

LISTENING PRACTICE TEST

Task 1: Match the sustainable energy sources to the correct pictures.



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3.



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5.

a.

hydroelectric
dam

b.

nuclear power
plant

c.

Solar panel

d.

coal power
plant

e.

wind farm

Task 2: Listen and circle the correct answers.

1. What is being built?

- a. a wind farm
- b. a nuclear power plant
- c. a coal power plant

2. What have people been told already?

- a. how much it will cost
- b. where it will be
- c. that it will reduce pollution

3. What is a current problem in the area?

- a. a lot of traffic
- b. high unemployment
- c. high electricity prices

4. What is Emma worried the project will cause?

- a. traffic jams
- b. pollution
- c. higher electricity prices

Task 3: Listen again and fill in the gaps.

MC: Welcome back. I'm here talking to Emma about the new (1)_____ power plants project.

Emma: Hello.

MC: So Emma, most people think the (2)_____ plant is a great thing. What do you think?

Emma: I don't think people know enough about it.

MC: Oh!

Emma: We have been told how it will reduce (3)_____ and reduce electricity prices, which is a great thing. But there's so much more.

MC: I see.

Emma: People need to know how long the (4)_____ is going to take.

MC: Okay.

Emma: It may reduce pollution, but when will it start to help? They also need to know how many jobs the project will create. There are lots of (5)_____ people in this area. Is the project going to create enough jobs for the local people?

MC: Yes, very interesting. What else?

Emma: They need to think about how the project will affect the roads and (6)_____. A lot of materials will need to be moved around the city. I worry it will create (7)_____. Will people be late for work? These things are important.

MC: Yes, they are.

Emma: And what about the dangers? We have all heard of nuclear power and no it can be (8)_____. Are we safe having this nuclear power station so close to us?

MC: Some very good points. That's all we have time for. Thanks for joining us, Emma.

Emma: Thank you.

Task 4: Listen to a conversation about the next ASEAN Student Summer Camp. Decide if the following statements are True or False. You will listen to the recording TWICE.

Question 1. The daughter visited Singapore a few years ago.	A. TRUE	B. FALSE
Question 2. The son will be in Jakarta for two days.	A. TRUE	B. FALSE
Question 3. The Monas is their most famous statue.	A. TRUE	B. FALSE
Question 4. They will learn about history at the temples.	A. TRUE	B. FALSE
Question 5. They will end the camp with a trip to one of Indonesia's most famous pagoda.	A. TRUE	B. FALSE

Task 5: Listen to Jenny talking to her uncle about the history of their town. Choose the correct answer for each question. You will listen to the recording TWICE.

Question 6. How many years has her uncle lived on his street?

- A. 56 B. 65 C. 50 D. 60

Question 7. Why were there no jobs in the town in the past?

- A. It was a rural town.
- B. The town was smaller then.
- C. People were farmers.
- D. Businesses didn't want to invest.

Question 8. When was the car factory built?

- A. when her uncle was twenty-eight years old.
- B. when her uncle was eighteen years old.
- C. when her uncle got a first job.
- D. when people moved back to the town.

Question 9. Where was her uncle's first job?

- A. at a school
- B. at a factory
- C. at a shopping center
- D. at a hospital

Question 10. Why was the school knocked down?

- A. to build another school
- B. to build a shopping center
- C. to build a skyscraper
- D. to build a tall building