**TỔNG HỢP ĐỀ SPEAKING PART 1**

**2023 - 2024**

## Topic 1: The Internet

1. **How often do you use the Internet?**

I use the Internet almost every day. It is a necessary part of my daily

* A necessary part of my daily life (find information on Google, read the news, check social media,….)
* I cannot imagine my life without the Internet

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1. **What do you often use the Internet for?**

I use the Internet to

* Support my work and study (check emails, do and submit online homework for my teacher, find information,…)
* Entertain in my free time (listen to music, surf Facebook, watch videos on Youtube,…)

*I use the internet to support my work and study. It can check email, do and submit online homework for my techer, and find information.*

1. **How effective is the Internet in your life?**

The Internet has made my life easier in many ways.

* Save time (find information within seconds, connect with other people while staying at home,…)
* More convenient (order food, go online shopping, don’t need to cook or go to physical stores)

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## Topic 2: Saving money

1. **Do you save money? Why (not)?**

Yes, I always save money/ set aside a sum of money

* Help me in some emergencies (lose my job, get sick,…)
* May use it for future plans (go travelling, pay tuition fee, buy a new motorbike,….)

*Yes, I always save money. Because it is may use it for future plans. I can go travelling, pau tuition fee, and buy a new motorbike.*

1. **What do you use the saved money for?**

I often use that money to

* Help my family (send money to my parents, pay electricity bills, water bills…)
* Pay for my English study
* Buy medicine when I get sick
* Go on a vacation
* Make big purchases in the future (buy a house, buy a car,…)
* Invest in the stock market

*I often use that money to help my family such as send money to my parents, pay eclictricity bills, and water bills*.

1. **Do people in your country like to save money?**

It depends

* Some people like to save money (want to have financial stability, cover expenses in emergencies such as getting sick or losing their jobs,…)
* Other people don’t like to save money (want to enjoy their lives, go to fancy restaurants, buy fashionable clothes, go travelling,…)

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## Topic 3: Party

1. **Do you like parties? Why (not)?**

Yes, I’m into parties

* Often have a party with my friends at the weekend
* Let my hair down and relieve stress after stressful study/work hours

*Yes, I’m into parties. I often have a party with my friends at the weekend.*

1. **Do you prefer indoor or outdoor parties?**

I prefer outdoor parties

* More space for activities and mini games
* Cooler atmosphere, fresher air (garden, pool,…)
* Keep the house clean
* Often join outdoor parties with friends at (địa điểm)

*I prefer outdoor parties. Becusse will more space for activities and mini games.*

1. **What do you often do at the party?**

There are several activities that I often do at the party.

* Eat snacks and different kinds of food
* Drink beers, soft drinks,….
* Socialize and talk with friends, meet new people,…
* Dance and sing along with the music
* Take photos, capture fun moments

*There are several activities that I often do at the party. I often drink beers or soft drinks. Besides, I can eat snacks and different food.*

## Topic 4: Traffic jams

1. **Do you often face traffic jams where you live?**

Yes, I often face traffic jams where I live.

**- Why?** Live in a busy neighborhood with a lot of traffic.

**- What?** Many cars, motorbikes, and buses.

**- Where?** On the street

**- When?** During rush hours

* Traffic jams

*Yes, I often face traffic jams where I live. Because I live in a busy neighborhood with a lot of traffic.*

No, I don’t face traffic jams where I live.

**- Why?** Live in a quiet neighborhood with little traffic.

**- What?** Use motorbike or walk,

not a lot of large vehicles

**- Where?** The streets are not crowded during rush hours

* No traffic jam

1. **What are the causes of traffic jams?**

There are some causes of traffic jams. I think have many prople use private vehicles.

* Many people use private vehicles
* For example, during rush hours, the street gets busy because everybody uses their own vehicles
* During the flood season, some vehicles break down on the street => block other vehicles

=> Cause traffic jams

1. **How can we reduce traffic jams?**

There are some solutions to reduce traffic jams. I think the governments should encourage people to take the bus.

* The government should encourage people to take the bus
* (make the bus cleaner, install air-conditioner systems,…)

=> make the bus more comfortable

* If More people take the bus => there will be less traffic on the street => This can reduce traffic jams

## Topic 5: Environmental problems

1. **What are some environmental problems in your hometown?**

There are some environmental problems in my hometown.

* Air pollution, water pollution, and waste.
* The air: dirty; a lot of dirt
* Riverbanks: filthy and muddy
* Some places: trash and litter

*There are some emvironmental problems in my hometown. And the biggest problem is that ari pollutionm water pollution, and waste.*

1. **What are the causes of those problems?**

There are some causes of those problems.

* Vehicles and factories release exhaust fumes => causes air pollution
* People are unaware of environmental pollution
* Throw trash into the river
* Litter on the street and in public places

*There are some causes of those problems. the first, people are unaware of environmental pollution. the last, vehicles and factories release exhaust fumes.*

1. **What are the solutions to those problems?**

There are some solutions to those problems

* People take public transport => reduce the exhaust fumes
* Factories use renewable energy (solar energy, wind power…)
* People should be aware of environmental problems.

*There are some solutions to those problems. I think people should be aware of environment problems.*

## Topic 6: Holidays

1. **What is the most important holiday in your country?**

Tet holiday (Lunar)

* A traditional occasion
* Marks the beginning of a new year
* Different activities: décorating their houses, buying new clothes, having family reunions
* Have two weeks off  go travelling

*Tet holiday is the most improtant holiday in my country. Because, Tet holiday is a traditional occasion. It is marks the beginning of a new year.*

1. **What do you usually do on your holidays?**

There are many activities that I usually do on my holidays.

* First day: return to my hometown, visit my family and relatives.
* The rest of the holiday: go travelling to relax, meet up with my friends at the coffee shop

*The are many activities that I usually do on my holidays. The first day I return to my hometown and visit my family and ralatives. The rest of the holiday I will go travelling to relax and meet up with my friens at the coffee shop.*

1. **Do you like long or short holidays?**

I’m into long holidays

* Have more time to recharge my battery
* Do many things I want (take up a new hobby: cooking, reading….; learn new skills, go travelling to relax…) unwind/ let my hair down
* Don’t have to worry about rushing back to school/work.

*I like long holidays. Because I can do many things I want such as learn new skills and go travelling to relax.*

## Topic 7: Children & Holidays

1. **What do kid’s favourite activities during holidays in your country?**

There are some activities that children enjoy doing during holidays in my country.

* Play video games at home, play sports with other children
* Special holidays (Tet Holiday ): children like helping their parents decorate their houses, receiving lucky money, eating traditional food, going to flower markets,…
* Summer holiday: go travelling, hang out with other kids in their neighborhood

*There are some activities that children enjoy doing during holidays in my country. Special holidays (Tet Holiday ) children like helping their parents decorate their houses, receiving lucky money, and eating traditional food.*

1. **Where do they go during their holidays?**

During their holidays, children often:

* Return to their hometown (visit relatives, reunite with grandparents, and meet their cousins,…)
* Go to amusement parks (Dam Sen Water Park, Vinpearl Land,…)
* Go travelling (beaches, mountains, pagodas,…)

*During their holidays, people often return to their hometown. their will visit relatives, reunite with grandparents, and meet their cousins.*

1. **Why are holidays important to kids in your country?**

Holidays are important to kids in my country because

* They need a break from their study
* They look forward to having days off, festive atmosphere, and delicious food
* They want to visit their beloved grandparents and meet their cousins
* They can have memorable moments with their families

*Holidays are improtant to kids in my country because they look forward to having days off, festive atmosphere, and delicious food.*

## Topic 8: Sleeping routine

1. **Do you often stay up late? Why or Why not?**

Yes, I often stay up late because

* Finish my homework, have a lot of deadlines at schools and at my English class
* Chat with friends, check social media
* Watch long movies series on Netflix

*Yes, I often stay up late because I to finish my homework, have a lot of deadlines at schools and at my english class.*

1. **What makes you stay up late?**

Apart from doing my homework, there are several things that make me stay up late.

* Have late meals at night. It’s not good for my stomach if I sleep right away after eating.
* Worry about upcoming exams, presentations,….
* Come home late from work, need to stay up late to study

*Apart from doing my homework, there are several things that make me stay up late. I feel worry aboout upcoming exams, presentations.*

1. **How do you feel when you lack sleep?**

*When I lack sleep, I often feel tired, I cannot do simple tasks such as cleaning up my house or cooking.*

* Feel tired: cannot do simple tasks such as cleaning up my house or cooking.
* Have a headache: cannot focus on my study
* Be more irritable: have a bad mood, easy to get angry with people

## Topic 9: Wedding

1. **Have you ever attended a wedding?**

Yes, I have attended several weddings. And the most recent weddings I thave attended was 4 months ago.

* **When?** The most recent wedding I have attended was 4 months ago
* **What?** My sister’s wedding/ my friend’s wedding/ an acquaintance’s wedding
* **Why?** Was invited to celebrate his/her marriage
* **Where?** At a restaurant/ in a garden/…
* **Who?** A lot of guests attended the wedding => expressed their love and wishes for the couple

1. **What is your favorite moment in a wedding?**

* **Exchange of vows:** the couple declares their love and commitment to one another.
* **Ring exchange:** the couple exchanges their wedding rings as a symbol of their love and commitment to one another.
* **Kissing:** the couple shares a kiss
* **Bouquet tossing:** The bride tosses her bouquet of flowers over her shoulder to the unmarried women guests
* **Pronouncement:** the officiant pronounces the couple husband and wife
* **Offering tea to the elders:** the couple offers a cup of tea to older relatives to show respect and receive blessings from them.

It is very touching when I witness two people officially spending the rest of their lives together.

1. **What do you often wear when attending a wedding?**

When attending a wedding I often dress up nicely to show respect for the married couple.

* A {color} shirt and trousers, a suit, leather shoes…
* A {color} fancy dress, jewelry,…

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## Topic 10: Actors & Movies

1. **Who is your favorite actor/actress?**

My favourite actor/actress is….(tên) He/ She is not only talented but also good-looking. He/ She is really good at acting, he/ she has taken part in many films such as (kể vài tên phim), and my favorite film of him/her is ….. (chọn 1 phim thích nhất).

My favourite actor is Le Duong Bao Lam. He is really good at acting

1. **Can you describe him/her?**

Student’s own answer.

He is very funny and very kind.

1. **Do you think that the movie business develops in your country?**

Yes, I believe the movie business is developing in Vietnam. Because Vietnamese films are more and more popular not only in Vietnam but also in the world

* More local productions
* Vietnamese films are more and more popular not only in Vietnam but also in the world
* Some Vietnamese actors and actresses take part in Hollywood movies.

## Topic 11: Park

1. **Do you often go to the park?**

Yes, I often go to the park near my house. ( có thể nêu tên công viên)

* Take an evening work to enjoy the fresh air
* Play badmintons with friends
* Watch groups of people practice dancing
* Let my hair down after a nerve-racking time.

Yes, I often go to the park near my house. The park is name Luu Huu Phuoc. I uasully playing badmintions with my friend at the park.

1. **What do people often do at the park?**

There are several activities that people often do at the park.

* Do exercise like walking, jogging, riding a bike, doing yoga,…
* Relax and enjoy nature (sit on grass, read a book, have a picnic,…)
* Attend activities like concerts, exercise groups,…

There are several activities that people often do at the park. Their can do exercise like walking and doing yoga. Beside, their can play sport such as playing badmintion or playing yoga, and jogging.

1. **What are some benefits of the park?**

There are some benefits of the park.

* Provide space for exercise, recreation, and relaxation => help improve physical and mental health
* Bring people together to meet and socialize
* Make a green space, protect plants, improve air quality
* Encourage children to join outdoor activities and boost their creativity

*There are some benefits of the park. When go to the park people will have space for exercise and relaxation. This is can help improve physical and mental health.*

## Topic 12: Fruit

1. **What is your favorite fruit? and why?**

I enjoy (tên trái cây) organce. It is will provide essential vitamins for my body

* Refreshing, juicy and sweet/sour
* Provide essential vitamins for my body
* Maintain a healthy weight

1. **What are the health benefits of the fruit?**

There are some health benefits of fruits. The salient benefit is that have a lot of vitamins and minerals.

* Have a lot of vitamins and minerals
* Improve immune system, support eye health, heart health
* Help people lose weight

## Topic 13: Fast food

1. **What is your favorite fast food?**

* My favorite fast food is burgers. / I am addicted to burgers.
* Enjoy tasting the meat and cheese
* Interesting to eat, there are different kinds of burgers (beef burgers, chicken burgers,…)
* I usually go to a local fast food chain store with my friends, and I always order burgers.

My favorite fast food is burgers. I usually go to a local fast food chain store with my friends, and I always order burgers.

1. **What do you think about the benefits of people consuming fast food?**

There are some benefits of consuming fast food.

* Time-saving and convenient for busy people
* Have a quick meal, do not need to cook
* Cheaper than having a meal at an eatery

There are some benefits of consunming fast food. I think salient benefit is time-saving and convenient fot busy people.

## Topic 14: Diary

1. **Do you often write a diary?**

Yes, I write a diary everyday/ on a daily basis.

* Write down activities and events that I attended
* Record my thoughts, memories, and feelings
* Relieve stress and get rid of negative thoughts
* Develop my writing skills and help me become more creative

Yes, I write a diary everyday. I write down activities and events that I attended.

1. **What type of diary do you write?**

I always write a paper diary.

* Have a notebook
* Write before bedtime.
* Often open the diary and read it again to recall my memories

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1. **What are some benefits of writing a diary?**

There are some benefits of writing a diary.

* A good way to save memories
* Practice writing and creative thinking skills
* Good for our brain because we have to think of ideas and put into words
* Write diary in English can help improve English

There are some benefits of writing a diary. The salient benefit is a good way to save memories

## Topic 15: Feelings

1. **Do you often feel unhappy?**

Yes, I feel unhappy sometimes. When I am (down in the dumps) = feel sad, I often …. (kể một số việc thường làm lúc buồn)

Yes, I feel unhappy sometimes. When I am feel sad. I often playing games or playing soccer.

1. **What are the reasons you feel unhappy?**

There are some reasons that make me feel unhappy

* Fail an exam
* Be criticized for making a mistake
* Do not have enough money to buy something I want
* Have health problems (get sick)

**There are some reasons that make me feel unhappy. The first when I fail an exam. The last,when I have health problems.**

## Topic 16: Favorite subjects

1. **What is your favorite subject?**

My favorite subject is English. Because it is Helps me communicate and connect with foreign people

* Usually study English with my friends at an English center at night
* Helps me communicate and connect with foreign people
* Helps me have a well-paid job

1. **How much time do you spend studying this subject?**

I spend a lot of time studying English. I Go to my English classes 3 times a week

* Go to my English classes 3 times a week
* Each class lasts one and a half hour
* At home, spend one hour a day practicing English and do English exercise

1. **What subject do you dislike?**

I am not into Physics

* Not good with numbers
* Has a lot of complicated theories and formulas, I cannot memorize them
* Get bad grades in Physics, drags my overall result down

I am not into Math. Because I will have a lot of homeworks.

## Topic 17: Singers

1. **Who is your favorite singer? Why?**

My favourite singer is … I idolize him/her because he/she is good-looking and has a beautiful voice. Besides, his/her songs are very catchy, and my favourite song is ….

My favourite singer is Đạt G. Because he is good-looking and has a beautifull voice.

1. **What is his/her personality? Why do you think so?**

He/she is a friendly and extroverted singer. He/she can communicate with lots of people in his field as well as interact with his fans. In addition, he/she is passionate about singing. He/she looks so immersed when he/she performs his/her songs.

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1. **What kind of music do they play?**

He/she follows rap/ballad/pop/R&B,…. Although he/she plays different kinds of music, his/her songs always become big hits in Vietnam.

He follows rap and pop. Although he plays defferent kinds of music, his songs always become big hits is VietNam

## Topic 18: Body language

1. **Do people in your country use body language?**

* Yes, people in my country use body language all the time. Youngsters usually bow to the elderly
* Youngsters usually bow to the elderly
* Shake hands with people of the same age for greeting
* Give thumbs up means agreement or compliment

1. **Can we communicate without words?**

* Yes, we can communicate without words. Express feelings such as anger, happiness through eye contact.
* Express feelings such as anger, happiness through eye contact.
* Nod our head => we agree with a person on something
* Shake our head => disagree with a person on something

1. **Is there a particular form of body language that you find offensive?**

* Yes, there is a particular form of body language that I find offensive. Point fingers at older people, show disrespect
* Point fingers at older people, show disrespect
* Show the middle finger toward other people, offend others

## Topic 19: Climate

1. **What is the weather like where you live?**

I live in the South of Vietnam. In my area, the weather is dry and humid. It is usually humid during the rainy season from April to October. Whereas during the rest of the time, the weather stays dry.

1. **What is your favorite season?**

* I am into humid season. It Makes me feel comfortable
* The weather is cool
* Makes me feel comfortable
* Take part in outdoors activities without sweating
* Do not need to worry about sunburn

1. **Would you like to visit other cities that have different climates from where you live?**

* Yes, I would like to visit other cities that have different climates from where I live. I think it experience new things
* Can broaden my horizons
* experience new things
* try many seasonal dishes

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## Topic 20: Website

1. **What is your favorite website?**

* My favourite website is Facebook. It help me can Connect with other people worldwide
* One of the most common website
* Share everyday moments and stories
* Connect with other people worldwide
* Easy to use, everyone can use it

1. **What do you use it for?**

* I use Facebook to Stay connected with my friends and family members
* Stay connected with my friends and family members
* See what they are up to
* Share my photos, react to friends’ photos
* Watch funny videos to unwind in my free time
* Join some groups related to my interest

1. **How often do you use it?**

I only spend an hour a day surfing Facebook after work to let off some steam by catching up with the latest trends or chatting with my friends, and then move on to other activities.

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## Topic 21: Gifts

1. **What is your favorite gift?**

From my perspective, my favourite gift is a smartphone which my parents gave me after I passed the entrance exam to a high school. At that time, it was a present that I wanted to have. With my smartphone, I could not only study better but also unwind after a nerve-racking time at school.

1. **What is the most interesting gift you have received?**

Well, honestly, the most interesting gift I have ever received is a puppy on my 15th birthday. The reason is that I didn’t know about him before I opened the box. My parents wanted to surprise me and I was on cloud nine when I saw him. Until now, he is still my good and loyal buddy.

***The most interesting gift I have ever received is a shoes football for my friends. That is the model is like because I feel very happy.***

1. **What kinds of gifts are popular in your country?**

ctually, there are no specific kinds of gifts that are compulsory to give in my country, Vietnam. People usually decide on their presents depending on the receivers’ interest. Therefore, it could be books, flowers, toys, clothes, and so on. However, money will be a frequent choice for a majority of the Vietnamese, if they don’t know the receivers’ interest.

***in my country, there are specific of gifts is books, flower, clothers and so on.***

## Topic 22: Hometown

1. **What is your hometown famous for?**

My hometown is Cantho, and it is famous for many tourist attractions such as Cai Rang floating market and Ninh Kieu Quay. Besides, it's also well-known for a lot of fresh fruits such as mangoes and rambutans.

***My hometown is Bac Lieu. There place, have warn weather for comfortable. Besides, it no nooisy and quiet.***

1. **What activities do you often do in your hometown?**

I often do many interesting activities in my hometown such as going to beautiful coffee shops to read books or take photos. In addition, I often go for a walk in Ninh Kieu Quay at the weekend to let my hair down.

***I often do many interesting activities in my hometown such as going to coffee or playing football with my friends.***

1. **How is the tourism in your hometown?**

***Tourism in my hometown is very developed because it has a lot of beautiful tourist attractions and many specialties. Therefore, it attracts millions of tourists every year.***

## Topic 23: Neighbors

1. **Do you like your neighbors?**

Yes, I would say that I have close relationships with my neighbors because they are very friendly and helpful, and they are willing to give me a hand when I have difficulties.

1. **Are your neighbors usually close to each other in your country?**

In my hometown, neighbors live quite close to each other, and we have a lot of interaction and get along well with each other. We also help each other in emergencies.

1. **What do you often do with your neighbors?**

My neighbors and I often have a lot of interesting activities together such as cooking delicious dishes and singing karaoke at the weekend, and it can help me to let my hair down after a nerve-racking time.

## Topic 24: Accommodation

1. **Do you live in a house or an apartment?**

I am living in a boarding house that is close to my university, and it only takes me 5 minutes to get there. It offers me convenience and a comfortable place to stay while pursuing my studies.

1. **What do you dislike about your house?**

There are several things that I dislike about my boarding house. The rooms can get quite noisy at times due to the many students living there. Also, my room does not have an air conditioner, so it often gets hot during summer. However, these are small issues that I can overlook.

1. **Do you want to continue living there in the future?**

Honestly, I do not plan to stay there long term. Once I finish my studies, I would like to rent an apartment and move there because an apartment is more spacious and has more conveniences such as an air conditioner, a fridge, and a TV.

## Topic 25: Holiday booking

1. **Do you book a hotel or ticket before going on a vacation?**

Yes, I always book my hotel and flight tickets before going on a vacation.

* Do it at home, more convenient
* Get good deals and have discount programs
* Have my accommodation arranged when I arrive at my destination

1. **How do you usually book the hotel? Why?**

I usually book my hotel through online platforms such as Agoda or Traveloka.

* Most convenient options
* Can compare prices
* See reviews and facilities
* Make cancellations easily through the apps

1. **Do people in your country do that?**

Yes, I believe that most people in my country also do that.

* More convenient and time-saving
* Have everything arranged when they arrive at the place
* Help minimize hassles and maximize enjoyment

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## Topic 26: Charity work

1. **Have you ever done charity work?**

Yes, I have done charity work a few times.

* Took part in a local organization
* Collected donations for poor children
* Helped distribute school supplies for children
* Distributed food for the needy

1. **How do you feel about this activity?**

I feel that charity work is a meaningful and satisfying activity.

* Bring joy and happiness to people
* See the smiles on their faces
* Make society a better place to live
* Realize how fortunate I am => motivates me to continue helping the poor

1. **Who do you want to help when doing charity work?**

When doing charity work, I want to help poor children and old people. Children who are less fortunate deserve support so that they have opportunities to grow and develop properly. Old people who cannot support themselves also need care and assistance. I feel that they all need a helping hand.

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## Topic 27: Music

1. **Do you like listening to music?**

Yes, I enjoy listening to music.

* One of my favourite hobbies.
* Brings me joy and improve my mood
* Often spend an 30 minutes listening to music before bedtime

1. **What kind of music do you like?**

I enjoy listening to a wide variety of music genres. But my most favourite is pop music, especially songs by (tên ca sĩ). I also enjoy classical music because it helps me stay focused when I study.

1. **Why do you listen to music?**

There are some reasons why I listen to music.

* Enjoyable and fun => experience positive emotions and feel happy
* Helps me reduce stress and anxiety => free my mind from everyday issues
* Makes me feel less lonely when I am alone
* Helps me relax and sleep more easily

## Topic 28: Mobile phone

1. **Do you have a mobile phone?**

Yes, I have a mobile phone. It has become an essential part of life and it helps me a lot in daily activities. I cannot imagine how my life would be without it.

1. **How often do you use it?**

I use my mobile phone very frequently, almost every hour of the day. Whether I'm at home, at school or travelling, I always have my phone with me and check it regularly for messages, notifications and updates.

1. **What do you use it for?**

I use my phone to do different things.

* Keep in touch with my friends and family members
* Find information for my work and study
* Entertain myself in my free time (listen to music, check social media, watch Youtube videos,…)
* Read the news and keep up with current events

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## Topic 29: Morning Routines

1. **What time do you often get up?**

I often get up at 5:00 am without any alarm as I get used to this routine. However, workers and farmers in Vietnam will begin their day very soon. For example, my parents get up at 4:30 am everyday.

1. **What do you do in the morning?**

I usually begin my day with some simple exercises. Then, I take a bath and do personal hygiene. After that, I read some pages of books for 15 minutes and then have breakfast.

1. **Is breakfast important for you?**

Breakfast is important to me, and I never skip breakfast because

* Provide me with energy to stay active
* Maintain a healthy weight
* Avoid stomachache

## Topic 30: Writing blogs

**1. Do you write blogs?**

No, I don’t write blogs

* Not interested in writing
* Do not have much free time to learn about writing blogs
* Have other hobbies to spend time on

(reading, cooking, learning English,…)

**2. What do you blog about?** [To blog about something (v): viết blog về điều gì]

If I wrote blogs, I would blog about (chọn 1)

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* ***Travel:*** often go traveling once a month => write about my experiences, share travel tips, describe tourist attractions, share photos from my travels,…
* ***Food and cooking:*** often cook meals and eat out => share cooking techniques and recipes, review famous restaurants, share food photos and dietary tips, review cuisines in different places,…
* ***Personal development:*** write about setting goals, share tips to make a plan and manage time, give advice to overcome challenges, share motivational stories, review self-help books,…
* ***Fashion and style:*** have an eye for fashion => share outfit ideas, write about the latest fashion trends, give clothing advice for different situations, share shopping guides,…

## Topic 31: Anger

**1. Do you often get angry?**

Yes, I sometimes get angry

* things don’t go as planned
* deal with stress or pressure from studying
* annoyed by someone
* ………..

However, I try to stay calm and find ways to handle situations.

**2. What are you often angry about?**

I get angry when

* do something and fail many times (practicing a musical instrument, learn a new language,…)
* see unfair situations (someone being treated badly, someone being judged unfairly based on look,….)
* see people mistreat pets

## Topic 32: Leisure time

**1. Do you often have free time?**

Yes, I often have free time

**When?** most days of the week/ after school/ at the weekend/ on the evening

**Why?** need to relax, recharge my energy, focus better when get back to work

**Where?** stay at home/ go to the park/ go to the coffee shop/ go to the gym

**Who?** spend my free time with my family, socialize with friends

**2. What do you do in your free time?**

There are some activities that I do in my free time.

* Read some books
* Watch movies
* Take a nap
* Surf Facebook
* Meet up with friends
* ….

**3. Do you like spending time alone or with others?**

I like spending time with friends.

* **Why?** fun to chat with friends, relax after a stressful week
* **When?** on Saturday and Sunday nights/ every night
* **Where?** at one of the friends’ house/ at the coffee shop/ at a shopping mall
* **What?** socialize with one another, do group assignments, …

## Topic 33: Work

**1. Do you prefer to go to work in the morning or the evening?**

I prefer to work in the morning.

* **When?** from around …a.m to …p.m
* **Why?** feel most alert and productive => do my work faster
* **Where?** work from home/ in an office/ at a shop
* **Who?** work independently/ work with my colleagues
* **What?** *(mô tả công việc bạn làm)*

**2. How many hours do you work every day?**

I work about ..… hours a day.

* **When?** from Monday to Saturday, from …a.m. to …p.m.
* **Where?** work at home/ in an office/ at a shop/ at a restaurant
* **Why?** fulfill my job responsibilities, helps me earn money
* **Who?** work independently/ work with my colleagues

**3. Does your part-time job give you any experience?**

Yes, my part-time job gives me a lot of experience.

* Gain practical skills (communication skills, problem-solving skills, *your own ideas*….)
* Improve teamwork and time-management
* I learn to + V0…. (*your own experience*)

## Topic 34: Weather

**1. What's the weather like where you live?**

* **Where?** in the South of Vietnam
* **What?** two seasons: the dry season and the rainy season
* **Why?** belong to tropical climate
* **How?** the weather is hot and sunny in the dry season; it often has flooding and a cloudy sky in the rainy season

**2. What type of weather do you like best?**

**Sunny weather**

* **Why?** feel warm, can go outside without getting wet by the rain
* **When?** dry season, usually takes place from November to April
* **What?** enjoy outdoor activities such as ….
* **Who?** with family/ friends/…

**3. Does the weather affect people’s lives in your country?**

Yes, the weather can affect the people in my country.

**Rainy season => rains a lot**

* make it hard to do things outside
* farmers can’t grow crops if it rains too much
* brings heavy wind and causes flooding

**Dry season => hot**

* easily feel tired
* get sick from the heat

## Topic 35: Lunch

**1. How often do you have lunch?**

I have lunch everyday.

* **Why?** good for my health, have energy for the afternoon
* **When?** around 11:30 a.m.
* **Where?** eat at home because I can save money/ eat out because I don’t have time to cook
* **Who?** have lunch with family/ friends => we talk about … during our lunch

**2. Do you often skip lunch?**

No, I don’t often skip lunch.

* **Why?** harmful for my health, have low energy
* **When?** only skip lunch on busy days when I have a lot of deadlines or exams coming up
* **Why?** need more time to focus on the tasks or exams

**3. Do you prefer to have lunch at home or workplace/school? why?**

I prefer to have lunch at home.

* **Why?** enjoy home-cooked meal, save money, rest right away after I finish my lunch
* **When?** have lunch at home on most days when my schedule allows
* **What?** cook simple meals such as …

## Topic 36: Diet

**1. Do you think you have a healthy diet?**

Yes, I think I have a healthy diet.

* **Why?** often have three meals a day; eat fruits and vegetables; rarely eat junk food; avoid alcohol and sugary drinks
* **Where?** cook and eat at home
* **When?** every day/ at the weekend
* **Why?** home-cooked food is healthier and more hygienic

**2. What do you often eat to have good health?**

There are some things that I eat to have good health.

* **What?** fruits and vegetables (such as oranges, carrots, sweet potatoes…)
* **Why?** provide vitamins for my body; good for my heart and immune system
* **What?** fish and meat
* **Why?** provide protein for my body; have energy to work and study

**3. Do you like to eat fruits and vegetables?**

Yes, I like to eat fruits and vegetables.

* **Why?** provide vitamins for my body; good for my heart and immune system
* **What?** fruits: oranges, avocado, bananas,…/ vegetables: broccoli, lettuce, cabbage…
* **When?** eat fruits in the afternoon/ eat vegetables in my main meals
* **Where?** buy fruits and vegetables at the supermarket/market

## Topic 37: Lifestyle

**1. Do you think you have a healthy lifestyle?**

Yes, I think I have a healthy lifestyle.

* **Why?** eat nutritious food and often do exercise
* **What?** consume vegetables, fruits, and meat; do exercise 30 minutes a day such as running and playing badminton
* **When?** eat healthy meals every day; set aside time to do physical activities every afternoon
* **Where?** cook at home; run and play badminton at the park

**2. Do you think you will change your lifestyle?**

Yes. I think I will change my lifestyle.

* **When?** get older, have a job or a family
* **Why?** have more responsibilities, have more things to do => a different schedule
* **What?** diet and exercise routine
* **How?** may have a less healthy diet, lead a sedentary lifestyle due to busy work schedule

## Topic 38: Market

**1. Do you often go to the market?**

Yes, I often go to the market.

* **Where?** Cai Rang market
* **How long?** takes me 5 minutes to get there
* **Why?** near my house and has a lower price
* **What?** buy food and other groceries
* **Who?** sometimes go alone, sometimes go with my grandmother

**2. When do you go to the market?**

I often go to the market in the morning to buy food for cooking meals for the day. Sometimes, I go to the market at the weekend to buy things in advance and prepare for the next week so that I don’t need to go there many times on weekdays.

**3. What are the benefits of going to the market?**

There are some benefits of going to the market.

* offer fresher food and vegetables than frozen grocery store items
* has a lower price than in the supermarket
* provide better social experiences, browse around the open-air market and chat with sellers

## Topic 39: Birds

**1. Which bird do you like?**

I really like sparrows.

* **What?** have brown color
* **Why?** lively, energetic, often chatter, hop around, and chase one another
* **Where?** can be seen almost everywhere, both in urban and rural areas

**2. What are some kinds of birds in your country?**

There are some kinds of birds in my country.

* **Nightingale (chim sơn ca):** it is a small bird that has brown feathers. It is known for its beautiful songs
* **Golden oriole (chim vàng anh):** it is a medium-sized bird that has yellow and black feathers. These birds also have a melodious song with whistles and gurgling notes.
* **Parakeet (vẹt yến phụng):** it is a pet bird and has many colors like green, blue, yellow, and more. Their colorful feathers really catch people’s eyes.

## Topic 40: Plan

**1. Do you often make a plan?**

**2. Do you think making a plan is important? Why/Why not?**

**3. Have you been making any plans recently?**