

LISTENING

Task 1: Listen to an advertisement for a messaging application. Circle the best answer A, B, or C. You will listen TWICE. (T3S2)

1. What is people's top concern when it comes to messaging applications?

A. Stable connection B. Late update C. Too many competing applications

2. What can users have when they choose to use ConnectABC?

A. The best network B. Unreliable connection C. Frequent interruptions

3. What do developers commit to doing twice a month?

A. Looking for security issues B. Gathering users' feedback C. Updating the application

4. How many users does ConnectABC currently have?

A. 50 thousand B. 30 thousand C. 60 thousand

5. What will people get when they sign up today?

A. A free smartphone
B. An exclusive (ĐỘC QUYỀN) voice message from the creator
C. New features

TASK 2: Listen to some information about emojis. Complete a student's note. Write NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER in each blank. You will listen TWICE. (T4S2)

EMOJI

Invention:	in the 1990s in (1) _____
Popularity:	can be found on every smartphone, (2) _____ platform and communication application.
Quantity:	more than (3) _____ emojis
Recognition:	2015's (4) _____ of the Year
Criticisms:	encourages laziness and (5) _____

WRITING:

These days, **voice messaging** is a (1)_____ function that people use to send their spoken recorded messages. In terms of its (2)_____, mobile users can create voice messages quickly and (3)_____ via smartphones. It can help (4)_____ time on typing and avoid (5)_____ mistakes. It's also very (6)_____ to contact others if you don't want to show your face or cannot (7)_____ video calls. (8)_____, this modern communication needs a stable Internet access. In addition, for some people, checking voice messages is rather inconvenient and answering them might be done later. (9)_____, voice messaging has both pros and cons. I think people will still use it as a (10)_____ way of communication in the future.

A video call is a phone call that uses an Internet (1)_____ and allows people to see and hear each other in real time. (2)_____ it is a modern way of communication, it has both advantages and disadvantages. One of its (3)_____ is that it is cheap or even free and (4)_____ time because people don't need to travel to talk to people from (5)_____ places. Video calls can also transmit live images of the speakers with a webcam or camera on smart devices. (6)_____, video calls also have some drawbacks. For (7)_____, they require a smart device with a stable and high-speed Internet connection. In other words, (8)_____ Internet access, video calls cannot be made. Besides, some people may spend too much time (9)_____ with each other. (10)_____, despite these downsides, video calls are still a common tool of communication.