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City life has its advantages and disadvantages and so does country life; (23)____, there seems to be an increased interest in the country, especially among young families. If you are thinking about moving to the country as well but are not sure if it is a good idea, it may help to look at the benefits of country life. In the country, you are woken up by the singing of the birds rather by the noise from the (24)____. Homes in the countryside are (25)____ by nature which has a soothing effect on both the mind and the body. Due to virtual absence of cars and factories, you will not be breathing any potentially toxic fumes in the country. Clean air is one of the main advantages of country life over city dwelling. In the country, everyone (26)____ everyone, and people actually say 'hello'. Communities in the country are much (27)____, but they are more connected and open. People in the country are friendlier and are prepared to help without asking anything in return.

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Teen stress

Teenagers today live in a very competitive world. It is more important than ever to succeed at school if you hope to have a chance in the job market afterwards. It's no wonder that many young people worry about letting down their parents, their peers and themselves. To try to please everyone, they take on too many tasks until it becomes harder and harder to balance homework assignments, parties, sports activities and friends result is that young people suffer from stress. There are different ways of dealing with stress. Everyone knows that caffeine, in the form of coffee or soft drinks, keeps you awake and alert. But caffeine is a drug which become addictive. In the end, like other drugs, caffeine only **leads to** more stress. There are better ways to deal with stress: physical exercise is a good release for stress, because it increases certain chemicals in the brain which calm you down. You have to get enough sleep to avoid stress and to stay healthy and full of energy.

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breathe deeply for ten to twenty minutes. Do this regularly, and it will help you calm down and put things into perspective.

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Question 35. In / countryside / people / welcoming / life / simpler.

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Giải thích: A. /pru:v/ B. /blu:/ C. /gu:s/ D. /bɔ:k/

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Question 2.

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Giải thích: A. /kəm'peə(r)/ B. /'fri:dəm/ C. /'vɪlɪdʒ/ D. /'bæləns/

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Choose the best option to complete each of the following sentences.**Question 3.** The teacher asks the whole class to _____ on studying to prepare for the final exam.

A. advise B. put C. connect D. focus

Giải thích: focus on = tập trung vào; câu đúng: The teacher asks the whole class to focus on studying....

Question 4. Do you want to join us _____ do you want to join another team?

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Giải thích: Câu đưa ra lựa chọn giữa hai khả năng → dùng or.

Question 5. I love dogs, _____ my father doesn't allow me to have one.

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Giải thích: Mỗi quan hệ trái ngược (yêu thích vs. không được phép) → dùng but.

Question 6. I am _____ on visiting my grandparents' on the weekend.

A. fond B. keen C. mind D. interested

Giải thích: Cấu trúc: be keen on + V-ing → keen on visiting = háo hức, thích làm gì. Các lựa chọn khác cần giới từ khác (fond of, interested in).

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Giải thích: Sau thu hoạch (harvest) người nông dân thường phơi lúa (drying rice) trong sân; các đáp án khác không phù hợp ngữ cảnh.

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Giải thích: Hành động đưa xi măng vào xe tải là load (chất lên). They loaded a cart with cement into the truck. (Lưu ý câu gốc hơi lủng lủng về trật tự từ nhưng động từ phù hợp là loaded.)

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Giải thích: So sánh hơn với tính từ hai âm tiết → dùng more + adj: more modern than.

Question 10. She came to the party _____ than her friends.

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Giải thích: So sánh trạng từ: She came to the party later than her friends. (Không dùng more lately / lately không so sánh).

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Giải thích: Khi con thông báo đạt hạng nhất, phản ứng phù hợp là khen ngợi: Well done!.

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A. Yes, it's ok

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Giải thích: Người hỏi muốn biết cách dùng máy; câu trả lời lịch sự và phù hợp là đồng ý giúp và hỏi thêm *Have you used this before?*

Question 13. A: Oh my god! You look so stunning today! -B: _____

A. What's happen?

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Giải thích: Trước lời khen *You look so stunning today!* câu trả lời tự nhiên là *Thank you*.

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A. I love playing football

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D. Yes, I can

Giải thích: Do you fancy watching this football match with me? — câu trả lời hợp ngữ cảnh là đưa thêm thông tin/tấm vé: I have two football tickets (ngụ ý: muốn đi cùng bạn). Các lựa chọn khác không trực tiếp trả lời hoặc không tự nhiên.

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Giải thích: harvest ('hɑ:.vɪst) nhấn âm 1; peaceful ('pi:s.fəl) nhấn âm 1; whisper ('wɪs.pər) nhấn âm 1. collect (kə'lekt) nhấn âm 2 → khác.

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Giải thích: account (ə'kaʊnt) nhấn âm 2; bully ('bʊl.i), website ('web.sait), leader ('li:.dər) nhấn âm 1. Vậy A khác.

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words

Question 15. Spring coming, my farm are **colorful** with many species of flowers blooming. (COLOR)

Giải thích: Từ gốc (COLOR) → tính từ colourful = đầy màu sắc. Câu nên sửa lại cho chuẩn:

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Giải thích: Cần trạng từ chỉ cách cho động từ drive → drive carefully on the highway.

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Giải thích: Từ gốc (NOTIFY) → danh từ phù hợp khi hệ thống gửi báo hiệu là notification.

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Giải thích: So sánh giữa máy mới và máy cũ: The new harvest machine is more effective than the old one. (Từ gốc EFFECT → tính từ effective.)

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Giải thích: Câu nối ý trái ngược/nhưng ở đầu mệnh đề: ...; however, there seems to be an increased interest....

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Giải thích: woken up by the singing of the birds rather than by the noise from the traffic. → traffic hợp nghĩa.

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Tạm dịch: Thanh thiếu niên ngày nay sống trong một thế giới rất cạnh tranh. Việc thành công ở trường học quan trọng hơn bao giờ hết nếu bạn hy vọng có cơ hội việc làm sau này. Không có gì ngạc nhiên khi nhiều người trẻ lo lắng về việc làm phụ lòng cha mẹ, bạn bè và chính bản thân. Để cố gắng làm hài lòng tất cả mọi người, họ đảm nhận quá nhiều việc đến nỗi ngày càng khó

cân bằng giữa bài tập về nhà, tiệc tùng, hoạt động thể thao và bạn bè. Kết quả là những người trẻ tuổi bị căng thẳng.

Có nhiều cách khác nhau để đối phó với căng thẳng. Ai cũng biết rằng caffeine, dưới dạng cà phê hoặc nước ngọt, giúp bạn tỉnh táo và minh mẫn. Nhưng caffeine là một loại ma túy có thể gây nghiện. Cuối cùng, giống như các loại ma túy khác, caffeine chỉ dẫn đến căng thẳng nhiều hơn. Có nhiều cách tốt hơn để đối phó với căng thẳng: tập thể dục là một cách giải tỏa căng thẳng tốt, vì nó làm tăng một số chất hóa học trong não giúp bạn bình tĩnh lại. Bạn phải ngủ đủ giấc để tránh căng thẳng và giữ sức khỏe, tràn đầy năng lượng.

Một cách khác để tránh căng thẳng là quản lý thời gian hiệu quả. Tốt hơn là làm tốt một vài việc, còn hơn là làm nhiều việc một cách kém cỏi. Hãy biết giới hạn của mình và cố gắng đừng làm quá nhiều việc. Cuối cùng, nếu mọi chuyện vượt quá tầm kiểm soát, đừng hoảng sợ hay quá khích. Hãy dành thời gian ngồi xuống và hít thở sâu trong mười đến hai mươi phút. Thực hiện điều này thường xuyên, nó sẽ giúp bạn bình tĩnh lại và nhìn nhận mọi việc một cách khách quan hơn.

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A. Because they lost balance between work and sleep.

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D. Because they can't find new job.

Giải thích: Đoạn nói rõ: they take on too many tasks until it becomes harder and harder to balance ... and result is that young people suffer from stress. → Vì họ nhận quá nhiều nhiệm vụ, khó cân bằng.

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Giải thích: leads to = causes (dẫn đến).

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Giải thích: Đoạn: You have to get enough sleep to avoid stress and to stay healthy and full of energy. → Both A và C đúng nên chọn A&C.

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B. If something get beyond your control, don't panic or get hysterical. C. You should do a few tasks to avoid stress.

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Giải thích: A cho rằng Caffeine is only available in form of coffee — sai (đoạn nói caffeine có trong coffee và soft drinks). Các phương án B–D đều đúng theo nội dung (B: nếu vượt tầm kiểm soát thì đừng hoảng; C: làm ít nhưng làm tốt; D: tập thể dục là một cách).

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Giải thích: Vì sister số ít → dùng does; fancy theo sau động từ phải là V-ing → working with children.

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Giải thích: hobbies phải ở dạng số nhiều; dùng dạng V-ing cho các hoạt động.

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Giải thích: Cần mạo từ the trước countryside. Trong các lựa chọn có chỗ thiếu the

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Giải thích: is studying abroad (hiện tại tiếp diễn) thể hiện hành động đang diễn ra; mệnh đề kết quả dùng so it is impossible for us to....

Complete the second sentences so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, using the given words/phrases

Question 37. They are going to build a new bridge across this river in my village. Traveling will be much more convenient. (so)

→ They are going to build a new bridge across this river in my village, so traveling will be much more convenient.

Giải thích: Dùng so để nối kết quả: xây cầu → việc đi lại tiện hơn.

Question 38. I think the school festival will be full. Many people will enjoy it. (and)

→ I think the school festival will be full, and many people will enjoy it.

Giải thích: Dùng and để nối hai ý liên tiếp/ bổ sung.

Question 39. The conjuring season 4 was boring. I had been thought it was interesting (than)

→ The Conjuring season 4 was more boring than I had thought.

Giải thích: Dùng than để so sánh giữa kỳ vọng và thực tế; ta chuyển thành câu so sánh.

Question 40. Watching horror films is very interesting to my older brother.

→ My older brother is very interested in watching horror films.

Giải thích: Đổi cấu trúc từ Watching horror films is very interesting to my older brother → thành câu chủ động: My older brother is very interested in watching horror films. (dùng interested in + V-ing).

ĐỀ 2

**ĐỀ KIỂM TRA GIỮA HỌC KỲ I
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MÔN: TIẾNG ANH 8**

Choose the word A, B, C or D whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

Question 1.

A. do B. lose C. pool D. foot

Question 2.

A. tour B. poor C. coin D. sure

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Michael is very lucky. He is **crazy about** music, and his parents help him a lot by taking him to concerts and arranging private piano and violin lessons for him. They even drive him 50 kilometers twice a week for violin lessons. Michael's mother knows very little about music, but his father plays the trumpet in a large orchestra. However, he never makes Michael enter music competitions if he is unwilling.

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Question 31. What is the main reason Winston feels quiet and unhappy?

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- C. Parents should never involve themselves in their children's education
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Question 36. students / stressed / midterm exams / final exams

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→

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ĐÁP ÁN

Choose the word A, B, C or D whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

Question 1.

A. do B. lose C. pool **D. foot**

Giải thích: foot /fʊt/ có nguyên âm ngắn /ʊ/ khác với do, lose, pool (/u:/ dài).

Question 2.

A. tour B. poor **C. coin** D. sure

Giải thích: coin có nguyên âm kép /ɔɪ/ (diphthong), trong khi tour, poor, sure có âm /ʊə/

Choose the best option to complete each of the following sentences.

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Giải thích: Cấu trúc fancy + V-ing

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A. relying B. putting C. spending D. getting

Giải thích: rely on: phụ thuộc vào. Cấu trúc dislike + Ving

Question 5. She listens to classical music for _____.

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Giải thích: Giao tiếp trực tiếp tốt hơn gọi video

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Giải thích: surf the internet: lướt web. Cấu trúc like + Ving

Question 8. We really enjoyed flying kites over the green rice _____ during our holiday last week.

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Giải thích: rice fields là cụm chính xác (ruộng lúa). hays sai số nhiều và dạng từ, yard/playground không phù hợp.

Question 9. China is a _____ country with a lot of natural resources.

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Giải thích: vast country = nước rộng lớn, giàu tài nguyên. envious/far/cultivable không phù hợp ý.

Question 10. My grandfather raises a herd of _____ on his farm.

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Giải thích: a herd of cattle đúng collocation. fruit/vegetables/village không được dùng sau herd of.

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A. Badminton is good for health.

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Giải thích: Khi được mời chơi, đáp án lịch sự là I'd love to (tôi rất muốn). A nêu ý chung, C Me too không phải phản hồi trực tiếp; D không trả lời lời mời cụ thể.

Question 12. What a nice shoes you have!

A. Sure. My shoes are pink

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D. Sorrrt, I can't

Giải thích: Khi ai đó khen giày, đáp lại hợp lý là I'm glad you like it. (mặc dù ngữ pháp chuẩn là them cho shoes, nhưng trong các lựa chọn C là phù hợp nhất). A/B/D không phải phản hồi tự nhiên.

Question 13. Can you show me the way to the supermarket?

A. Look! It's in front of the flower shop.

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Giải thích: Đây là câu trả lời chỉ đường phù hợp; các lựa chọn khác không trả lời câu hỏi.

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Giải thích: Khi ai đó hỏi mượn bút, đáp Sure. Here you are là chính xác; các lựa chọn còn lại không cho phép mượn.

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Giải thích: so sánh hơn với trạng từ. Dạng trạng từ đúng là more quickly.

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Giải thích: clear → trạng từ clearly. So sánh: more clearly than.

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Question 25.

A. burning B. burn C. burns **D. to burn**

Giải thích: Sau helps có thể dùng nguyên mẫu không to hoặc V-ing: helps burn fat là tự nhiên. burning làm thành động danh từ cũng có thể nhưng ý đề nhằm help + V.

Question 26.

A. strong B. strongest C. strongly **D. stronger**

Giải thích: become stronger = trở nên khỏe hơn. strong (A) không so sánh; strongly (C) là trạng từ, sai; strongest (B) so sánh nhất, không phù hợp.

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Tạm dịch: Nếu cha mẹ nuôi dạy con chỉ với mục đích duy nhất là biến con thành thiên tài, họ sẽ gây ra thảm họa. Theo một số nhà khoa học, đây là một trong những sai lầm lớn nhất mà các bậc

cha mẹ tham vọng mắc phải. Thông thường, đứa trẻ sẽ quá hiểu những gì cha mẹ kỳ vọng và sẽ thất bại. Những kỳ vọng phi thực tế của cha mẹ có thể gây ra tổn thương lớn cho trẻ.

Tuy nhiên, nếu cha mẹ không quá phi thực tế về những gì họ mong đợi ở con cái mà có tham vọng một cách hợp lý, đứa trẻ có thể thành công rất tốt - đặc biệt nếu cha mẹ rất ủng hộ con mình.

Michael rất may mắn. Cậu bé say mê âm nhạc, và cha mẹ đã giúp đỡ cậu rất nhiều bằng cách đưa cậu đến các buổi hòa nhạc và sắp xếp các buổi học piano và violin riêng cho cậu. Họ thậm chí còn lái xe đưa cậu đi 50 km hai lần một tuần để học violin. Mẹ của Michael biết rất ít về âm nhạc, nhưng cha cậu chơi kèn trumpet trong một dàn nhạc lớn. Tuy nhiên, ông không bao giờ bắt Michael tham gia các cuộc thi âm nhạc nếu cậu không muốn.

Tuy nhiên, Winston, bạn của Michael, thì không may mắn như vậy. Cả cha và mẹ cậu đều là những nhạc sĩ thành công, và họ đặt ra tiêu chuẩn quá cao cho Winston. Họ muốn con trai mình thành công như họ nên đã cho con tham gia mọi cuộc thi piano được tổ chức. Họ rất buồn khi con trai không giành chiến thắng. Winston luôn sợ mình sẽ làm cha mẹ thất vọng và giờ đây cậu bé luôn tỏ ra im lặng và buồn bã.

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Giải thích: Đoạn mở đầu nói rõ: one of the biggest mistakes which ambitious parents make là having unrealistic expectations of their child. (Hy vọng phi thực tế).

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Giải thích: Michael very lucky vì cha mẹ are ambitious in a sensible way và very supportive (cho cậu đi học nhạc, đưa đón, không ép tham gia cuộc thi khi không muốn).

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Giải thích: Ý chính: Unrealistic parental expectations can harm children, while sensible support can help them succeed (Những kỳ vọng không thực tế của cha mẹ có thể gây hại cho trẻ em, trong khi sự hỗ trợ hợp lý có thể giúp trẻ thành công). Các lựa chọn khác không phản ánh đúng nội dung đoạn.

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Giải thích: Cấu trúc: Students are interested in joining volunteer activities in the summer.

(interested in + V-ing). Các lựa chọn khác sai ngữ pháp.

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Giải thích: So sánh: The crop this year is better than last year. (better = so sánh hơn của good).

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D. Minh is love feeding cattle on his grandfather's farm.

Giải thích: Chủ ngữ số nhiều/số ít: Minh loves feeding cattle on his grandfather's farm. (loves + V-ing). A thiếu 's' ở loves, B sai dạng, D sai thì.

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Giải thích: So sánh: Students are more stressed during midterm exams than final exams. Các đáp án khác sai cấu trúc hoặc từ.

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Question 37. My father wants me to become a dentist like him. I want to become a designer. (but)

→ **My father wants me to become a dentist like him, but I want to become a designer.**

Giải thích: Dùng liên từ but nối hai mệnh đề có ý trái ngược.

Question 38. Life in the countryside is quieter and more peaceful than that in the city.

→ **Life in the city is noisier and less peaceful than life in the countryside.**

Giải thích: Viết lại so sánh đảo chiều, giữ nghĩa tương đương.

Question 39. She first disagreed to join our journey. She changed her mind later. (however)

→ **She first disagreed to join our journey; however, she changed her mind later.**

Giải thích: however nối hai vế có mâu thuẫn (ban đầu không đồng ý → sau đó đổi ý).

Question 40. Susan finished this project in 5 days, but Henry finished it in only 2 days

→ **Henry finished it in only 2 days while Susan finished it in 5 days.**

Giải thích: Bắt đầu bằng Henry theo đề; dùng while để đối chiếu thời gian hoàn thành hai người.

ĐỀ 3

**ĐỀ KIỂM TRA GIỮA HỌC KỲ I
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Choose the word A, B, C or D whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

Question 1. A. cook B. push C. woman D. move

Question 2. A. collect B. activity C. pickD. picturesque

Choose the best option to complete each of the following sentences.

Question 3. According to many surveys, teenagers now find it interesting to _____ their short videos on Tik Tok.

A. avoid B. post C. go D. check

Question 4. The film was so _____ that I fell asleep.

A. funny B. interesting C. boring D. wonderful

Question 5. She hoped the different ethnic groups in the area could live together in _____ co-existence.

A. peaceful B. helpful C. exciting D. convenient

Question 6. People in my village grow rice in vast _____ fields.

A. corn B. wheat C. rice D. paddy

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ĐÁP ÁN

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Giải thích: *collect* /kə'lekt/, *pick* /pɪk/, *picturesque* /,pɪk.tʃə'resk/, *activity* /æk'tɪv.ə.ti/

Choose the best option to complete each of the following sentences.

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enjoyment /ɪn'dʒɔɪ.mənt/ stress âm tiết 2 → khác.

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Giải thích: dùng cấu trúc be fond of + V-ing

Đáp án sai: B. Lan is messaging fond of friends... sai trật tự, “messaging” không đứng trước “fond of”.

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Giải thích: can + V infinitive

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Giải thích: love + V-ing / allow somebody to do something

Đáp án sai: A. My friend love dogs... sai ngôi, phải là loves.

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Giải thích: detest + V-ing/N = ghét.