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PET READING INTENSIVE

A. PET READING: PART 3

- Pre-reading: Read the sentences below. Do you agree or disagree?

Sentence	✓ Agree	✗ Disagree
1. Gardening is only for older people.	☐	☐
2. You need a lot of money to start a garden.	☐	☐
3. Growing your own food is better than buying it.	☐	☐

- Reading:

PART 3 Questions 11-15

For each question, choose the correct answer.

My new hobby - gardening by Beth Collins



A garden is much more than just creating a beautiful environment. It can be a way to save or even make money and, more than that, it can be a place where you can express yourself. For me it's a bit of all these things. I know it may sound strange for a 13-year-old to be interested in gardening but I always have been and I would love to make a career out of it.

I have learned many things these past few years I have been reading about and doing some gardening. So, here is my top advice about gardening. First, you do not need to spend a lot of money to have a beautiful garden. Some of the gardens I think are the prettiest are just lines of plants. There aren't many garden decorations and pathways. It's just beautiful plants loaded with fruits and vegetables. We can also find many useful things for free, from pieces of old wood, to old pots and pans. Or, we can build things for free from materials that other people have thrown away.

If you just remember that planting way more than you need will take the stress away of losing some plants, you will save

yourself a lot of worry, too.

You need to ask yourself, which plants produce enough food to make them worth growing. I actually sat down and did the maths on that one this spring.

It amazed me what some plants were worth. A tomato, for example, can produce £50-£150 worth of fruit. It

takes up a lot of space but that's a lot of money coming out of a 50p seed! So if I had known sooner what each plant could save us, I would have told my parents to fill our garden with different plants.

And finally, gardening doesn't have to be all or nothing. But then I guess that's more of a personality weakness than anything. I struggle with doing things a little at a time. Once I decide to do something, I usually devote every waking hour to it for a little while and then get tired. So it's okay to just have one tomato plant, and it's okay to have an off year. It will save you a lot of stress.

11. Beth wants to express

- A. how designing your own garden should be hard work.
- B. how gardens can mean different things to different people.
- C. the importance of selling flowers to make money.
- D. how gardeners have the best job when it comes to profit.

12. How does Beth describe her perfect garden?

- A. decorative
- B. colourful
- C. simple
- D. complicated

13. What advice does Beth give to future gardeners?

- A. spend lots of money to make your garden perfect
- B. use what you can find around you
- C. refuse to spend any money on your garden
- D. ask other gardeners to help you

14. How does Beth feel about gardening?

- A. She wants to grow everything she eats.
- B. She hasn't learnt from her mistakes.
- C. She needs to work harder in her garden.
- D. She has learned plenty of useful tips.

15. What would Beth text her friend about gardening?

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| <p>A. I'm so excited about my new hobby; it's not only fun but I hope I'll make money out of it one day.</p> <p>C. I'm now spending lots of time watching my parents do the gardening and it looks great.</p> | <p>B. Gardening is so hard; you have to spend a lot of money and it's stressful, too.</p> <p>D. Gardening needs lots of skills and money but it's certainly worth it. I love it.</p> |
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B. PET READING: PART 4

- Pre-reading: Tick the option you think you agree with. These are common ideas about adventure and risk-taking.

No.	Statement	☒ Agree	☒ Disagree
1	It's worth taking risks to experience something unforgettable.	☐	☐
2	Being in nature helps improve your health and well-being.	☐	☐
3	Your hobbies should be safe and practical.	☐	☐

- Reading:

PART 4 Questions 16-20

Five sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose the correct answer. There are three extra sentences which you do not need to use.

- A. Just to be outside, travelling through nature, is enough of a reason to do this.
- B. I must admit, it was a country I had never wanted to visit.
- C. Actually, it's more of a track than a road.
- D. All my friends got motorbikes or cars.
- E. The trouble is finding the free time.
- F. It was a dream opportunity not to be missed.
- G. The more challenging, the better.
- H. This meant getting myself a mountain bike and being out in all weathers.

Cycling the Most Dangerous Road

Like most children, I got my first bicycle at a young age. You could easily tell from all the pictures that I fell in love with it from the moment I saw it. So, while most children grow out of cycling, I took it to a whole new level.

16 My mum was not too keen on the idea but soon got used to it.



Nowadays, every spare moment I ever have I'm out, exploring different places. **17** Hills, mountains, forests, nothing beats that sense of achievement when you manage to get through some of the most difficult landscapes on a bike. It's not so much about others knowing what you can do, but rather proving to yourself that you are able to do it.

And of course, there's being in the natural environment. **18** Breathing some fresh air while getting away from the city not only relaxes you but also keeps you healthy.

So, when I saw an advertisement for cyclists to join a group to cycle in Bolivia, I was not just keen. **19** My mum was terrified when I announced I wanted to go, but as my father is a keen cyclist himself, he managed to persuade her that we should definitely go.

The Yungas Hwy is the world's most dangerous road. An average of twenty six vehicles disappear over its edge every year. **20** With only space for one vehicle the 1,000 metre drops are terrifying. Add to that the waterfalls, which fall directly onto the road, and the journey becomes even more dangerous as you try to avoid the frequent speeding lorries. But despite this, the excitement draws cyclists from around the world. And I just couldn't be the one to miss it.

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PET READING INTENSIVE

A. EXTRA VOCABULARY

No.	New words	Meanings	No.	New words	Meanings
1	unusual (adj)	bất thường, lạ thường	4	injure (v)	làm bị thương
2	local government (n)	chính quyền địa phương	5	steep (adj)	dốc
3	in charge of (phr.)	chịu trách nhiệm	6	network (n)	mạng lưới / kênh truyền hình

*Note: *n = noun: danh từ; adj = adjective: tính từ; v = verb: động từ; phr. = phrase: cụm từ.*

*Con học thuộc nghĩa của từ, chính phát âm theo từ điển và chép mỗi từ **1 dòng** vào vở ghi.

B. HOMEWORK

GRAMMAR

I. Circle the correct answer.

- The woman _____ laptop was stolen reported it to the police.
A. who **B. whose** C. which
- The teacher _____ gave us extra homework is on maternity leave now.
A. whose B. which C. who
- I really enjoy reading books _____ challenge the way we think about society.
A. which B. whose C. who
- I bought the headphones _____ were on sale last week.
A. which B. who C. whose
- Have you met the girl _____ father works for the United Nations?
A. who B. which C. whose
- That's the journalist _____ articles often go viral on social media.
A. whose B. which C. who
- The man _____ repaired our sink didn't charge us anything.
A. whose B. who C. which

II. Fill in the blanks using the correct possessive form ('s or s').

- The shoes of the woman are expensive. → The woman's shoes are expensive.
- The paintings of the artists are displayed in the gallery. → The _____ are displayed in the gallery.
- The final decision of the manager surprised the whole team. → The _____ surprised the whole team.
- The uniforms of the waiters were all black and white. → The _____ were all black and white.
- The laughter of the children filled the entire playground. → The _____ filled the entire playground.
- The schedule of this week is different from last week's. → _____ is different from last week's.
- The responsibilities of the teachers include preparing lesson plans and marking homework. → The _____ include preparing lesson plans and marking homework.

III. Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the PAST SIMPLE or PRESENT PERFECT.

My friend Julia is learning how to cook. She (0) has watched (watch) dozens of cooking videos online over the past few weeks.

Last Saturday, she (1) _____ (invite) me to her house to try a new recipe. She (2) _____ (always/want) to make Thai curry, but she (3) _____ (not/have) the chance before.

We (4) _____ (chop) vegetables together and (5) _____ (follow) the steps from a YouTube chef. The result (6) _____ (be) delicious!

Since then, Julia (7) _____ (cook) something new almost every day, and she (8) _____ (not/order) takeaway at all this week.

IV. Rewrite the sentences so that they have the same meaning as the first ones, using PRESENT PERFECT.

0. I last cleaned my bike a month ago.

→ I haven't cleaned my bike for a month.

1. Sarah started working here in 2020.

→ _____.

2. This is the first time I've eaten Korean food.

→ _____.

3. We moved to this city five years ago.

→ _____.

4. The children started playing football at 4 p.m.

→ _____.

5. It's been a long time since I saw him.

→ _____.

6. I last visited my grandparents in June.

→ _____.

V. Write sentences to give advice for these situations, using should/shouldn't and your own ideas.

0. Your friend rarely reviews the lesson after class.

→ You should review the lesson after class to remember it better.

1. Your classmate listens to music while doing homework.

→ _____.

2. Your cousin never checks his work before submitting it.

→ _____.

3. Your friend always forgets to bring her notebook to school.

→ _____.

4. Your brother watches TV until very late every night.

→ _____.

5. Your friend doesn't eat vegetables at all.

→ _____.

Lưu ý:

1. Khi làm bài tập có từ mới, các con phải tra từ điển. Sau khi tra từ điển, các con chép mỗi từ mới **1 dòng** để ghi nhớ.
2. Các con gạch chân các từ khoá chính trong bài.

PART 4 Questions 16-20

Five sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose the correct answer.
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The most unusual festival I've been to

by Diane Key

Last year I visited a small village near the city of Gloucester, England, where a very special and unusual race takes place once a year. It's called 'Cooper's Hill Cheese-Rolling'. On a Saturday at the beginning of spring, people from all over the world go to Cooper's Hill to see the race. The first written information about the race was in a message sent to the local government in 1826. **16**

So nobody knows when it really started. Each year, the event becomes more and more popular with people coming from all over the world to take part and to watch. **17**



The way the race works is as follows. There is a very large piece of cheese, which is round, like a wheel, and weighs about 4 kilograms. **18** One of the people in charge of the event sends the large piece of cheese down the hill and half a second later everyone taking part runs down the hill after the cheese. **19**

In the past, the cheese has hit people watching the race and injured them. It's not just the spectators who get injured; many of the people running down the hill get serious injuries, too. The injuries are usually broken ankles and legs as the runners lose control coming down the steep hill. **20** There are also lots of local people helping to catch the runners, so they don't fall over and hurt themselves; they are called 'catchers'.

This event has become so famous that it appears on television all over the world on the BBC network and, also, on Trans World Sport. People watching this event think it is very strange and that the people taking part are crazy.

- A. It has wood around it to protect it.
- B. The police think the event is very dangerous.
- C. Winners of the event have come from the United States, Australia, New Zealand and Nepal.
- D. Sometimes they use an old tyre.
- E. The words in this message showed that this event was already a tradition then.
- F. That's why, at the bottom of the hill, there are lots of ambulances and medical staff.
- G. The first person over the finish line at the bottom of the hill wins the cheese.
- H. Children are not allowed to eat the cheese.