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Question 5: Leah thinks they can not help her aunt promote it	A.True	B. False

Part 2: Listen to a news report about global warming in the Philippines and circle the correct answer A, B, or C. You will listen to the recording TWICE.

Question 6. What organization will Mark and Hoa choose for their presentation?

- A. A. The UNICEF
- B. The United Nations
- C. The ASEAN.
- D. UNESCO.

Question 7. When did Viet Nam join the ASEAN?

- A. 1955
- B. 1995
- C. 1905
- D. 1997

Question 8. Who is going to be the host of the SEA games next year?

- A. Thailand
- B. Viet Nam
- C. Singapore
- D. Philippines

Question 9. Who will be responsible for making the video for the introduction?

- A. Hoa.
- B. Mark
- C. Mike
- D. Peter

Question 10. What information is included in Hoa's presentation?

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SECTION V. SPEAKING

Part 1: Self-Introduction:

- Students introduce briefly some personal information including:

1. Name

2. Age

3. Family

4. Hobbies

5. Ability

Part 2: Discussion/Debate: Choose one of the following topics to make discussion or debate with your teacher.

Topic 1: Gender Equality (Bình đẳng giới)

1. Do boys and girls have the same rights in your school?
2. Should men and women do the same jobs? Why or why not?
3. What jobs do you think are more suitable for men? For women?
4. Who does more housework in your family, your father or your mother?
5. How can we make men and women more equal?

Topic 2: Cultural Diversity (Đa dạng văn hóa)

1. What is your favorite festival in Vietnam?
2. How do people celebrate Tet (Lunar New Year)?
3. Have you ever joined a festival from another country? What was it like?
4. What do people wear in traditional Vietnamese weddings?
5. Why is it important to respect different cultures?

Topic 3: New Ways to Learn (Những cách học mới)

1. How do you use the Internet to study?
2. Do you like learning with a smartphone? Why or why not?
3. Do you prefer learning online or in class?
4. What apps do you use for studying?
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Topic 4: Protecting the Environment (Bảo vệ môi trường)

1. What can you do to protect the environment?
2. Do you recycle at home or at school?
3. What happens if we don't protect the environment?
4. Why should we save water and electricity?
5. What can your school do to be more eco-friendly?

Topic 5: Ecotourism (Du lịch sinh thái)

1. What is ecotourism?
2. Have you ever visited a national park? Where?
3. Why should we protect nature?
4. What do you do when you travel to keep the environment clean?
5. Do you want to try ecotourism? Why or why not?

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0.2 point for each correct answer from Question 1 – Question 35.

1 point for the sentences in Writing – part 2

2 points for speaking (1 point for part 1 and 1 point for part 2 in Speaking section)

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Audio script 1

Leah: You know, my aunt is a scientist and she's leading a team of biologists studying wildlife in Antarctica.

Andy: A female lead scientist!? That's quite uncommon.

Leah: That's true. This is indeed a very male-dominated field. She started when she was twenty-five and got promoted after working for twenty years. If it was ten years ago, she would not be a lead scientist.

Andy: Gender equality has come a long way.

Leah: But still not enough in my opinion.

Andy: Totally agree... So what does your aunt do exactly?

Leah: Her team monitors the population of King Penguins and its natural habitat which is increasingly limited.

Andy: How come?

Leah: Because of ice melting which was a result of climate change.

Andy: That's awful.

Leah: However, the penguin is not the only wild animal whose habitat is at risk. Due to illegal trading, deforestation, and global warming, many animals are endangered.

Andy: Is there something humans can do to protect these animals' habitats?

Leah: Well, for some species, it's already too late as actions should have been taken earlier.

Andy: There must be something that we can do and awareness of this issue should be raised.

Leah: My aunt sometimes conducts free online classes about wildlife in Antarctica. I think we can help her promote it.

Andy: That's a great idea. Let's join her next time.

Leah: Sure!

Audio script 2

Script:

Mark: Hello Hoa, how is our group presentation on Viet Nam in international integration for next week?

Hoa: Hi Mark, I'm thinking about what organisation we'll choose to present. Do you have any ideas about this?

Mark: As far as I know Viet Nam has taken part in a lot of international organisations so far, but a few ones have been mentioned by the teacher like UNICEF, the United Nations and so on; so, we should find another one for everyone to gain new information. I recommend the ASEAN community.

Hoa: Okay, great! My country has joined this Association of Southeast Asian Nations since 1995, and we are going to host the SEA games next year. So let our classmates know more about the ASEAN with lots of interesting things about other countries like Thailand and Singapore.

Mark: I couldn't agree more. Let's talk about the outline for our speech, particularly the way we introduce the topic. Do you think we need to present a video to catch the audiences' attention first?

Hoa: That's a good idea! We'll let them enjoy some audio-visual materials before showing them the main section including many detailed information about this regional community and how important the role of Viet Nam is in this organisation. So, I'll take charge of this part, and the presentation's body is yours, OK?

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