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Read the following advertisement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 1 to 6.

SoundScape 2025: Melodies That Transform Your Reality

- Experience the revolutionary sound technology that will change your life forever! The innovative SoundScape 2025 transforms ordinary moments into extraordinary (1)_____.
- Our (2)_____ delivers an immersive experience unlike anything you've heard before. SoundScape 2025, (3)_____ by world-class engineers, brings music to life with crystal-clear precision.
- We connect customers (4)_____ our experts for personalized sound experiences. With SoundScape 2025, you'll be on (5)_____ nine as you experience music like never before. (6)_____ SoundScape 2025 is to unlock a universe of sound that transcends ordinary listening.
- Try SoundScape 2025 today and hear the difference for yourself!

Question 1: A. memorial B. memorize C. memories D. memorable

Question 2: A. premium sound quality B. sound premium quality
3. premium quality sound D. quality sound premium

Question 3: A. designing B. was designed C. which designed D. designed

Question 4: A. for B. with C. to D. about

Question 5: A. cloud B. storm C. rainbow D. thunder

Question 6: A. Experiencing B. Experience C. To experience D. To experiencing

Read of the following leaflet and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 7 to 12.

Beyond Recycling: Next-Gen Environmental Solutions

- Join us in creating a greener future!**
- While recycling helps our planet, (7)_____ solutions are now available to combat environmental challenges. Our innovative company is (8)_____ sustainable alternatives that go beyond traditional recycling methods.
- The biodegradability of our (9)_____ ensures they return safely to nature after use. (10)_____ recycling, we offer comprehensive waste reduction programs for businesses and communities.
- Our commitment to (11)_____ drives everything we do, from product design to delivery. A (12)_____ of our customers have reduced their carbon footprint by 30% in just one year.
- Contact us today to learn how our next-generation solutions can help you make a difference!
- Email:** info@beyondrecycling.com
- Phone:** 555-ECO-TECH

Question 7: A. the others B. other C. others D. another

Question 8: A. looking after B. looking over C. looking up D. looking into

Question 9: A. services B. companies C. products D. customers

Question 10: A. In addition to B. On top of C. In front of D. In spite of

Question

11: A. marketing B. technology C. profitability D. sustainability

Question 12: A. handful B. lot C. majority D. number

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best arrangement of utterances or sentences to make a meaningful exchange or text in each of the following questions from 13 to 17.

Question 13:

1. Emma: It's bright yellow, like the sun, and she has curly hair that bounces when she walks!
 2. Store Clerk: Don't worry, little one. What color is her shirt today?
 3. Emma: Excuse me, I can't find my mom. She was here just a minute ago.
- A. b-c-a B. a-b-c C. c-b-a D. a-c-b

Question 14:

1. Maria: That's wonderful, and I think your garden spot gets more sun than mine does.
 2. Maria: Thank you for the offer, but I will try moving my plants to the sunny corner instead.
 3. Jack: I planted tomatoes last week, and they are already growing so fast!
 4. Jack: Let me know if you need help, and we can work together to make both our gardens beautiful!
 5. Jack: You can share my space if you want, because there is plenty of room for both of us.
- A. c-a-e-b-d B. c-b-d-a-e C. e-b-a-c-d D. a-b-d-e-c

Question 15:

Dear Sam,

1. Since you created that digital playlist of our childhood hits, I have been playing it every morning while I drink my coffee.
2. When I heard our old favorite song yesterday, I felt like I was back in high school again.
3. While modern technology makes finding old music easier than ever, nothing beats sharing nostalgic songs with a friend who understands why they matter.
4. If you have time next weekend, we could meet at my place where we can listen to those classic tunes together.
5. Although streaming services have millions of new songs, I still prefer the music we used to listen to when we were young.

Your friend,

LK

- A. d-a-e-b-c B. e-c-b-a-d C. b-e-a-d-c D. a-e-d-b-c

Question 16:

1. Research shows that patients who can see trees from their windows heal faster than those who only see buildings. Because our brains evolved in nature, they respond positively to these environments.
2. Scientists have found that children who play outside regularly develop stronger attention skills than those who stay indoors. Since natural places have fewer distractions than screens, our brains can rest and recover.
3. When people spend time in nature, their brains work better in many surprising ways. Although we live with technology everywhere, our minds need green spaces to stay healthy.
4. If you want to improve your memory, you should try to spend at least twenty minutes outside each day where you can see plants or animals.
5. Even a short walk in the park can reduce stress in our bodies, which helps us think more clearly. While some people take medicine for anxiety, nature offers a free solution that works well.

- A. a-e-c-b-d B. e-b-a-c-d C. b-a-c-e-d D. c-b-e-a-d

Question 17:

1. When Alpha children use technology before they speak, parents worry about development. Although screens dominate their lives, these children still need human connection.
2. Even young Alphas learn through quality digital content, which feeds their curious minds. While previous generations played outdoors, today's children experience different realities.
3. If you want to connect with your Alpha child, try understanding their digital world. When parents show interest, children feel valued and communication improves.
4. Research shows that children who have family talks develop stronger emotional skills. Because this generation faces unique challenges, parents must create safe sharing spaces.
5. Parents who set limits help children develop better social skills than those who don't. Since Alphas know only digital worlds, they navigate technology with surprising ease.

1. a-e-b-d-c B. a-c-b-a-d C. a-d-b-e-c D. a-b-c-

e-d

Read the following passage about How Subatomic Principles Are Revolutionizing Composition and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 22.

Quantum music theory, a revolutionary approach that applies principles of quantum mechanics to musical composition, has been gaining significant attention among composers and physicists alike. The fundamental concept suggests that musical notes can exist in multiple states simultaneously, similar to quantum particles, creating unprecedented possibilities for composition. Had traditional Western music theory not dominated for centuries, quantum music might have emerged much earlier. Composers (18)_____ that challenge conventional harmony and rhythm while establishing deeper connections with the mathematical underpinnings of our universe.

The quantum approach treats musical notes as probability waves rather than fixed points; consequently, (19)_____. Quantum compositions often incorporate aleatory elements; however, they remain grounded in mathematical principles rather than pure chance. Several prestigious music conservatories now offer courses in quantum music theory, recognizing its potential and (20)_____.

Music therapists have discovered that compositions based on quantum principles can affect brainwave patterns differently than traditional music. The innovative techniques (21)_____. New software tools that implement quantum algorithms for composition are being developed by technology companies, which specialize in music production.

As technology continues to advance, quantum music theory stands at the intersection of art and science, challenging our understanding of both disciplines. (22)_____. If more musicians were educated in quantum physics, the field would expand even more rapidly.

Question 18:

- A. embrace this old tradition rarely perform songs
- B. which embrace these complex theories often reject rules
- C. who embrace this new paradigm often create pieces
- D. embraced these digital tools often produced works

Question 19:

- A. it removes complexity from musical structures
- B. it introduces indeterminacy into compositions
- C. it transforms harmony into predictable patterns
- D. it limits creativity within traditional forms

Question 20:

- A. having rejected traditional theories from their programs
- B. eliminating creative approaches within their teaching
- C. having focused exclusively on historical composition methods
- D. incorporating advanced mathematical concepts into their curricula

Question 21:

- A. which were created are limiting what we perceive about the connection between music and emotion
- B. being developed are transforming how we understand the relationship between sound and consciousness
- C. that scientists discover are confusing why we question the interaction between rhythm and memory
- D. having evolved are restricting how we analyze the correlation between frequency and perception

Question 22:

- A. Traditional musical notation restricts completely the expression of quantum sound waves
- B. Simple mathematical equations convert randomly into visual art, color, and texture
- C. Complex quantum formulas transform directly into musical pitch, rhythm, and timbre
- D. Ancient harmonic principles translate poorly into electronic frequency, volume, and tone

Read the following passage about How Humanity Became Both Cause and Solution and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions from 23 to 30.

The Earth has seen five big extinction events in its history. Now, scientists say we are in the sixth extinction, but this time humans are causing it. Unlike past extinctions from asteroids or volcanoes, this one comes from human activities. We cut down forests, pollute air and water, change the climate, and use too many resources. These actions are making animals and plants die out much faster than normal. This is bad for nature, which took millions of years to develop.

When important animals disappear, whole ecosystems can fall apart. This affects things like plant pollination, clean water, and air quality. Extinction also means we lose possible medicines and foods from nature. The money cost is big too - we lose trillions of dollars each year. Sadly, many people don't notice or care about this problem. They think extinction doesn't affect **them**, but it does affect everyone's life and health.

The good news is that humans can help fix what we've damaged. Scientists have made ways to save endangered animals, like breeding programs and fixing damaged habitats. New technology helps us watch animal populations better. Some scientists even try to bring back extinct species. Native communities show us how people can live with nature without harming it. Their knowledge, plus modern science, gives us ideas for a better relationship with nature.

To stop the sixth extinction, we need big changes. Governments must make stronger environmental laws. Companies need to work in ways that don't harm nature. People can help by buying eco-friendly products. Schools should teach more about nature and how to protect it. The challenge is big, but humans are good at solving problems. If we accept that we caused this crisis, we can use our creativity to become nature's helpers instead of its destroyers.

Question 23: Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a result of extinction?

1. Water pollution
2. Loss of possible medicines
3. Effects on plant pollination
4. Economic costs (trillions of dollars)

Question 24: The word "extinction" in paragraph 1 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. disappearance B. elimination C. destruction D. survival

Question 25: The word "**them**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. animals B. ecosystems C. people D. medicines

Question 26: The word "damaged" in paragraph 3 could be best replaced by _____.

- A. destroyed B. harmed C. hurt D. broken

Question 27: Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 4?

- A. Officials should enforce current regulations on nature protection
- B. Leaders must invest more money in environmental conservation work
- C. Politicians should discuss new policies about ecological protection
- D. Authorities need to create stricter rules to protect the environment

Question 28: Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

- A. The sixth extinction is happening faster than natural extinction rates.
- B. Past extinctions were caused by human activities like deforestation.
- C. Native communities cannot provide solutions to environmental issues.
- D. Scientists have successfully revived many species that became extinct.

Question 29: In which paragraph does the writer mention that the Sixth Extinction is different because humans are causing it?

- A. Paragraph 2 B. Paragraph 4 C. Paragraph 1 D. Paragraph 3

Question 30: In which paragraph does the writer mention ways humans can help solve the extinction problem?

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Read the following passage about the Balancing Memories and Sustainability and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 40.

Family vacations in 2025 are **a far cry from** those of previous decades. Today's families travel with sustainability in mind, making eco-friendly choices while creating memories. Modern parents understand they need to kill two birds with one stone: enjoying time together while teaching children about environmental responsibility. Virtual reality previews help families choose destinations that match their values, while carbon footprint calculators are standard in travel apps. Many families choose train travel over flights when possible, reducing their environmental impact.

[I] Hotels proudly display green certifications, competing to offer environmentally friendly stays. Properties feature solar panels, water recycling systems, and zero-waste restaurants serving local food. [II] Children enjoy interactive sustainability programs where they learn about conservation through fun activities. [III] These experiences help young travelers understand why protecting resources matters. [IV] Families increasingly support local economies by staying in community-owned lodgings rather than international hotel chains.

Technology makes family vacations both memorable and sustainable. Smart luggage with built-in solar chargers eliminates **disposable** batteries. Digital guidebooks have replaced paper versions, saving trees while providing updated information. Families use translation apps to communicate with locals, fostering cultural exchange without language barriers. Many destinations now offer virtual souvenirs instead of physical items, reducing waste while preserving memories. These innovations help families reduce environmental impact without sacrificing **their** travel experience quality.

The future of family travel looks promising as sustainability integrates into vacation planning. Children who take eco-conscious trips will likely continue these practices as adults. Travel companies are developing family-friendly packages emphasizing both fun and environmental responsibility. Schools recognize the educational value of sustainable travel, sometimes allowing excused absences for these experiences. While challenges remain in making sustainable options affordable for all families, progress continues. The most successful family vacations in 2025 strike a perfect balance: creating joyful memories while protecting the planet for future generations.

Question 31: The phrase "**a far cry from**" in paragraph 1 could be best replaced by _____.

A. vary from

B. depart from

C. break

from

D. differ from

Question 32: Where in paragraph 2 does the following best fit?

Sustainable accommodations have become the new normal for family trips.

A. [I]

B. [II]

C. [III]

D. [IV]

Question 33: Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a sustainable travel option in the passage?

A. Train travel instead of flights

B. Bicycle-sharing programs in destination cities

C. Digital guidebooks instead of paper versions

D. Virtual souvenirs instead of physical items

Question 34: Which of the following best summarises paragraph 3?

A. Digital guidebooks and translation apps have completely replaced traditional travel resources, making family vacations more convenient but less authentic.

B. Smart luggage with solar chargers represents the most important technological advancement for sustainable family travel in the modern tourism industry.

C. Modern technology creates sustainable travel options that preserve memories while reducing environmental impact without compromising vacation quality.

D. Virtual souvenirs and digital communication tools help families save money while traveling, making sustainable vacations more affordable for everyone.

Question 35: The word “disposable” in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. consumable B. discardable C. temporary D. reusable

Question 36: The word “their” in paragraph 3 refers to _____.

- A. families B. destinations C. innovations D. souvenirs

Question 37: Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 4?

- A. Vacation planning is becoming more complex as families struggle to incorporate sustainability into their travel decisions.
 B. The travel industry is forcing families to adopt sustainable practices, creating a positive outlook for environmental protection.
 C. Family travel will likely improve because sustainable practices are becoming essential components of trip organization.
 D. Future generations will benefit from the current trend of families prioritizing sustainability over enjoyment during vacations.

Question 38: Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

- A. Schools are now requiring students to participate in sustainable travel as part of their formal environmental education curriculum.
 B. Sustainable travel options are becoming more accessible, though affordability remains a challenge for some families in 2025.
 C. Virtual reality technology allows families to experience destinations remotely, eliminating the need for physical travel altogether.
 D. International hotel chains have completely lost their market share as families exclusively choose community-owned accommodations.

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

- A. Government regulations on tourism have forced travel companies to develop eco-friendly options despite consumer resistance.
 B. Traditional vacation experiences have been completely abandoned as families now prioritize education over enjoyment in travel.
 C. Families are willing to spend significantly more money on vacations if they include technology-based sustainability features.
 D. Sustainable travel habits formed in childhood will likely influence adult behavior and travel choices in future generations.

Question 40: Which of the following best summarises the passage?

- A. Modern family vacations balance creating memories with environmental responsibility, using technology and sustainable accommodations while teaching future generations ecological values.
 B. Technology innovations have fundamentally transformed how families travel in 2025, with virtual reality replacing physical experiences while making travel more accessible to everyone.
 C. The tourism industry has shifted entirely to eco-friendly practices due to strict regulations, forcing families to compromise enjoyment for sustainability in their vacation choices.
 D. Educational travel has become the primary focus for families in 2025, with schools mandating sustainable trips as alternatives to traditional classroom environmental education.

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Read the following advertisement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 1 to 6.

EchoEternity: Sounds That Outlive Time Itself

- The revolutionary sound (1)_____ has transformed how we experience music. Our (2)_____ delivers crystal-clear sound quality that captivates listeners worldwide.
- EchoEternity speakers, (3)_____ by award-winning engineers, produce unmatched sound fidelity. Our specialists offer customers advice (4)_____ sound system selection.
- EchoEternity products have been (5)_____ like hot cakes since our latest launch event. We encourage listening to our demonstrations before (6)_____ your purchase decision.
- Experience the future of sound with EchoEternity - where every note lives forever.

Question 1: A. technologize B. technological C. technology D. technologist

Question 2: A. innovative audio equipment B. audio innovative equipment
3. equipment innovative audio D. innovative equipment audio

Question 3: A. which designed B. designing C. was designed D. designed

Question 4: A. for B. about C. to D. with

Question 5: A. selling B. moving C. flying D. going

Question 6: A. to making B. make C. making D. to make

Read of the following leaflet and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 7 to 12.

Climate Positive Living: Beyond Zero Impact to Healing Impact

- We have planted 100 trees this month and plan to plant (7)_____ 100 next month. We need to (8)_____ plastic use to protect our oceans and wildlife.
- The biodiversity of our planet is at (9)_____ due to climate change. (10)_____ research, small daily actions can create big environmental changes.
- Sustainability is our (11)_____ for a healthier planet. A (12)_____ of people are joining our climate positive movement.
- Join us today and learn simple ways to make your lifestyle climate positive!
- For more information, visit: www.climatepositiveliving.org

Question 7: A. others B. another C. the others D. other

Question 8: A. put up with B. look forward to C. get away with D. cut down on

Question 9: A. risk B. danger C. threat D. peril

Question 10: A. Regardless of B. According to C. Contrary to D. Because of

Question 11: A. vision B. mission C. goal D. target

Question 12: A. majority B. handful C. multitude D. lot

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best arrangement of utterances or sentences to make a meaningful exchange or text in each of the following questions from 13 to 17.

Question 13:

1. Max: That's brilliant! I'll have what she's having, please.
 2. Max: I can't decide between chocolate and strawberry. Which one do you like better?
 3. Zoe: I always choose both! One scoop of each makes the perfect combination.
- A. a-b-c B. b-c-a C. c-b-a D. a-c-b

Question 14:

1. Jack: Should we invite others or just go by ourselves?
 2. Jack: Great idea! We could go hiking at the new forest trail or visit that small beach.
 3. Emma: Let's keep it simple - just us two, some snacks, and good music for the drive.
 4. Emma: I'm bored of staying home every weekend. Let's do something exciting!
 5. Emma: The beach sounds perfect! We can build sandcastles and swim if it's warm enough.
- A. d-b-e-a-c B. b-a-e-c-d C. d-c-e-b-a D. e-d-a-b-c

Question 15:

Dear Sam,

1. If you can join us with your guitar, we will sound even better than before.
2. I am writing because our music group will play at the big protest next week.
3. Please let me know if you can come, because we need to practice on Saturday.
4. Although we are small, our songs can help people understand the important message about clean water.
5. When we sing together, more people listen to what we are saying about helping our community.

Your friend,

LK

A. a-e-b-d-c

B. e-b-d-c-a

C. d-b-a-e-c

D. b-d-e-a-c

Question 16:

1. When teachers show students how to name their emotions, they can talk about being sad or happy instead of crying.
2. Children need to learn about feelings because it helps them in school and at home.
3. If schools teach breathing exercises, students can stay calm when tests are difficult or when friends are unkind.
4. Although some parents think math is more important, children who understand feelings make friends more easily.
5. Since our world changes quickly, children who know how to handle big feelings will grow into adults who can solve problems and help others.

A. c-b-d-a-e

B. a-b-c-d-e

C. b-a-d-c-e

D. d-b-a-c-e

Question 17:

1. Since young people want to be part of the music they enjoy, future platforms will let listeners mix songs or add their own sounds, which makes music more fun for everyone.
2. When fans can talk directly to singers through special platforms, they feel closer to the music they love.
3. If musicians use new technology like virtual reality, people can watch concerts from their homes while feeling like they are really there.
4. Music apps are changing how we listen to songs, which makes artists think about new ways to share their music.
5. Although big streaming companies are popular now, small music sites that pay artists more money are growing quickly.

A. d-b-e-c-a

B. d-a-c-e-b

C. d-e-b-c-a

D. d-c-a-e-b

Read the following passage about Intergenerational Wisdom in the AI Era and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 22.

In today's fast-paced digital world, the wisdom of our elders is often overlooked. Young people rush to learn the newest technology skills, but they forget that older generations hold valuable knowledge about life, relationships, and resilience. Many traditional skills (18)_____. If we had recognized this problem earlier, we might have preserved more cultural traditions.

The gap between generations continues to widen, which concerns many educators and social scientists. Elders who grew up without smartphones understand the value of face-to-face communication and patience. Having lived through significant historical events and personal challenges, (19)_____. Their stories teach us about perseverance and adaptability in ways that digital learning cannot replicate.

Technology companies have finally started to recognize this issue; (20)_____. These platforms create virtual spaces where wisdom can be shared across generations. The elders (21)_____, while younger users gain insights that help them navigate modern challenges.

The most successful intergenerational programs combine traditional knowledge with modern applications. Grandparents teach cooking techniques while grandchildren show how to share recipes

online. (22)_____. By respecting both traditional and technological knowledge, we create stronger communities and more resilient individuals.

Question 18:

- A. are being enhanced when children which create digital content inspired by cultural traditions
- B. are being documented as elders whom teach online classes about traditional crafts
- C. having evolved while teenagers connecting virtual worlds with ancestral knowledge
- D. are being forgotten as children spend more time with screens than with grandparents

Question 19:

- 1. developing innovative digital platforms connecting generations through shared experiences
- B. they developed problem-solving abilities that cannot be programmed into AI systems
- C. having created emotional intelligence frameworks adopted by modern education systems
- D. they mastered communication strategies evolved from pre-digital social interactions

Question 20:

- 1. however, digital platforms replacing traditional mentorship models are rapidly expanding
- 2. meanwhile, virtual reality games simulating historical events are becoming more popular
- C. therefore, new apps connecting young people with elder mentors are being developed
- D. surprisingly, elder communities rejecting technological solutions are growing in numbers

Question 21:

- A. designed these algorithms had created digital barriers unintentionally
- B. will analyze these interactions would discover communication patterns
- C. whom researchers invite to evaluate virtual reality experiences share feedback
- D. who participate in these programs feel valued and purposeful

Question 22:

- A. Elders share farming wisdom that young environmental activists apply to urban gardening projects
- B. Students create digital platforms where elders document traditional cooking techniques for preservation
- C. Technologists develop artificial intelligence systems which analyze ancient farming practices for efficiency
- D. Artists incorporate traditional ecological knowledge that elders preserve through storytelling methods

Read the following passage about Electronics That Return to the Earth and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions from 23 to 30.

The electronics industry faces a crisis as discarded devices create e-waste, contaminating soil and water. Traditional electronics contain **harmful** materials like lead and plastics that persist in landfills for centuries. Researchers are developing biodegradable components that decompose naturally. These alternatives include circuit boards from cellulose, semiconductors from proteins, and casings from mycelium. When these devices expire, they break down into non-toxic elements that enrich rather than poison the environment.

Major companies are investing in biodegradable electronics, recognizing environmental benefits and consumer demand. Samsung unveiled a prototype with **biodegradable** casing, while Apple committed to recycled materials. However, obstacles remain before biodegradable devices become mainstream. Engineers must balance durability with decomposition—a challenging problem. Additionally, biodegradable components cost more than conventional materials. Despite these hurdles, experts predict biodegradable electronics could reach 15% market share by 2030.

The environmental impact could be profound. A biodegradable smartphone saves approximately 35 kilograms of carbon dioxide compared to conventional models. If widely adopted, these electronics could reduce e-waste significantly. These technologies create opportunities for sustainable business. Some companies offer programs where **they** collect used devices, compost materials, and use resulting soil for future products. This approach transforms waste into resources, altering our relationship with technology.

Consumer education remains crucial for success. **Many people are unaware of proper disposal methods requiring specific composting conditions.** Schools are incorporating sustainable technology into curricula, teaching responsible consumption. As awareness grows, consumers demand environmentally aligned products. This shift, combined with advancing technology and decreasing costs, suggests biodegradable electronics may become the norm. The transition represents both technological evolution and philosophical reimagining of our relationship with devices.

Question 23: Which of the following materials is NOT MENTIONED as a biodegradable component in electronics?

- A. cellulose B. mycelium C. bamboo fiber D. proteins

Question 24: The word “**harmful**” in paragraph 1 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. dangerous B. beneficial C. toxic D. destructive

Question 25: The word “**biodegradable**” in paragraph 2 could be best replaced by _____.

- A. decomposable B. compostable C. sustainable D. organic

Question 26: The word “**they**” in paragraph 3 refers to _____.

- A. programs B. materials C. products D. companies

Question 27: Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 4?

- A. The general public often misunderstands how to recycle electronic products through standard waste management systems.
B. Few individuals recognize that electronic devices should be returned to manufacturers for specialized breakdown processes.
C. Most consumers lack knowledge about correct techniques for discarding items that need particular decomposition environments.
D. A significant number of users fail to realize that certain materials require industrial treatment before natural degradation.

Question 28: Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

- A. Biodegradable electronics will completely replace traditional devices by the year 2030.
B. Companies compost used biodegradable devices to create soil for manufacturing new products.
C. Most schools have already implemented comprehensive curricula on sustainable technology.
D. Samsung and Apple have both released fully biodegradable smartphones to global markets.

Question 29: In which paragraph does the writer mention the problem of e-waste and biodegradable alternatives?

- A. Paragraph 4 B. Paragraph 3 C. Paragraph 2 D. Paragraph 1

Question 30: In which paragraph does the writer mention what is necessary for biodegradable electronics to succeed?

- A. Paragraph 4 B. Paragraph 3 C. Paragraph 2 D. Paragraph 1

Read the following passage about the Breaking Stigmas in Families and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 40.

Mental health discussions remain challenging in many families despite growing awareness. Parents often **walk on eggshells** around these conversations, fearing they might worsen situations or feeling unprepared to address emotions. Children, sensing this discomfort, learn that mental health struggles should remain hidden. This silence creates barriers to seeking help. Breaking this cycle requires intentional effort from family members. Simple conversations about feelings during activities can normalize emotional discussions. When families create safe spaces for expressing vulnerability, **they** build foundations for lifelong emotional well-being.

[I] Effective communication techniques can transform family dynamics around mental health. Using "I" statements rather than accusatory language helps prevent defensiveness. [II] For example, saying "I feel worried when you stay in your room" works better than "You're always isolating yourself." [III] Active listening without judgment shows respect for others' experiences. Regular family meetings dedicated to emotional check-ins establish consistency. [IV] When someone shares struggles, the family should acknowledge their courage rather than trying to fix the problem.

Professional resources can supplement family efforts when mental health challenges arise. Therapists specializing in family **dynamics** can facilitate difficult conversations and provide tools. Many schools offer counseling services that bridge home and academic environments. Community support groups connect families experiencing similar challenges, reducing isolation. Online resources provide information about various mental health conditions. The key is finding resources that match the family's needs and cultural background. Families should remember that seeking help represents strength, not weakness or failure.

The benefits of open mental health dialogues extend beyond crisis prevention. **Children raised in emotionally expressive homes develop stronger self-awareness and coping mechanisms.** They learn to identify feelings before reaching overwhelming levels. Parents modeling healthy emotional processing demonstrate valuable skills. Family bonds strengthen through shared vulnerability. When mental health discussions become routine, stigma naturally diminishes. This cultural shift within families eventually extends to communities. By normalizing these conversations at home, families contribute to a compassionate society where mental health receives the same attention as physical health.

Question 31: The phrase "**walk on eggshells**" in paragraph 1 could be best replaced by _____.
 A. back away B. tip around C. hold back D. watch out

Question 32: The word "**they**" in paragraph 1 refers to _____.
 A. parents B. children C. families D. conversations

Question 33: Where in paragraph 2 does the following sentence best fit?
These practices help members feel their feelings matter.
 A. [I] B. [II] C. [III] D. [IV]

Question 34: Which of the following is NOT MENTIONED as a resource for families dealing with mental health issues?

- A. Medication and pharmaceutical treatments
- B. Therapists specializing in family dynamics
- C. School counseling services
- D. Online resources

Question 35: Which of the following best summarises paragraph 3?

- A. Professional therapists are more effective than family members at addressing complex mental health challenges.
- B. School counselors provide the most accessible resources for families struggling with emotional communication issues.
- C. External support systems can enhance family approaches to mental health when properly matched to specific cultural needs.

D. Online information about mental health conditions is replacing traditional in-person therapeutic interventions.

Question 36: The word “dynamics” in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. interactions B. stagnation C. relationships D. movements

Question 37: Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 4?

A. Youth raised with strict emotional boundaries learn to control their feelings through structured family interactions.

B. Children who express emotions freely at home often struggle less with academic challenges in their school years.

C. Young people who discuss mental health at home become experts in psychological theory and clinical practice.

D. Kids from families that openly share feelings gain better emotional intelligence and problem-solving abilities.

Question 38: Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

A. Children who sense parental discomfort around mental health topics often learn to hide their emotional difficulties.

B. Families should focus on solving mental health problems rather than acknowledging the courage it takes to share struggles.

C. Professional therapists are more effective than family members at addressing all aspects of mental health challenges.

D. Regular family meetings about emotions typically create more defensiveness and resistance among family members.

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

A. Children who struggle with mental health issues typically come from families with poor communication skills.

B. Professional therapists should be consulted before attempting to discuss mental health issues within families.

C. Society's approach to mental health will improve when families normalize emotional discussions at home.

D. Parents who avoid mental health conversations are intentionally causing harm to their children's development.

Question 40: Which of the following best summarises the passage?

A. Professional therapists and school counselors provide the most effective solutions for families struggling with mental health issues.

B. Open communication about mental health within families creates foundations for emotional well-being and contributes to societal change.

C. Parents must overcome their discomfort with emotional topics before children can develop proper coping mechanisms and self-awareness.

D. Regular family meetings focused on emotional check-ins are the primary method for addressing all mental health challenges at home.

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Read the following advertisement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 1 to 6.

HapticHarmony: Feel Every Note Through Your Entire Being

- ❖ Experience music like never before!
- The (1)_____ transforms your listening experience. Our special headphones, (2)_____ by expert engineers, bring music to life.
- HapticHarmony brings amazing musical experiences (3)_____ music lovers everywhere. In this day and (4)_____, music should touch your soul (5)_____.
- ❖ We invite you (6)_____ our products today.
- ❖ HapticHarmony - Music you can feel!

Question 1: A. sound technology revolutionary

B. revolutionary sound technology

C. revolutionary technology sound

D. technology sound revolutionary

Question 2: A. was designed

B. which designed

C. designed

D. designing

Question 3: A. forward

B. at

C. on

D. to

Question 4: A. age

B. era

C. time

D. period

Question 5: A. complete

B. completion

C. completely

D. completed

Question 6: A. trying

B. to try

C. to trying

D. try

Read of the following leaflet and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 7 to 12.

Earth 2025: Your Role in the Restoration Revolution

- ❖ Join the movement to save our planet!
- We need to plant trees in this area because the (7)_____ areas are already green. Scientists are (8)_____ new green technologies every day.
- The biodiversity of our (9)_____ needs protection now. (10)_____ many challenges, we can make Earth green again.
- The sustainability of our (11)_____ will determine our future. A (12)_____ of solutions exists for our environmental problems.
- ❖ Earth 2025 - Together we can restore our home!
- ❖ Contact us at earth2025@example.com

Question 7: A. others

B. the others

C. other

D. another

Question 8: A. looking into

B. looking at

C. looking for

D. looking up

Question 9: A. cities

B. forests

C. oceans

D. deserts

Question 10: A. In addition to

B. As compared with

C. In advance of

D. In spite of

Question 11: A. thoughts

B. dreams

C. actions

D. wishes

Question 12: A. number

B. variety

C. amount

D. lot

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best arrangement of utterances or sentences to make a meaningful exchange or text in each of the following questions from 13 to 17.

Question 13:

a. Emma: Wow! It has blue and yellow wings. Can we take a photo?

b. Jack: Great idea! I have my phone here. Let's get closer slowly.

c. Jack: Look at that beautiful butterfly on the flower!

A. b-c-a

B. a-c-b

C. a-b-c

D. c-a-b

Question 14:

a. Alex: That sounds easy! I want to plant a tree in my garden too.

b. Maya: You can bring your own bag when you go shopping and use a water bottle.

c. Maya: That's wonderful! Trees give us clean air and homes for birds.

d. Alex: Really? What can I do to help?

e. Maya: Did you know we can help save Earth by using less plastic?

A. e-d-c-a-b

B. e-d-b-a-c

C. d-e-b-a-c

D. b-c-e-d-a

Question 15:

Dear John,

a. Grandma lives with us now since her house was too big for her to manage alone.

- b. I hope you are well because I miss you a lot. Our new apartment is small but cozy.
- c. When you come to see us, please bring some plants that can grow indoors because they make small spaces feel more alive.
- d. Although the kitchen is tiny, we can cook together when you visit us next month.
- e. The children share one bedroom, which has colorful walls and fun decorations.

Love,
LK

- A. a-b-d-e-c B. d-b-c-e-a C. b-d-e-a-c D. e-d-a-b-c

Question 16:

- a. Although older people have much experience, they can learn new eco-friendly habits from the younger generation who studies climate change.
- b. When different generations share gardening knowledge that has been passed down, everyone learns something new about protecting nature.
- c. Schools that invite grandparents to environmental projects create strong bonds between ages that benefit our shared planet.
- d. Young people and older adults can work together because our planet needs help from everyone who cares about the future.
- e. Families can plant trees together in their community, which creates special memories while helping the environment grow stronger.

- A. d-a-e-b-c B. a-d-b-e-c C. b-a-e-d-c D. e-a-d-b-c

Question 17:

- a. Although language barriers exist, tourists can communicate through translation apps which make conversations easier between different people.
- b. Multicultural tourism, which connects people across borders, will become more important as our world becomes increasingly connected through technology.
- c. When visitors experience local festivals that celebrate ancient customs, they gain respect for traditions that span many generations.
- d. Travelers who visit different countries can learn about new cultures that have unique traditions and interesting foods.
- e. Countries that welcome tourists from around the world create economic opportunities which help local communities grow and prosper.

- A. d-a-c-e-b B. d-b-e-c-a C. d-e-a-c-b D. d-e-b-a-c

Read the following passage about Breaking Social Expectations in the 2020s and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 22.

In recent years, more couples are choosing not to have children, which represents a significant shift in social norms. This decision is often met with criticism from family members who cannot understand why someone would not want children. (18)_____. Many people believe that having children is a natural part of life, but this view is being challenged by those who prefer to focus on other aspects of their lives.

The traditional expectation that all couples should have children has been questioned by many young adults. If more support were given to those making this choice, (19)_____. Child-free couples often report higher levels of relationship satisfaction and more freedom to pursue their personal and professional goals. The pressure to have children can be overwhelming, especially for women who are frequently asked about their reproductive plans.

Many child-free individuals, (20)_____, feel judged by society. Financial considerations and career aspirations are frequently cited as motivations for remaining child-free. Having chosen not to have children, (21)_____, nieces, nephews, or community service.

The decision not to have children is sometimes viewed as selfish, but this perspective fails to recognize the thoughtful consideration behind such choices. (22)_____. The stigma associated with not having children is slowly diminishing as more people speak openly about their choices.

Question 18:

- A. Meanwhile, single-parent households are facing significant economic challenges worldwide
- B. However, child-free families are becoming increasingly common in modern society
- C. Therefore, government policies must address declining birth rates in aging societies
- D. Consequently, many couples delay parenthood until achieving financial stability first

Question 19:

- A. society which promotes traditional values rejects alternative lifestyle choices
- B. society that emphasizes nuclear families discourages childless living arrangements
- C. society would become more accepting of diverse family structures
- D. having established rigid norms society penalizes nonconforming relationship models

Question 20:

- A. whom had made their selections for educational or health considerations
- B. will make this decision for financial or career-related concerns
- C. made these sacrifices for community or religious obligations
- D. who have made this choice for environmental or personal reasons

Question 21:

- A. working parents usually channel their protective feelings toward children
- B. having traveled extensively people develop appreciation for diverse cultures
- C. influenced by media young adults prioritize career over relationships
- D. these couples often redirect their nurturing instincts toward pets

Question 22:

- A. Traditional parenting provides individuals' complete fulfillment, personal growth, and essential community connections
- B. Remote education improves students' technological literacy, independent learning, and future employment opportunities
- C. Child-free living enables couples' extensive travel, career development, and diverse societal contributions
- D. Sustainable agriculture ensures farmers' economic stability, environmental protection, and global food security

Read the following passage about Preparing for Climate Realities We Cannot Avoid and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions from 23 to 30.

Climate change is no longer a distant threat but a present reality demanding immediate attention. The concept of "deep adaptation" acknowledges that some climate impacts are **unavoidable**, requiring societies to prepare for disruptions while minimizing further damage. This approach differs from traditional activism by accepting certain irreversible changes while focusing on resilience. Communities worldwide are implementing deep adaptation strategies, recognizing that preparation is essential for survival in our changing world.

The first pillar of deep adaptation involves strengthening infrastructure against extreme weather. Cities are redesigning urban spaces with elevated buildings, improved drainage, and heat-resistant materials. These modifications protect vulnerable populations from flooding, heatwaves, and other disasters. Many regions are creating emergency response plans for climate-related crises. Such preparation is crucial as weather patterns become increasingly unpredictable, threatening the stability of **our** built environment.

Food and water security represent another critical aspect of adaptation. Agricultural practices must evolve to accommodate changing seasons, unpredictable rainfall, and rising temperatures. Some communities are reviving traditional farming methods that proved resilient during historical climate **variations**. Others are developing innovative techniques like vertical farming and drought-resistant crops. Water conservation has become paramount, with regions implementing usage guidelines and investing in desalination. These measures help ensure necessities remain available despite environmental challenges.

The most challenging dimension of adaptation is psychological adjustment. Accepting climate realities often triggers grief, anxiety, and fear. Mental health professionals are developing specialized approaches to help people process emotions while maintaining hope. Community networks provide spaces for sharing concerns and collaborative problem-solving. This emotional resilience complements practical preparations, enabling people to face difficulties while maintaining social cohesion. By addressing both physical and psychological aspects, deep adaptation offers a framework for navigating our uncertain future.

Question 23: Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a deep adaptation strategy in the passage?

- A. Strengthening infrastructure against extreme weather
- B. Developing water conservation measures
- C. Creating carbon capture technology
- D. Building psychological resilience

Question 24: The word “**unavoidable**” in paragraph 1 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. inevitable
- B. inescapable
- C. preventable
- D. certain

Question 25: The word “**our**” in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. climate scientists only
- B. urban planners specifically
- C. vulnerable populations exclusively
- D. humanity's collective

Question 26: The word “**variations**” in paragraph 3 could be best replaced by _____.

- A. fluctuations
- B. similarities
- C. improvements
- D. reductions

Question 27: Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 4?

- A. Physical changes are easier to implement than emotional coping strategies for most people.
- B. Mental preparation poses the greatest difficulty in adapting to climate change impacts.
- C. Adapting one's mindset to new climate realities requires the least effort from communities.
- D. Economic aspects of climate adaptation are simpler than addressing mental health concerns.

Question 28: Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

- A. Deep adaptation focuses solely on preventing future climate change impacts entirely.
- B. Psychological aspects of climate adaptation are easier to address than infrastructure needs.
- C. Most communities are rejecting the concept of preparing for unavoidable climate changes.
- D. Traditional farming methods are being revived because they withstood past climate shifts.

Question 29: In which paragraph does the writer mention infrastructure adaptations for extreme weather?

- A. Paragraph 1
- B. Paragraph 2
- C. Paragraph 3
- D. Paragraph 4

Question 30: In which paragraph does the writer mention why communities are reviving traditional farming methods?

- A. Paragraph 3
- B. Paragraph 1
- C. Paragraph 4
- D. Paragraph 2

Read the following passage about the When Cities Make Room for Nature and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 40.

Urban rewilding represents a revolutionary approach that **puts nature back on the map** in concrete jungles of modern cities. Unlike traditional landscaping with manicured lawns, rewilding creates self-sustaining ecosystems mimicking natural habitats. Cities are transforming abandoned lots, rooftops, and medians into wildlife corridors supporting diverse species. These initiatives beautify environments while providing ecological services essential for sustainability. By bringing nature back, planners address challenges from biodiversity loss to climate resilience, creating healthier spaces for humans and wildlife.

[I] Green spaces filter air, removing pollutants and cooling urban heat islands that affect vulnerable populations. [II] Neighborhoods with vegetation show lower rates of respiratory illness and stress-related conditions. Wildlife returns quickly to rewilded areas, with birds, insects, and mammals establishing populations within months. [III] These creatures provide pest control and pollination

worth millions annually. [IV] Rewilded spaces absorb stormwater, reducing flood risks and decreasing pressure on drainage systems during extreme weather events.

Community engagement proves essential for successful rewilding projects that reflect local values. When residents participate in planning natural spaces, areas become sources of neighborhood pride and connection. Schools incorporate rewilded areas into science education, offering experiential learning opportunities. Community gardens provide fresh produce while **they** are teaching sustainable agriculture. Some cities have "adopt-a-spot" programs where residents maintain small rewilded areas. These approaches ensure **rewilding** efforts don't fall by the wayside but continue thriving with changing neighborhood needs.

Despite its benefits, urban rewilding faces significant challenges requiring innovative solutions. Zoning laws often conflict with naturalistic landscaping, requiring policy updates. Maintenance concerns arise as rewilded spaces follow different care schedules than conventional parks. Residents worry about wildlife encounters or perceive natural areas as untidy. Education campaigns address misconceptions by showing how rewilded spaces enhance safety through community use. Funding presents obstacles, though stormwater credits and carbon programs create sustainable financial models. As cities experiment with rewilding, practices emerge balancing ecological goals with human needs.

Question 31: The phrase "**puts something back on the map**" could be best replaced by _____.
 A. brings back sth B. sets up sth C. calls out sth D. takes on sth

Question 32: Where in paragraph 2 does the following sentence best fit?

Urban rewilding benefits extend beyond aesthetics into measurable improvements for community health.

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

Question 33: Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a benefit of urban rewilding?

- A. Improved air quality
- B. Increased property values
- C. Reduced flood risks
- D. Natural pest control

Question 34: Which of the following best summarises paragraph 3?

- A. School programs utilizing rewilded spaces provide essential learning opportunities while community gardens supply fresh produce to urban residents.
- B. Adopt-a-spot programs represent the most effective approach to maintaining rewilded areas as they create strong bonds between neighbors.
- C. Neighborhood pride develops primarily through community gardens that teach sustainable agriculture while providing nutritional benefits to residents.
- D. Community involvement ensures rewilding projects reflect local needs and remain sustainable through educational programs and maintenance initiatives.

Question 35: The word "**they**" in paragraph 3 refers to _____.

- A. residents B. schools C. community gardens D. rewilding projects

Question 36: The word "**rewilding**" in paragraph 3 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. urbanization B. restoration C. naturalization D. conservation

Question 37: Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 4?

- A. Urban rewilding provides numerous benefits that outweigh the challenges, which can be addressed through standard solutions.
- B. Although urban rewilding offers many advantages, it encounters major obstacles that need creative approaches to overcome.
- C. The significant challenges of urban rewilding have prevented widespread adoption despite its potential benefits to city spaces.
- D. Innovative solutions have successfully resolved most significant challenges that once hindered urban rewilding implementation.

Question 38: Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

- A. Urban rewilding projects require minimal maintenance compared to conventional parks and landscaped urban spaces.
- B. Wildlife populations can establish themselves within months of implementing urban rewilding initiatives.
- C. Community gardens in rewilded areas primarily focus on aesthetic benefits rather than educational opportunities.
- D. Most residents immediately embrace rewilded spaces without concerns about untidiness or wildlife encounters.

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

- A. Most urban residents prefer conventional parks with manicured lawns rather than naturalistic rewilded spaces.
- B. Government funding is the primary financial resource supporting successful urban rewilding initiatives.
- C. Traditional urban planning has historically prioritized human needs over ecological considerations in city development.
- D. Urban rewilding projects are most successful when implemented without community input or participation.

Question 40: Which of the following best summarises the passage?

- A. Traditional landscaping approaches are being replaced by rewilding initiatives primarily because they require less maintenance and provide better aesthetic appeal to urban residents.
- B. Community gardens represent the most successful form of urban rewilding as they provide educational opportunities while addressing food security issues in metropolitan areas.
- C. Urban rewilding creates sustainable ecosystems that provide ecological benefits while facing implementation challenges that require community involvement and innovative solutions.
- D. Wildlife corridors connecting fragmented natural habitats are essential for biodiversity conservation but face significant resistance from urban planners and local communities.