Project on epistolary novels

Part 3
Read the text and answer questions 21-30

Questions 21-24

Choose the correct answer.

21 Fergus and Nadia chose epistolary novels as their topic because

- ○ they enjoyed studying one at school.
- ○ their tutor recommended the subject.
- ○ they noticed a similar modern fashion.

22 What do both students say surprised them about the novels they have read?

- ○ the humour
- ○ the level of suspense
- ○ the modern feel of the characters

23 What does Fergus say about critical writing on epistolary novels?

- ○ There is an enormous quantity of it.
- ○ The older studies are best avoided.
- ○ Minor writers have received little attention.

24 The students decide that their project will focus on

- ○ four novels from two periods.
- ○ one early novel and one recent novel.
- ○ novels from the 1740s only.

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Questions 25-30

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD ONLY** for each answer.

Analysing the two novels

- make a [25] of the letters in each novel, to show any gaps
- for each letter, log both the sender and the [26]
- pick out the moments in the plot when correspondence is [27]
- compare how the novelist gives each character a distinct [28]
- background research: how the [29] worked in the 1740s
- finish the presentation with one [30] spoken to the audience

Rainwater harvesting in Australian cities

Part 4
Read the text and answer questions 31-40

Questions 31-40

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Rainwater harvesting in Australian cities

BACKGROUND

- in one capital, [31] sank to under 25% after nearly a decade of drought
- hosepipes restricted; new lawns and [32] prohibited entirely
- Queensland, from 2007: houses using a tank — detached: at least [33] litres
- the Queensland requirement was withdrawn in 2013

A TYPICAL HOME SYSTEM

- total volume captured is set mainly by the size of the [34]
- a wire grille fitted before the tank stops [35] getting in
- first flush of dirty water sent to waste by a [36]

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USES AND BENEFITS

- rainwater piped to the WCs, a garden tap and the **37**
- households: slightly lower water bills
- engineers: in repeated minor storms, tanks slightly reduce **38** on the roads

PROBLEMS

- **39** multiply in a tank once the lid stops closing properly
- where mains water is available, health authorities advise against untreated tank water for **40**

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