

**Read the following advertisement and mark the letter A, B, C and D on your answer sheer to indicate the option.**

Plastic pollution is an (1) \_\_\_\_\_ issue threatening our planet. Every year, millions of tons of plastic waste end up in the oceans, harming both marine life and fragile ecosystems. The ever-growing piles of discarded plastics are not only concerned the environment but also leaving humans feeling increasingly (2) \_\_\_\_\_ about their health. To combat this crisis, we need a global (3) \_\_\_\_\_ that actively promotes recycling and minimizes single-use plastics. Organizations (4) \_\_\_\_\_ awareness about sustainable alternatives play a vital role in driving this movement forward. Communities can join the fight by donating funds (5) \_\_\_\_\_ initiatives specifically aimed at cleaning polluted rivers and beaches. Additionally, adopting eco-friendly habits, such as using reusable bags and bottles, can significantly reduce our plastic footprint. Remember, every small effort matters. By (6) \_\_\_\_\_ immediate action today, we can safeguard our planet for future generations. Together, let's put an end to plastic pollution!

**Question 2:** A. to damage      B. damaging      C. damaged      D. to damaging

**Question 6:** A. having                  B. making                  C. setting up                  D. taking

## Green Living at School: Small Actions, Big Impact!

### 1. Provide More Recycling Bins

## 2. Teach Recycling Skills

### 3. Reuse Plastic Creatively

## Act Now for a Greener School!

**Question 9:** A. Irrespective of      B. Instead of      C. On account of      D. In addition to

- Question 10:** A. the other                      B. others                      C. another                      D. anothers  
**Question 11:** A. leftovers                      B. decorations                      C. cardboard                      D. compost  
**Question 12:** A. conscription                      B. awareness                      C. enticement                      D. inspiring

**Indicate the correct arrangement of the sentences to make a meaningful paragraph/letter.**

**Question 13:**

- a. **Alice:** I agree! I've been using recycled products and switching to solar energy.  
b. **Tom:** We should live more sustainably, like saving energy and reducing plastic waste.  
c. **Tom:** Great! I'm planning to plant some indoor plants and use organic products.

- A. a-b-c                      B. a-c-b                      C. b-c-a                      D. b-a-c

**Question 14.**

- a. Mary: That's a good idea! We can also stop buying products made from wild animals.  
b. Mary: Yes, I do! What can we do to help them?  
c. Tom: Exactly! And we should tell others to protect endangered species, too.  
d. Tom: Hi, Mary! Do you want to help protect wild animals?  
e. Tom: We can use reusable bags when we shop. It helps reduce plastic waste in nature.

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

**Question 15:**

**Dear John,**

I hope this letter finds you well.

- a. Our planet faces many challenges, so I've started using reusable bags and bottles, turning off unused lights, and using energy-efficient appliances to reduce waste and save energy.  
b. I've also started supporting local businesses that focus on eco-friendly products and practices.  
c. I believe these small steps can lead to a big difference, and I'd love to hear how you've been living more sustainably.  
d. I wanted to share my thoughts on living more sustainably, as it has become increasingly important to me.  
e. Additionally, I've been using public transport more often and planted a few trees in my garden to help improve air quality.

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

**Question 16:**

- a. Additionally, choosing eco-friendly products and supporting renewable energy sources, such as solar or wind power, contributes to a greener planet.  
b. Planting trees helps reduce carbon dioxide levels and improves air quality.  
c. Simple actions like reducing plastic use, recycling, and conserving water can make a significant difference.  
d. It's important for individuals, businesses, and governments to work together to preserve natural resources, reduce pollution, and combat climate change for future generations.  
e. Protecting the environment is crucial for ensuring a healthy and sustainable future.

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

**Question 17:**

- a. These individual efforts, when combined with broader policy changes and community involvement, can lead to a significant positive impact on global environmental health.  
b. Green living has become a crucial part of tackling the environmental crises we face today, as it not only helps preserve natural resources but also ensures the well-being of future generations.  
c. By making small changes such as reducing plastic consumption, using energy-efficient appliances, and opting for eco-friendly transportation methods like cycling or using electric cars, we can dramatically reduce our carbon footprint.

d. Shifting towards a plant-based diet further contributes to sustainability, as the agricultural industry, particularly livestock farming, is one of the leading contributors to deforestation and greenhouse gas emissions.

e. In addition, many people are adopting renewable energy solutions, like solar panels or wind turbines, which, in the long run, not only decrease our reliance on non-renewable resources but also lower electricity bills.

A. b-e-c-a-d

B. b-c-d-e-a

C. d-a-e-c-a

D. b-c-e-d-a

**Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks**

### **Switching to VinFast Electric Vehicles for a Green Lifestyle**

Switching to electric vehicles, like those made by VinFast, (18) \_\_\_\_\_. More eco-friendly than traditional gasoline-powered cars, electric vehicles significantly reduce our carbon footprint and improve air quality. In addition, more energy-efficient, they help conserve natural resources by wasting less energy. If more people start choosing electric vehicles, the environment will benefit greatly.

VinFast, a Vietnamese electric vehicle company, offers a variety of electric cars (19) \_\_\_\_\_. Equipped with advanced technology, (20) \_\_\_\_\_. As the demand for electric cars grows, more countries are implementing policies to encourage their use, such as offering subsidies for buyers and building more charging stations. despite people becoming more aware of the impact of gasoline-powered vehicles on the environment. (21) \_\_\_\_\_.

Electric cars also have the advantage of being cheaper to maintain since they don't require frequent oil changes or complex mechanical repairs. In addition, electric cars are much quieter, contributing to less noise pollution in urban areas. (22) \_\_\_\_\_.

#### **Question 18:**

A. which plays a vital role in advancing environmental sustainability

B. being a crucial step for promoting a greener future

C. has become a crucial step in promoting a greener future

D. having become a key action in reducing environmental damage

#### **Question 19: A. which meet the needs of eco-conscious consumers**

B. which are designed with sustainability in mind

C. designing their vehicles with sustainability in mind by focusing on energy efficiency

D. are becoming increasingly popular worldwide

#### **Question 20:**

A. are providing a smooth and efficient driving experience

B. these vehicles to provide a smooth and efficient driving experience

C. VinFast has provided a smooth and efficient driving experience for years

D. these vehicles provide a smooth and efficient driving experience

#### **Question 21:**

A. as people become more aware of the environmental impacts of gasoline-powered vehicles

B. governments encourage the development of electric cars and reduce emissions globally.

C. are becoming aware about the environmental impacts of gasoline-powered vehicles

D. despite people becoming more aware of the impact of gasoline-powered vehicles on the environment

#### **Question 22:**

A. Many people believe that electric cars will eventually replace public transport in big cities because they offer greater convenience

B. Electric cars are popular among drivers who need to travel long distances daily for work or leisure

C. Some experts claim that the manufacturing process of electric cars is not environmentally friendly

D. By choosing VinFast electric vehicles, people can make a positive impact on both the environment and their daily lives

**Mark A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions.**

Green living is a lifestyle focused on reducing our environmental footprint through conscious choices. It involves taking actions that help **conserve** resources and protect the environment. By embracing eco-friendly habits, individuals contribute to a sustainable future. Simple steps like reducing energy use, recycling, and using less plastic can make a big difference in the long term.

Energy conservation is a crucial part of green living. Using energy-efficient appliances, turning off lights when not in use, and utilizing renewable energy sources like solar and wind power are key strategies. **These** help reduce greenhouse gas emissions and lower our **dependence** on fossil fuels, contributing to a cleaner, greener planet.

Another important aspect of green living is waste reduction. **Instead of relying on single-use plastics, people can recycle materials like paper and plastic, compost organic waste, and reduce overall consumption.** By recycling and reusing items, we help conserve resources and reduce the amount of waste that ends up in landfills, which can take years to decompose.

Transportation choices also play a significant role in reducing our environmental impact. Opting for public transportation, cycling, or walking instead of driving can significantly lower carbon emissions. These eco-friendly alternatives not only reduce pollution but also promote healthier lifestyles by encouraging physical activity.

**Question 23:** Which of the following is **NOT** mentioned as part of green living in the passage?

- A. reducing plastic use    B. recycling things    C. reducing energy use    D. using electric cars

**Question 24:** The word "**conserve**" in paragraph 1 is OPPOSITE in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. save    B. collect    C. reuse    D. waste

**Question 25:** The word "**These**" in paragraph 2 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. Key conserving strategies    B. Greenhouse gas emissions  
C. Energy-efficient appliances    D. Renewable energy sources

**Question 26:** The word "**dependence**" in paragraph 2 could be best replaced by \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. reduction    B. conservation    C. detraction    D. reliance

**Question 27:** Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 3?

- A. People should focus on using single-use plastics less.  
B. People can reduce waste by recycling and reusing materials.  
C. People can reduce waste by recycling and composting only.  
D. People can minimize waste by purchasing fewer plastic products.

**Question 28:** Which of the following is **TRUE** according to the passage?

- A. Cycling and walking increase emissions over time.  
B. Eco-friendly choices reduce activity and harm the planet.  
C. Public transport increases carbon and creates pollution.  
D. Eco-friendly choices lower emissions and boost health.

**Question 29:** In which paragraph does the writer mention transportation choices?

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

**Question 30:** In which paragraph does the writer discuss waste reduction and recycling?

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

**Mark the letter on your answer sheet to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions.**

Even though natural energy sources are considered the future solution, we have harnessed them for a long time. For example, windmills were used to grind grain. However, human beings

are increasingly becoming **reliant** on using fossil fuels such as coal and oil, which has caused a lot of environmental problems. As a result, scientists are attempting to preserve the environment by using renewable sources such as solar, wind and many other types.

For billions of years, the sun has produced energy. The amount of sunlight striking the earth's surface in an hour can **meet the planet's power needs** in a full year. Sunlight is **harnessed** to generate two forms of energy: electricity and heat by using solar panels or solar absorbers, which can be installed on residents' rooftops or open areas.

**[I]** Wind power can also be used to generate electricity through wind turbines. The size of a wind turbine depends on the energy demand. **[II]** For example, the amount of electricity that is required inside a high-rise building can be provided by small turbines with a capacity of under 50 kilowatts. On the other hand, large corporations that produce energy for sale need to install huge wind turbines at the power plant scale, with a capacity from 1.5 to 7.5 megawatts.

**[III]** As a natural power to generate electricity, hydroelectric power utilises a dam or diversion structure in the process of harnessing the energy of a flowing river or other body of water. **[IV]** However, dam construction can negatively affect the ecology of a river and nearby agricultural activities. In fact, it might have a huge impact on the local environment. Therefore, **it is vital to research various regions thoroughly to minimise the potential negative effects.**

**Question 31:** Where in this passage does the following sentence best fit?

"Another type of renewable energy is hydroelectric power."

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

**Question 32:** The word "reliant" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to:

- A. progressive                                      B. independent                                      C. dependent                                      D. doubtful

**Question 33:** The phrase "meet the planet's power needs" in paragraph 1 refers to:

- A. Satisfying the energy demands of the Earth                                      B. Finding the planet's energy needs  
C. Determining the future energy sources                                      D. Understanding how to produce energy for the Earth

**Question 34:** The phrase "harnessed" in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to:

- A. ignore                                      B. generate                                      C. control                                      D. collected

**Question 35:** What is the main idea of paragraph 3?

- A. The size of wind turbines varies depending on the type of energy required by industries.  
B. Wind turbines come in different sizes depending on the electricity needs of different areas.  
C. Small turbines are only suitable for personal use, while large turbines are needed for corporate energy production.  
D. Wind energy from turbine systems depends on the energy demand of the user.

**Question 36:** Which of the following is NOT true according to the text?

- A. Wind turbines differ in size depending on specific demand.  
B. Small wind turbines can produce sufficient energy for a high-rise building.  
C. Hydroelectric power can have harmful effects on local ecological systems.  
D. Humans have used fossil fuels and failed to solve environmental issues for years.

**Question 37:** According to the passages, which of the following types of renewable energy is NOT mentioned in the passages?

- A. Solar power                                      B. Wind power                                      C. Geothermal power                                      D. Hydroelectric power

**Question 38:** Which of the following best paraphrases the underlined sentence in paragraph 4?

- A. Comprehensive research on regional effects is not necessary to avoid environmental damage.  
B. Studying many different areas is necessary to prevent positive impacts on the environment.  
C. Understanding the environmental effects of dam construction requires little effort.  
D. It is essential to carefully study different areas to reduce the possible harmful impacts.

**Question 39:** Which of the following could be inferred from the text?

- A. Solar energy is the eco-friendliest energy source.  
B. The size of a dam can decide how much energy is produced per hour.  
C. Historically, people started harnessing solar power thousands of years ago.

**D.** With proper technology, humans can produce electricity and heat from the sun.

**Question 40:** Which of the following best summarizes the passage?

**A.** Renewable energy sources such as solar, wind, and hydroelectric power are crucial to meeting future energy demands while minimizing environmental damage.

**B.** The potential of renewable energy sources like wind and solar is being heavily debated, with concerns about their efficiency, cost, and the scalability of implementation to meet the global energy needs effectively.

**C.** Solar, wind, and hydroelectric power are environmentally friendly alternatives but still require significant infrastructure and investments, making their widespread use slow and costly in many parts of the world.

**D.** Fossil fuels remain the primary energy source for the world, and although renewable energy sources are growing, they still play a minor role in global energy production compared to traditional sources like coal and oil.