. Suddenly, it started to rain heavily, and the wind blew out the fire.
- c. Everyone rushed to grab the food and drinks before they got wet.

A.  $b - c - a$       B.  $c - a - b$       C.  $a - b - c$       D.  $b - a - c$

**Question 18. Choose the sentence that most appropriately ends the sentence.**

- A. The rain didn't stop us from having a great time with our friends.
- B. We had to cancel the party and send everyone home.
- C. The rain stopped soon, and we moved back outside.
- D. Despite the weather, the party was a success.

*Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each numbered blank from 19 to 24.*

Reading books has many benefits that can help improve our lives. We can (19) ..... new knowledge while enjoying stories and interesting facts. It can also be a great way to improve our vocabulary and communication skills, as we learn new words, phrases and expressions. (20) ..... reading books is a calming and relaxing

activity that helps to reduce stress levels. When we read books, we practise (21) ..... and it improves our thinking and problem-solving skills. Additionally, research has shown that reading books regularly can improve memory and brain function over time. It is important to choose the right book that is not (22) ..... difficult for our level, so we can really understand the story and learn from it. Before buying a book, you should read the first few pages. This will give you a good idea of the book's difficulty level. If you are not sure (23) level of book to choose, ask a librarian or teacher (24) ..... help.

<b>Question 19.</b> A. gain	B. use	C. show	D. apply
<b>Question 20.</b> A. However	B. Moreover	C. Although	D. While
<b>Question 21.</b> A. focusing	B. focus	C. to focus	D. focused
<b>Question 22.</b> A. enough	B. quite	C. too	D. much
<b>Question 23.</b> A. which	B. how	C. why	D. what
<b>Question 24.</b> A. about	B. for	C. from	D. with

*Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.*

E-commerce, or buying and selling things on the internet, is becoming more and more common. The majority of the stores that you can find in towns and cities throughout the country also have an internet outlet. However, some stores are only available online.

E-commerce provides a lot of benefits. The first advantage is convenience. Customers can shop at any time of the day from anywhere with an internet connection. They can look through different products and compare prices with a few clicks of the mouse or taps on their phone. Another advantage of e-commerce is the wide range of options available. In a traditional store, you are limited to the products that are available in that store. However, with e-commerce, you can buy products from all over the world.

However, e-commerce also has some disadvantages. Firstly, it can be **unsafe**. If customers enter personal information like credit card numbers on an unsafe website, hackers can steal it. Another disadvantage is that customers cannot touch or try out the product before buying it, so it may leave them feeling unsatisfied. The cost of shipping and delays in delivery may be another disadvantage for some shoppers.

**Question 31.** What is the passage mainly about?

A. How online shopping becomes more common	B. How to shop online safely
C. The good and bad things about online shopping	D. The reasons why people shop online

**Question 32.** What can customers do more easily with e-commerce?

A. Try products before buying	B. Compare prices from different stores
C. Meet store staff	D. Make payments in cash

**Question 33.** What is one possible disadvantage of shopping online?

- A. You must have a credit card if you want to shop online.
- B. Your product can be stolen while it is being shipped.
- C. You may feel unsatisfied as you cannot see the product.
- D. You cannot test the product before buying it.

**Question 34.** Which statement is NOT true according to the passage?

- A. Every store lets customers buy things online or in their shops.
- B. When shopping online, people have access to as many options as they do when shopping at physical stores.
- C. People may lose their personal information when shopping online.
- D. E-commerce doesn't allow people to shop whenever they want.

**Question 35.** What is a common issue with shipping in e-commerce?

- A. It is always free
- B. There are no delays
- C. Customers may experience delays in delivery
- D. Products arrive damaged

**Question 36.** What is the CLOSEST meaning of “unsafe” in the context of the passage?

- A. secure
- B. risky
- C. protected
- D. safe

*Four phrases/sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40 the most.*

- A. which add a new and exciting favour.
- B. make an effort to creat these dishes with them
- C. maintaining a recipe book
- D. There are few ways in which one can preserve their culinary heritage.

Food is an important part of our culture, and each family has its own unique culinary heritage. (37) .....

You can use any of these or a combination of these ways to ensure that future generations stay in touch with recipes close to your family. Some of the popular ways to preserve your culinary heritage include the following: cooking with your family, (38) ..... and cooking often. The small differences in the way we cook and the ingredients we use make our family recipe special. These dishes are loved by everyone in the family and should be preserved for future generations. Some of these recipes might have regional specialities (39) .....

If you want your future generations to know and appreciate the food that has been passed down in your family, it's important to teach them these recipes. Even if you can only find time on weekends or your days off, (40) ..... This will create lasting memories and ensure that your family's legacy continues to live

**Question 37.** .....    **Question 38.** .....    **Question 39.** .....    **Question 40.** .....