

ĐỀ ÔN TẬP GIỮA KỲ 1

MÔN: TIẾNG ANH 12

ĐỀ 1

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A. c – e – a – b – f – d

B. c – a – e – b – d – f

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- Sing along (12) _____ her top hits
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Save the date for 13/7/2024 at Stella Stadium, IngleWood, CA8987 USA.

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Don't hesitate – secure your spot for an unforgettable night!

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C. a

D. Ø (no article)

14. A. Bond

B. Devote

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C. creatively

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B. entries

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Question 18.

A. high school finishing or

B. finishing high school or

C. finishing high school and

D. having finished high school or

Question 19.

A. During this time

B. When this time

C. To this time

D. Having this time

Question 20.

A. however yearlong pre-college math courses

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C. because yearlong pre-college math courses

D. such as yearlong pre-college math courses

Question 21.

A. learning a great deal of responsibility

B. learn a great deal of responsibility

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D. learns a great deal of responsibility

Question 22.

A. this is known as "doing an OE" (Overseas Experience)

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Question 23.

A. its continuing travels.

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24. A. paper

B. article

C. book

D. novel

25. A. students

B. researchers

C. studies

D. people

26. A. then

B. however

C. notwithstanding

D. nevertheless

27. A. between

B. towards

C. for

D. with

28. A. which

B. who

C. whose

D. whom

Read the following passages and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.

Urbanisation in Malaysia started in the early 1970s. At that time, only around 26 per cent of the population lived in urban areas. After a period of rapid growth, the urban and rural populations were almost equal in the early 1990s. Since then, the urbanisation rate has continued to increase gradually. The urban population, for example, rose from 66 per cent in 2004 to 74 per cent in 2014. At present, Malaysia is known as one of the most urbanised countries in East Asia. It is also one of the most rapidly urbanised regions around the world. According to the latest statistics, over 77 per cent of Malaysia's total population now live in urban areas and cities.

Australia is an interesting example of early urbanisation, which started at the end of the 19th century. At that time, over 60 per cent of the population lived in urban areas. Since then, it has maintained a gradual growth. This was also due to the country's immigration policy, which encouraged people to settle in its coastal, urban areas. Australia is now one of the most urbanised countries in the world, with almost 90 per cent of the population living in urban areas. The two largest cities of Australia, Sydney and Melbourne,

are home to over 40 per cent of the country's population.

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- C. evolved
- D. declined

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- B. has only 26% of its population living in urban areas
- C. has witnessed a decrease in the urbanisation rate
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- A. immigration policy
- B. a gradual growth
- C. early urbanisation
- D. Australia

Question 33. Which of the following is NOT true according to paragraph 2?

- A. Australia's immigration policy contributed to the growth of its urban population.
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- D. Sydney and Melbourne are the two most crowded cities in Australia.

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Some people who have been lost at sea have managed to survive by using their skills, their resources, and their willpower. They have built rafts, caught fish, collected rainwater, and signalled for rescue. They have prayed, meditated, and kept their spirits up. They have found strength in themselves and in their companions. They have lived to tell their stories.

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Being lost at sea is a test of human endurance and resilience. It is a challenge that few can overcome, and many cannot imagine. It is a nightmare that no one wants to face.

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- A. The Challenges of Surviving at Sea
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MÔN: TIẾNG ANH 12

ĐỀ 2

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word which has the underlined part pronounced differently from the others in each of the following questions.

- Question 1:** A. peace B. threat C. death D. bread
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Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of the primary stress in each of the following questions.

- Question 3:** A. bamboo B. cattle C. journey D. forest
Question 4: A. attendance B. candidate C. scholarship D. scenery

Read the following advertisement/school announcements and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks form 10 to 15.

Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum Tour!

Join us on a journey through Vietnam's history with a tour of Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum!

In our tour, you can:

- Discover the (5) _____ of Ho Chi Minh, the founder of modern Vietnam and a key figure in the country's struggle for independence.
- Explore the impressive structure of the mausoleum, where (6) _____ Ho Chi Minh's body is preserved.
- Learn (7) _____ the life and achievements of Ho Chi Minh from our expert guides.

Contact us to book now!

- Email: Vietnamtourguide@gmail.com
- Zalo: +841234567.

Question 5: A. biology B. biographic C. biography D. biological

Question 6: A. a B. an C. the D. no article

Question 7: A. about B. on C. in D. for

ANNOUNCEMENT OF MARK ZUCKERBERG'S VISIT

Dear students, parents, and staff,

I am excited to announce that Mark Zuckerberg, the founder and CEO of Facebook, (8) _____ our school last week. Here are some highlights from his visit:

- Mr. Zuckerberg arrived at our school on Wednesday morning. While he (9) _____ a talk in the auditorium, students were preparing for his visit in their classrooms.
- After his talk, Mr. Zuckerberg answered questions from students. They asked about his (10) _____, his experiences, and his advice for young people.
- Finally, Mr. Zuckerberg took a group photo with our students and staff. It was a memorable moment for everyone involved.

Question 8: A. visiting B. visited C. was visiting D. is visiting

Question 9: A. giving B. were giving C. gave D. was giving

Question 10: A. rule B. battle C. career D. poetry

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 11: From a young age, she was determined to _____ her youth and whole life to the preservation of endangered species.

A. devote B. expose C. open D. direct

Question 12: The company's sales have doubled since the introduction of new _____ technology.

A. full-length B. traditional C. cutting-edge D. standard

Question 13: After receiving a diamond ring from her husband, Annie feels like she is _____ girl in the world.

A. happy B. happier C. the happiest D. happiest

Question 14: Being self-reliant is what many young people _____.

A. rely on B. strive for C. cope with D. figure out

Question 15: She has recently bought a new car, _____?

A. hasn't she B. didn't she C. did she D. has she

Question 16: She _____ when the alarm _____ off this morning.

A. slept, went B. was sleeping, went

C. was sleeping, was going D. slept, was going

Read the following and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 17 to 23.

In 1812 a young man called James Barry finished his studies in medicine at Edinburgh University. After graduating he moved to London where he studied surgery at Guy's Hospital. After that the popular young doctor joined the army and over the next forty years had a brilliant career as an army medical officer, working in many far-off countries and fighting successfully for improved conditions in hospitals. It was a **remarkable** career - made even more remarkable by the discovery upon his death that he was in fact a **she**, James Barry was a woman.

No one was more surprised at this discovery than her many friends and colleagues. It was true that throughout her life people had remarked upon her small size, slight build and smooth pale face. One officer had even **objected** to her appointment as a medical assistant because he **could not believe that Barry** was old enough to have graduated in medicine. But no one had ever seriously suggested that Barry was anything other than a man. By all accounts Barry was a pleasant and good-humored person with high cheekbones, reddish hair, a long nose and large eyes. She was well-liked by her patients and had a reputation for great speed in surgery - an important quality at a time when operations were performed without an anesthetic. She was also quick tempered. When she was working in army hospitals and prisons overseas, the terrible conditions often made her very angry. She fought hard against injustice and cruelty and her temper sometimes got her into trouble with the authority. After a long career overseas, she returned to London where she died in 1865. While the undertaker's assistant was preparing her body for burial, she discovered that James Barry was a woman.

So why did James Barry deceive people for so long? At that time a woman could not study medicine, work as a doctor or join the army. Perhaps Barry had always wanted to do these things and pretending to be a man was the only way to make **it** possible. Perhaps she was going to tell the truth one day, but didn't because she was enjoying her life as a man too much. Whatever the reason, Barry's deception was successful. By the time it was discovered that she had been the first woman in Britain to qualify as a doctor, it was too late for the authorities to do anything about it.

Question 17: What is the main idea of the passage?

A. James Barry pretended to be a man to become a doctor

- B. Gender discrimination among doctors in London
- C. James Barry and her career overseas
- D. Punishment for James Barry's deception

Question 18: In paragraph 1, the word "**remarkable**" is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. noticeable
- B. commented
- C. rewarding
- D. focused

Question 19: According to the passage, all of the following are true EXCEPT _____.

- A. many people suspected that she was a woman
- B. all people were surprised at the discovery
- C. people remarked upon her small size
- D. people noticed her slight build and smooth pale face

Question 20: In paragraph 2, the word "**objected**" is opposite in meaning to _____.

- A. protested
- B. agreed
- C. protected
- D. shared

Question 21: According to the passage, which of the following is TRUE about James Barry?

- A. She lost her temper easily.
- B. She could control her temper perfectly.
- C. She never lost her temper.
- D. She was calm and well-behaved.

Question 22: According to the passage, which of the following is TRUE about James Barry?

- A. She performed her operations quickly.
- B. She performed her operations slowly.
- C. She performed her operations carelessly.
- D. Her patients did not like her much.

Question 23: In paragraph 4, the word "**it**" refers to _____.

- A. Barry's deception
- B. Barry's choice
- C. Barry's career
- D. Barry's reputation

Read the following text and circle the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each other numbered blanks below.

Cultural exchange programs have many benefits for individuals, communities, and the world. These programs aim (24) _____ for participants.

Working in a new cultural environment helps develop various soft skills like adaptability, organization, problem-solving, and self-confidence. (25) _____ a valuable learning opportunity that participants can use long after the program ends. Therefore, cultural exchange is an excellent way for young people to grow professionally and improve their career prospects. Future employers often view international experience positively, giving individuals (26) _____.

Engaging with people from different cultures provides an eye-opening experience as it exposes individuals to different norms and values. This experience can significantly shape personal and professional growth. (27) _____ helps develop a broader view, known as intercultural competence. Intercultural competence not only fosters empathy and understanding but also uncovers aspects of one's own culture that were previously unknown.

Cultural exchange programs offer a unique way to travel, distinct from typical tourist experiences. These programs provide a deeper understanding of other countries and cultures, allowing participants to live like locals. Experiencing community-based travel, with its hidden gems, undiscovered streets, and delicious homemade meals, (28) _____ how they engage with different cultures, leading them to vow never to travel like tourists again.

Question 24. A. providing learning opportunities

- B. to provide learning opportunities
- C. learning to provide opportunities
- D. to learn providing opportunities

Question 25. A. Those experiences are

- B. That experience is
- C. This experience is
- D. These experiences are

Question 26. A. an advantage in today's competitive job market

- B. the today advantage of competitive job market
- C. a competitive advantage toward today's job market
- D. the today's job market with competitive advantage

Question 27. A. Involve oneself in another culture

- B. To be involving oneself in another culture
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- D. Be involved oneself in another culture

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- B. encouraging individuals to reconsider
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Question 29. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph.

- Cross-cultural learning has three main benefits.
- Secondly, it allows us to learn new ways of thinking and problem-solving by exchanging ideas with others.
- Finally, it encourages us to appreciate diversity and work together with people from various cultures
- Firstly, it helps understand and respect different backgrounds, making us more open-minded.
- So it is important to learn about different cultures around the world.

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- The first stage is commonly referred to as the honeymoon phase.
- Then people experience frustration stage as the excitement of being in a new environment disappears.
- People who experience culture shock may go through four phases.
- During the acceptance stage - the final one, people are better able to experience and enjoy their new home.
- The third stage is the adaptation stage when people feel more at home in their new surroundings.

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Nowadays, a growing number of travel companies are adding adventure holidays to their list of getaways. The reason? More and more people are looking to do something a bit different when they go on holiday. Today's traveller is increasingly likely to be (31) _____ with simply lying on a beach all day or visiting the usual tourist spots. Instead, he/she is seeking a more unique experience. One that might involve travel to an isolated or unexplored area, for example, or one which offers activities (32) _____ provide an adrenaline rush. In short, today's traveller wants a holiday where he/she can expect (33) _____ more excitement.

Trekking, mountaineering expeditions, bungee jumping, rock climbing, safaris, conservation work, overland journeys, cultural exchanges, deep sea diving; all these are just a few of the types of adventure holidays that are (34) _____ on. In fact, the different types of adventure holiday are limited only by the imagination. (35) _____, if you are the type of traveller who loves new experiences, enjoys challenges, and seeks inspiration, why not consider an adventure trip for your next holiday?

(Adapted from FCE Use of English by Virginia Evans)

Question 31: A. content B. cautious C. unsatisfied D. disqualified

Question 32: A. where B. that C. what D. whose

Question 33: A. a few B. many C. another D. a little

Question 34: A. growing B. fitting C. picking D. catching

Question 35: A. But B. Though C. Therefore D. Or

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Global sea level has been rising over the past century, and the rate has increased in recent decades. In 2014, global sea level was 2.6 inches above the 1993 average - the highest annual average in the satellite record (1993-present). Sea level continues to rise at a rate of about one-eighth of an inch per year.

Higher sea levels mean that deadly and destructive storm surges push farther inland than they once did, which also means more frequent nuisance flooding. Disruptive and expensive, nuisance flooding is estimated to be from 300 percent to 900 percent more frequent within U.S. coastal communities than it was just 50 years ago.

The two major causes of global sea level rise are thermal expansion caused by warming of the ocean since water expands as it warms and increased melting of land-based ice, such as glaciers and ice sheets. The oceans are absorbing more than 90 percent of the increased atmospheric heat associated with emissions from human activity.

With continued ocean and atmospheric warming, sea levels will likely rise for many centuries at rates higher than those of the current century. In the United States, almost 40 percent of the population lives in relatively high-

population-density coastal areas, where sea level plays a part in flooding, shoreline erosion, and hazards from storms. Globally, eight of the world's 10 largest cities are near a coast, according to the U.N. Atlas of the Oceans.

Question 36: Which of the following could be the main idea of the passage?

- A. Sea level within U.S. coastal communities
- B. Sea level and emissions from human activity
- C. An increasing rate of sea level rise
- D. Sea level and its effects on the world's 10 largest cities

Question 37: The word "deadly" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to_____.

- A. huge
- B. toxic
- C. fast
- D. lethal

Question 38: The word "it" in paragraph 3 refers to_____.

- A. water
- B. sea level
- C. ocean
- D. ice

Question 39: Which of the following statements is TRUE according to the last paragraph?

- A. Sea levels will likely rise for many centuries at rates of the current century.
- B. Nearly 40 percent of the population of the U.S lives in densely populated coastal areas.
- C. Sea level has no relation to flooding, shoreline erosion, and hazards from storms.
- D. Sea level rise will only affect the world's largest cities near the coast.

Question 40: The passage is likely to be extracted from_____.

- A. a sci-fi document
- B. a personal essay
- C. a weather forecast
- D. a scientific magazine

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MÔN: TIẾNG ANH 12

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- A. look for
- B. look after
- C. look up
- D. look at

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- A. that B. which C. what D. whom

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- How to properly **(14)_____** of electronic waste

All students and staff **(15)_____** to attend and participate.

This training is an important step towards making our school more sustainable and environmentally friendly.

Many thanks for your cooperation and support!

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- Question 14.** A. dispose B. release C. leak D. throw
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Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 23.

Many intentions have been created throughout history. Many of them have changed our lives. In my opinion, the most important is the internet.

I think the internet is important because it has changed our lives in many ways. For example, the way we communicate has changed significantly. We can communicate with each other instantly using the internet. Many people even spend more time connecting with family, friends and (18) _____. You will probably see most people are communicating with their phones and laptops instead of talking to the person next to them (19) _____.

The internet has also (20) _____ together in a way that was impossible before, such as working from home and working with people from other countries. (21) _____.

By connecting their computer to the internet, people can access the same resources wherever they are in the world. Today, people from all over the global can work together closely without ever meeting face-to-face, sharing views more easily and (22) _____.

Although the internet is quite a new invention, it now plays an important role in (23) _____. Without it, things would be very different.

Question 18.

- A. from relatives on the internet than in real life B. relatives on the internet than in real life
C. relatives in real life than on the internet D. from relatives in real life than on the internet

Question 19.

- A. when you go to a busy café today B. going to a busy café today
C. if you go to a busy café today D. having gone to a busy café today

Question 20.

- A. allowing us working B. allowed us to work
C. allowed us work D. to allow us to work

Question 21.

- A. This makes both ways of working become more popular.
B. Which makes both ways of working become more popular.
C. Making both ways of working become more popular.
D. It makes both ways of working become more popular.

Question 22.

- A. spending less time traveling B. spend to less time traveling
C. spending less time travel D. spend less time to travel

Question 23. A. their lives B. this lives C. your lives D. our lives

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 24 to 28.

How is the news different from entertainment? Most people would answer that news is real but entertainment is fiction. (24) _____, if we think more carefully about the news, it becomes clear that the news is not always real. The news does not show us all the events of the day, but stories from a small number of chosen events. The creation of news stories is subject to specific constraints, much like the creation of works of fiction. There are (25) _____ constraints, but three of the most important ones are: commercialism, story formulas, and sources. Newspapers, radio, and TV stations are businesses, all of (26) _____ are rivals for audiences and advertising revenue. The amount of time that the average TV station spends on news broadcasts has grown steadily over the last fifty years - largely because news is (27) _____ cheap to produce, yet sells plenty of advertising. Some news broadcasts are themselves becoming advertisements. For example, during one week in 1996 when the American CBS network was airing a movie about the sinking of the *Titanic*, CBS news ran nine stories about that event (which had happened 84 years before). Furthermore, the profit motive drives news organizations to (28) _____ more attention to stories likely to generate a large audience, and to shy away from stories that may be important but dull.

Question 24. A. However B. Moreover C. Consequently D. Therefore

Question 25. A. another B. much C. many D. little

Question 26. A. who B. which C. that D. whom

Question 27. A. completely B. relatively C. perfectly D. absolutely

Question 28. A. pay B. make C. do D. give

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Steve Jobs, a genius in the world of technology, was born in 1955 and adopted by a working-class family. He dropped out of college, taking a leap into the unknown, where he found his passion for technology and creativity.

In 1976, Jobs met Steve Wozniak, and together **they** founded Apple, a company that would revolutionise the computer industry with cutting-edge innovations. Apple's Macintosh computer and the iconic iPhone are testaments to Jobs' commitment to cutting-edge design and user-friendly technology.

Apart from his work at Apple, Jobs also played a significant role in the success of Pixar Animation Studios, where he contributed to the creation of the first computer-animated film, Toy Story. Despite facing **setbacks**, such as being diagnosed with cancer, Jobs continued to lead Apple until his passing away in 2011.

His legacy lives on through the products and innovations that have shaped the way people live and work in the digital age.

Question 29. What does the passage mainly discuss?

- A. Steve Jobs' academic achievements
- B. Steve Jobs' life and achievements
- C. Steve Jobs' rare disease
- D. Steve Jobs' first company

Question 30. According to paragraph 1, which of the following is NOT stated about Steve Jobs?

- A. He was adopted by a working-class family.
- B. He found a passion for technology from childhood.
- C. He didn't finish his college education.
- D. He's a genius in the world of technology.

Question 31. The word **they** in paragraph 2 refers to ____.

- A. cutting-edge innovations
- B. Apple's Macintosh computer and iPhone
- C. Jobs and Steve Wozniak
- D. design and technology

Question 32. The word **setbacks** in paragraph 3 is opposite in meaning to _____.

- A. difficulties
- B. advantages
- C. results
- D. influences

Question 33. Which of the following is true about Steve Jobs?

- A. He contributed to the success of Pixar Animation Studios.
- B. He established Apple without the help of Steve Wozniak.
- C. He didn't lead Apple when he was diagnosed with cancer.
- D. His ambition was to shape the way people lived and worked

The following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 34 to 40.

Releasing balloons is more than just a litter problem. Released balloons can harm animals, humans, and even our environment by leading to accidents, injury, and even power outages.

Mylar balloons, the shiny metallic, silver-like balloons, cause thousands of power outages each year when they float away and come into contact with power lines.

Even balloons marked as "biodegradable" are harmful, as they can cause damage before they **decompose**. Because of this, there is no such thing as a "harmless" balloon release.

Balloons are also a waste of a precious **finite** resource — helium. Currently, we are facing a helium shortage in the U.S. While you may mostly associate the gaseous chemical with bouncy decorations, helium is actually used in a variety of essential medical procedures, including MRIs. Doctors around the world are concerned about this helium shortage, and using helium for balloons is only making the shortage worse.

A report from NBC News points out that "liquid helium is liquid gold to a host of industries." According to Bill Halperin, a professor of physics at Northwestern University, "helium is a nonrenewable resource. NASA and SpaceX

need helium for liquid fuel rockets. The MRI industry needs helium. The pharmaceutical industry is reliant on helium. And so is the Department of Defense.”

One popular alternative to balloon releases is “sky lanterns,” sometimes referred to as Chinese lanterns. During festivals in countries such as China, Brazil, and India, it is common to look up and see hundreds of glowing paper lanterns floating up into the night sky. **Those** are like tiny hot air balloons that use a candle or fuel cell to heat the air inside the lantern, causing it to rise and float away. However, these lanterns create similar litter problems and are also a fire hazard. In fact, they are illegal in some U.S. states.

(Adapted from <https://keepmassbeautiful.org>)

Question 34. What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. Sky lanterns are as harmful as Helium balloons.
- B. Liquid helium is liquid gold to a host of industries
- C. Balloon release harms the environment and wastes helium.
- D. Helium is one of the most precious substances in the world.

Question 35. According to the passage, releasing balloons is more than just a litter problem because _____.

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Question 36. The word "**decompose**" in the 2nd paragraph is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. break into
- B. break through
- C. break down
- D. break out

Question 37: The word "**finite**" in the 3rd paragraph is opposite in meaning to _____.

- A. limited
- B. unlimited
- C. short term
- D. long term

Question 38. According to the second paragraph, which of the following is **NOT** true?

- A. There are no balloons that are harmless.
- B. There is not enough Helium to use in America.
- C. We cannot reproduce Helium.
- D. It is legitimate to release lanterns in the USA.

Question 39. The word "**Those**" in the final paragraph refers to _____.

- A. festivals
- B. balloons
- C. lanterns
- D. countries

Question 40. It can be inferred from the last paragraph that _____.

- A. sky lanterns are used the same as Helium balloons.
- B. people living in China, Brazil, and India enjoys lanterns.
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The internet has also (20) _____ together in a way that was impossible before, such as working from home and working with people from other countries. (21) _____.

By connecting their computer to the internet, people can access the same resources wherever they are in the world. Today, people from all over the globe can work together closely without ever meeting face-to-face, sharing views more easily and (22) _____.

Although the internet is quite a new invention, it now plays an important role in (23) _____. Without it, things would be very different.

Question 18.

A. from relatives on the internet than in real life

B. relatives on the internet than in real life

C. relatives in real life than on the internet

D. from relatives in real life than on the internet

Question 19.

A. when you go to a busy café today

B. going to a busy café today

C. if you go to a busy café today

D. having gone to a busy café today

Question 20.

A. allowing us working

B. allowed us to work

C. allowed us work

D. to allow us to work

Question 21.

A. This makes both ways of working become more popular.

B. Which makes both ways of working become more popular.

C. Making both ways of working become more popular.

D. It makes both ways of working become more popular.

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A. spending less time traveling

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D. our lives

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How is the news different from entertainment? Most people would answer that news is real but entertainment is fiction. (24) _____, if we think more carefully about the news, it becomes clear that the news is not

always real. The news does not show us all the events of the day, but stories from a small number of chosen events. The creation of news stories is subject to specific constraints, much like the creation of works of fiction. There are (25) _____ constraints, but three of the most important ones are: commercialism, story formulas, and sources. Newspapers, radio, and TV stations are businesses, all of (26) _____ are rivals for audiences and advertising revenue. The amount of time that the average TV station spends on news broadcasts has grown steadily over the last fifty years - largely because news is (27) _____ cheap to produce, yet sells plenty of advertising. Some news broadcasts are themselves becoming advertisements. For example, during one week in 1996 when the American CBS network was airing a movie about the sinking of the *Titanic*, CBS news ran nine stories about that event (which had happened 84 years before). Furthermore, the profit motive drives news organizations to (28) _____ more attention to stories likely to generate a large audience, and to shy away from stories that may be important but dull.

- Question 24. A. However B. Moreover C. Consequently D. Therefore
- Question 25. A. another B. much C. many D. little
- Question 26. A. who B. which C. that D. whom
- Question 27. A. completely B. relatively C. perfectly D. absolutely
- Question 28. A. pay B. make C. do D. give

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Steve Jobs, a genius in the world of technology, was born in 1955 and adopted by a working-class family. He dropped out of college, taking a leap into the unknown, where he found his passion for technology and creativity.

In 1976, Jobs met Steve Wozniak, and together they founded Apple, a company that would revolutionise the computer industry with cutting-edge innovations. Apple's Macintosh computer and the iconic iPhone are testaments to Jobs' commitment to cutting-edge design and user-friendly technology.

Apart from his work at Apple, Jobs also played a significant role in the success of Pixar Animation Studios, where he contributed to the creation of the first computer-animated film, *Toy Story*. Despite facing setbacks, such as being diagnosed with cancer, Jobs continued to lead Apple until his passing away in 2011.

His legacy lives on through the products and innovations that have shaped the way people live and work in the digital age.

Question 29. What does the passage mainly discuss?

- A. Steve Jobs' academic achievements B. Steve Jobs' life and achievements
- C. Steve Jobs' rare disease D. Steve Jobs' first company

Question 30. According to paragraph 1, which of the following is NOT stated about Steve Jobs?

- A. He was adopted by a working-class family. B. He found a passion for technology from childhood.
- C. He didn't finish his college education. D. He's a genius in the world of technology.

Question 31. The word they in paragraph 2 refers to ____.

- A. cutting-edge innovations B. Apple's Macintosh computer and iPhone
- C. Jobs and Steve Wozniak D. design and technology

Question 32. The word setbacks in paragraph 3 is opposite in meaning to _____.

- A. difficulties B. advantages C. results D. influences

Question 33. Which of the following is true about Steve Jobs?

- A. He contributed to the success of Pixar Animation Studios.**
- B. He established Apple without the help of Steve Wozniak.
- C. He didn't lead Apple when he was diagnosed with cancer.
- D. His ambition was to shape the way people lived and worked

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Releasing balloons is more than just a litter problem. Released balloons can harm animals, humans, and even our environment by leading to accidents, injury, and even power outages.

Mylar balloons, the shiny metallic, silver-like balloons, cause thousands of power outages each year when they float away and come into contact with power lines.

Even balloons marked as "biodegradable" are harmful, as they can cause damage before they decompose. Because of this, **there is no such thing as a "harmless" balloon release.**

Balloons are also a waste of a precious finite resource — helium. Currently, **we are facing a helium shortage in the U.S.** While you may mostly associate the gaseous chemical with bouncy decorations, helium is actually used in a variety of essential medical procedures, including MRIs. Doctors around the world are concerned about this helium shortage, and using helium for balloons is only making the shortage worse.

A report from NBC News points out that "liquid helium is liquid gold to a host of industries." According to Bill Halperin, a professor of physics at Northwestern University, **"helium is a nonrenewable resource."** NASA and SpaceX need helium for liquid fuel rockets. The MRI industry needs helium. The pharmaceutical industry is reliant on helium. And so is the Department of Defense."

One popular alternative to balloon releases is "sky lanterns," sometimes referred to as Chinese lanterns. During festivals in countries such as China, Brazil, and India, it is common to look up and see hundreds of glowing paper lanterns floating up into the night sky. Those are like tiny hot air balloons that use a candle or fuel cell to heat the air inside the lantern, causing it to rise and float away. However, these lanterns create similar litter problems and are also a fire hazard. In fact, they are illegal in some U.S. states.

(Adapted from <https://keepmassbeautiful.org>)

Question 34. What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. Sky lanterns are as harmful as Helium balloons.
- B. Liquid helium is liquid gold to a host of industries
- C. Balloon release harms the environment and wastes helium.**
- D. Helium is one of the most precious substances in the world.

Question 35. According to the passage, releasing balloons is more than just a litter problem because _____.

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Question 36. The word "decompose" in the 2nd paragraph is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. break into B. break through **C. break down** D. break out

Question 37: The word "**finite**" in the 3rd paragraph is opposite in meaning to_____.

- A. limited **B. unlimited** C. short term D. long term

Question 38. According to the second paragraph, which of the following is **NOT** true?

- A. There are no balloons that are harmless. B. There is not enough Helium to use in America.
C. We cannot reproduce Helium. **D. It is legitimate to release lanterns in the USA.**

Question 39. The word "**Those**" in the final paragraph refers to _____.

- A. festivals B. balloons **C. lanterns** D. countries

Question 40. It can be inferred from the last paragraph that _____.

- A. sky lanterns are used the same as Helium balloons.
B. people living in China, Brazil, and India enjoys lanterns.
C. people consider sky lanterns as tiny hot air balloons.
D. sky lanterns are not a better alternative, they are harmful.

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Question	Answer
1	A
2	D
3	D
4	D
5	D
6	A
7	A
8	B
9	D
10	C
11	A
12	B
13	B
14	A
15	C
16	D
17	B
18	B

19	C
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22	A
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ĐỀ ÔN TẬP GIỮA KỲ 1

MÔN: TIẾNG ANH 12

ĐỀ 4

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Question 10: A. an B. the C. a D. Ø

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c. Hmm. I think this time we should focus on a problem teens struggle with every day because this won't be a big campaign. However, we'll try to use your ideas for another project, Mai.

b. Well, bullying, peer pressure, and body shaming, for instance, are major problems among teenagers today although many people don't feel comfortable talking about them.

d. I agree with you. Hmm... so Mark, what do you think? Should we focus our campaign on a general social issue or one affecting mainly teens?

e. Can you give us some examples?

f. I think it's bullying because it's very common today, and ...

A. b-e-d-a-c-f

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A. f - a - c - d - b - e

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This research was also valuable in medicine. Pasteur was able to prove that germs in the body cause illnesses. He also discovered that animals could be resistant to certain diseases (21) _____ to the diseases in a very minute amount. (22) _____. Vaccinations keep humans from contracting certain illnesses such as rabies, smallpox and chickenpox.

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C. to free them from harmful bacteria D. freeing them from harmful bacteria

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C. having been exposed D. to expose

Question 22: A. This paved the way for the development of vaccinations
B. Which paved the way for the development of vaccinations
C. Paving the way for the development of vaccinations
D. When it paved the way for vaccination development

Question 23: A. the most important scientists B. to be one of the most important scientists
C. one of the most important scientists D. one of the most important

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 24 to 28

Nowadays, emphasis is often placed on assessment for learning, as opposed to assessment of learning. But what exactly is the difference? In brief, assessment for learning involves the teacher and student becoming (24) _____ of how learning can be improved, and techniques mastered. Assessment of learning, on the other hand, simply tests what a student knows. Assessment for learning consists of students recognising where they are and where they want to go to in order to reach their goals. (25) _____, they need to participate actively in their learning.

In order for students to be motivated to learn, there should always be a clear lesson objective and all targets should focus on the needs and abilities of (26) _____ individual class. The teacher's role is to explain to students why they are learning what they are learning, and as most students' attention (27) _____ is short, teachers should opt for a variety of interactive activities during the lesson. The use of audiovisual aids generally helps students pick up things more easily, (28) _____ in turn makes the learning process more effective overall.

(Adapted from Reactivate Your Grammar and Vocabulary by Alexandra Green)

- Question 24:** A. alert B. aware C. afraid D. attentive
Question 25: A. Therefore B. However C. Moreover D. Otherwise
Question 26: A. all B. each C. much D. other
Question 27: A. span B. period C. duration D. stint
Question 28: A. who B. that C. which D. whom

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 29 to 33

Japanese Girls' Day-also known as the Doll's Festival-is celebrated on March 3 to pray for the health and happiness of young girls in Japan. Hinamatsuri, the name of the celebration in Japan, is marked by families displaying a set of Hina dolls in the house and serving special **delicacies** that are ceremonially beautiful and delicious.

Traditionally, parents or grandparents of a newborn girl buy a set of Hina dolls for the baby, unless they have special dolls that are inherited from generation to generation. From the end of February to March 3, Hina dolls dressed in Japanese ancient costumes are displayed on tiered platforms that are covered with a red carpet. The costumed dolls represent the imperial court of the Heian period (A.D. 794 to 1185] and feature the emperor, empress, attendants, and musicians dressed in traditional garb.

The dolls are displayed hierarchically with the emperor and empress at the top, which are set in front of a gilded screen representing the throne. The number of dolls and their size vary from home to home, but five to seven platforms are common.

It is customary to put the dolls away as soon as the festival is over-there is a superstition that if the dolls are left out, a family will have trouble marrying off their daughters. After the festival, some people release paper dolls into the rivers praying that **this** will send away sickness and bad fortune.

(Adapted from <https://ivwiv.thespruceeats.com/>)

Question 29: Which of the following could be the main idea of the passage?

- | | |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| A. Japanese Girls' Day. | B. Different types of dolls for baby |
| C. Procedure of Hinamatsuri. | D. The way to display the dolls. |

Question 30: What will be done with the dolls after the festival?

- | | |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| A. being sold | B. being displayed in the girls' room |
| C. being thrown away | D. being stored |

Question 31: What does the word "**this**" in the *last paragraph* refer to?

- | | |
|---|--|
| A. marrying off their daughters | B. leaving out the Hina dolls |
| C. putting the dolls away as soon as possible | D. putting paper dolls into the rivers |

Question 32: According to the passage, the following are TRUE about Japanese Girls' Day, EXCEPT _____.

- A. It is organized on March 3 to pray for health and happiness of Japanese girls.
- B. Some sets of Hina dolls are preserved to pass down the younger generation.
- C. Before the festival, Hina dolls in ancient costumes are covered with a red carpet.
- D. The Hina dolls are categorized according to their hierarchy in the imperial court.

Question 33: The word "**delicacies**" in *paragraph 1* is closest in meaning to _____

- | | | | |
|-----------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------|
| A. rare flowers | B. expensive foods | C. traditional cakes | D. beverages |
|-----------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------|

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We are a planet of seven billion people, and this number is growing by about 370,000 people every day. This is putting a huge **strain** on the planet's natural resources. For many governments and environmental organizations, the race is on to drastically reduce our consumption of resources before they run out.

Water is one of our most precious resources. Our quality of life, as well as life itself, depends on the availability of clean, fresh water. It is the most widely used resource in industry and plays a major role in energy production. Although 70 percent of the world is covered in water, only 2.5 percent of that is fresh water, and less than one percent of that freshwater is readily available to us. Yet we often **overestimate** how much water we have and reduce it further through pollution or inefficient use.

Some 92 percent of all fresh water used annually is dedicated to growing plants and raising animals for food. This means that if water runs out, our food supply might follow. In India, it is estimated that future water shortages could reduce grain harvests by 25%. In a country where the population exceeds 1.2 billion people and is growing rapidly every year, this is a huge concern. India, like many developing countries, is already struggling to provide for its population. While most people in developed countries can get water at the turn of a tap, nearly four billion people elsewhere lack access to safe water, according to United Nations Development Report.

Rain forests are another endangered resource. While rain forests are critically important to humanity, **they** are rapidly being destroyed by human activities. The biggest cause of deforestation is conversion of forest land for agriculture. Often called the "Lungs of the Planet", rain forests once covered 14 percent of the Earth's land surface, but this has shrunk to only six percent. Every second, an area of rain forest, the size of a football field, is destroyed at this rate. Rain forests will possibly disappear completely in less than 40 years.

Question 34: Which best serves as the title for the passage?

- | | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| A. Resources for the future. | B. Human and environment. |
| C. Awareness of conservation. | D. Sustainability of resources |

Question 35: The word "**strain**" in *paragraph 1* is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. contradiction B. depletion C. harmony D. pressure

Question 36: In *paragraph 2*, water is one of our most precious resources because _____.

- A. most parts of the world is covered in fresh water
B. our quality of life relies on the availability of fresh water
C. fresh water is hardly used for energy production
D. all freshwater on earth is readily available to us

Question 37: The word "**they**" in *paragraph 3* refers to _____.

- A. rain forests B. humanity C. human activities D. resources

Question 38: Which of the following is NOT true, according to the passage?

- A. Most of the fresh water is used to grow plants and raise animals for food.
B. The availability of clean, fresh water greatly affects our quality of life.
C. Our forests, the "Lungs of the Planet", are increasing quickly.
D. The deforestation has been caused mainly by conversion of forest land for agriculture.

Question 39: The word "**overestimate**" in *paragraph 2* is opposite in meaning to _____.

- A. decrease B. underbade C. undervalue D. Exaggerate

Question 40: Which of the following can be inferred from *paragraph 4*?

- A. "The Lung of our Planet" once covered most of the Earth's surface.
B. Rain forests are unlimited resources.
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Question 20: A. freeing them from bacterial harmful B. to free them bacterial harmful
C. to free them from harmful bacteria **D. freeing them** from harmful bacteria

Question 21: A. they have been exposed **B. if they have** been exposed
C. having been exposed D. to expose

Question 22: **A. This paved the** way for the development of vaccinations
B. Which paved the way for the development of vaccinations

C. Paving the way for the development of vaccinations

D. When it paved the way for vaccination development

Question 23: A. the most important scientists

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D. one of the most important

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Nowadays, emphasis is often placed on assessment for learning, as opposed to assessment of learning. But what exactly is the difference? In brief, assessment for learning involves the teacher and student becoming (24) _____ of how learning can be improved, and techniques mastered. Assessment of learning, on the other hand, simply tests what a student knows. Assessment for learning consists of students recognising where they are and where they want to go to in order to reach their goals. (25) _____, they need to participate actively in their learning.

In order for students to be motivated to learn, there should always be a clear lesson objective and all targets should focus on the needs and abilities of (26) _____ individual class. The teacher's role is to explain to students why they are learning what they are learning, and as most students' attention (27) _____ is short, teachers should opt for a variety of interactive activities during the lesson. The use of audiovisual aids generally helps students pick up things more easily, (28) _____ in turn makes the learning process more effective overall.

(Adapted from Reactivate Your Grammar and Vocabulary by Alexandra Green)

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B. aware

C. afraid

D. attentive

Question 25: A. Therefore

B. However

C. Moreover

D. Otherwise

Question 26: A. all

B. each

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D. other

Question 27: A. span

B. period

C. duration

D. stint

Question 28: A. who

B. that

C. which

D. whom

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Japanese Girls' Day-also known as the Doll's Festival-is celebrated on March 3 to pray for the health and happiness of young girls in Japan. Hinamatsuri, the name of the celebration in Japan, is marked by families displaying a set of Hina dolls in the house and serving special **delicacies** that are ceremonially beautiful and delicious.

Traditionally, parents or grandparents of a newborn girl buy a set of Hina dolls for the baby, unless they have special dolls that are inherited from generation to generation. From the end of February to March 3, Hina dolls dressed in Japanese ancient costumes are displayed on tiered platforms that are covered with a red carpet. The costumed dolls represent the imperial court of the Heian period (A.D. 794 to 1185] and feature the emperor, empress, attendants, and musicians dressed in traditional garb.

The dolls are displayed hierarchically with the emperor and empress at the top, which are set in front of a gilded screen representing the thrown. The number of dolls and their size vary from home to home, but five to seven platforms are common.

It is customary to put the dolls away as soon as the festival is over-there is a superstition that if the dolls are left out, a family will have trouble marrying off their daughters. After the festival, some people release paper dolls into the rivers praying that **this** will send away sickness and bad fortune.

(Adapted from <https://ivwiv.thespruceeats.com/>)

Question 29: Which of the following could be the main idea of the passage?

A. Japanese Girls' Day.

B. Different types of dolls for baby

C. Procedure of Hinamatsuri.

D. The way to display the dolls.

Question 30: What will be done with the dolls after the festival?

A. being sold

B. being displayed in the girls' room

C. being thrown away

D. being stored

Question 31: What does the word "**this**" in the *last paragraph* refer to?

- A. marrying off their daughters B. leaving out the Hina dolls
C. putting the dolls away as soon as possible D. putting paper dolls into the rivers

Question 32: According to the passage, the following are TRUE about Japanese Girls' Day, EXCEPT

- A. It is organized on March 3 to pray for health and happiness of Japanese girls.
B. Some sets of Hina dolls are preserved to pass down the younger generation.
C. Before the festival, Hina dolls in ancient costumes are covered with a red carpet.
D. The Hina dolls are categorized according to their hierarchy in the imperial court.

Question 33: The word "**delicacies**" in *paragraph 1* is closest in meaning to _____

- A. rare flowers B. expensive foods C. traditional cakes D. beverages

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We are a planet of seven billion people, and this number is growing by about 370,000 people every day. This is putting a huge **strain** on the planet's natural resources. For many governments and environmental organizations, the race is on to drastically reduce our consumption of resources before they run out.

Water is one of our most precious resources. Our quality of life, as well as life itself, depends on the availability of clean, fresh water. It is the most widely used resource in industry and plays a major role in energy production. Although 70 percent of the world is covered in water, only 2.5 percent of that is fresh water, and less than one percent of that freshwater is readily available to us. Yet we often **overestimate** how much water we have and reduce it further through pollution or inefficient use.

Some 92 percent of all fresh water used annually is dedicated to growing plants and raising animals for food. This means that if water runs out, our food supply might follow. In India, it is estimated that future water shortages could reduce grain harvests by 25%. In a country where the population exceeds 1.2 billion people and is growing rapidly every year, this is a huge concern. India, like many developing countries, is already struggling to provide for its population. While most people in developed countries can get water at the turn of a tap, nearly four billion people elsewhere lack access to safe water, according to United Nations Development Report.

Rain forests are another endangered resource. While rain forests are critically important to humanity, **they** are rapidly being destroyed by human activities. The biggest cause of deforestation is conversion of forest land for agriculture. Often called the "Lungs of the Planet", rain forests once covered 14 percent of the Earth's land surface, but this has shrunk to only six percent. Every second, an area of rain forest, the size of a football field, is destroyed at this rate. Rain forests will possibly disappear completely in less than 40 years.

Question 34: Which best serves as the title for the passage?

- A. Resources for the future. B. Human and environment.
C. Awareness of conservation. D. Sustainability of resources

Question 35: The word "**strain**" in *paragraph 1* is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. contradiction B. depletion C. harmony D. pressure

Question 36: In *paragraph 2*, water is one of our most precious resources because _____.

- A. most parts of the world is covered in fresh water
B. our quality of life relies on the availability of fresh water
C. fresh water is hardly used for energy production
D. all freshwater on earth is readily available to us

Question 37: The word "**they**" in *paragraph 3* refers to _____.

- A. rain forests B. humanity C. human activities D. resources

Question 38: Which of the following is NOT true, according to the passage?

- A. Most of the fresh water is used to grow plants and raise animals for food.
- B. The availability of clean, fresh water greatly affects our quality of life.
- C. Our forests, the "Lungs of the Planet", are increasing quickly.**
- D. The deforestation has been caused mainly by conversion of forest land for agriculture.

Question 39: The word "overestimate" in *paragraph 2* is opposite in meaning to _____.

- A. decrease
- B. underbade
- C. undervalue**
- D. Exaggerate

Question 40: Which of the following can be inferred from *paragraph 4*?

- A. "The Lung of our Planet" once covered most of the Earth's surface.
- B. Rain forests are unlimited resources.
- C. Rain forests may disappear in the near future due to the interference of human beings.**
- D. The government must be responsible for the shrink of rain forests

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d. I agree with you. Hmm... so Mark, what do you think? Should we focus our campaign on a general social issue or one affecting mainly teens?

e. Can you give us some examples?

f. I think it's bullying because it's very common today, and ...

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D. where having learning about new cultures

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B. on their own

C. on its own

D. on your own

Question 22.

A. how to be used reliable sources

B. how could they use reliable sources

C. how can they use reliable sources

D. how to use reliable sources

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B. teaching them to embrace

C. to teach them embrace

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The World Council community (25)_____ collaborative network of intercultural experts and scholars, educators, students, policymakers, practitioners across all sectors, (26)_____ anyone passionate about intercultural and global competence from around the world (27)_____ come together through numerous working groups to learn from and with each other.

The World Council promotes concrete methodologies for developing intercultural competence such as the UNESCO Story Circles. Its community members are interested in researching various aspects of intercultural and global competence and translating such research into real-world application, through grant-funded projects, toolkit, and (28)_____ resources. The World Council collaborates with other organizations around the world with complimentary missions

Question 24. A. knowledge

B. value

C. view

D. thought

Question 25. A. consist

B. comprise

C. contain

D. include

Question 26. A. and

B. but

C. or

D. if

Question 27. A. who

B. where

C. when

D. which

Question 28. A. Another

B. Others

C. One

D. Other

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option to each of the questions that follow.

Glass fibers have a long history. By 1600 B.C., the Egyptians were producing coarse fibers, and as early as 1375 B.C., fibers were used as ornaments on Egyptian pottery. Glassmakers in Venice employed glass fibers to adorn the exterior of simple glass vessels throughout the Renaissance, which took place in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries A.D. But glassmakers were so secretive about their trade that no one wrote about the creation of glass fiber until the early seventeenth century.

During the seventeenth century, "spun glass" fibers were created. French physicist Rene-Antoine de Reaumur attempted to create glass feather substitutes. By spinning a wheel into a puddle of molten glass and plucking glass threads where the hot, viscous liquid adhered to the wheel, he created fibers. Despite the short and delicate nature of his fibers, he anticipated that spun glass threads as thin as spider silk would be flexible enough to be woven into textiles. Glassmakers discovered at the beginning of the nineteenth century that using a hot glass tube to extract fibers from molten glass produced longer, stronger fibers. The creators wrapped a yarn reel with the cooling end of the thread and quickly spun it to extract additional fiber from the molten glass. At fairs, it was the custom of itinerant craftsmen to spin glass fibers into decorations and ornaments for collectors. However, this material proved to be

unsuitable for most purposes, as the tattered, brittle threads could only extend up to ten feet, which was the circle of the largest reels.

But by the middle of the 1870s, the finest glass fibers were finer than silk, and they could be combined to create faux ostrich feathers that could be used to adorn hats or woven into garments. Spun glass cloth in white had a silvery appearance, whereas fibers extracted from yellow-orange glass had a golden hue.

Before their thermal and electrical insulating qualities were recognised and techniques for creating continuous filaments were discovered, glass fibers were essentially a novelty in the 1930s. Glass is supplied directly from a glass-melting furnace into a bushing, a container punctured with hundreds of tiny nozzles, where it emerges in fine streams, as part of the modern manufacturing process. The streams of glass are collected into a single strand and wrapped onto a reel as they solidify.

Question 29. Which of the following aspects of glass fiber does the passage mainly discuss?

- A. The major development in its production
- B. Its relationship with pottery making
- C. Important inventors in its long history
- D. Modern applications of glass fibers

Question 30. The word coarse is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. decorative
- B. natural
- C. crude
- D. weak

Question 31. Why was there nothing written about the making of Renaissance glass fiber until the seventeenth century?

- A. Glassmakers were unhappy with the quality of the fibers they could make.
- B. Glassmakers did not want to reveal the methods they used.
- C. Few people were interested in the Renaissance style of glass fibers.
- D. Production methods had been well known for a long time.

Question 32. According to the passage, using a hot glass tube rather than a wheel to pull fibers from molten glass made the fibers _____.

- A. quicker to cool
- B. harder to bend
- C. shorter and more easily broken
- D. longer and more durable

Question 33. The phrase this material refers to _____.

- A. glass fibers
- B. ornaments
- C. decorations
- D. novelties for collec

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Real, or original, pizza is an art: the pizzaiolo - the specialist pizza chef - is baker, fire stoker and cook. A wood-burning oven is an essential part of the proceedings. However, before the pizzas get to the fire, they have to be properly shaped and it was this procedure that was causing me all the grief.

Francesco Sarritzu, the pizzaiolo at The Park restaurant in Queen's Park, London, where I went to be trainee for the evening, made it look easy. He showed me what to do and I tried to take it in. The chilled dough balls, pre-weighed at 170g, were all ready in a special fridge below the work counter. The dough was sticky and Francesco worked fast. First, it was dropped into a large pile of flour and then it was mixed with a small handful of polenta.

From here it was all hands. He pressed out the dough with his fingers, all the time working in flour and pressing the edges out until a small round circle had emerged. He then threw it into his hands, twirling it to shake off the excess flour. He did not toss it in the air. "Tossing is for show," he said disdainfully. "It is not necessary." Once the flour was shaken off, he put the dough onto the steel work surface with one half of it hanging over the edge. One hand pressed and stretched and the other pulled in the opposite direction. Before you could say 'pizza Margherita', there was a perfect circle ready to be topped.

I moved nervously into position to have a go at achieving the same result myself. I scooped up a piece of dough from its snug tray. It immediately stuck to my fingers and when I threw it at the flour, it just remained stuck. I had to pull it off. The first bit is easy, or so it seems, but unless you follow the right procedure you sow the seeds of later failure.

The object is to press out the edges, not the centre, using the flour to dry out the stickiness. However, the **temptation** to press everything in sight to make it stretch into a circular shape is too strong; before I knew it, I had thick edges and a thin centre. Then, a hole appeared in the centre. I was defeated. My second pizza went where the first one had gone: on the fire. We all watched it go up in flames.

Later Francesco showed me that there was a point in the deep oven away from the fire, where the pizzas go when they are first put into the oven. That is putting the long handle deep into the oven, feeling the heat on the arms, and bringing it back sharply.

Question 34. What is the best title of the passage?

- A. The ingredients of pizza making
- B. The difficulties of pizza making
- C. The devices for pizza making
- D. The techniques of pizza making

Question 35. The word "**temptation**" in paragraph 5 is opposite in meaning to _____.

- A. despair
- B. attraction
- C. encouragement
- D. inducement

Question 36. All of the following is true about how Francesco made pizza **EXCEPT** _____.

- A. stretching the dough
- B. pressing out the dough
- C. shaking off the flour
- D. tossing it into the air

Question 37. The word "**polenta**" in paragraph 2 is probably a(n)

- A. ingredient
- B. device
- C. utensil
- D. appliance

Question 38. The word "**It**" in paragraph 4 refers to

- A. position
- B. tray
- C. dough
- D. result

Question 39. The passage indicates that the second pizza the author made_____.

- A. got burnt
- B. was successful
- C. looked mouth-washing
- D. tasted delicious

Question 40. Which of the following can be inferred from the last paragraph?

- A. Not all the positions in the oven to first put pizzas in are of equal importance.

- B. Every pizza chef is aware of where pizzas should be first put.
- C. Temperature felt on the arms does not affect the quality of pizzas.
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B. teaching them to embrace

C. to teach them embrace

D. teach them to embrace

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

The World Council on Intercultural and Global Competence is a global non-profit non-governmental organization dedicated to connecting researchers and practitioners across disciplines, sectors, languages and countries to advance the (24)_____, research and praxis of intercultural competence globally in the pursuit of a more peaceful world.

The World Council community (25)_____ collaborative network of intercultural experts and scholars, educators, students, policymakers, practitioners across all sectors, (26)_____ anyone passionate about intercultural and global competence from around the world (27)_____ come together through numerous working groups to learn from and with each other.

The World Council promotes concrete methodologies for developing intercultural competence such as the UNESCO Story Circles. Its community members are interested in researching various aspects of intercultural and global competence and translating such research into real-world application, through grant-funded projects, toolkit, and (28)_____ resources. The World Council collaborates with other organizations around the world with complimentary missions

- Question 24. A. knowledge B. value C. view D. thought
- Question 25. A. consist B. comprise C. contain D. include
- Question 26. A. and B. but C. or D. if
- Question 27. A. who B. where C. when D. which
- Question 28. A. Another B. Others C. One D. Other

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option to each of the questions that follow.

Glass fibers have a long history. By 1600 B.C., the Egyptians were producing coarse fibers, and as early as 1375 B.C., fibers were used as ornaments on Egyptian pottery. Glassmakers in Venice employed glass fibers to adorn the exterior of simple glass vessels throughout the Renaissance, which took place in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries A.D. But glassmakers were so secretive about their trade that no one wrote about the creation of glass fiber until the early seventeenth century.

During the seventeenth century, "spun glass" fibers were created. French physicist Rene-Antoine de Reaumur attempted to create glass feather substitutes. By spinning a wheel into a puddle of molten glass and plucking glass threads where the hot, viscous liquid adhered to the wheel, he created fibers. Despite the short and delicate nature of his fibers, he anticipated that spun glass threads as thin as spider silk would be flexible enough to be woven into textiles. Glassmakers discovered at the beginning of the nineteenth century that using a hot glass tube to extract fibers from molten glass produced longer, stronger fibers. The creators wrapped a yarn reel with the cooling end of the thread and quickly spun it to extract additional fiber from the molten glass. At fairs, it was the custom of itinerant craftsmen to spin glass fibers into decorations and ornaments for collectors. However, this material proved to be unsuitable for most purposes, as the tattered, brittle threads could only extend up to ten feet, which was the circle of the largest reels.

But by the middle of the 1870s, the finest glass fibers were finer than silk, and they could be combined to create faux ostrich feathers that could be used to adorn hats or woven into garments. Spun glass cloth in white had a silvery appearance, whereas fibers extracted from yellow-orange glass had a golden hue.

Before their thermal and electrical insulating qualities were recognised and techniques for creating continuous filaments were discovered, glass fibers were essentially a novelty in the 1930s. Glass is supplied directly from a glass-melting furnace into a bushing, a container punctured with hundreds of tiny nozzles, where it emerges in fine streams, as part of the modern manufacturing process. The streams of glass are collected into a single strand and wrapped onto a reel as they solidify.

Question 29. Which of the following aspects of glass fiber does the passage mainly discuss?

- A. The major development in its production
- B. Its relationship with pottery making
- C. Important inventors in its long history

D. Modern applications of glass fibers

Question 30. The word coarse is closest in meaning to _____.

A. decorative

B. natural

C. crude

D. weak

Question 31. Why was there nothing written about the making of Renaissance glass fiber until the seventeenth century?

A. Glassmakers were unhappy with the quality of the fibers they could make.

B. Glassmakers did not want to reveal the methods they used.

C. Few people were interested in the Renaissance style of glass fibers.

D. Production methods had been well known for a long time.

Question 32. According to the passage, using a hot glass tube rather than a wheel to pull fibers from molten glass made the fibers _____.

A. quicker to cool

B. harder to bend

C. shorter and more easily broken

D. longer and more durable

Question 33. The phrase this material refers to _____.

A. glass fibers

B. ornaments

C. decorations

D. novelties for collec

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 34 to 40.

Real, or original, pizza is an art: the pizzaiolo - the specialist pizza chef - is baker, fire stoker and cook. A wood-burning oven is an essential part of the proceedings. However, before the pizzas get to the fire, they have to be properly shaped and it was this procedure that was causing me all the grief.

Francesco Sarritzu, the pizzaiolo at The Park restaurant in Queen's Park, London, where I went to be trainee for the evening, made it look easy. He showed me what to do and I tried to take it in. The chilled dough balls, pre-weighed at 170g, were all ready in a special fridge below the work counter. The dough was sticky and Francesco worked fast. First, it was dropped into a large pile of flour and then it was mixed with a small handful of polenta.

From here it was all hands. He pressed out the dough with his fingers, all the time working in flour and pressing the edges out until a small round circle had emerged. He then threw it into his hands, twirling it to shake off the excess flour. He did not toss it in the air. "Tossing is for show," he said disdainfully. "It is not necessary." Once the flour was shaken off, he put the dough onto the steel work surface with one half of it hanging over the edge. One hand pressed and stretched and the other pulled in the opposite direction. Before you could say 'pizza Margherita', there was a perfect circle ready to be topped.

I moved nervously into position to have a go at achieving the same result myself. I scooped up a piece of dough from its snug tray. It immediately stuck to my fingers and when I threw it at the flour, it just remained stuck. I had to pull it off. The first bit is easy, or so it seems, but unless you follow the right procedure you sow the seeds of later failure.

The object is to press out the edges, not the centre, using the flour to dry out the stickiness. However, the temptation to press everything in sight to make it stretch into a circular shape is too strong; before I knew it, I had thick edges and a thin centre. Then, a hole appeared in the centre. I was defeated. My second pizza went where the first one had gone: on the fire. We all watched it go up in flames.

Later Francesco showed me that there was a point in the deep oven away from the fire, where the pizzas go when they are first put into the oven. That is putting the long handle deep into the oven, feeling the heat on the arms, and bringing it back sharply.

Question 34. What is the best title of the passage?

- E. The ingredients of pizza making
- F. The difficulties of pizza making**
- G. The devices for pizza making
- H. The techniques of pizza making

Question 35. The word "**temptation**" in paragraph 5 is opposite in meaning to _____.

- B. despair**
 - B. attraction
 - C. encouragement
 - D. inducement
- Question 36.** All of the following is true about how Francesco made pizza **EXCEPT** _____.

- E. stretching the dough
- F. pressing out the dough
- G. shaking off the flour
- H. tossing it into the air**

Question 37. The word "**polenta**" in paragraph 2 is probably a(n)

- A. ingredient**
- B. device
- C. utensil
- D. appliance

Question 38. The word "**It**" in paragraph 4 refers to

- A. position
- B. tray
- C. dough**
- D. result

Question 39. The passage indicates that the second pizza the author made _____.

- B. got burnt**
- B. was successful
- C. looked mouth-washing
- D. tasted delicious

Question 40. Which of the following can be inferred from the last paragraph?

- A. Not all the positions in the oven to first put pizzas in are of equal importance.**
- B. Every pizza chef is aware of where pizzas should be first put.
- C. Temperature felt on the arms does not affect the quality of pizzas.
- D. How pizzas are brought back from the oven does not matter.

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Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from that of the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

- Question 1:** A. place B. plan C. habit D. attract
- Question 2:** A. waste B. search C. support D. cause

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of stress in each of the following questions.

Question 3: A. success B. respect C. support D. grateful
 Question 4: A. gratitude B. connection C. groceries D.
 character

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 5: I think I _____ my paper and cardboard to help save trees.

A. recycle B. am going to recycle C. will recycle D. am recycling

Question 6: Mary had to look after her younger brother when her parents are on business, _____?

A. hadn't she B. didn't she C. had she D. did she

Question 7: The movie last night was _____ than I thought it would be.

A. scary B. scarier C. the scariest D. more scary

Question 8: This house is going _____ by my mother

A. Sold B. to be sold C. to sold D. to sell

Question 7: We should _____ rubbish we see on the beach to keep the environment clean and safe for marine life.

A. turn off B. set up C. break down D. pick up

Read the following advertisement/ announcement and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 10 to 15.

Camford Museum

The exhibition here is based (10) _____ large models showing how living creatures use their amazing skills in the wild. Dress up like (11) _____ jungle creature to discover how they deal with a (12) _____ environment. Or help build a model of a giraffe - and even get one from the shop to take away!

Question 10: A. in B. around C. at D. behind

Question 11: A. a B. an C. the D. Ø

Question 12: A. changer B. changing C. changed D.
 change

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE TEAM BUILDING EVENT

The school Young Pioneer Manager would like to announce

▲ All pioneers are (13) _____ present by 5:30 on Dec 29.

▲ No mobile devices. Just put on the organization's (14) _____

▲ **(15)**_____ parents have any questions, please contact the Manager at 0974042062 for further information.

Question 13. A. had to be B. due to C. required to be
D. going to

Question 14. A. participant B. uniform C. member
D. event

Question 15. A. Had B. Do C. Should
D. Were

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions.

Question 16:

- a. First, doing housework helps children develop some important life skills such as doing the laundry, cleaning the house or taking care of others.
- b. They will certainly need those skills in their lives later, when they start their own families.
- c. I think children should do housework for a number of reasons.
- d. Second, children can learn to take responsibility when they do housework. They know that they have to do something even though they don't like to do it.
- e. So doing housework is really good for children and I believe that they should do it.

A. e-c-a-b-d
b-d

Question 17:

- a. Dear John, when we look at the positive aspect of social media, we find numerous advantages.
- b. Firstly, it is a great device for education.
- c. Moreover, live lectures are now possible because of social media, so you can attend a lecture happening in America while sitting in India.
- d. Most importantly, it also provides a great platform for young budding artists to showcase their talent for free.
- e. Best wishes.

f. Students can educate themselves on various topics using social media.

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

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 18 to 23.

Many young people strive to be independent. (18) _____, and you don't have to rely on anyone else. However, to live independently, you need a number of life skills in order not to (19) _____ and older brothers or sisters. One of the most important skills is time management (20) _____ and self-esteem. With good time management skills, you can perform (21) _____, including your responsibilities at school and at home with pleasing results. Moreover, you will not feel stressed when exam dates are approaching. These skills can also help you act more independently and responsibly, get better grades at school and (22) _____.

Developing time-management skills is not as challenging as you may think. Firstly, make a plan for things you need to do, including appointments and deadlines. Using a diary or apps on mobile devices will remind you of what you need to accomplish and when you need to accomplish it. Secondly, prioritize your activities. You need to decide which tasks are the most urgent and important. Thirdly, develop routines because routines, when established, take less time for you to do your tasks.

Time management skills are not hard to develop; once you master them, you will find out that they are great keys to success and (23) _____.

Question 18:

take care of yourself

A. meaning you are able to

B. What means you are able to take care of yourself

C. That means you are able to take care of yourself

D. meant you are able to take care of yourself

Question 19:

depended on your parents

A. depend on your parents **B.**

C. to have depended on your parents **D.** depending on your parents

Question 20:

confidence

A. can help you build your

B. which can help you build your confidence

C. where can help you build your confidence

D. can be helped to build your confidence

Question 21:

daily tasks

A. their daily tasks **B.** our

C. my daily tasks

D. your daily tasks

Question 22:

friends time

A. have more for family and

B. family and friends have more time for

C. have more time for your family and friends

D. family and friends have for more time

Question 23:

independent.

independent.

A. you can become

B. her can become

C. this is can become independent.

independent

D. that is can become

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 24 to 28.

Lifelong learning means never stopping to discover new things, even when you're all grown up. It's like an exciting adventure **(24)** _____ never ends! **(25)** _____, it's different from school learning because you get to choose what you want to learn about. **(26)** _____ people believe that learning doesn't just happen in classrooms—it's everywhere! You can learn from books, from asking questions, from **(27)** _____ new things, and even from **(28)** _____ mistakes. Lifelong learning helps you become smarter, more confident, and better at doing things you love. It's like a superpower that makes life more interesting and fun!

Question 24.

A. who

B. that

C. what

D. whom

Question 25.

A. In addition

B. However

C. Although

D.

Moreover

Question 26.

A. Each

B. Much

C. Many

D. Every

Question 27.

A. jumping

B. buying

C. trying

D.

standing

Question 28.

A. taking

B. doing

C. getting

D.

making

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 29 to 33.

Each country has many good people who take care of others. For example, some of students in the United States often spend many hours as volunteers in hospitals, orphanages or homes for the elderly. They read books to the people in

these places, or they just visit them and play games with them or listen to their problems.

Other young volunteers go and work in the homes of people who are sick or old. They paint, clean up, or repair their houses, do the shopping. For boys who don't have fathers, there is an organization called Big Brothers. College students and other men take these boys to basketball games or on fishing trips and help them to get to know things those boys usually learn from their fathers.

Each city has a number of clubs where boys and girls can go and play games. Some of these clubs show movies or hold short trip to the mountains, the beaches, museums, or other places of interest. Most of these clubs use a lot of students as volunteers because they are young enough to understand the problems of younger boys and girls.

Question 29. What do volunteers usually do to help those who are sick or old in their homes?

- A. They do the shopping, and repair or clean up their house.
- B. They tell them stories and sing dance for them.
- C. They cool, sew, and wash their clothes.
- D. They take them to basketball games.

Question 30. What do they help boys whose fathers do not live with them?

- A. To learn things about their fathers.
- B. To get to know thing about their fathers.
- C. To get to know things that boys want from their fathers.
- D. To learn things that boys usually learn from their fathers.

Question 31 .Which activities are NOT available for the students at the clubs?

- A. playing games
- B. learning photography
- C. going to interest places
- D. watching films

Question 32. Why do they use many students as volunteers? – Because_____.

- A. they can understand the problems of younger boys and girls.
- B. they have a lot of free time.
- C. they know how to do the work.
- D. they are good at playing games and learning new things.

Question 33. Where don't students often do volunteer work?

- A. hospitals
- B. orphanages
- C. clubs
- D. homes for the elderly

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions from 34 to 40.

In a statistical report released by WHO, around 13 million deaths happen each year due to environmental issues. To make it worse, multiple diseases are a result of surviving in a low-quality environment. Lung diseases, asthma, stroke, issues in the heart are some of the examples. Green living such as making environment-friendly and sustainable food choices, energy conservation can help reduce pollution to some extent.

Firstly, the consumption of healthier foods can contribute to reducing pollution. People can start by consuming eco-friendly foods by buying from local farmers, buying organic and seasonal foods, etc. **They** are made of fewer pesticides that go into human bodies. Too much exposure to pesticides harms the natural hormones present in the human body and as a result, people face many health issues like lack of immunity, hormonal changes and also cancer.

Secondly, through energy conservation, people are saving both natural resources as well as money. The light bulbs and other electrical appliances that are available in the market produce 2.3 billion tons of carbon dioxide, which pollutes the air **severely**. Today there are LED bulbs available in the market that are eco-friendly and also save energy. Using such energy-efficient appliances reduces up to 30% of the annual electricity bill.

Adapted from: <https://www.greenjournal.co.uk/2021/03/how-green-living-is-so-important-in-our-lives/>

Question 34: What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. The effects of environment B. The benefits of green living
C. The consumption of healthier foods D. Low-quality environment and diseases

Question 35: The word “**severely**” in paragraph 3 is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

- A. seriously B. trivially C. moderately D. personally

Question 36: The word “**They**” in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. local farmers B. people C. eco-friendly foods D. health issues

Question 37: According to paragraph 1, which disease cannot be caused by environmental issues?

- A. asthma B. fevers C. heart diseases D. lung diseases

Question 38: According to paragraph 2, why should people buy eco-friendly foods?

- A. because they contain fewer pesticides. B. because they are cheaper.

- C. because they can encourage hormonal changes. D. because they can cure cancer.

Question 39: According to paragraph 3, what is true about LED bulbs and energy-efficient appliances?

- A. They produce more pollution. B. They are expensive.
C. They harm natural resources. D. They save energy and money.

Question 40: Which of the following is NOT TRUE according to the passage?

- A. 13 million people die each year because of the environmental issues.
B. Using energy-saving appliances can reduce 30% of people's electricity bills each year.
C. Pesticides cause many health risks.
D. The natural hormones can not be harmed by pesticides.

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2. D	7. B	12. B	17. C	22. C	27. B	32. A	37. B
3. D	8. B	13. c	18. C	23. A	28. D	33. C	38. A
4. B	9. D	14. B	19. A	24. B	29. A	34. B	39. D
5. C	10. B	15. C	20. B	25. A	30. D	35. A	40. D