

## READING

### READING TEXT 1

Answer the questions below about TEXT 1 – *IF ONLY THEY COULD TALK*

#### IF ONLY THEY COULD TALK

On a winter night last June, José Antonio Tuki, a 30-year-old artist on Easter Island, did one of the things he loves best: he left his house on the southwest coast and hiked north across the island to Anakena beach. Tuki sat on the sand and gazed at the **colossal** human statues – the *moai*. The statues range from four to 33 feet and some weigh more than 80 tons. They were carved long ago with stone tools and then transported up to 11 miles to massive stone platforms. As Tuki stares at their faces, he feels a connection. ‘It’s something strange and energetic,’ he says. ‘This is something produced from my culture, the Rapanui.’ He shakes his head. ‘How did they do it?’

When the first Polynesian settlers arrived at Rapa Nui (Easter Island), there were probably only a few dozen of them. The island lies 2,150 miles west of South America and 1,300 miles east of its nearest inhabited neighbour, Pitcairn. Nowadays 12 flights arrive every week from Chile, Peru and Tahiti, and in 2011 those planes delivered 50,000 tourists, ten times the island’s population. Just about every job on Easter Island depends on tourism. ‘Without it,’ says Mahina Lucero Teao, head of tourism, ‘everyone would be starving on Easter Island.’ And the tourists go there for only one thing: the *moai*.

Several decades ago, the Norwegian adventurer Thor Heyerdahl, helped ignite the world’s curiosity about Easter Island. He thought the statues had been created by pre-Inca people from Peru, not by Polynesians. Modern science – linguistic, archaeological and genetic evidence – has proved the *moai* builders were Polynesian but not how they moved their creations. Researchers have tended to assume the ancestors dragged the statues somehow, using ropes and wood.

More recently, Pulitzer Prize winner Jared Diamond has suggested that the *moai* contributed to the downfall of the islanders. Building and moving the *moai* needed many people and used up the island’s forest resources. The land which was cleared was fragile and quickly eroded, so fewer crops could be grown – this process of clearing the land was an early example of an ecological disaster, according to Diamond. He sees the collapse of their civilization as ‘a worst-case scenario for what may lie ahead of us in our own future.’

On the other hand, a more optimistic view of the island’s history comes from the archaeologists Terry Hunt of the University of Hawaii and Carl Lipo of California State

University Long Beach. They suggest that the inhabitants actually pioneered a type of sustainable farming, building thousands of circular stone walls, called *manavai*, and gardening inside them. And their theory about how the *moai* were moved is that they could be ‘walked’ along using a system of only ropes and a few people.

For José Tuki, as he contemplates these enormous statues, the **ambiguity** is too fine. ‘I want to know the truth,’ he says, ‘but maybe knowing everything would take its power away.’

**Keywords:**

**assume** (v) if you assume that something is true, you imagine that it is true, sometimes wrongly

**crop** (n) crops are plants such as wheat and potatoes that are grown in large quantities for food

**deliver** (v) if you deliver something to somewhere you take it there

**drag** (v) if you drag something, you pull it along the ground, often with difficulty

**erode** (v) if the weather, sea or wind erodes rock or soil, it cracks and breaks it so that it is damaged

## QUESTIONS

**Read the article and choose the correct option.**

**1. What does “colossal” mean in line 6?**

- A. Unusually large
- B. Smallish
- C. Undersized
- D. Remote

**2. What can be said for Jose Antonia Tuki?**

- A. He came to Easter Island to work on *moai*.
- B. He is from Easter Island
- C. He carved some statues on Easter Island
- D. He is not keen on travelling alone

**3. What can be said for the origins of *moai*?**

- A. They are well documented by archaeologists and researchers.
- B. They are a complete mystery to the islanders.
- C. They are only known by certain types of people
- D. They are the subject of several theories

**4. Which can be inferred from the text?**

- A. The *moai* have lost their significance
- B. The *moai* are regarded as a problem
- C. The *moai* are important for the island economy
- D. the *moai* were made to be all the same size

**5. What cannot be understood from the text?**

- A. The people of Easter Island today depend on foreign visitors.
- B. The *moai* were made miles away from Anakena beach.
- C. The *moai* story give lessons about our interaction with the environment
- D. On Easter Island people fly away to work in places like Chile and Peru

**6. What is true about Thor Heyerdahl?**

- A. He was wrong about the origins of the statues
- B. He proved who had created the statues
- C. He thought the statues had been brought to the island from South America
- D. He gave huge importance to Easter Island economy

**7. What does Jared Diamond think about the *moai*?**

- A. Ropes and people were used to move the statues
- B. It became difficult to grow food after the forests were cut down
- C. The forest resources on Easter Island were poor
- D. There were never any forests on Easter Island

**8. What does “ambiguity” mean in line 37?**

- A. Clarity
- B. Lack of confidence
- C. Uncertainty of meaning
- D. Disbelief

## READING TEXT 2

Answer the questions below about TEXT 2 –

### ***If Your Boss Is Male, Watch Out, Because More Men Are Narcissists***

Men are more likely to believe they deserve power and will exploit others to get there. But is this a real gender difference? Or a result of what we expect of men in the first place? Narcissists make bad managers. They have an arrogant sense of self-importance, they believe they're more special than other people, and they never try to put themselves in someone else's shoes. Basically, it's all about them.

And here's the scary thing: Organizations aren't good at saving themselves from these people. In fact, they often promote them, because narcissists tend to make good first impressions, glide through interviews, and know who to please. They're really good at hiding their faults and passing on blame. And they always have their sights set on the top. Because of their **abundant** self-love, they see themselves as CEO material, not rank-and-filers.

A recent paper sheds light on the narcissists at work phenomenon and offers a key insight. They are more likely to be male than female. Freud may have said women were more narcissistic (because, he said, they were more concerned with their appearance). But the evidence says otherwise. A three-decade literature review finds that men are, on average, more narcissistic than women, though the reasons may be more socially constructed than innate.

The study looks at three aspects of what psychologists term "narcissistic personality disorder." The biggest differences between men and women were in "immoral/entitlement" type actions, which lead to aggression, harmful behavior (e.g. harassing coworkers) and cheating. People who exhibit this form of narcissism say or think things like "I insist upon getting the respect that is due to me" and "I find it easy to manipulate people."

Lead author Emily Grijalva, an assistant professor at the University of Buffalo, discusses why men and women differ on this score. She says it could be connected with gender stereotypes where men are assertive and dominant and women are submissive and in agreement. Women who try to act against their stereotype, face "harsher reactions" than men who do the same, she says. "We suggest that the gender difference in narcissism is driven by gender role beliefs regarding what is considered appropriate behavior for men and women," Grijalva says in an email.

The second group of behaviors revolves around people wanting to be leaders ("I like having authority over people") and relates to the first. Again, men are more likely to exhibit these traits because they're more likely to see themselves as dominant and others are more likely to see them that way. Where the sexes are equally narcissistic is in the third "exhibitionism" area. men and women are equally given to displays of egotism according to the paper.

The interesting question is how the gender differences would play out if men and women held equal positions in the workplace and as many women and men were in leadership positions. Grijalva says it's possible the narcissism gap would narrow. In other words, narcissism seems to be related more to position and a certain power drive as **it** is to gender. "Women and men are often more similar than different when it comes to many psychological attributes," she writes.

## QUESTIONS

**9. According to the text, narcissists \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) are more special than other people
- b) lack empathy for others
- c) do not give importance to themselves
- d) are good at being a manager

**10. Narcissists generally work for good positions and get promoted because they \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) are hired by organizations as CEOs
- b) are not efficient in hiding their faults
- c) create a positive, but fake impression
- d) keep their standards low

**11. Freud would agree that \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) men care less about how they look
- b) men give more importance to women
- c) women care less about how they seem
- d) women are always worried about life

**12. If a person has been diagnosed with “narcissistic personality disorder”, it can be said that he is likely to \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) annoy his colleagues in the office
- b) build healthy relationships
- c) gain respect from everyone
- d) be manipulated by people

**13. According to Emily Grijalva, narcissism can be related to gender stereotypes because \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) women are more egotistical than men
- b) men have lower prestige in public
- c) people treat each gender equally
- d) people define roles for each gender

**14. For the third group of narcissistic personality disorder, it can be said that \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) both men and women give importance to themselves the most
- b) both men and women like to visit exhibition areas
- c) men think that they are superior to women
- d) women think that men are more narcissistic

**15. Emily Grijalva would agree with the statement that in the workplace, \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) the less narcissistic you are, the more you get promoted
- b) the less you work, the more narcissistic you become
- c) the more power you have, the higher position you work in
- d) the higher position you have, the more narcissistic you become

### READING TEXT 3

Answer the questions below about TEXT 3 – *Problems of the Modern World*

#### PROBLEMS OF THE MODERN WORLD

The modern world faces many major problems to which there are no easy solutions. These include unemployment, health, over-population and of course the environment. All have a bearing on all our lives, but is the environment really the most important?

If people are unemployed, they are unable to earn money and it is a fact of life that without an income it is difficult to live. Of course, work provides more than financial support; **it** gives people self-esteem and pride. Unfortunately, technological developments and other factors mean that the job market is shrinking worldwide and young people have reduced prospects for work. Although this is certainly a major threat to people's well-being, it needs to be addressed by individual governments rather than globally.

Health is clearly an important concern that affects both individuals and the planet as a whole. Even though many illnesses have been **eradicated**, others remain a threat, and the overuse of antibiotics has led to the development of resistant strains of bacteria. Nevertheless, on the whole, general health is improving, and in the developing countries medical aid programs are already working towards creating a healthier population.

Over-population has implications for all of us, and improved general health means that people are living longer. However, as with health, there are already programs in place implementing measures to deal with not only a rising population, but an ageing population.

So what about the environment? There are urgent issues that need to be faced, including global warming, pollution and the loss of species. Unlike the other issues discussed, there is no clearly discernible global move to deal with these problems. Also, unlike the other issues, changes in the environment have a direct impact on the whole planet. Climate change and destruction of ecosystems could endanger all life on the planet if not dealt with quickly and at an international level.

In conclusion, other problems primarily affect only the quality of life, whereas environmental issues affect the actual existence of life itself. It is clear, therefore, that protecting the environment is the most important problem facing the world today.

#### QUESTIONS

**16. Which of the following is a local problem and should be solved by countries themselves locally?**

- a. health
- b. corruption
- c. environment
- d. unemployment

**17. What cannot be said about health?**

- a. There are programs to fight various illnesses.
- b. A great amount of money has been spent for nothing.
- c. Health problems affect countries as well as individuals.
- d. In general, people are becoming healthier thanks to efforts.

**18. Which of the following is the main idea of the text?**

- a. Health is number one priority, because we cannot afford an unhealthy nation.
- b. Environmental problems are not as important as the other ones.
- c. Over-populated countries must do more about unemployment.
- d. Environmental problems pose a major threat to the entire world.

**19. The word “it” in paragraph 2 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a. work      b. unemployment      c. financial support      d. income

**20. The word “eradicated” in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a. got well on      b. got rid of      c. got fed up with      d. got on

**USE OF ENGLISH**

**RESTATEMENT**

**Choose the best sentence that is the closest in meaning to the given one.**

**21. If someone had told me about the meeting, there's no way I would have missed it.**

- A. Although no one told me where the meeting was, I managed to find my way to it.
- B. Even if someone had told me about the meeting, I still wouldn't have gone.
- C. Whether I'm told or not, I never get around to going to meetings.
- D. The only reason why I didn't attend the meeting is that I wasn't informed about it.

**22. Educationalists agree that teacher's duties shouldn't be limited only to teaching.**

- A. It's agreed among educationalists that teachers ought not to be given duties that do not concern teaching.
- B. Teacher's obligations, as accepted by educationalists, are only limited to teaching.
- C. Educationalists claim that it is the duty of teachers to restrict themselves to teaching.
- D. It's accepted by educationalists that, besides teaching, teachers have other duties.

**23. She never eats cake except when she celebrates her birthday.**

- A. The only occasion on which she eats cake is on her own birthday.
- B. Until her last birthday, she had never tasted even a small piece of cake.
- C. Although she celebrates her birthday every year, she never eats any of her birthday cake.
- D. She has decided that, for the first time in her life, she will try eating cake on her birthday.

**24. Being totally unfamiliar with the situation, he could only offer very little help.**

- A. As he only knew very little about the case, his offer of help was of no use.
- B. Not knowing anyone involved in the event, he decided not to offer to do anything about it.
- C. Since they wouldn't explain the problem to him, he figured that they didn't need his help.
- D. He was unable to offer much assistance as he didn't know anything about the case.

**25. He must have changed his phone number because I cannot reach him.**

- A. He had to change his phone number because I couldn't get through to his old one.
- B. It's possible that he'll change his phone number, but I won't know for sure until I talk to him.
- C. He should have changed his phone number because no one could get in touch with him.
- D. I am unable to get in contact with him, so it is highly likely that he has a new phone number.

**26. It wasn't the best film I've ever seen, but it was definitely above average.**

- A. I've never seen such a good film in such an ordinary cinema.
- B. I can only recall ever seeing one film better than that one.
- C. The film was better than most, though I have seen better ones.
- D. I've seen a lot of dull films, but that one is worse than most.

**27. Problems such as poverty or violence are too big for some developing countries to solve on their own.**

- A. Some developing countries don't need any help to cope with their problems such as poverty and violence.
- B. It is easy for some developing countries to find solutions for their problems.
- C. Some countries, which are developing, find it hard to deal with some big problems including poverty and violence without any help.
- D. There is no need to be concerned about these developing countries as they are self-sufficient.



- 28. To participate in our weekly online discussion groups, it is an obligation to have an access code and an online account.**
- A. You cannot take part in our weekly online discussion groups without an access code and online account.
  - B. It is advisable to have an access code for our weekly online discussion groups.
  - C. It is optional to have an access code and online account for our weekly online discussion groups.
  - D. Having an access code is the only requirement to attend our weekly online discussion groups.
- 29. Watching movies with subtitles has made a greater contribution to the improvement of my English level than any other methods.**
- A. Watching movies with subtitles has the least effect on my English level.
  - B. No other method has made a larger improvement in the development of my English level than watching movies with subtitles.
  - C. Other methods are as effective as watching movies for a better English.
  - D. Without watching movies with subtitles, I can never learn English.
- 30. John asked me if I was planning to attend the wedding ceremony at the weekend.**
- A. I wish I had attended the wedding ceremony but I couldn't.
  - B. John was curious about if my weekend plan included going to the wedding ceremony.
  - C. John wanted to know whether or not I had joined the wedding ceremony at the weekend.
  - D. When I went to the wedding ceremony at the weekend, John asked me what my plan was.
- 31. There wasn't enough evidence to prove that he stole the wallet.**
- A. They failed to prove his guilt as there was no evidence to support the case.
  - B. They couldn't prove his guilt although they had sufficient evidence.
  - C. They couldn't prove that the wallet was stolen by him as the evidence was insufficient.
  - D. They can't possibly prove that he stole the wallet as there is clearly insufficient evidence.

**32. You are supposed to give at least seven correct answers out of ten to be able to pass the exam.**

- A. It is advisable to answer most of the questions correctly for the exam.
- B. Seven correct answers are not enough to be successful in the exam.
- C. Each participant is expected to have at least seven correct answers to succeed in the exam.
- D. It is acceptable to make up to three mistakes out of seven if you want to pass the exam

**33. It wasn't until he graduated from university in 2001 that he developed an interest in politics.**

- A. Finishing university, he gave up politics, in which he involved during his education.
- B. His interest in politics began in 2001, when he completed his university education.
- C. When he graduated from university, he began to be more interested in politics.
- D. His interest in politics increased after he finished studying at university.

## CLOZE TEST

For questions 34–43, read the text below and decide which answer (A, B, C or D) best fits each gap.

When a plant or animal (34) -----forever, we say it is extinct. Although extinction is a natural process, in today's world it is happening at an alarming rate. Some experts estimate that one species - plant, animal, or insect- (35) ---- extinct everyday. At that rate, within the next 20 years, one-fifth of all species (36) ---- extinct. To prevent wildlife in the United States (37) ---- becoming extinct, Congress passed the Endangered Species Act in 1973. This law established two categories for species in trouble: endangered and threatened. A species is listed as endangered when there are (38) ---- members of the species left that it is on the brink of extinction.

The African elephant is one of the approximately 1,117 species on the endangered species list, and there are more than 4,000 species waiting (39) ---- on the list. Sadly, some way become extinct while waiting to be listed. The African elephant is the largest mammal on earth. In the 1970s, African elephants numbered in the millions; today there are only about 609,000. This decline (40) ---- by loss of habitat (through encroachment by people), drought and the ivory trade.

(41) ---- reduce elephant poaching and eliminate the market for ivory, in 1989, the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES) banned the ivory trade. "What is the solution? On the road from Makuti to Kariba, you can see the trails (42) ---- by giants. Will these trails continue to increase (43) ---- ivory loses its value?"

34.	A. is gone	B. are gone	C. is being gone	D. have been gone
35.	A. become	B. becomes	C. are becoming	D. has become
36.	A. should have been	B. need to be	C. could be	D. would have been
37.	A. against	B. away	C. towards	D. from
38.	A. a lot of	B. some	C. only a few	D. several
39.	A. to put	B. being put	C. to be put	D. putting
40.	A. has caused	B. was caused	C. causes	D. has been caused
41.	A. Not to	B. Contrary to	C. In order to	D. In addition
42.	A. leaving	B. are left	C. have been left	D. left
43.	A. even if	B. because of	C. in addition	D. owing to

## SENTENCE COMPLETION

Choose the best option to complete the sentences below.

44. Last year there was such a lot of rain in the south of the country \_\_\_\_\_ .

- A. than the amount which was forecast by the weather station
- B. when there was a lot of suffering and homelessness caused by them
- C. that it appeared as though it would never stop
- D. since there had not been that much rain for a long time

45. One of the main causes of heart disease is \_\_\_\_\_ .

- A. that people eat the wrong things and don't get enough exercise
- B. since people do not have to work physically as hard as they used to
- C. yet treatment is available if you are sensible and have regular checkups
- D. as many people are unaware of the dangers of smoking combined with poor diet

46. \_\_\_\_\_ until his car was stolen and he got mugged on the same day.

- A. His life was so bad that he was sure he was due for a spell of good luck
- B. The police were sure that they knew where the robbers were hiding
- C. He never believed that he lived in a dangerous part of town
- D. No matter how hard he worked, he always seemed to have trouble paying his bills

47. Some people feel that the American political system has steadily deteriorated \_\_\_\_\_ .

- A. when people became more concerned with the people who took decisions for them
- B. while the media is one of the main causes of it
- C. so that the candidates are now more honest and better qualified than ever
- D. since the mass media began to make image more important than ideas

48. \_\_\_\_\_ sometimes things all work out for the best.

- A. Though it can be quite disappointing not to get to the university you set your heart on
- B. Because in some countries there is no longer any compulsory military service
- C. We all had a great time hiking through the woods last weekend
- D. I've never seen such a terrible hotel or eaten at such a bad restaurant

49. \_\_\_\_\_ but I'd guess he must be about sixty.

- A. My husband will phone the tour company and ask the price of the trip to Egypt
- B. I don't remember how much the shop assistant told us those jeans cost
- C. I don't know exactly how old Tim's father is
- D. Frank weighed himself and was horrified to see he is eighty kilos

50. If you're not sure how to spell a word, \_\_\_\_\_ .

- A. you should look it up in a dictionary
- B. homophones are words that sound the same
- C. it is because, in Turkish, every sound is represented with a symbol
- D. then you should have avoided using them in your essay

51. Will you please find out and let me know \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. where is the meeting going to be held
- B. that I will wait for them in front of the theatre
- C. who is going to meet me at the airport
- D. when is the furniture going to be delivered

52. You will only write a good summary of a passage \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. when you fully understand it
- B. if you need to go back and review it
- C. that it uses the words from the essay
- D. whether the summary is objective

53. The boy felt so strong that -----

- A. he was light in complexion, tall and slim.
- B. he became interested in learning
- C. the instructors taught him how to behave
- D. he imagined he could lift the car.

54. Although the temperature was below freezing \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. the old beggar was only wearing a thin jacket
- B. it had been snowing heavily for days
- C. everybody at home had gone down with flu
- D. the ice on the pond was a foot thick

55. \_\_\_\_\_, the three men ran away in a black car.

- A. To be warned by the police
- B. To drive the wrong way
- C. Having robbed the jeweller's
- D. Having been caught by the police

## VOCABULARY

Choose the best for that fits into the gap.

56. Because her skin was extremely \_\_\_\_\_ to the sun's rays, Julie had to sit in the shade for the most part of her holiday.
- A. competent
  - B. accustomed
  - C. improper
  - D. sensitive
57. Most of the passengers died \_\_\_\_\_ when the tanker that the coach collided with exploded.
- A. strictly
  - B. instantly
  - C. gradually
  - D. extensively
58. It took us a long time to persuade the cat to come down the tree, but we managed it \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. swiftly
  - B. eventually
  - C. abundantly
  - D. permanently
59. When they came back from shopping, they spread out all their \_\_\_\_\_ to have a look at them.
- A. demands
  - B. deals
  - C. decisions
  - D. purchases
60. In my opinion, David Lean's \_\_\_\_\_ of Charles Dickens' novel 'Great Expectations' is the closest to the original. Other versions have been too far removed.
- A. inspiration
  - B. adaptation
  - C. manufacture
  - D. failure
61. I hate working with people who have no sense of \_\_\_\_\_ because they always turn up late, leave early, and let other people finish their work.
- A. ambition
  - B. responsibility
  - C. honesty
  - D. punctuality

62. Though he was \_\_\_\_\_ to go to the football match with his friends, he knew that it was more important to stay in and study for his exam.

- A. tempted
- B. distressed
- C. arranged
- D. doubted

63. In Greenland, dogs are used to \_\_\_\_\_ sledges through the snow.

- A. push
- B. draft
- C. pull
- D. slide

64. If the author's book had not been criticized so \_\_\_\_\_, he probably would not have committed suicide.

- A. harshly
- B. efficiently
- C. wastefully
- D. willingly

65. Because all of the chemicals we use are non-explosive, we are certain that this experiment can be \_\_\_\_\_ in complete safety.

- A. put down
- B. blown up
- C. broken into
- D. carried out

66. I don't have time to hear every detail, so I'd just like you to \_\_\_\_\_ the report.

- A. extend
- B. declare
- C. summarize
- D. simplify

67. The road was closed while the police cleared the \_\_\_\_\_ of the accident, involving two buses, a lorry and a car.

- A. evidence
- B. waste
- C. excess
- D. wreckage

68. Keith is \_\_\_\_\_ strong for his size. Though he is only a tiny man, he carried the dishwasher on his back up to the third floor.

- A. remarkably
- B. barely
- C. entirely
- D. formerly

69. The operation was planned in complete secrecy so as not \_\_\_\_\_ suspicion.

- A. to rise
- B. to arouse
- C. to resist
- D. to achieve

70. Though his father had been an army officer, Alan was a pacifist and never even \_\_\_\_\_ a career in the army.

- A. considered
- B. assessed
- C. progressed
- D. regarded

71. After many years of hard work and study, Sandra finally realized her \_\_\_\_\_ to be a doctor.

- A. ambition
- B. enquiry
- C. patience
- D. hesitation

72. Charities wouldn't be able to exist if some people did not \_\_\_\_\_ donate their time and money.

- A. generously
- B. scarcely
- C. desperately
- D. casually

73. "I am warning people," said the spokesperson firmly, "if things continue like this, an accident is \_\_\_\_\_ !"

- A. unlikely
- B. inevitable
- C. improbable
- D. impossible

74. You shouldn't give up now as you have overcome most of the \_\_\_\_\_ already.

- A. conclusions
- B. belongings
- C. obstacles
- D. measures



75. Every community in the world recognizes certain activities as crimes, and has developed its own way of \_\_\_\_\_ them.

- A. breaking into
- B. looking after
- C. getting on well with
- D. dealing with

76. Though Tom's stamp collection is worth a lot of money, he does not collect stamps for profit, but merely for \_\_\_\_\_ he enjoys having the stamps and looking at them.

- A. pleasure
- B. investment
- C. memory
- D. souvenir

77. I always take my car to this car-cleaning service because they clean and polish it \_\_\_\_\_, even vacuuming the floor mats.

- A. superficially
- B. constantly
- C. ultimately
- D. thoroughly

78. While dad was a little upset about the news that our flight had been cancelled, mum was \_\_\_\_\_; in fact, I don't remember ever seeing her so angry!

- A. frightened
- B. thrilled
- C. sympathetic
- D. furious

79. Be careful with my guitar! If you \_\_\_\_\_ it, you'll have to pay for the repairs.

- A. upset
- B. injure
- C. wound
- D. damage

80. Clare didn't do well in the last exam, but instead of allowing this to ..... her, she's now working harder than ever, and is determined to do better in the future.

- A. indicate
- B. motivate
- C. discourage
- D. encounter