**UNIT 18 : EDUCATION AND LEARNING**

**TOPIC VOCABULARY IN CONTRAST**

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| **WORDS** | **ENGLISH MEANING** | **EXAMPLE** | **VIETNAMESE MEANING** |
| 1.take  /teik/ | - to reach out for and grasp, hold, lift, pull etc | The weather forecast said rain, so take your umbrella (with you) when you go out. | (v) lấy, dẫn đi |
| 2.pass  /paːs/ | - to move towards and then beyond (something, by going past, through, by, over etc) | Guess what? I've passed my driving test! | (v) vượt qua |
| 3. study  /'stʌdi/ | - to give time and attention to gaining knowledge of a subject | Next term we will study plants and how they grow. | (n,v) sự học tập, sự nghiên cứu; học tập, nghiên cứu |
| 4. test  /test/ | - a set of questions or exercises intended to find out a person’s ability, knowledge etc; a short examination | The class are doing/having a spelling test today. | (n) bài kiểm tra |
| 5. exam  /ɪɡˈzæm/ | - a test of a student's knowledge or skill in a particular subject | American students ranked fourth in those taking the geography exam. | (n) kì thi |
| 1. primary school   /ˈpraɪ.mɚi ˌskuːl/ | - a school for children between five and eleven years old | Primary school enrollments have stagnated at 74 per cent. | (n) trường tiểu học |
| 7. secondary school  /ˈsek.ən.der.i ˌskuːl/ | - a school for children between the ages of 11 and 15 | Marcus has just started at secondary school. | (n) trường THCS |
| 8. high school  /ˈhaɪ ˌskuːl/ | - used in the names of schools for children aged from eleven to 18 | Cory will be starting high school in September. | (n) trường THPT |
| 9. colleague  /ˈkɑː.liːɡ/ | - one of a group of people who work together | We're entertaining some colleagues of Carol's tonight. | (n) đồng nghiệp |
| 10. classmate  /ˈklæsˌmeɪt/ | - someone who is in the same class as you at school | Trish is taller than most of her classmates. | (n) bạn học |
| 11. prefect /ˈpriːfekt/ | - an older student who is given some authority and helps to control the younger students | Among the prefects of a school, very few are usually popular. | (n) lớp trưởng |
| 12. pupil  /ˈpjuː.pəl/ | - a person, especially a child at school, who is being taught | The school has over 400 pupils. | (n) học sinh |
| 13. student /ˈstjuː.dənt/ | - a person who is learning at a college or university | He was a student at the University of Chicago. | (n) sinh viên |
| 14. qualifications  /ˌkwɑː.lə.fəˈkeɪ.ʃən/ | - an official record showing that you have finished a training course or have the necessary skills, etc. | You'll never get a good job if you don't have any qualifications. | (n) trinh độ chuyên môn |
| 15. quality  /ˈkwɑː.lə.t̬i/ | - how good or bad something is | Their products are of very high quality. | (n) phẩm chất, chất lượng |
| 16. count  /kaʊnt/ | - to say numbers one after the other in order, or to calculate the number of people or things in a group | Count your money carefully to make sure it's all there. | (v) đếm |
| 17. measure /ˈmeʒ.ər/ | - to discover the exact size or amount of something | This machine measures your heart rate. | (v) đo lường |
| 18. degree  /dɪˈɡriː/ | - a course of study at a college or university, or the qualification given to a student after he or she has completed his or her studies | She has a physics degree in physics from Edinburgh. | (n) bằng (đại học…) |
| 19. certificate /səˈtɪf.ɪ.kət/ | - an official document that states that the information on it is true | She has a Certificate in Drama Education. | (n) chứng chỉ |
| 20. result  /rɪˈzʌlt/ | - something that happens or exists because of something else: | The road has been widened, but the result is just more traffic. | (n) kết quả |
| 21. speak  /spiːk/ | - to say words, to use the voice, or to have a conversation with someone | If he tells Julie what I said, I'll never speak to him again. | (v) nói (ngôn ngữ…) |
| 22. talk  /tɑːk/ | - to say words aloud; to speak to someone | She talks to her mother on the phone every week. | (v) nói chuyện |
| 23. lesson  /ˈles.ən/ | - a period of time in which a person is taught about a subject or how to do something | How can we make science lessons more interesting? | (n) bài học |
| 24. subject /ˈsʌb.dʒekt/ | - an area of knowledge that is studied in school, college, or university: | My favourite subjects at school were history and English. | (n) môn học |
| 25. achieve  /əˈtʃiːv/ | - to succeed in finishing something or reaching an aim, especially after a lot of work or effort | She finally achieved her ambition to visit South America. | (v) đạt được |
| 26. reach  /riːtʃ/ | - to arrive at a place, especially after spending a long time or a lot of effort travelling | We won't reach Miami until five or six o'clock. | (v) đến, đi đến, đạt đến |
| 27.task /tæsk/ | - a piece of work to be done, especially one done regularly, unwillingly, or with difficulty | We usually ask interviewees to perform a few simple tasks on the computer just to test their aptitude. | (n) nhiệm vụ |
| 28. effort  /ˈef.ət/ | - physical or mental activity needed to achieve something | You can't expect to have any friends if you don't make the effort with people. | (v) nỗ lực |
| 29. know  /noʊ/ | - to have information in your mind | I don't know anything about this. | (v) hiểu, biết |
| 30. recognise /ˈrek.əɡ.naɪz/ | - to know someone or something because you have seen or heard him or her or experienced it before | Doctors are trained to recognize the symptoms of different diseases. | (v) nhận biết |
| 31. teach  /tiːtʃ/ | - to give someone knowledge or to train someone; to instruct | She taught English to foreign students. | (v) dạy |
| 32. learn  /lɜːn/ | - to get knowledge or skill in a new subject or activity | "Can you drive?" "I'm learning." | (v) học, nghiên cứu |

**PHRASAL VERBS**

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| **WORDS** | **ENGLISH MEANING** | **EXAMPLE** | **VIETNAMESE MEANING** |
| **1. catch on** | understand | He doesn't take hints very easily, but he'll catch on (to what you're saying) eventually. | hiểu |
| **2. come (a)round (to)** | be persuaded to change your mind (about) | People are starting to come around to the idea. | thay đổi ý định về (bị thuyết phục) |
| **3. cross out** | draw a line through sth written | He crossed out all her mistakes | gạch bỏ, gạch giữa |
| **4. dawn on** | if something dawns on you, you realise it for the first time | It suddenly dawned on me what he had meant. | hiểu ra, ngộ ra |
| **5. deal with** | handle, cope with | She deals with all the customer inquiries. | giải quyết |
| **6. drop out (of)** | leave school, etc before you have finished a course | She’s dropped out of college. | bỏ học |
| **7. get at** | try to express | What are you getting at? | ngụ ý |
| **8. get on with** | continue doing | I suppose I could get on with the ironing while I'm waiting. | tiếp tục làm gì |
| **9. give in** | stop making an effort to achieve sth difficult | Don't give up and don't give in. | bỏ cuộc, ngừng nỗ lực |
| **10. sail through** | do something or deal with something very easily | Thanks for his help, we could sail through that grassy slope. | vượt qua cái gì một cách dễ dàng |
| **11. set out** | explain, describe or arrange sth in a clear and detailed way | When they set out they were well prepared. | Giải thích, miêu tả, sắp xếp 1 cách rõ ràng, chi tiết. |
| **12. think over** | consider | I suggest you think over your position very carefully. | suy nghĩ kĩ |

PHRASE AND COLLOCATIONS

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| WORDS | ENGLISH MEANING | EXAMPLE | VIETNAMESE MEANING |
| **Attention** | 1. pay attention to sb/sth | Now is rush hour with a lot of traffic, pay attention to driving. | Chú ý, tập trung vào |
| 2. attract sb's attention | He waved to attract the attention of the waitress. | Thu hút sự chú ý của ai |
| 3. draw sb's attention to sth | She jumped and shouted to draw attention to herself. | Lôi kéo sự chú ý của ai |
| **Break** | 4. have/take a break from sth | We've been working for two hours; let's take a break. | Ngưng, nghỉ cái gì |
| 5. tea break, lunch break | Staff are entitled to a 30-minute lunch break if they work more than six hours. | Nghỉ trưa, nghỉ uống trà |
| 6. commercial break | The first episode featured only three commercial breaks | Quảng cáo |
| 7. give sb a break | Give her a break – she was only five minutes late. | Cho ai nghỉ ngơi |
| **Discussion** | 8. have a discussion with sb about/on sth | And anyway, he has been having a discussion with you for ten minutes. | Có cuộc thảo luận với ai về điều gì |
| **Exam** | 9. take/do/have/pass/fail an exam | I am concerned that his ability to pass the exam was compromised by the senior school's visit. | Làm/ vượt qua/ trượt kì thi |
| 10. sit (for) an exam | I have to sit an exam in biology at the end of term. | Tham gia 1 kì thi |
| **Homework** | 11. do your homework | It was obvious that she had done her homework and thoroughly prepared for her interview. | Làm bài tập |
| 12. have homework (to do) | Have you got any homework tonight? | Làm bài tập về nhà |
| 13. have an idea | He already had an idea for his next novel. | Có ý tưởng về |
| 14. bright idea | Why not ask Sylvia? She's always full of bright ideas. | Ý tưởng hay, sáng kiến hay |
| 15. have no idea | You have no idea how embarrassed I was. | Không hiểu, không biết |
| **Learn** | 16. have a lot to learn about sth/doing | I still have a lot to learn about the English language. | Vẫn phải học, cần học thêm |
| 17. learn (how) to do | I learned to swim | Học làm cái gì |
| **Lesson** | 18. go to/have a lesson | At five I'm having a lesson? | Có tiết học |
| 19. double lesson | We have a double lesson after lunch | Tiết học đôi, bài học kép |
| 20. learn a/your lesson | My computer crashed before I saved the document – I've learned my lesson, and now I save everything all the time. | Học được một bài học |
| 21. teach sb a lesson | I sat in the sun all day at the beach and got a terrible sunburn – it really taught me a lesson. | Dạy cho ai đó một bài học |
| **Mind** | 22. make up your mind (about sth/doing) | I haven't made up my mind where to go yet. | Quyết định |
| 23. bear (sth) in mind | Bearing in mind that it’s Christmas, how much do you think the flight will cost? | Nhớ cái gì để cân nhắc |
| 24. in two minds about sth/doing | I was in two minds whether or not to come this morning. | Do dự về cái gì |
| 25. change your mind mind (about sth/doing) | At first I thought she was unfriendly, but I’ve changed my mind. | Thay đổi ý định |
| 26. cross your mind | What was the first thing that crossed your mind when you won the prize? | Bất chợt nghĩ ra cái gì |
| 27. to my mind | The room has pink walls and a green carpet, which to my mind looks all wrong. | Theo quan điểm của tôi |
| **Opinion** | 28. in my opinion | In my opinion, I think this book is more interesting than the other one | Theo ý kiến của tôi |
| 29. give/express your/an opinion (of/about sth/doing) | He didn't express/give an opinion on the matter | Bày tỏ quan điểm về điêu gì |
| 30. hold/have an opinion (of/about sth/doing) | People tend to have strong opinions on capital punishment. | Có quan điểm |
| **Pass** | 31. pass sth (over) to sb | Please pass this letter over to Jennifer. | Đưa qua |
| 32. pass an exam | Pilots have to pass an exam in meteorology to fly commercial airliners. | Thi đỗ |
| **Point** | 33. see/take sb's point (about sth/doing) | I see your point, but I don’t think there’s anything we can do at the moment. | Hiểu về tầm quan trọng của ai về |
| 34. (see) the point in/of sth/doing | They couldn't see the point of more training. | Thấy được ý nghĩa, thấy được trọng điểm |
| 35. there's no point in sth/doing | There's no point in cramming the day before the test. | Vô ích |
| 36. make a point (of doing) | She makes a point of keeping all her shopping receipts. | Cố gắng làm |
| **Sense** | 37. make sense of sth | We’ve been trying to make sense of our dreams. | Hiểu điều gì |
| 38. it makes sense (to do) | It makes sense for me to give you an example sentence, because I speak English. | Có ý nghĩa, hiểu |
| 39. sense of humour/taste/sight/etc | His lively sense of humour helps to keep the lab very cheerful. | Khiếu hài hước/vị giác/thị giác |
| Suggestion | 40. make/accept a suggestion | A personal shopper is a person who helps others shop by giving advice and making suggestions. | Đưa ra/ chấp nhận lời gợi ý |

**WORD PATTERNS**

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| 1. Able to do | I wasn't able to work out what she was trying to say. | có khả năng làm gì |
| 2. Admire sb (for sth) | I've always admired her for her generous spirit | khâm phục ai về việc gì |
| 3. Boast of | Jim is boasting of getting the promotion, but the boss hasn't officially awarded it yet. | khoe khoang |
| 4. Capable of doing | You are capable of a lot more than you think you are. | có khả năng |
| 5. Congratulate sb on sth | I'd like to congratulate you on your marriage | chúc mừng ai về việc gì |
| 6. Fail to do | He failed in his attempt to break the record. | thất bại |
| 7. Hope to do | I hope to go to college this year I hope to see her soon. | hy vọng |
| 8. Learn by sth/ doing | She learned the equations by rote. | học về |
| 9. Learn to do | I've learned to swim | học làm gì |
| 10. Settle on sth  Settle for | They were hoping to sell their car for £2,000, but settled for £1,500 | - quyết định  - chấp nhận, đồng ý, quyết định có cái gì |
| 11. Similar to sth/sb | I bought some new shoes which are very similar to a pair I had before. | tương tự |
| 12. Study sth, for sth | She's been studying for her doctorate for three years already. | học cái gì, nghiên cứu |
| 13. Succeed in sth/doing | You need to be pretty tough to succeed in the property world. | thành công trong |
| 14. Suitable for sth | The film is not suitable for children. | phù hợp với |
| 15. Suitable to do | Each room has books, toys, and games that are suitable to that particular age group. | thích hợp để làm việc gì |

**WORD FORMATION**

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| 1. academy | /ə'kædəmi/ | (n) học viện |
| 2. academic | /,ækə'demik/ | (adj) thuộc về học thuật |
| 3. academically | /,əkə'demikli/ | (adv) học thuật |
| 4. attend | /ə'tend/ | (v) tham dự, chú tâm, chú ý |
| 5. attentive | /ə'tentiv/ | (adj) chăm chú |
| 6. attention | /ə'ten∫n/ | (n) sự chú ý |
| 7. attendant | /ə'tendənt[r]/ | (n) người phục vụ(bữa họp) |
| 8. attendance | /ə'tendəns | (n) sự có mặt, sự tham dự |
| 9. behave | /bi'heiv/ | (v) ứng xử, cư xử |
| 10. behaviour | /bi'heivjə[r]/ | (n) cách ứng xử, hành vi |
| 11. certify | /'sɜ:tifai/ | (v) chứng nhận; cấp chứng nhận |
| 12. certificate | /sə'tifikət/ | (n) chứng chỉ; bằng, văn bằng |
| 13. certified | /'sə:tifaid/ | (adj) được chứng nhận, được nhận thực, được chứng thực |
| 14. educate | /'edjʊkeit/ | (v) giáo dục, dạy dỗ |
| 15. educator | /'edjʊkeitə[r]/ | (n) nhà giáo dục |
| 16. education | /,edjʊ'kei∫n/ | (n) nền giáo dục; hệ thống giáo dục |
| 17. educational | /,edjʊ'kei∫ənl/ | (adj) thuộc giáo dục, để giáo dục |
| 18. fail | /feil/ | (v) thất bại |
| 19. failure | /'feiljə[r]/ | (n) sự thất bại |
| 20. failing | /'feiliη/ | (n) thiếu sót, nhược điểm |
| 21. improve | /im'pru:v/ | (v) cải tiến, cải thiện; trở nên tốt hơn |
| 22. improvement | /im'pru:vmənt/ | (n) sự cải tiến; sự được cải tiến, sự trở nên tốt hơn |
| 23. improved | /im'pru:v/ | (adj) được hoàn thiện , được cải tiến |
| 24. intense | /in'tens/ | (adj) mạnh, có cường độ lớn |
| 25. intensity | /in'tensəti/ | (n) cường độ |
| 26. intensify | /in'tensifai/ | (v) tăng cường; gia tăng |
| 27. intensely | /in'tensli/ | (adv) một cách mạnh mẽ |
| 28. literate | /,litə'ra:it/ | (adj) biết đọc biết viết |
| 29. illiterate | /i'litərət/ | (adj) dốt, không hiểu biết gì |
| 30. literacy | /'litərəsi/ | (n) sự biết viết biết đọc |
| 31. literature | /'litrət∫ə[r]/ | (n) văn chương, văn học; nền văn học |
| 32. reason | /'ri:zn/ | (n) lý do |
| 33. reasonable | /'ri:znəbl/ | (adj) có lý, hợp lí |
| 34. reasonably | /'ri:znəbli/ | (adv) một cách có lý |
| 35. reasoning | /'ri:zniŋ/ | (n) sự lập luận; lý lẽ lập luận |
| 36. revise | /ri'vaiz/ | (v) xét lại, xem lại, duyệt lại |
| 37. revision | /ri'viʒn/ | (n) sự xét lại, sự xem lại, ôn lại |
| 38. scholar | /'skələ[r]/ | (n) học giả |
| 39.scholarship | /'skələ∫ip/ | (n) học bổng |
| 40. scholarly | /'skələli/ | (adj) uyên bác, cẩn trọng |
| 41. scholastic | /skə'læstik/ | (adj) thuộc học đường, thuộc học tập |
| 42. solve | /'sɒlv/ | (v) giải, tìm ra đáp án (cho một vấn đề…) |
| 43. solution | /sə'lu:∫n/ | (n) giải pháp |
| 44. solvable | /'sɒlvəbl/ | (adj) có thể giải quyết được |
| 45. study | /'stʌdi/ | (n) sự học hỏi; sự nghiên cứu |
| 46. student | /'stju:dənt/ | (n) sinh viên |
| 47. studious | /'stju:diəs/ | (adj) chăm chỉ |
| 48. teach | /ti:t∫/ | (v) dạy |
| 49. teacher | /'ti:t∫ə[r]/ | (n) giáo viên |
| 50. think | /'θiŋk/ | (v) nghĩ, suy nghĩ |
| 51. thinkable | /'θiŋkəbl/ | (adj) có thể tưởng tượng được |
| 52. thoughtful | /θɔ:tfl/ | (adj) có suy nghĩ, chín chắn |
| 53. understand | /,ʌndə'stænd | (v) hiểu |
| 54. misunderstanding | /,misʌndə'stændiŋ/ | (n) sự hiểu lầm |
| 55. misunderstood | /'misʌndə'stænd/ | (v) hiểu lầm, hiểu sai |
| 56. understandable | /,ʌndə'stændəbl/ | (adj) có thể hiểu được |
| 57.understandably | /,ʌndə'stændəbli/ | (adv) một cách có thể hiểu được |