

Read the following text and choose the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 16 to 20.

ASEAN Youth Forum (AYF) is a programme for young people in ASEAN, which allows them (16)_____ their opinions and fight for their right to live in a sustainable and caring regional community. Its members regularly hold meetings and workshops to discuss the problems (17)_____ young people in ASEAN and how to address them. AYF also organises Youth: Open Space- an online space for young Southeast Asians to meet, connect, share and talk about current issues such as climate change, health, education, (18)_____ and online security.

Over the past decade, AYF (19)_____ meetings in all ASEAN countries. It has connected thousands of young leaders from Southeast Asia, who meet to discuss and suggest (20)_____ for making ASEAN a better community. These conferences aim to improve young people's leadership skills and strengthen regional unity.

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| Question 16. | A. expressed | B. expressing | C. express | D. to express |
| Question 17. | A. faced | B. face | C. facing | D. to face |
| Question 18. | A. technology | B. technological | C. technique | D. technologies |
| Question 19. | A. had | B. has had | C. having | D. is having |
| Question 20. | A. communication | B. relations | C. eyes-opening | D. strategies |

(Adapted from Global Success 11 – Textbook)

III. READING: (2.0 points)

PART 1: Read the following passage carefully and then choose the best option to fit each numbered blank from 21 to 25.

By 2050 the world's population is expected to reach 10 billion, and nearly 70 per cent of these people will live in cities. The cities of the future will be 'smarter' and more (21)_____ to cope with a growing population and improve people's lives.

A smart city is a modern urban area that uses a range of technologies to provide services, solve problems, and support people better. The new technologies can help save time by (22)_____ changes in the traffic and warning people of possible traffic jams. They will also help cities operate more efficiently. (23)_____, street lights can turn off when the streets are empty, and sensors can inform waste collection teams when the bins are full. These smart technologies will help save energy, reduce air pollution, and fight climate change.

Cities in the future will also be sustainable. They will include a lot of green space and become home to more plants and animals. Making room for biodiversity and nature can be done in (24)_____ ways including underground and rooftop farming, green roofs, and roof gardens. As people will care more (25)_____ the environment, most cities will use renewable and clean energy. Modern infrastructure will also be more eco-friendly.

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| Question 21. | A. sustainable | B. inconvenient | C. negative | D. environmental |
| Question 22. | A. prediction | B. to predict | C. predicting | D. predicted |
| Question 23. | A. However | B. Although | C. Due to | D. For example |
| Question 24. | A. various | B. varied | C. variously | D. variety |
| Question 25. | A. to | B. about | C. with | D. for |

PART 2: 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 26 to 30.

The Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) was founded on 8 August 1967, when five countries—Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines, Singapore and Thailand—signed the Bangkok Declaration. According to BBC News, **the organisation** emerged at a time when Southeast Asia was deeply affected by Cold War rivalries, post-colonial tensions and the threat of communist expansion. Regional leaders believed that cooperation, rather than confrontation, was essential for maintaining stability and safeguarding national sovereignty.

From its inception, ASEAN adopted a distinctive approach to regional diplomacy. Instead of binding treaties or military commitments, it prioritised informal dialogue, consensus-based decision-making and the principle of non-interference in domestic affairs. This method, commonly referred to as the "ASEAN Way," allowed member states with diverse political systems and historical disputes to work together without undermining their independence. Over time, this cautious framework helped reduce mistrust and encouraged confidence-building among neighbouring states.

Initially, ASEAN focused primarily on political stability and security cooperation. However, as regional conditions improved, its agenda gradually expanded to include economic integration and social development. The admission of new members during the 1980s and 1990s transformed ASEAN into a ten-nation bloc, enhancing its regional influence. As noted by BBC News, while ASEAN continues to face challenges such as economic inequality and political divergence, its historical formation represents a pragmatic response to a turbulent regional past and remains central to Southeast Asia's collective identity.

(Adapted from BBC News – “ASEAN: What it is and why it matters”)

Question 26. When was ASEAN founded? On _____

- A. 8 August 1965 B. 8 August 1967 C. 7 August 1967 D. 10 August 1967

Question 27. What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. ASEAN was created mainly to impose binding military alliances in Southeast Asia.
B. ASEAN's history shows it was formed as a practical response to regional instability and later expanded its goals.
C. ASEAN's most important achievement is eliminating economic inequality in Southeast Asia.
D. ASEAN was founded in the 1990s after all ten members joined.

Question 28. The word “the organisation” in the sentence “According to BBC News, the organisation emerged at a time when Southeast Asia was deeply affected by Cold War rivalries, post-colonial tensions and the threat of communist expansion.” refers to _____.

- A. BBC News B. the Bangkok Declaration C. ASEAN D. Southeast Asia

Question 29. Which of the following is NOT mentioned as part of the “ASEAN Way”?

- A. Informal dialogue B. Consensus-based decision-making
C. Non-interference in domestic affairs D. Mandatory military commitments

Question 30. What can be inferred about why the “ASEAN Way” was useful for member states?

- A. It forced all members to adopt the same political system.
B. It allowed cooperation without threatening national independence.
C. It required members to resolve all historical disputes immediately.
D. It made ASEAN a military alliance comparable to NATO.

IV. WRITING: (2.0 points)

PART 1:

Choose the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter in each of the following questions. (0.8 point)

Question 31.

- a. This information helps city leaders make better decisions.
b. Smart cities collect data through sensors and digital systems.
c. For example, data can be used to manage traffic and energy use.
d. As a result, city services become more efficient and reliable.
e. Modern technology plays a key role in the development of smart cities.

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

Question 32.

- a. I would appreciate it if you could investigate this issue and offer an explanation.
b. Dear Sir or Madam,
c. I am writing to express my dissatisfaction with the service at your hotel last weekend.
d. Although the room was clean, the air conditioner did not work properly during my stay.
e. Yours sincerely,
f. Tom

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

Question 33.

Hi everyone,

I am writing to express my concerns about a problem that has been affecting many of us recently.

- a. This situation has caused inconvenience and frustration for several members of our group.
b. For example, important information is often shared too late or not shared at all.
c. I believe this problem exists because communication among us has not been clear enough.

- d. I hope that we can work together to improve the way we communicate in the future.
e. If this issue continues, it may lead to misunderstandings and unnecessary conflicts.

Thank you for taking the time to read my message.

Best regards,

Alex

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

Question 34.

- a. Cooperation among ASEAN members is based on mutual respect and understanding.
b. Through cooperation, they can share ideas and support each other's development.
c. ASEAN countries often work together on regional issues such as trade and education.
d. As a result, ASEAN has become an important organisation in Southeast Asia.
e. This helps member countries solve common problems more effectively.

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

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences. (0.4 point)

Question 35. Sunlight and wind are used widely for cooking and heating. They can reduce use of fossil fuels.

- A. Used widely for cooking and heating, sunlight and wind can reduce use of fossil fuels.
B. Using widely for cooking and heating, sunlight and wind can reduce use of fossil fuels.
C. Sunlight and wind, which are used widely for cooking and heating, they can reduce use of fossil fuels.
D. Being used widely for cooking and heating, fossil fuels can be reduced by sunlight and wind.

Question 36.

We made the suggestion that we should change the date of the meeting.

- A. We made a suggestion that the date of the meeting is changed.
B. We suggested that changing the date of the meeting was necessary.
C. We suggested changing the date of the meeting.
D. We suggested to change the date of the meeting.

PART 2: (0.8 point)

Rewrite the following sentences without changing their meanings using gerunds.

Question 37. They managed to start a youth programme in Southeast Asia.

→ *They succeeded*

Question 38. Students can play traditional games to learn about Vietnamese culture.

→ *Students can learn*

Combine the following sentences in such a way that it means the same as the sentences printed before it.

Question 39. Farm animals are not kept cool in hot weather. They can suffer from heat stress. (Using past participle)

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Question 40. Archaeologists dug near an ancient site. They discovered several artifacts from the Sa Huynh culture. (Using present participle)

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I. PHẦN TRẮC NGHIỆM : MỖI CÂU : 0,2 ĐIỂM

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36	4101	36	C	4102	36	D	4103	36	A	4104	36	A

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→ *Students can learn about Vietnamese culture (by) playing traditional games.*

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→ *Digging near an ancient site, archaeologists discovered several artifacts from the Sa Huynh site.*

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