

UNIT 5

WORKSHEET

PASSAGE 4

Choose **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** from the text for each answer.

Synchrony

There is a human desire to co-ordinate **33** in an effort to be in harmony. This co-ordination can be seen in conversations when speakers alter the speed and extent of their speech in order to facilitate **34** This is often achieved within milliseconds: only tiny pauses take place when a conversation flows; when it doesn't, there are **35** and silences, or people talk at the same time.

Our desire to **36** is also an important element of conversation flow. According to research, our **37** increase even if silences are brief. Humans have a basic need to be part of a group, and they experience a sense **38** if silences exclude them.

People also attempt to co-ordinate their opinions in conversation. In an experiment, participants' judgement of the overall **39** among speakers was tested using videos of a fluent and a slightly disrupted conversation. The results showed that the **40** of the speakers' discussion was less important than the perceived synchrony of the speakers.

PASSAGE 5

Complete the summary using the list of words, **A-G**, below.

A inventive	C beneficial	E mixed	G inferior
B similar	D next	F justified	

Camera art

In the early days of photography, opinions on its future were **31**, but three clear views emerged. A large number of artists and ordinary people saw photographs as **32** to paintings because of the way they were produced. Another popular view was that photographs could have a role to play in the art world, despite the photographer being less **33** Finally, a smaller number of people suspected that the impact of photography on art and society could be **34**

PASSAGE 6

Complete the summary using the list of words, **A-Q**, below.

Research carried out by scientists has shown that the proportion of people over 65 suffering from the most common age-related medical problems is **14**..... and that the speed of this change is **15**..... It also seems that these diseases are affecting people **16** in life than they did in the past. This is largely due to developments in **17**....., but other factors such as improved **18** may also be playing a part. Increases in some other illnesses may be due to changes in personal habits and to **19** The research establishes a link between levels of **20**..... and life expectancy. It also shows that there has been a considerable reduction in the number of elderly people who are **21**..... which means that the **22**..... involved in supporting this section of the population may be less than previously predicted.

A cost	B falling	C technology
D undernourished	E earlier	F later
G disabled	H more	I increasing
J nutrition	K education	L constant
M medicine	N pollution	O environment
P health	Q independent	