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Họ và tên học sinh: ……………………………………… Số báo danh: ………….……………………..……………

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

# Explore Highfield House

*Come and enjoy 300 years of history in a day! Highfield House is one of Britain’s finest old buildings, with good (1) of the beautiful North Norfolk coast.*

# A living museum

Until recently, it was the home of the Highfield family. Now, (2) , this classic 18th-century hall is a living museum (3) of art and history, where many old objects can be enjoyed by the public.

# Attractions for everyone

Highfield House really does have something for everyone. There are so (4) attractions, from the state rooms to the picnic places. You can even have a (5) on the water if the weather is suitable.

# Guided tours

Enjoy a guided tour of the House, starting with the beautiful entrance, and (6) through the various rooms. The tour ends in the old kitchen.

(Adapted from *PET*)

**Question 1. A.** scenes **B.** sights **C.** views **D.** looks **Question 2. A.** however **B.** although **C.** therefore **D.** because **Question 3. A.** open **B.** filled **C.** full **D.** complete **Question 4. A.** any **B.** many **C.** much **D.** some **Question 5. A.** journey **B.** travel **C.** walk **D.** trip **Question 6. A.** put away **B.** take out **C.** look for **D.** carry on

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

Are you ready to create TikTok content that will make you feel (7) and become a star? Our TikTok Masterclass is the (8) for you! Whether you're a beginner or want to take your TikTok game to the next level, this course will teach you everything you need. From filming tips to understanding the latest trends, everything will be covered in the course, (9) you the essential skills and knowledge to succeed. You’ll also learn how to build your audience and make your videos go (10) . Our expert instructors have helped many students gain thousands of (11) . The course is 100% online, so you can learn (12) your own pace, anytime, anywhere. Sign up today to become a TikTok sensation!

(Adapted from [*https://www.behance.net*](https://www.behance.net/))

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| **Question 7. A.** amaze | **B.** amazed | **C.** amazing | **D.** amazingly |
| **Question 8. A.** truly perfect place | **B.** truly place perfect | **C.** perfect truly place | **D.** place perfect truly |
| **Question 9. A.** to give | **B.** giving | **C.** is given | **D.** which gave |
| **Question 10. A.** viral | **B.** crazy | **C.** green | **D.** wrong |
| **Question 11. A.** teachers | **B.** friends | **C.** followers | **D.** spectators |
| **Question 12. A.** in | **B.** by | **C.** at | **D.** with |

## Read the following passage about being a responsible digital citizen and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 17.

As digital technology continues to shape our lives, understanding its impact becomes increasingly important. In today's world, digital technology, as a powerful force, (13) . Because many of us spend more time online, it is more important than ever to understand how to be a responsible digital citizen.

A responsible digital citizen uses technology thoughtfully and encourages others to do the same. They are mindful of their online behavior, always striving to be polite and respectful, (14) . They also respect others’ privacy by not sharing photos or discussing personal information without permission, as doing so can put online security at risk. By acting in this way, digital citizens contribute to making the digital space safer and more comfortable for everyone.

(15) . They know there are many risks online. They understand that fake websites and scams try to steal personal information like usernames and bank account numbers. These dangers can cause big problems, which is why digital citizens stay careful and take steps to protect themselves.

If a digital citizen faces a scam, they should report it to the cyber police officers. (16) . By doing so, digital citizens can make the internet a safer place for everyone. Even though many people know how to stay safe online, (17) . By being responsible, we can make sure that everyone can enjoy the digital world without putting themselves or others in danger.

(Adapted from *Bright)*

**Question 13. A.** that is becoming an integral element of our everyday life

**B.** has become an essential part of our daily routines

**C.** which has become an essential part of our daily routines

**D.** becoming an integral element of our everyday life

**Question 14. A.** who helps others to prevent harmful online interactions

**B.** helped others avoid unpleasant online experiences

**C.** which helps others avoid negative online experiences

**D.** and helps others escape harmful online interactions

**Question 15. A.** The increasing online risks encourage responsible actions

**B.** Responsible digital citizens are also aware of online risks

**C.** The increasing online risks require constant awareness

**D.** Responsible digital citizens are hardly aware of online risks

**Question 16. A.** Others cannot be tricked by scammers

**B.** It might make scammers trick others

**C.** This helps stop scammers from tricking others

**D.** Scammers are prevented from tricking others

**Question 17. A.** there is no risk at all **B.** there is no one who is at risk

**C.** no risks can be found online **D.** there are still some people who are at risk ***Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best arrangement of utterances or sentences to make a meaningful exchange or text in each of the following questions from 18 to 22.***

# Question 18.

* 1. Debbie: It was cloudy every day, but it didn't rain.
  2. Peter: Really? It was lovely and sunny on our holiday in Spain.
  3. Peter: What was the weather like in Portugal, Debbie?

(Adapted from *KET*)

**A.** b – a – c **B.** c – a – b **C.** c – b – a **D.** a – c – b

# Question 19.

1. Sam: It starts at quarter to two but we need tickets, so let’s meet at the cinema at quarter past one.
2. Helen: OK. What time?
3. Helen: How long is the film?
4. Sam: Would you like to see a film this afternoon?
5. Sam: One and a half hours.

(Adapted from *KET*)

**A.** d – c – b – a – e **B.** d – b – a – c – e **C.** a – d – b – c – e **D.** a – b – d – e – c

# Question 20.

Hi Paul,

1. I’m having an excellent time here in Lyon and learning a lot of new words on my language course.
2. How’s everything at home?
3. I’m sending this email to you from France!
4. They’ve also got a pool in the garden and after college I often go swimming.
5. I’m staying with a great family. There are two teenage boys and one of them has got a computer in his room. Write to me soon.

Kenny

(Adapted from *KET*)

**A.** c – a – e – d – b **B.** a – c – e – d – b **C.** c – d – a – e – b **D.** e – c – d – a – b

# Question 21.

1. Cities offer a wide range of job opportunities that are not available in rural areas.
2. The high population density in cities often results in traffic jams and higher levels of pollution.
3. Moreover, urban areas provide better access to services and amenities such as education, healthcare, and entertainment, which are essential for improving the quality of life.
4. One of the main driving forces behind urbanization is the search for employment.
5. Despite these advantages of urbanization, there are significant drawbacks.

(Adapted from *IELTS Reading*)

**A.** d – a – e – b – c **B.** d – a – c – e – b **C.** d – c – a – b – e **D.** d – a – b – c – e

# Question 22.

1. As a result, we are losing important skills because there are fewer shoemakers than before.
2. My main problem is that I cannot find skilled shoemakers.
3. These days, many young people prefer to work with computers.
4. Therefore, I want to teach young people everything I know about making shoes.
5. It is a good job, and many people still want to buy beautiful shoes especially made for them.

(Adapted from *PET*)

**A.** c – b – a – d – e **B.** a – b – c – d – e **C.** b – d – a – c – e **D.** b – c – a – d – e

## Read the passage about the multiculturalism in Vietnam and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 23 to 30.

Multiculturalism is no longer an unfamiliar term as it exists in many nations worldwide. It is usual to see Asian immigrants wear Hanbok, Kimono, or Indian people practice “Namaste” in developed countries like Germany, France, or the USA. But in Vietnam - a developing country, can multiculturalism still be found? The answer is yes. Multiculturalism in Vietnam comes from the cultures of 54 ethnic groups coexisting across the nation. It is growing, with cultural diversity visible in **multiple** aspects.

**Vietnam’s multiculturalism is reflected in its cuisine and ethnic groups.** Citizens of northern Vietnam cook their meals with light-flavoured but very well-prepared dishes, while people from the south prefer adding various spices, especially sugar and fish sauce to their dishes. Even within a small region, each ethnic group has their own traditional food such as five-color sticky rice of Tay people or grilled fish of Thai people.

Regarding traditional clothing, Ao dai is **widely** seen as the national costume of Vietnam, but it is mostly worn by Kinh people. Other ethnic groups have their unique traditional garments. For example, the Khmer people, influenced by Thai culture, often wear Sarong.

Various cultures and ethnicities contribute to the rich diversity of Vietnam. The country's numerous regions each have distinct traditions, languages, and customs. Different as it may seem, Vietnamese people, no matter what ethnic group **they** come from, are similar in terms of physical features, as all share the same origin of Southeastern Asian ancestors. Therefore, there is not much racism and racial tension within the country.

(Adapted from *Friends Global)*

**Question 23.** The word **multiple** in paragraph 1 is OPPOSITE in meaning to .

**A.** complex **B.** single **C.** several **D.** diverse

**Question 24.** Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 2?

1. The food and ethnic groups of Vietnam show its multiculturalism
2. Multiculturalism in Vietnam can be found in its ethnic groups.
3. Vietnamese food and ethnic groups are the most important features of its multiculturalism.
4. Vietnamese culture is only shown through its food and ethnic groups.

**Question 25.** The word **widely** in paragraph 3 could be best replaced by .

**A.** specially **B.** commonly **C.** rarely **D.** suddenly

**Question 26.** The word **they** in paragraph 4 refers to .

**A.** various cultures **B.** distinct traditions **C.** Vietnamese people **D.** numerous regions

**Question 27.** Which of the following is NOT mentioned as an example of Vietnam’s multiculturalism?

**A.** cuisine **B.** clothing **C.** customs **D.** religions

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

1. Multiculturalism can only be seen in narrow aspects of life in Vietnam.
2. Southern Vietnamese cuisine often uses sugar and fish sauce.
3. People from the north of Vietnam prefer simply prepared meals.
4. Ao dai is the national costume of Vietnam, worn by all Vietnamese people.

**Question 29.** In which paragraph does the writer mention the number of ethnic groups in Vietnam?

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

**Question 30.** In which paragraph does the writer mention the similar appearance of ethnic groups in Vietnam?

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

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

As we move deeper into the 21st century, the landscape of work is undergoing a significant transformation. The traditional office setup, long considered the key element of professional environments, is facing a serious challenge from remote work. This shift occurred due to several factors, most notably the global COVID-19 pandemic, which forced many businesses to rapidly adapt to a remote working model.

The advantages of remote work are undeniable. For many employees, the ability to work from home provides a level of flexibility that was previously unimaginable. Without the need for long commutes, employees can save

valuable time and money, which can then be used for personal growth or leisure activities. This flexibility also allows

**them** to better balance their professional and personal lives, leading to improved mental health and job satisfaction.

**[I]** Moreover, remote work offers significant cost-saving opportunities for businesses. **[II]** Companies can reduce expenses by downsizing office space, cutting bills, and minimizing the need for physical infrastructure. **[III]** For businesses with a global workforce, remote work eliminates geographical barriers, enabling them to access talent pools from across the world. **[IV]**

However, despite these benefits, remote work is not without its challenges. One of the most cited concerns is the lack of **in-person interaction**, which can lead to feelings of isolation among employees. In an office setting, employees have the opportunity to engage in casual conversations, build stronger relationships with colleagues, and collaborate more effectively. These social interactions play a crucial role in fostering creativity and innovation, which are often harder to achieve in a remote work environment.

**Additionally, some employers have raised concerns about productivity in a remote setting.** Without the physical presence of managers, it can be more difficult to monitor employee performance and ensure that tasks are being completed on time. There is also the risk of employees being distracted by their home environment, which may not always be **conducive** to focused work.

(Adapted from *IELTS Reading*)

**Question 31.** The word **them** in paragraph 2 refers to .

**A.** advantages **B.** commutes **C.** activities **D.** employees

**Question 32.** According to paragraph 2, which of the following is NOT an advantage of remote work for employees?

**A.** increased average salary **B.** improved mental health

**C.** saved time for personal growth **D.** enhanced job satisfaction

**Question 33.** Where in paragraph 3 does the following sentence best fit?

# This global access to talent can provide companies with an advantage.

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

**Question 34.** Which of the following best summarises paragraph 3?

**A.** Remote work eliminates geographical barriers and allows employees to save money.

**B.** Companies save money while providing employees with better career opportunities

**C.** Remote work ensures that companies no longer require physical infrastructure.

**D.** Businesses can significantly reduce costs and access global talent through remote work.

**Question 35.** The phrase **in-person interaction** in paragraph 4 could be replaced by .

**A.** online collaboration **B.** virtual meetings

**C.** face-to-face communication **D.** stronger connections

**Question 36.** The word **conducive** in paragraph 5 is OPPOSITE in meaning to .

**A.** harmful **B.** useful **C.** helpful **D.** careful

**Question 37.** Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 5?

**A.** Moreover, concerns about productivity have made some employers reject remote work.

**B.** Furthermore, some employers have expressed worries about productivity in remote work.

**C.** Moreover, employers believe that productivity improves greatly when employees work from home.

**D.** Furthermore, productivity issues in remote work environments have been ignored by employers.

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

**A.** The COVID-19 pandemic was a major factor in the shift to remote work.

**B.** Businesses prefer remote work to reduce communication needs.

**C.** Remote work guarantees improved mental health for all employees.

**D.** Remote work eliminates all barriers to productivity.

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

**A.** Employees working remotely experience fewer distractions than those working in the office.

**B.** The global shift to remote work has solved most of the problems raised by modern workplaces.

**C.** Employees working remotely no longer require supervision from their managers.

**D.** Businesses face challenges in maintaining productivity and fostering creativity in remote settings.

**Question 40.** Which of the following best summarises the passage?

**A.** The global COVID-19 pandemic has permanently eliminated the need for office spaces as remote work takes over.

**B.** Remote work offers unlimited benefits to businesses and employees, with no significant downsides.

**C.** Remote work offers flexibility and cost-saving benefits, but it also poses challenges in productivity and social interaction.

**D.** Employees benefit from remote work, while companies struggle to adapt to the new model.

**----------THE END---------**