

## **PHAN NGHE**

### **Question 1 (File nghe 3582):**

<p>Listen to an announcement. Which platform to wait for the train?</p>

1. Platform 2
2. Platform 5
3. Platform 8

### **Question 2 (File nghe 3587):**

<p>Anne is calling her daughter Sally. What do Anne need?</p>

1. Eggs
2. Bread
3. Milk

### **Question 3 (File nghe 3585):**

<p>A woman is talking about her weekends. What did she do last week? </p>

1. Went hiking
2. Stayed at home
3. Attended a party

### **Question 4 (File nghe 3584):**

<p>Listen to a conversation between the teacher and a parent. What will the father do?</p>

1. Enroll him in summer school
2. Arrange private classes for his son
3. Talk to the principal

### **Question 5 (File nghe 3586):**

<p>A teacher and a student are talking about transportation. How does the teacher go to school?</p>

1. He drives
2. He takes the bus
3. He walks

### **Question 6 (File nghe 3583):**

<p>An artist is talking about her jobs. What is the difference in her job?</p>

1. She works from 9 to 5
2. She doesn't work on weekends
3. She works irregular hours

### **Question 7 (File nghe 3588):**

<p>A mom is talking to her son. What does he like to study?</p>

1. Art
2. Science
3. History

**Question 8 (File nghe 3589):**

<p>A woman is talking about her family's holidays. What did the family do last year?</p>

1. Traveled abroad
2. Camping
3. Went to the beach

**Question 9 (File nghe 3590):**

<p>A man is talking about how he goes to work. Why does he prefer traveling by train?</p>

1. It's cheaper than biking
2. It's practical
3. It's faster than flying

**Question 10 (File nghe 3591):**

<p>Listen to the instructions of a university. Where is the main office?</p>

1. On the third floor
2. On the first floor
3. In the basement

**Question 11 (File nghe 3592):**

<p>A woman is talking about shopping places. Where is she going to go shopping?</p>

1. At the downtown market
2. At a new shopping center
3. At the mall

**Question 12 (File nghe 3593):**

<p>A tour guide is making an announcement. Why was the tour canceled?</p>

1. Not enough people
2. Bad weather
3. Transportation problems

**Question 13 (File nghe 3594):**

<p>A man is talking about his jobs. What does the man want to do next?</p>

1. Become a writer
2. Become a chef again
3. Start teaching history again

**Description: Four people are talking about shopping habit. Complete the sentences below.**

**Question 14**

**Speaker A \_ (File nghe 3595)**

1. It reduces waste
2. It is cheaper
3. It saves time
4. Products are delivered
5. There are more choices

**Speaker B \_ (File nghe 3597)**

1. It reduces waste
2. It is cheaper
3. It saves time
4. Products are delivered
5. There are more choices

**Speaker C \_ (File nghe 3599)**

1. It reduces waste
2. It is cheaper
3. It saves time
4. Products are delivered
5. There are more choices

**Speaker D \_ (File nghe 3601)**

1. It reduces waste
2. It is cheaper
3. There are more choices
4. It saves time
5. Products are delivered

**Description: A man and a woman are talking about the local center that was recently opened. Read the opinions below and decide whose opinion matches the statements, the man, the woman, or both the man and the woman. You can listen to the discussion twice.**

**Question 15 (File nghe 655)**

**Exhibitions should be different and diverse.\_**

1. Man

2. Woman
3. Both

**Traditional customs are gradually losing their significance.\_\_**

1. Man
2. Woman
3. Both

**Local festivals will disappear soon in the near future.\_\_**

1. Man
2. Woman
3. Both

**Schools are important to shaping future generations.\_\_**

1. Man
2. Woman
3. Both

**Description: An expert is giving comments on a newly released movie.**

**Question 16 (File nghe 656)**

**What part of the movie is disappointing?**

1. the dialogues seems unrealistic
2. the settings don't make sense
3. the original cast was replaced

**What is the expert comment on the movie industry?**

1. Technology will soon replace human actors.
2. The new industry demand is negatively influencing script production
3. New story plots should be invented to capture the audience's interest

**Description: A critic is giving opinions about a restaurant**

**Question 17 (File nghe 657)**

**What are the critic's opinions about the restaurant?**

1. the food is not fresh
2. the service is not good
3. the chief lack of experience

## **What can compete with online food delivery?**

1. Organic ingredients
2. Providing ready-made pack for customers
3. Customers feel valued and welcome

## **PHAN DOC**

### **Question 18**

**Description:** Choose one word from the list for each gap. The first one is done for you Hi Jane, Thanks for your email. Everything is good to me now.

**My \_ is now far from work.**

1. home
2. car
3. cat

**I have to \_ to work.**

1. swim
2. drive
3. dance

**I sometimes meet \_ at the coffee shop for lunch.**

1. furniture
2. animals
3. friends

**We walk in the \_ sometimes.**

1. park
2. library
3. office

**The trees are \_ so we like looking at them.**

1. ugly
2. pretty
3. noisy

### **Question 19**

**Description:** The sentences below are from some directions. Put the sentences in the right order. The first sentence is done for you.

## **How to plant potatoes 0. To ensure successful growth, follow these steps when planting potatoes:**

1. All you need is some earth, a big pot and some old potatoes.
2. An old potato has a little root, and it is a little green and it is not good for eating
3. That colour means it is perfect for growing, then you pull a hole on earth and put it deep down
4. When it's done, put it in a sunny place and water it everyday
5. This care will help the potato grow in a couples of weeks

### **Question 20**

**Description:** The sentences below are from some directions. Put the sentences in the right order. The first sentence is done for you.

#### **Instructions for drivers 0. Before starting your deliveries, make sure to check in at the office**

1. You should arrive at the main office by 6.30 am and collects your keys
2. In the office you can also collect a map of your route
3. You must follow the route on the map to deliver the packages
4. When you have completed all delivery, return to the office
5. You must return your keys to the office manager after you get back.

### **Question 21**

**Description:** Four people express their opinions about technology. Read their comments and answer the questions below. Jose I moved to a new country and it is challenging to stay in touch with relatives, but thanks to technology, I can now easily contact my family. I rely on technology a lot for this reason, and I believe many people nowadays depend on it too. It makes sense, and I have no issues with that. Technology has made staying connected much more convenient and accessible for all of us. Marisol I work in finance and it is normal for me to use technology to update international banking information and I am an accountant. However, looking at the screen for too long makes my eyes hurt. Also, using my phone for extended periods before bedtime affects my sleep, so I avoid it after 9 p.m. to ensure a good night's rest. Bao Our family uses technology a lot. My sister called mom even inside the house! Although my dad told us not to use the phone at night, I use it anyway. I find it convenient to watch movies and listen to music. I also use it to play games with friends. My friends always have the most updated games, which puts pressure on me to buy the latest as soon as I can. I don't want to lag behind them. Sira I am a professional painter, which is not traditionally connected to technology, but perhaps I

will use it more in the future. I have a laptop at home. Whenever I use it, my daughter becomes really interested, so I have to keep it locked away. Although some of my friends are keen on let children exposed to technology, I think it would have effect on their brain development

**Who uses technology to communicate with family?\_**

1. Jose
2. Marisol
3. Bao
4. Sira

**Who thinks children shouldn't use technology?\_**

1. Jose
2. Marisol
3. Bao
4. Sira

**Who advises against using technology before going to bed?\_**

1. Jose
2. Marisol
3. Bao
4. Sira

**Who uses technology for entertainment?\_**

1. Jose
2. Marisol
3. Bao
4. Sira

**Who believes that people depend too much on technology?\_**

1. Jose
2. Marisol
3. Bao
4. Sira

**Who uses technology for work purposes?\_**

1. Jose
2. Marisol
3. Bao
4. Sira

## **Who buys the latest technology products?\_**

1. Jose
2. Marisol
3. Bao
4. Sira

## **Question 22**

**Description: Read the passage quickly. Choose a heading for each numbered paragraph (1-7) from the drop-down box. There is one more heading than you need. Bibliography of Charles Dickens**

**1.\_ Charles Dickens's work remains remarkably popular today, much as it was in his own time. His captivating tales of wealth and poverty endure as timeless classics, brimming with characters who are both amusing and grotesque. These stories are often transformed into television series and films. Iconic figures like Oliver Twist, Scrooge, and Mrs. Gamp are so well-known that even those who haven't read his books can easily recognize them.**

1. Trying to protect his property
2. Influence of the media
3. Charles Dickens for our times
4. Dickens' early success
5. Difficulties of modern readers
6. Bringing the book to life
7. Keeping readers guessing

**2.\_ One reason fewer people read Dickens's novels today is their considerable length. Books like Bleak House and Little Dorrit, each spanning roughly 900 pages, can feel intimidating. Additionally, Dickens's distinct writing style and the more complex language of his time, coupled with his detailed descriptions of characters and settings, make his works challenging for modern readers. As a result, many are discouraged from exploring his stories.**

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**3.\_ The challenges that the average modern reader encounters with the novels Dickens wrote were not evident to the readers of his era. To start with, the books were published in serial form and appeared in easily digestible parts every month. Dickens was careful to conclude each installment with a dramatic moment and, like the writer of a modern-day soap opera, left his audience wondering what would happen next. His American readers were so eager to discover the fate of their favorite characters that they waited at New York harbor for the arrival of the latest chapters coming over from England by ship.**

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**4.\_ Beyond writing novels, Dickens also worked as a reporter and editor, contributing to magazines and newspapers. The 19th century saw significant advancements in education, leading to a surge in literacy and a growing demand for printed material. Trained as a newspaper reporter, Dickens became proficient in shorthand and could write at an impressive pace, churning out pages on demand. With the public's endless appetite for sentiment and drama, Dickens had the energy and skill to deliver exactly what they craved.**

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**5.\_ Dickens made his mark with his debut novel, The Pickwick Papers, published in book form when he was only 24 years old. Initially intended as a narrative to complement illustrations by the renowned artist Robert Seymour, the work quickly exceeded its original purpose. Its immense popularity turned it into an instant success, firmly establishing Dickens's reputation as a prominent writer.**

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**6.\_ Despite his literary success, Charles Dickens faced challenges in safeguarding his intellectual property. During the Victorian era, copyright laws were weak, allowing unauthorized adaptations of his work. Dickens was proactive in this regard, advocating for stronger copyright protections for authors. He believed writers deserved the same rights as inventors, emphasizing the need for legislative changes. His efforts not only aimed to protect his legacy but also sought to benefit future writers in an era of growing literary output.**

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**7.\_ The lasting appeal of Dickens's novels lies in their adaptability across various media. Filmmakers and theater directors have embraced his rich narratives and complex characters, leading to numerous adaptations. His engaging plots and vivid descriptions make them ideal for visual storytelling. From plays to films, Dickens's themes of social justice and resilience resonate with contemporary audiences, ensuring his works remain relevant and vibrant in today's cultural landscape.**

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### **Question 23 (File nghe 658)**

Description: In this part, I am going to ask you three short questions about yourself and your interests. You will have 30 seconds to reply to each question. Begin speaking when you hear this sound.

**Please tell me about the last time you visited friends.**

#### **File nghe: 3611**

Suggest: Version 1: Two years ago, on the second day of Tet holiday, I had dinner at my friend's house, who is my best friend. I had a hot pot party and had a good time with her family. It was a memorable night. That's all I want to share and thank you for listening Version 2: The last time I visited my friends was last weekend. We met at one of my friend's houses. We played video games together and had some snacks. It was a lot of fun, and I stayed there for a few hours before going home.

**Tell me about the last time you went to the cinema.**

#### **File nghe: 3612**

Suggest: Version 1: My favorite movie was released last month, so I went to the cinema to watch it with my friends. We didn't have popcorn or drinks because we were running out of budget so it made my experience less enjoyable. That's all I want to share and thank you for listening Version 2: The last time I went to the cinema was two weeks ago. I went with my family to see an action movie. The movie was very exciting, with lots of special effects. After the movie, we had dinner at a restaurant.

**Describe a typical meal in your country.**

#### **File nghe: 3614**

Suggest: Version 1: Vietnam is an agricultural country so our typical meal always has rice. The family's choices on the dishes are different, but we will likely have meat or fish, vegetable and fruits for after the meal. That's all I want to share and thank you for listening Version 2: A typical meal in my country includes rice, meat, and vegetables. Many people eat rice with chicken, pork, or fish. We also have a bowl of soup on the side. People in my country enjoy fresh and healthy food.

### **Question 23 (File nghe 659)**

Description: In this part, I'm going to ask you to describe a picture. Then I will ask you two questions about it. You will have 45 seconds for each response. Begin speaking when you hear this sound.

**Describe this picture.**



**File nghe: 3108**

Suggest: The first thing that caught my eyes is a mother and her son. I can observe from the background that this picture takes place in a mountainous region with lots of trees and warm rays. Both mother and her son are wearing blue backpacks and casual clothes, which I think are easy to walk and climb on the mountain. The mother and her son are admiring the beauty of nature and they both feel delighted, I reckon. What a lovely picture, I love it.

**When was the last time you visit a new place?**

**File nghe: 3616**

Suggest: What an interesting question. The last time I visited a new place was during my summer holiday two years ago. I traveled to Quang Tri with my mother and my cousins during that trip. It's my grandmother's hometown and I was delighted to meet my relatives, who I met for the first time. I felt relaxed and less stressed after spending time with my family in this place. Now, I really miss and want to visit them again if I have a chance.

**Why do people like to visit new places?**

**File nghe: 3617**

Suggest: I think people like to visit new places because they want to explore the world. Those people really like adventures and learning new things. They want to experience new cultures and meet the local people from places they visit. By visiting new places, they can make more new friends, who have the same interests as them too. And it's a good way to spend time with your family and friends too. If I had enough money, I would like to visit new places too.

**Question 23 (File nghe 660)**

Description: In this part, I'm going to ask you to compare two pictures, and I will then ask you two questions about them. You will have 45 seconds for each response. Begin speaking when you hear this sound.

## Describe the 2 pictures



### File nghe: 3618

Suggest: I can observe from two pictures that they both take place outside and are outdoor activities. As I can see, the first one is on the beach with a lovely family in the middle of the picture and the second is a group of friends, who are traveling in a mountainous region. I can see their happiness from those pictures but the one is more relaxing than the adventurous vibe that the second one gives me. I prefer the first picture more because I like blue oceans and warm sands.

## Which do you prefer? Why?

### File nghe: 3619

Suggest: As for me, I prefer the first picture more. First of all, I like the oceans and yellow sands. I like the calming blue that oceans give me and feel the warmth from the sand in my toes. Secondly, I like the fresh air and cool wind from the beaches. Last but not least, I was born in a beach city so love of the ocean has been in my blood since I was a kid. Regardless, these are the reasons why I choose spending time on the beaches rather than in mountainous regions.

## What are the characteristics that make a good resort?

### File nghe: 3620

Suggest: A good resort is a resort that meets the customer's needs, that's what I think. A good resort needs to have beautiful and charming views and decorations in general. Food and drinks are one of the customer's needs too. They enjoy eating delicious food and having good drinks. The most important is the services. By providing good services, customers will likely come back and spend more time in that resort. Here are what I think are the characteristics that make a good resort.

## Question 23 (File nghe 661)

Description: In this part, I'm going to show you a picture and ask you three questions. You will have one minute to think about your answers before you start speaking. You will have two minutes to answer all three questions. Begin speaking when you hear this sound. Look at the photograph.

## **When was the last time someone helped you? How did you feel? How to encourage people to cooperate?**

### **File nghe: 3622**

Suggest: Now, I am going to answer the three questions that you gave me. When was the last time someone helped you? How did you feel? How to encourage people to cooperate? Regarding the first question, let me tell you about a time someone helped me and it was when I traveled to Danang City. Da Nang is famous for its beaches, and for example one of them is My Khe, which is one of the most wonderful beaches in the world, so every year, there are many tourists going to the area to see the beauty of the beach. Therefore, going to this city was extremely expensive for me at that time. So in Danang I did a number of things, first of all, I did some sightseeing in the mountains and I had a beautiful view of the city below. During the trip, I got lost and luckily, some friendly local people came to help me. Because of that, I was able to find my way back to the hotel. Turning to the second question, I felt happy when I got help because I don't have to struggle by myself anymore.. As for the final question, there are many ways we can encourage people to cooperate. First, we can show them the joy of doing things together. Second, they can learn new things when cooperating such as communication skills.

## **WRITING**

Description: You want to join an Art club. You have 5 messages from a member of the club. Write short answers (1–5 words) to each message. Recommended time: 3 minutes.

### **What do you like doing with your friend?**

Suggest: I like drawing with them.

### **Which sport do you like to play the most?**

Suggest: It's volleyball.

### **What did you do last night?**

Suggest: I listened to music.

### **Do you like shopping?**

Suggest: Yes, I do.

### **What is your job?**

Suggest: I am a teacher.

Description: You are a new member of an Art club. Fill in the form. Write in sentences. Use 20-30 words.

### **Tell me about a painting or photo you like**

Suggest: One of my favorite paintings is "The Lady by the Lilies". The delicate brushstrokes and soft colors capture the beauty of a young Vietnamese woman, making it a timeless piece of art that reflects Vietnam's culture and art style.

Description: You are a member of the art club. You are talking to three other members in the art club chat room. Use 30 - 40 words.

**A: I kept a painting for a long time. Tell me a thing that you have had for a long time.**

Suggest: I have kept an old camera for many years. It was a gift from my grandfather, who I admired the most. Even though I don't use it often, I cherish it because it reminds me of him.

**B: I would like to learn painting, but I have not found an effective way. Should I take a course at my local college? Please, give me some advice.**

Suggest: Taking a painting course at your local college sounds like a great idea. First, it would provide structured lessons and help you learn techniques effectively. Besides, you'll also meet other learners who share the same interest, which could be motivating.

**C: Street art, where people paint on buildings, is becoming popular. However, some people criticize that it is bad. What is your opinion?**

Suggest: Street art can be a powerful form of expression, adding color and creativity to public spaces. However, it's important to ensure that it's done legally and in appropriate areas, as unauthorized graffiti can visually damage .

Description: You are a member of an art club. You received this email from the club. Dear all members, The Art Club is organising a talk to the public to attract more attention. We are going to invite an artist to give a talk to the members. As a member of our club, could you give us an artist to join our talk and what topic should they share to gain more attention? We would like to have more young and elderly members. Bests, Club Manager.

**Write an email to your friend - also a member of the club. (50 words)**

Suggest: Hi Lisa, How's it going? Hope you're doing well. Have you checked your email box? The Art Club is planning a public talk to attract more members. We need to suggest an artist and a topic. Do you have any ideas? I think someone who can discuss modern art or street art might interest both young and older audiences. Best regards, Leo.

**Write an email to the organiser of the plan. (120-150 words)**

Suggest: Dear Club Manager, I hope this email finds you well. My name is Leo. I have been a member of this club for 5 months. I am writing this in response to your latest email. According to the news, our club wants to invite an artist for the upcoming meeting, which aims to attract more people to join the club. I wanted to share my suggestion for the upcoming Art Club talk. Regarding the artist, I believe inviting a young artist like Lily Nguyen could attract more attention, especially from younger members. Lily Nguyen has a great reputation for blending traditional techniques with modern themes, which could bridge the gap between generations. For the topic, I suggest focusing on "The Evolution of Art: Blending Tradition and Innovation." This would allow the artist to discuss how classical elements can be combined with modern styles, which could appeal to both elderly members and the younger generation. It's a topic that connects the past and present,

helping us expand the club's reach. Thank you for considering my ideas , and please let me know if you need any further suggestions. Best regards, Leo.