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KỲ THI TỐT NGHIỆP TRUNG HỌC PHỔ THÔNG NĂM 2025

(Đề thi có 08 trang)

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Thời gian làm bài: 50 phút, không kể thời gian phát đề

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each question from 31 to 40.

Green living is a way of life that aims to balance the preservation and protection of the earth's natural resources, habitats, and biodiversity with human civilization and community in as many ways as possible. In simple terms, living green and sustainably means developing a lifestyle that works with nature rather than against it and does no long-term or **irreparable** harm to any element of the ecological system.

With the growing threat of global warming, individuals and businesses, particularly in the hotel and hospitality industry, are shifting to a more eco-conscious way of conducting business. **Many hotels and co-living complexes have chosen to give visitors more sustainable and greener rooms as demand for eco-friendly living has increased.**

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London is one such city that has made a name for itself in decreasing carbon emissions and fostering a greener way of life. It has several boutique hotels and staycations that combine luxury accommodations with more ecologically sustainable living options.

Many green hotels implement water-saving tactics like low-flow faucets and toilets alongside water recycling systems that align with their sustainability goals. They also **bank on** renewable energy sources to reduce their carbon footprint while catering to guests without compromising comfort. When planning a local sightseeing, it's common for guests to contact the hotel and ask for renting vehicles. However, eco-sustainable hotels encourage guests to walk, cycle, or take public transport to reduce carbon emissions.

[I] Travelling is a breather from our daily routine. **[II]** However, if you like keeping things safe, especially when travelling to unknown countries, planning your trip with an eco-tour operator is best. In line with the growing demand for sustainability, tour operators are offering environmentally friendly travel experiences. **[III]** At the same time, they are collaboratively active with green companies and offering reusable items to all travellers to eliminate the usage of single-use plastics. Most tour operators advocate rail travel compared to flights to limit CO2 emissions. **[IV]**

(Adapted from https://www.greenlivingblog.org.uk/what-is-green-living/)

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Question 31 [697637]: The word *"**it**"* in paragraph 1 refers to _____.

A. the preservation and protection B. nature

C. lifestyle D. living green and sustainably

Question 32 [697638]: The word *"**irreparable**"* in paragraph 1 is **OPPOSITE** in meaning to _____.

A. impossible B. impractical C. restorable D. damaged

Question 33 [697639]: Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 2?

A. Several hotels and co-living complexes provide visitors with traditional rooms instead of sustainable options because of low demand.

B. Hotels and co-living complexes have reduced the number of sustainable rooms available to visitors due to a decline in demand for eco-friendly living.

C. A growing interest in eco-friendly living has led numerous hotels and shared living spaces to offer their guests more environmentally sustainable accommodations.

D. As the interest in eco-friendly living has decreased, hotels and co-living complexes have opted to offer less sustainable rooms.

Question 34 [697640]: The phrase *"**bank on**"* in paragraph 4 could be best replaced by _____.

A. concentrate on B. involve in C. depend on D. benefit from

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Question 35 [697641]: According to the passage, how do eco-sustainable hotels encourage guests to reduce carbon emissions when sightseeing?

A. By offering free taxi services

B. By encouraging walking, cycling or taking public transport

C. By providing rental cars

D. By recommending helicopter tours

Question 36 [697642]: Which of the following best summarizes paragraph 4?

A. Green hotels only focus on providing luxurious accommodations and amenities to their guests.

B. Green hotels implement water-saving and renewable energy technologies while encouraging guests to use eco-friendly transportation options.

C. Green hotels require guests to participate in sustainability programs during their stay.

D. Green hotels ban the use of all forms of motorized vehicles for sightseeing.

Question 37 [697643]: Where in paragraph 5 does the following sentence best fit?

It offers us a chance to experience the wonders of nature, learn about new cultures, and marvel at new experiences.

A. [I] B. [II] C. [III] D. [IV]

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Question 38 [697644]: Which of the following is **NOT TRUE**, according to the passage?

A. London is recognized for its initiatives aimed at reducing carbon emissions and encouraging sustainable living practices.

B. Green living primarily focuses on promoting industrial growth over environmental conservation.

C. Most tour operators prefer rail travel over flights to reduce carbon dioxide emissions.

D. Many eco-friendly hotels use technologies that conserve water and implement systems for recycling water.

Question 39 [697645]: Which of the following can be inferred from the passage?

A. Eco-friendly hotels prioritize luxury over ecological responsibility.

B. There is an increasing focus on sustainable tourism from both travelers and tour companies.

C. Every hotel in London adopts environmentally sustainable practices.

D. Tour operators promote the use of single-use plastics.

Question 40 [697646]: Which of the following best summarizes the passage?

A. Many hotels are now offering luxurious accommodations while ignoring environmental concerns, leading to increased carbon emissions and unsustainable travel practices.

B. Eco-tour operators are unnecessary for sustainable travel, as most travelers can plan their trips independently without considering their environmental impact.

C. Green living promotes sustainable lifestyles, with the hospitality industry increasingly adopting eco-friendly

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practices in response to global warming.

D. The shift toward green living in the hospitality sector has minimal impact, as most tourists continue to prioritize comfort over sustainability during their travels.

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