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- b. Ann: Hey Tommy, how's everything going with your new job?
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- a. Kelly: Yes, their sacrifices helped shape the Vietnam we know today. It's a story of resilience and patriotism.
- b. Kelly: Hi Tim, I've always been inspired by the courage of the Vietnamese soldiers during the war. Their determination was unmatched.
- c. Tim: Hey Kelly, absolutely. They fought not only for their freedom but also for the future of their country.
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  - b. It's amazing to witness how people adapt to a constantly changing environment while holding onto their heritage.
  - c. Despite all the changes, I noticed that the local markets and small businesses still maintain their traditional charm.
  - d. I spent some time walking through new neighborhoods that were once fields and forests, and it was fascinating to see how the city has expanded
  - e. I wanted to share with you my recent experience visiting a city that has undergone rapid urbanization in the past few years.
- Looking forward to hearing your thoughts on this topic.  
Best regards,  
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- a. Besides, I excel in my classes, consistently achieving high scores.
- b. I'm a responsible high school student looking for a part – time job that will allow me to gain valuable experience.
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- d. But academics aren't my only strength – I'm also really organized.
- e. I believe I have great teamwork skills as I'm always happy to work with others and contribute my ideas to achieve a common goal.

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**Question 17.**

- a. Green living is essential for protecting our planet, and one way to support it is by conserving natural habitats, which are increasingly threatened by urban expansion.
- b. In addition, we educate children about the importance of maintaining habitats, hoping to create a generation that understands the value of sustainability.
- c. By joining Habitat Earth, you can help protect nature, whether by volunteering or donating to our cause.
- d. We also rescue animals displaced by urban growth, and volunteers work hard to reintroduce them to their natural environments.
- e. At Habitat Earth, we focus on preventing the destruction of wildlife homes, and over the past decade, our campaigns have raised awareness about the damage caused by construction projects.

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

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

Parenting a teenager is never easy. You may feel exhausted from lying awake at night worrying about where your child is, who they're with, and what they're doing. You may despair over failed attempts to communicate, the endless fights, and the open defiance, (18)\_\_\_\_\_

Sometimes it may be hard to believe, but no, your teenager is not an alien being from a distant planet. (19)\_\_\_\_\_. A teenager's brain is still actively developing, therefore processes information differently than a mature adult's brain. The frontal cortex—the part of the brain used to manage emotions, make decisions, reason, and control inhibitions—is restructured during the teenage years, forming new synapses at an incredible rate, while the whole brain (20)\_\_\_\_\_

Your teen may be taller than you and seem mature in some respects, but often they are simply unable to think things through on an adult level.(21)\_\_\_\_\_. Now, these biological differences don't excuse teens' poor behavior or absolve them from accountability for their actions, but they may help explain why teens behave so impulsively or frustrate parents and teachers with their poor decisions, social anxiety, and rebelliousness. Understanding adolescent development can help you find ways to stay connected to your teen and overcome problems together.

It's also important to remember that while teenagers are individuals with unique personalities and their own likes and dislikes, some traits are universal. No matter how much your teen seems to withdraw from you emotionally, no matter how independent your teen appears, or how troubled your teen becomes, (22)\_\_\_\_\_

Source: <https://www.helpguide.org/family/parenting/helping-troubled-teens>

**Question 18.**

- A. leaving you overwhelmed and wondering how to manage such constant challenges.
- B. not to mention the moodiness, the intense emotions, and the impulsive and reckless conduct.
- C. makes you question whether anything you say or do truly makes a difference.
- D. but you may wonder if your relationship is slipping further out of control.

**Question 19.**

- A. However they are wired differently.
- B. Therefore, teenagers always act like adults.
- C. Consequently, all their actions are intentional.
- D. Meanwhile, they are fully mature physically.

**Question 20.**

- A. becomes less developing in early teens
- B. does not reach full maturity until about the mid-20's
- C. becomes fully mature at 18
- D. develops faster than the frontal cortex

**Question 21.**

- A. Nevertheless, teenagers always make rational decisions
- B. Physical growth automatically ensures emotional maturity
- C. Teens have no control over their emotions at this stage
- D. Hormones produced during adolescence can further complicate things

**Question 22.**

- A. your presence in their life still matters greatly.
- B. they rely on you more than you may realize.
- C. some traits are universal
- D. they are still looking to you for stability.

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

Artificial Intelligence (AI) is poised to revolutionize the future of work in the United States (US), promising increased productivity and specialization across industries while reshaping job roles. AI's deployment, driven by machine learning and neural networks, enhances decision-making processes and automates routine tasks, particularly in sectors like healthcare where **it** improves diagnostics and operational efficiencies.

However, the widespread adoption of AI in the US also poses challenges, especially in industries reliant on repetitive tasks. Jobs in sectors such as food service and clerical work face high automation risks, potentially exacerbating economic disparities, particularly in rural communities where these jobs are **prevalent**. Addressing these challenges requires proactive policies focusing on education reform to equip workers with the skills necessary for the evolving job market. Initiatives to bridge the digital divide and provide economic support for displaced workers transitioning to new roles are also essential.

Policy recommendations emphasize strengthening STEM education and digital literacy from early schooling through higher education to prepare the workforce for AI-driven environments. Economic measures, such as a higher minimum wage and targeted tax incentives for worker training, aim to mitigate inequality and promote economic mobility amidst technological change.

Striking a balance between technological advancement and social equity is crucial for AI in the US. By investing in education, fostering innovation, and implementing inclusive policies, the US can harness AI's potential to drive sustainable economic growth and create opportunities for all Americans. Adaptive policy frameworks, supported by collaborative efforts between government, industry, and educational institutions, will be instrumental in shaping a **resilient** future of work that benefits society as a whole.

Source: <https://innovatureinc.com/the-future-of-artificial-intelligence-in-the-us/>

**Question 23.** Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

- A. AI will thoroughly benefit high-skilled jobs while leaving low-skilled jobs unaffected.
- B. The widespread adoption of AI poses challenges primarily in sectors with high automation risks.
- C. Education reform is not really necessary for workers transitioning to AI-driven roles.
- D. Strengthening STEM education is irrelevant to preparing the workforce for AI advancements.

**Question 24.** The word **it** in paragraph 1 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. AI's deployment
- B. healthcare
- C. Artificial Intelligence
- D. the future of work

**Question 25.** In which paragraph does the writer mention the implementation of AI in the US raises problems?

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

**Question 26.** The word **prevalent** in the second paragraph is **opposite** in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. popular
- B. trendy
- C. uncommon
- D. beloved

**Question 27.** Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 2?

- A. Programs to help workers in new positions are important, as well as reducing the digital gap.
- B. It is vital to support digital connectivity and offer financial help for people shifting to new roles.
- C. Closing the digital divide and helping workers find new positions is critical.
- D. Providing support to displaced workers and reducing the digital divide is also crucial.

**Question 28.** In which paragraph does the writer mention the encouragement of early STEM education and digital literacy, alongside economic policies for fair wages and worker training?

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

**Question 29.** The word **resilient** in paragraph 4 could be best replaced by \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. sustainable
- B. hopeful
- C. successful
- D. vivid

**Question 30.** What is NOT mentioned in the last paragraph as a policy that AI’s potential is exploited in the United States?

- A. investing in education
- B. implementing inclusive policies
- C. fostering innovation
- D. reducing labors

**Read the following passage about lifelong learning 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.**

[I] In 2015, Doreetha Daniels received her associate degree in social sciences from College of the Canyons, in Santa Clarita, California. [II] But Daniels wasn’t a typical student: She was 99 years old. [III] In the press release about her graduation, Daniels indicated that she wanted to get her degree simply to better herself; her six years of school during that pursuit were a testament to her will, determination, and **commitment to learning**. [IV]

As we age, learning isn’t simply about earning degrees or attending storied institutions. Books, online courses, professional development programs, podcasts, and other resources have never been more abundant or accessible, making it easier than ever to make a habit of lifelong learning. Every day, each of us is offered the opportunity to pursue intellectual development in ways that are tailored to our learning style.

Educational investments are an economic imperative. The links between formal education and lifetime earnings are well-studied and substantial. Outside of universities, ongoing learning and skill development is essential to surviving economic and technological disruption. As many jobs are expected to disappear due to new technology, keeping up with these changes requires constant learning and self-improvement.

Learning is also positive for health. Reading, even for short periods of time, can dramatically reduce your stress levels. A recent report in Neurology noted that while cognitive activity can’t change the biology of Alzheimer’s, **it** can help delay symptoms, preserving people’s quality of life. Other research indicates that learning to play a new instrument can offset cognitive decline, and learning difficult new skills in older age is associated with improved memory. What’s more, there’s a well-studied relationship between longevity and education. Studies suggest that a year of formal education can add more than half a year to a person’s life span. Perhaps Doreetha Daniels, at 99, knows something many of us have missed.

Adapted from <https://hbr.org>

**Question 31.** Where in paragraph 1 does the following sentence best fit?

“The achievements of Daniels clearly show that determination can overcome obstacles that many people consider limiting.”

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

**Question 32.** The phrase “**commitment to learning**” in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. resistance to studying
- B. strong dedication to gaining knowledge
- C. hesitation in academic pursuits
- D. preference for traditional education

**Question 33.** The word “**It**” in paragraph 4 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. slowing the progression of Alzheimer’s symptoms
- B. understanding the biology behind Alzheimer’s disease
- C. increasing the amount of scientific research
- D. improving memory through music training

**Question 34.** According to paragraph 2, which of the following is NOT listed as a resource for lifelong learning?

- A. professional development programs
- B. online courses
- C. books
- D. community language clubs

**Question 35.** Which of the following best summarises paragraph 3?

- A. Continual skill development is essential for adapting to an evolving workforce.
- B. Modern universities are the only places where effective learning can occur.
- C. Only highly educated workers are affected by technological disruption.
- D. Economic growth depends mainly on access to online training platforms.

**Question 36.** According to the passage, learning to play a new instrument is mentioned as \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. a hobby that mainly benefits young learners
- B. an activity that can help counteract age-related cognitive decline
- C. a method used to measure levels of formal education
- D. a skill that guarantees higher lifetime earnings

**Question 37.** According to paragraph 3, educational investments \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. help people cope with changes caused by new technology
- B. have become less necessary because automation will replace most types of learning
- C. serve primarily to improve one's social status rather than practical skills
- D. mainly increase stress in the workplace

**Question 38.** Which of the following best paraphrases the idea expressed in the underlined sentence in paragraph 4?

- A. Studies show that picking up a new instrument or challenging skills in later life can help maintain memory and prevent mental decline.
- B. Research suggests that learning musical instruments and complex skills in older age may improve memory and slow cognitive deterioration.
- C. Evidence indicates that older adults who take on new instruments or difficult tasks can reduce cognitive decline and enhance memory.
- D. Other studies reveal that acquiring new skills or learning instruments later in life supports memory and combats mental decline.

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

- A. Older adults seldom experience benefits from learning new skills.
- B. Today's learners can access more varied educational tools than in the past.
- C. Online education is rapidly replacing all traditional learning environments.
- D. Cognitive improvement occurs when learning begins early in life.

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

- A. Educational achievement mainly affects career success but has little impact on health.
- B. Lifelong learning supports intellectual growth, personal well-being, and long-term health benefits.
- C. Changing technology has reduced the need for people to learn continuously.
- D. Lifelong learning is limited to formal academic programs at established institutions.

\_\_\_\_\_ **The end** \_\_\_\_\_

## ĐÁP ÁN VÀ GIẢI THÍCH CHI TIẾT

1.C	2.D	3.B	4.C	5.D	6.A	7.A	8.C	9.D	10.B
11.B	12.B	13.D	14.A	15.B	16.C	17.D	18.B	19.A	20.B

21.D	22.C	23.B	24.C	25.B	26.C	27.B	28.C	29.A	30.D
31.D	32.B	33.A	34.D	35.A	36.B	37.A	38.B	39.B	40.B

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

### Yoga Practice for a Healthier Life

Are you looking to improve your overall health and well-being? Our Yoga Practice Center offers (1) \_\_\_\_\_ yoga classes with the most relaxing types of yoga for all levels, designed to fit your busy schedule. From beginner to advanced, we have classes (2) \_\_\_\_\_ you through every step of your yoga journey. Enjoy the (3) \_\_\_\_\_ to enhance your focus and calm your mind.

Our certified instructors, trained by top professionals, will ensure you learn safe practices that benefit your body. Classes (4) \_\_\_\_\_ at various times throughout the week, giving you flexibility to join as per your convenience. Take the first step toward a better you by choosing (5) \_\_\_\_\_ our sessions today! The first session is free for newcomers, so why wait? Build strength, improve flexibility, and discover the benefits of yoga with us. (6) \_\_\_\_\_ to enhance both body and mind awaits you at our center.

**Question 1:** A. a volume of      B. a quality of      C. a wide range of      D. a great deal of

**Question 2:** A. that guides      B. to guide      C. guided      D. guiding

**Question 3:** A. traditional technique of breathing      B. traditional breathing techniques  
C. technique traditional breathing      D. breathing technique traditional

**Question 4:** A. have held      B. were held      C. are held      D. hold

**Question 5:** A. joined      B. joining      C. joins      D. to join

**Question 6:** A. A      B. X      C. An      D. The

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**Giải thích:** Cụm từ chỉ lượng a wide range of + yoga classes- danh từ đếm được số nhiều

**Question 2:** A. that guides      B. to guide      C. guided      D. guiding

**Giải thích:** Trong câu From beginner to advanced, we have classes (2) \_\_\_\_\_ you through every step of your yoga journey. Chỗ trống cần điền là MĐQH that/which guide được rút gọn thành guiding.

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**Giải thích:** Trật tự từ cần điền là adj-n-n, đáp án B: Kỹ thuật thở truyền thống

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**Giải thích:** Classes (4) \_\_\_\_\_ at various times throughout the week, giving you flexibility to join as per your convenience.- chỗ trống cần điền là động từ bị động are held - Các lớp học được tổ chức....

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**Giải thích:** Dạng của động từ: choose to V

**Question 6:** A. A      B. X      C. An      D. The

**Giải thích:** Mạo từ chưa xác định a/an đứng đầu danh từ đếm được số ít, a great way

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 7 to 12.

### Speak English with Confidence!

Let's explore simple ways to improve your English-speaking skills every day!

 **Why Speaking English Matters:** Speaking English fluently helps in education, career growth, and making international friends. Many people avoid speaking English (7) \_\_\_\_\_ they feel nervous. However, some people (8) \_\_\_\_\_ that effort and practice can build confidence.

### Effective Strategies to Improve!

- **Speak daily:** Try to talk in English at home, school, or work. This will help improve your confidence.
- **Listen and learn:** Watching English movies and listening to podcasts can improve listening skills and pronunciation.
- **Think in English:** Instead of translating from your native language, (9) \_\_\_\_\_ your thoughts in English.
- **Practice with** (10) \_\_\_\_\_: Join speaking clubs or find a language partner to boost (11) \_\_\_\_\_ confidence.

• **Read aloud:** Reading books, articles, or short stories aloud can enhance a higher (12) \_\_\_\_\_ of fluency.  
**Start today! Speak more, learn more, and grow more!**

Adapted from <https://www.linkedin.com>

- Question 7.** A. **because**                      B. although                      C. because of                      D. so  
**Question 8.** A. give in                      B. carry on                      C. **point out**                      D. back off  
**Question 9.** A. A. explain                      B. translate                      C. organize                      **D. form**  
**Question 10.** A. another                      **B. others**                      C. other                      D. the others  
**Question 11.** A. social                      **B. personal**                      C. mental                      D. public  
**Question 12.** A. seniority                      **B. level**                      C. ability                      D. quality

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**Giải thích:** Many people avoid speaking English (7) \_\_\_\_\_ they feel nervous. Nhiều người tránh nói Tiếng Anh vì họ cảm thấy lo lắng/ hồi hộp- Ta cần một **liên từ chỉ lý do** vì “they feel nervous” là **một mệnh đề đầy đủ**.  
→ Chỉ **because** + mệnh đề.

**Question 8.** A. give in                      B. carry on                      C. **point out**                      D. back off  
**Giải thích:** However, some people (8) \_\_\_\_\_ that effort and practice can build confidence.  
Cụm động từ point out phù hợp với nghĩa của câu nhất.

Give in: nộp (bài), đầu hàng

Carry on: Tiếp tục

Point out: Chỉ ra, nêu rõ

Back off: lùi lại

**Question 9.** A. A. explain                      B. translate                      C. organize                      **D. form**  
**Giải thích:** Instead of translating from your native language, (9) \_\_\_\_\_ your thoughts in English.  
**form your thoughts** = hình thành suy nghĩ.

**Question 10.** A. another                      **B. others**                      C. other                      D. the others

**Giải thích:** others = những người khác (danh từ số nhiều, không xác định).

Nghĩa câu: “Hãy luyện tập với những người khác.”

another = một cái/người khác (số ít).

other + danh từ: “practice with other people” (thiếu danh từ → sai).

the others = những cái/người còn lại (một nhóm xác định) → không đúng ngữ cảnh chung chung.

**Question 11.** A. social                      **B. personal**                      C. mental                      D. public

**Giải thích:** “**boost your personal confidence**” = **tăng/thúc đẩy sự tự tin cá nhân**.

social confidence → tự tin khi giao tiếp xã hội (không đúng mục đích chung).

mental confidence → không tự nhiên.

public confidence = niềm tin của công chúng → sai hoàn toàn.

**Question 12.** A. seniority                      **B. level**                      C. ability                      D. quality

**Giải thích:** level of fluency = **mức độ lưu loát** → **collocation chuẩn**.

seniority - thâm niên.

ability of fluency - không tự nhiên.

quality of fluency - không dùng.

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b. **Ann:** Hey Tommy, how's everything going with your new job?

c. **Tommy:** Hey Ann! It's going well, but honestly, it's been pretty overwhelming. There's just so much to learn in such a short amount of time. How about you? How's life?

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

**Giải thích:**

b. Ann mở đầu: “Hey Tommy, how’s everything going...?” → câu mở đầu tự nhiên nhất.

c. Tommy trả lời câu hỏi của Ann: “Hey Ann! It’s going well...” → đúng trình tự trả lời.

a. Ann phản hồi lại lời Tommy: “Oh, you know, life’s always full of ups and downs...” → tiếp tục cuộc hội thoại.

**Question 14.**

- a. **Kelly:** Yes, their sacrifices helped shape the Vietnam we know today. It's a story of resilience and patriotism.  
 b. **Kelly:** Hi Tim, I've always been inspired by the courage of the Vietnamese soldiers during the war. Their determination was unmatched.  
 c. **Tim:** Hey Kelly, absolutely. They fought not only for their freedom but also for the future of their country.  
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**A. b-c-a-d****B. b-d-a-c****C. b-c-d-a****D. c-a-b-d****Giải thích:**

Chủ đề: sự dũng cảm và hi sinh của chiến sĩ Việt Nam.

b. Kelly mở đầu bằng việc nêu cảm hứng: tự nhiên nhất để dẫn vào chủ đề.

c. Tim trả lời trực tiếp: "Hey Kelly, absolutely. They fought..." → phản hồi câu b.

a. Kelly tiếp tục bổ sung ý của Tim về sự hi sinh và lòng yêu nước.

d. Tim kết luận về sự truyền cảm hứng của họ → phù hợp để kết thúc.

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Looking forward to hearing your thoughts on this topic.

Best regards,

Hoàng

**A. e-c-b-a-d****B. e-a-d-c-b****C. e-a-c-d-b****D. e-c-d-a-b****Giải thích:**

Đây là **một bức thư**, nên:

e phải đứng đầu vì giới thiệu lý do viết thư.

Sau đó là nội dung trải nghiệm theo trình tự **tổng** → **chi tiết**.

a. Mô tả sự thay đổi của thành phố (tổng quát).

d. Mô tả chi tiết: đi bộ trong những khu phố mới.

c. Nói về sự duy trì nét truyền thống (tự nhiên sau d).

b. Kết luận cảm nhận về sự thích ứng → thích hợp để kết thư phần nội dung.

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Đoạn văn giới thiệu bản thân xin việc.

b. Giới thiệu bản thân → phải đứng trước.

d "But academics aren't my only strength" → phải đi sau câu nói về học tập.

a nói rõ về học tập: đạt điểm cao → theo sau câu b.

e nói về kỹ năng teamwork.

c nói về quản lý thời gian → tự nhiên để kết thúc vì là kỹ năng bổ sung.

→ Chúng ta cần sắp xếp sao cho nói về học tập → các kỹ năng khác → kết luận kỹ năng làm việc.

**Question 17:**

- a. Green living is essential for protecting our planet, and one way to support it is by conserving natural habitats, which are increasingly threatened by urban expansion.
- b. In addition, we educate children about the importance of maintaining habitats, hoping to create a generation that understands the value of sustainability.
- c. By joining Habitat Earth, you can help protect nature, whether by volunteering or donating to our cause.
- d. We also rescue animals displaced by urban growth, and volunteers work hard to reintroduce them to their natural environments.
- e. At Habitat Earth, we focus on preventing the destruction of wildlife homes, and over the past decade, our campaigns have raised awareness about the damage caused by construction projects.

[Adapted from Ilearn Smart World]

A. d-e-a-b-c

B. e-a-d-b-c

C. c-e-b-d-a

**D. a-e-d-b-c**

**Giải thích:**

Đoạn văn giới thiệu về tổ chức Habitat Earth.

a nói chung về lối sống xanh → mở đề hợp lý.

e giới thiệu tổ chức Habitat Earth → phải theo sau a.

d nói về cứu động vật và hoạt động của tình nguyện viên.

b nói về giáo dục trẻ em → mở rộng thêm về hoạt động.

c kêu gọi tham gia → phải đứng cuối.

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

Parenting a teenager is never easy. You may feel exhausted from lying awake at night worrying about where your child is, who they're with, and what they're doing. You may despair over failed attempts to communicate, the endless fights, and the open defiance, (18)\_\_\_\_\_

Sometimes it may be hard to believe, but no, your teenager is not an alien being from a distant planet. (19)\_\_\_\_\_. A teenager's brain is still actively developing, therefore processes information differently than a mature adult's brain. The frontal cortex—the part of the brain used to manage emotions, make decisions, reason, and control inhibitions—is restructured during the teenage years, forming new synapses at an incredible rate, while the whole brain (20)\_\_\_\_\_

Your teen may be taller than you and seem mature in some respects, but often they are simply unable to think things through on an adult level.(21)\_\_\_\_\_. Now, these biological differences don't excuse teens' poor behavior or absolve them from accountability for their actions, but they may help explain why teens behave so impulsively or frustrate parents and teachers with their poor decisions, social anxiety, and rebelliousness. Understanding adolescent development can help you find ways to stay connected to your teen and overcome problems together.

It's also important to remember that while teenagers are individuals with unique personalities and their own likes and dislikes, some traits are universal. No matter how much your teen seems to withdraw from you emotionally, no matter how independent your teen appears, or how troubled your teen becomes, (22)\_\_\_\_\_

Source: <https://www.helpguide.org/family/parenting/helping-troubled-teens>

**Question 18.**

A. leaving you overwhelmed and wondering how to manage such constant challenges.

**B. not to mention the moodiness, the intense emotions, and the impulsive and reckless conduct.**

C. makes you question whether anything you say or do truly makes a difference.

D. but you may wonder if your relationship is slipping further out of control.

**Giải thích: Đoạn văn**

“You may despair over failed attempts to communicate, the endless fights, and the open defiance, (18)\_\_\_\_\_”

→ Trước dấu trống là **một chuỗi các khó khăn**, nên chỗ trống phải **tiếp tục liệt kê thêm những vấn đề khó khăn khác**.

A. *leaving you overwhelmed...* → diễn đạt hệ quả, **không** phù hợp với cấu trúc **liệt kê song song**.

B. *not to mention the moodiness, the intense emotions, and the impulsive and reckless conduct.* → **TIẾP TỤC LIỆT KÊ** những vấn đề khác → hợp nhất.

C. *makes you question...* → là mệnh đề độc lập → không phù hợp ngữ pháp (không song song với “the fights, the defiance...”).

D. *but you may wonder...* → thêm quan hệ đối lập, không đúng mạch liệt kê.

### Question 19.

- A. However they are wired differently.
- B. Therefore, teenagers always act like adults.
- C. Consequently, all their actions are intentional.
- D. Meanwhile, they are fully mature physically.

#### Giải thích: Đoạn văn

“Sometimes it may be hard to believe, but no, your teenager is not an alien being from a distant planet. (19)\_\_\_\_\_.”

Câu tiếp theo phải **giải thích hoặc nhấn mạnh rằng teenager khác người lớn vì lý do sinh học.**

A. *However they are wired differently.*

“wired differently” = “não được cấu tạo khác”.

Khớp hoàn toàn với ý đoạn văn về **phát triển não bộ.**

B. *Therefore, teenagers always act like adults.* → sai nghĩa hoàn toàn.

C. *Consequently, all their actions are intentional.* Do đó, tất cả các hành động của họ đều có chủ đích → trái ngược với ý “impulsive behavior”.- hành vi bốc đồng

D. *Meanwhile, they are fully mature physically.* Trong khi đó, họ đã trưởng thành về thể chất hoàn toàn → sai, vì đoạn văn nói **não chưa trưởng thành.**

### Question 20.

- A. becomes less developing in early teens
- B. does not reach full maturity until about the mid-20's
- C. becomes fully mature at 18
- D. develops faster than the frontal cortex

#### Giải thích: Đoạn văn

“...while the whole brain (20)\_\_\_\_\_.”

Nội dung toàn đoạn nói rằng **não tuổi teen chưa trưởng thành**, đặc biệt là frontal cortex.- vỏ não trán

A. *becomes less developing in early teens* → sai ngữ pháp, không tự nhiên.

B. *does not reach full maturity until about the mid-20's* → đúng với thông tin khoa học và phù hợp mạch văn.

C. *becomes fully mature at 18* → sai.

D. *develops faster than the frontal cortex* → không đúng; frontal cortex- vỏ não trán là phần phát triển **chậm nhất**, không phải nhanh hơn.

### Question 21.

- A. Therefore, teenagers always make rational decisions
- B. Physical growth automatically ensures emotional maturity
- C. Teens have no control over their emotions at this stage
- D. Hormones produced during adolescence can further complicate things

**Giải thích: Đoạn văn** “...but often they are simply unable to think things through on an adult level. (21)\_\_\_\_\_.”

→ Câu tiếp theo phải **giải thích thêm một nguyên nhân**, không mâu thuẫn với nội dung trước đó.

A. *Therefore, teenagers always make rational decisions.* → trái ý → loại.

B. *Physical growth automatically ensures emotional maturity.* → sai hoàn toàn.

C. *Teens have no control over their emotions at this stage.* → quá cực đoan, không chính xác về mặt ý nghĩa.

D. *Hormones produced during adolescence can further complicate things.*

→ Hợp lý: hormone = một yếu tố sinh học khiến hành vi khó kiểm soát hơn, đúng mạch bài.

### Question 22.

- A. your presence in their life still matters greatly.
- B. they rely on you more than you may realize.
- C. some traits are universal
- D. they are still looking to you for stability.

**Giải thích: Đoạn văn kết** “No matter how much your teen seems to withdraw from you... (22)\_\_\_\_\_”

Ý là: dù teen có tỏ ra xa cách, bạn vẫn quan trọng với họ.

A. *your presence in their life still matters greatly.* Sự hiện diện của bạn trong cuộc sống của họ vẫn còn rất quan trọng- chính xác, tự nhiên, hoàn toàn khớp với mạch văn.

B. *they rely on you more than you may realize.* → cũng đúng nghĩa, nhưng **ít bao quát hơn** và không mạnh bằng A.

C. *some traits are universal.* → Đây là ý của câu trước, không hoàn chỉnh nếu đặt vào chỗ trống.

D. *they are still looking to you for stability.* → đúng, nhưng thiên về "stability" (ổn định), không bao quát bằng

A. **A là lựa chọn bao quát và phù hợp nhất để KHÉP LẠI đoạn văn.**

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

Artificial Intelligence (AI) is poised to revolutionize the future of work in the United States (US), promising increased productivity and specialization across industries while reshaping job roles. AI's deployment, driven by machine learning and neural networks, enhances decision-making processes and automates routine tasks, particularly in sectors like healthcare where it improves diagnostics and operational efficiencies.

However, the widespread adoption of AI in the US also poses challenges, especially in industries reliant on repetitive tasks. Jobs in sectors such as food service and clerical work face high automation risks, potentially exacerbating economic disparities, particularly in rural communities where these jobs are **prevalent**. Addressing these challenges requires proactive policies focusing on education reform to equip workers with the skills necessary for the evolving job market. Initiatives to bridge the digital divide and provide economic support for displaced workers transitioning to new roles are also essential.

Policy recommendations emphasize strengthening STEM education and digital literacy from early schooling through higher education to prepare the workforce for AI-driven environments. Economic measures, such as a higher minimum wage and targeted tax incentives for worker training, aim to mitigate inequality and promote economic mobility amidst technological change.

Striking a balance between technological advancement and social equity is crucial for AI in the US. By investing in education, fostering innovation, and implementing inclusive policies, the US can harness AI's potential to drive sustainable economic growth and create opportunities for all Americans. Adaptive policy frameworks, supported by collaborative efforts between government, industry, and educational institutions, will be instrumental in shaping a **resilient** future of work that benefits society as a whole.

Source: <https://innovatureinc.com/the-future-of-artificial-intelligence-in-the-us/>

**Question 23:** Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

A. AI will only benefit high-skilled jobs while leaving low-skilled jobs unaffected.

**B. The widespread adoption of AI poses challenges primarily in sectors with high automation risks.**

C. Education reform is not necessary for workers transitioning to AI-driven roles.

D. Strengthening STEM education is irrelevant to preparing the workforce for AI advancements.

**Giải thích:**

Thông tin đáp án **A** sai vì "AI thoroughly benefit..."

Thông tin đáp án **C** sai vì "not really necessary.", trong bài là "crucial"- rất quan trọng/ cần thiết

Thông tin đáp án **D** sai vì "irrelevant"- không liên quan trong khi ý trong bài đọc "collaborative efforts"- nỗ lực hợp tác.

Thông tin đáp án **B** đúng- thông tin ở 2 câu đầu, đoạn thứ 2 "However, the widespread adoption of AI in the US also poses challenges, especially in industries reliant on repetitive tasks. Jobs in sectors such as food service and clerical work face high automation risks, potentially exacerbating economic disparities, particularly in rural communities where these jobs are **prevalent**".

**Question 24:** The word **it** in paragraph 1 refers to \_\_\_\_\_ ?

A. AI's deployment

B. healthcare

**C. Artificial Intelligence**

D. the future of work

**Giải thích:** Việc triển khai AI, được thúc đẩy bởi học máy và mạng nơ-ron, nâng cao quy trình ra quyết định và tự động hóa các nhiệm vụ thường ngày, đặc biệt trong các lĩnh vực như chăm sóc sức khỏe, **nơi** nó/ AI cải thiện chẩn đoán và hiệu quả hoạt động.

**Question 25:** In which paragraph does the writer mention the implementation of AI in the US raises problems

A. Paragraph 1

**B. Paragraph 2**

C. Paragraph 3

D. Paragraph 4

**Giải thích:** Việc áp dụng AI ở Mỹ đặt ra những thách thức ở ngay câu đầu tiên của đoạn 2, đồng nghĩa với cụm từ "raise problems"

However, the widespread adoption of AI in the US also poses challenges

**Question 26:** The word **prevalent** in the second paragraph is **opposite** in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_ ?

A. popular

B. trendy

**C. uncommon**

D. beloved

**Giải thích:**

“Jobs in sectors such as food service and clerical work face high automation risks, potentially exacerbating economic disparities, particularly in rural communities where these jobs are **prevalent**.”, nghĩa của câu này là “Các công việc trong các lĩnh vực như dịch vụ thực phẩm và công việc văn phòng đối mặt với nguy cơ tự động hóa cao, có thể làm trầm trọng thêm sự chênh lệch kinh tế, đặc biệt là ở các cộng đồng nông thôn nơi những công việc này phổ biến.”

- A. popular- phổ biến, thông thường
- B. trendy- khuynh hướng, hợp thời
- C. uncommon- không phổ biến – ngược nghĩa với **prevalent** là phổ biến
- D. beloved- thương yêu, yêu dấu

**Question 27: Which of the following best rephrases this sentence:** “Initiatives to bridge the digital divide and provide economic support for displaced workers transitioning to new roles are also essential.”?

- A. Programs to help workers in new positions are important, as well as reducing the digital gap.
- B. It is vital to support digital connectivity and offer financial help for people shifting to new roles.**
- C. Closing the digital divide and helping workers find new positions is critical.
- D. Providing support to displaced workers and reducing the digital divide is also crucial.

**Giải thích:**

Nghĩa của câu gốc là “Các sáng kiến nhằm thu hẹp khoảng cách số và cung cấp hỗ trợ kinh tế cho những người lao động bị mất việc làm chuyển đổi sang các vai trò mới cũng rất cần thiết.” đồng nghĩa với đáp án **B**, nghĩa là “Việc hỗ trợ kết nối số và cung cấp trợ giúp tài chính cho những người chuyển sang vai trò mới là rất quan trọng.”

Ở đây, “essential” được thay thế bởi “vital”, “bridge the digital divide and provide economic support” được thay thế bởi “support digital connectivity and offer financial help”,

- A. Các chương trình hỗ trợ công nhân trong các vị trí mới là quan trọng, cũng như giảm khoảng cách kỹ thuật số.
- B. Việc hỗ trợ kết nối kỹ thuật số và cung cấp trợ giúp tài chính cho những người chuyển sang vai trò mới là điều thiết yếu.**
- C. Thu hẹp khoảng cách kỹ thuật số và giúp công nhân tìm kiếm vị trí mới là điều cấp thiết.
- D. Cung cấp hỗ trợ cho công nhân bị mất việc và giảm khoảng cách kỹ thuật số cũng rất quan trọng.

**Question 28:** In which paragraph does the writer mention the encouragement of early STEM education and digital literacy, alongside economic policies for fair wages and worker training?

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

Nội dung đoạn 3 nói về cải cách giáo dục trong đó nhấn mạnh việc khuyến khích giáo dục STEM sớm và kỹ năng số, cùng với các chính sách kinh tế cho mức lương công bằng và đào tạo công nhân.

“Policy recommendations emphasize strengthening STEM education and digital literacy from early schooling through higher education to prepare the workforce for AI-driven environments.”

**Câu 29:** The word **resilient** in paragraph 4 could be best replaced by \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. sustainable**
- B. hopeful
- C. successful
- D. vivid

**Giải thích:**

Các khung chính sách thích ứng, được hỗ trợ bởi nỗ lực hợp tác giữa chính phủ, ngành công nghiệp và các cơ sở giáo dục, sẽ đóng vai trò quan trọng trong việc định hình một tương lai làm việc bền vững, mang lại lợi ích cho toàn xã hội.

- A- sustainable- bền vững- đồng nghĩa với **resilient** - bền vững
- B.- hopeful- có triển vọng, đầy hứa hẹn
- C- successful- thành công
- D- vivid- sống động

**Question 30:** What is NOT mentioned in the last paragraph as a policy that AI’s potential is exploited in the US?

- A. investing in education
- B. implementing inclusive policies
- C. fostering innovation
- D. reducing labor**

**Giải thích:**

Trong câu “By investing in education, fostering innovation, and implementing inclusive policies, the US can harness AI’s potential to drive sustainable economic growth and create opportunities for all Americans.”, không xuất hiện thông tin “reducing labor”

**Read the following passage about lifelong learning 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.**



- B. Modern universities are the only places where effective learning can occur.
- C. Highly educated workers are affected by technological disruption.
- D. Economic growth depends mainly on access to online training platforms.

Đoạn 3 nói về: **phát triển kỹ năng liên tục để thích nghi với thị trường lao động thay đổi nhanh chóng.**

- A. Phát triển kỹ năng liên tục là điều cần thiết để thích nghi với lực lượng lao động ngày càng phát triển. – ý chính của đoạn 3
- B. Các trường đại học hiện đại là nơi **duy nhất** có thể diễn ra việc học hiệu quả. Sai ý
- C. Những người lao động có trình độ học vấn cao mới bị ảnh hưởng bởi sự gián đoạn công nghệ. – không hoàn toàn chính xác
- D. Tăng trưởng kinh tế chủ yếu **phụ thuộc vào** việc tiếp cận các nền tảng đào tạo trực tuyến.- không hoàn toàn chính xác

**Question 36.** According to the passage , *learning to play a new instrument is mentioned as* \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. a hobby that mainly benefits young learners
- B. **an activity that can help counteract age-related cognitive decline**
- C. a method used to measure levels of formal education
- D. a skill that guarantees higher lifetime earnings

**Giải thích:** Đoạn 4 viết “learning to play a new instrument can **offset cognitive decline.**”

Chơi nhạc cụ giúp chống lại suy giảm nhận thức khi già.

- A. một sở thích chủ yếu mang lại lợi ích cho người học trẻ
- B. một hoạt động có thể giúp chống lại sự suy giảm nhận thức liên quan đến tuổi tác
- C. một phương pháp dùng để đo lường mức độ học vấn chính quy
- D. một kỹ năng đảm bảo thu nhập cao hơn trong suốt cuộc đời

Đáp án **B** đúng về nghĩa

**Question 37.** According to paragraph 3, educational investments \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. **help people cope with changes caused by new technology**
- B. have become less necessary because automation will replace most types of learning
- C. serve primarily to improve one’s social status rather than practical skills
- D. mainly increase stress in the workplace

**Giải thích:** Đoạn 3 viết “...ongoing learning and skill development is essential to surviving economic and technological disruption.”- giáo dục giúp con người ứng phó thay đổi do công nghệ.

- A. giúp mọi người thích nghi với những thay đổi do công nghệ mới gây ra
- B. trở nên ít cần thiết hơn vì tự động hóa sẽ thay thế hầu hết các loại hình học tập
- C. chủ yếu nhằm nâng cao vị thế xã hội của bản thân hơn là kỹ năng thực tế
- D. chủ yếu làm tăng căng thẳng trong nơi làm việc

**Question 38.** Which of the following best paraphrases the idea expressed in the underlined sentence in paragraph 4?

- A. Studies show that picking up a new instrument or challenging skills in later life can help maintain memory and prevent mental decline.
- B. **Research suggests that learning musical instruments and complex skills in older age may improve memory and slow cognitive deterioration.**
- C. Evidence indicates that older adults who take on new instruments or difficult tasks can reduce cognitive decline and enhance memory.
- D. Other studies reveal that acquiring new skills or learning instruments later in life supports memory and combats mental decline.

**Giải thích:** Yêu cầu **paraphrase** câu “learning to play a new instrument can offset cognitive decline, and learning difficult new skills in older age is associated with improved memory.”

Tất cả đáp án đều gần giống nhau, nhưng cần chọn câu **diễn đạt lại đầy đủ và chính xác nhất.**

- A. Các nghiên cứu cho thấy việc học một nhạc cụ mới hoặc thử thách kỹ năng ở tuổi già có thể giúp duy trì trí nhớ và ngăn chặn suy giảm trí tuệ. - **đúng nhưng ý “suy giảm trí tuệ” mental decline. - là 1 khía cạnh của “suy giảm nhận thức” cognitive decline ở câu gốc.**
- B. Nghiên cứu gợi ý rằng việc học các nhạc cụ và kỹ năng phức tạp ở tuổi già có thể cải thiện trí nhớ và làm chậm quá trình suy giảm nhận thức. **đầy đủ, rõ nghĩa, chính xác nhất**

C. Bằng chứng cho thấy người cao tuổi học các nhạc cụ mới hoặc thực hiện các nhiệm vụ khó có thể giảm thiểu suy giảm nhận thức và nâng cao trí nhớ. **Sai vì không thể “nâng cao trí nhớ” enhance memory. mà chỉ “cải thiện”- improved memory.”**

D. Các nghiên cứu khác tiết lộ rằng việc tiếp thu kỹ năng mới hoặc học nhạc cụ muộn trong đời hỗ trợ trí nhớ và chống lại suy giảm trí tuệ. **đúng nhưng từ “supports memory” yếu hơn nghĩa ý câu gốc**

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

A. Older adults seldom experience benefits from learning new skills.

**B. Today’s learners can access more varied educational tools than in the past.**

C. Online education is rapidly replacing all traditional learning environments.

D. Cognitive improvement occurs when learning begins early in life.

**Giải thích:** Điều suy ra đoạn 2 nói về nhiều tài nguyên học tập hơn bao giờ hết → dễ dàng tiếp cận.

→ Suy ra: hôm nay người học có nhiều công cụ giáo dục đa dạng hơn trong quá khứ.

A. Người lớn tuổi **hiếm khi** nhận được lợi ích từ việc học các kỹ năng mới.

B. Người học ngày nay có thể truy cập nhiều công cụ giáo dục đa dạng hơn so với trước đây.

C. Giáo dục trực tuyến đang nhanh chóng thay thế tất cả các môi trường học truyền thống.

D. Cải thiện nhận thức xảy ra khi việc học bắt đầu từ sớm trong cuộc sống.

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

A. Educational achievement mainly affects career success but has little impact on health.

**B. Lifelong learning supports intellectual growth, personal well-being, and long-term health benefits.**

C. Changing technology has reduced the need for people to learn continuously.

D. Lifelong learning is limited to formal academic programs at established institutions.

**Giải thích:** Bài viết nói về câu chuyện về Daniels để minh họa học cả đời, lợi ích học tập suốt đời: trí tuệ, kinh tế, sức khỏe, tuổi thọ.

→ Ý bao quát: **việc học cả đời mang lại lợi ích toàn diện: trí tuệ, sức khỏe, tuổi thọ.**

A. Thành tích học tập chủ yếu ảnh hưởng đến thành công trong sự nghiệp nhưng ít tác động đến sức khỏe.

B. Học tập suốt đời hỗ trợ sự phát triển trí tuệ, phúc lợi cá nhân và lợi ích sức khỏe lâu dài.

C. Công nghệ thay đổi đã giảm nhu cầu học tập liên tục của mọi người.

D. Học tập suốt đời chỉ giới hạn trong các chương trình học chính quy tại các tổ chức uy tín.