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- A. playing football B. watching cartoon C. sleeping D. reading a book

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C. Because of the strong winds and thunder D. Because of the heavy rain and lightning

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- A. People think that the global warming will cause a lot of problems in the future.
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A corner shop or a convenience shop is a British tradition. It is (11) _____. We can find a corner shop at the end of a local street in many neighborhoods in towns and cities across the UK. The corner shop sells all kinds of household goods and simple food and drinks like snacks, groceries, coffee, soft drinks. It also sells newspapers, magazines and cigarettes.

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Today, there are convenient stores all over the world. Each country has its own brand of convenience stores (13) _____ the global brand 7-Eleven. (14) _____ corner shops and convenience stores sell things at higher prices than the supermarket, but they are much more convenient.

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- Question 12.** A. often opens B. are often open C. open often D. often are open
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- Question 14.** A. Both B. All C. Many D. Most

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- During: Drop, Cover, Hold On! Protect your head.
- After: Check (16) _____ injuries, and be aware of aftershocks.
- Prepare: Secure heavy items, and have a basic emergency kit.

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- Question 15.** A. Remember B. Suggest C. Recommend D. Advise
- Question 16.** A. with B. for C. about D. of
- Question 17.** A. safely B. safety C. safeness D. safe

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

- Question 18.** A. dugong B. product C. sudden D. substance
- Question 19.** A. discount B. resident C. ecosystem D. landslide

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 primary stress in each of the following questions.

- Question 20.** A. disastrous B. musical C. natural D. numerous
- Question 21.** A. bargain B. landslide C. effect D. damage

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions

Question 22. *During our dinner, the doorbell rang.*

- A. We had our dinner when the doorbell rang.
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- C. While we were having our dinner, the doorbell was ringing.
- D. When we had our dinner, the doorbell was ringing.

Question 23. *How about going to a shopping mall instead of surfing the online stores?*

- A. Would you like going to a shopping mall instead of surfing the online stores?
- B. Shall we going to a shopping mall instead of surfing the online stores?
- C. Do you like going to a shopping mall instead of surfing the online stores?
- D. Why don't we go to a shopping mall instead of surfing the online stores?

Four phrases/ sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, circle the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 24 to 27.

Black Friday is a very popular shopping day in many countries. It happens every year on the Friday after Thanksgiving in the United States. (24) _____. Some people wake up early and wait in long lines before the stores open. They want to buy clothes, electronics, and (25) _____. Many people also shop online because it is easier and faster. Black Friday is the best time to buy Christmas gifts because everything is cheaper. However, stores can be very crowded, and sometimes people push each other to get the best deals. (26) _____. But for many, it is an exciting day to save money and (27) _____. This shopping event is now popular in many countries around the world.

- A. other products at the best prices
- B. Some people do not like Black Friday, for it makes people buy too many things
- C. On this day, many stores have big sales, and people can buy things at very low prices
- D. get new products

Question 24. _____ Question 25. _____ Question 26. _____ Question 27. _____

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Question 28. All the items at The Face Shop are _____ for two days. Some of them are even 50% off.

- A. on display
- B. out of stock
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Mai: "The earthquake yesterday destroyed their house." – Khang: "_____"

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- B. Oh, I don't like it
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- A. tornado
- B. storm
- C. volcano
- D. tsunami

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 following questions from 33 to 36.

In the second half of each year, many powerful storms are born in the tropical Atlantic and Caribbean seas. Of these, only about half a dozen become the strong, circling winds of 74 miles per hour or more that are called hurricanes, and several usually make their way to the coast. There they cause millions of dollars of damage, and bring death to large numbers of people.

The great storms that hit the coast start soft circling wind hundreds - even thousands - of miles out to sea. As they travel aimlessly over water warmed by the summer sun, they are carried to move westward by the southeast winds. As the heat increases, the young hurricane beg counter-clockwise motion.

The life of a hurricane is only about nine days, but it contains almost more power than we can imagine. The energy in the heat released by a hurricane's rainfall in a single day would satisfy the entire electrical needs of the United States for more than six months. Water, not wind, is the main source of death and destruction in a hurricane. A typical hurricane brings 6 to 12 inches downpour, causing sudden floods. Worst of all is the powerful movement of the sea - the mountains of water moving toward the hurricane center. The water level rises as much as 15 feet above normal as it moves toward shore.

Question 33. What is the main source of death and destruction in a hurricane?

- A. Wind
- B. Heat
- C. Wave
- D. Water

Question 34. What is the passage mainly about?

- A. Damage caused by a hurricane
- B. The terrible effects of a hurricane
- C. Formation and effects of a hurricane
- D. Death to large numbers of people

Question 35. Which of the following statements about a hurricane is NOT true?

- A. It usually stays about nine days.

- B. It causes 6 to 12 inches downpour, resulting in sudden floods.
- C. It sometimes brings the sea water level to the height of nearly 15 feet.
- D. It travels 74 miles per hour or more.

Question 36. The word “aimlessly” in the second paragraph is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____

- A. purposely
- B. carefully
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Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 37 to 38

Question 37. *Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text*

Put the sentences (a-c) in the correct order, then fill in the blank to make a logical text.

Cat Ba National Park is a fantastic place to explore. _____

- a. You can also see unique animals, like the Cat Ba langur, which is very rare.
- b. It is a beautiful area in Vietnam, with forests, mountains, and the sea.
- c. For example, visitors can go hiking in the green hills or kayaking in the clear water.

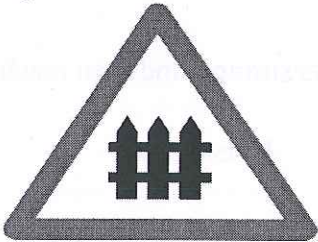
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- A. As a result, Cat Ba National Park offers a mix of adventure and natural beauty.
- B. In conclusion, Cat Ba National Park has the same kind of scenery as other parks.
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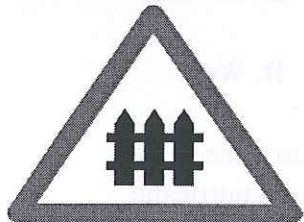
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