// Description: Word Form and Grammar examples covering the main topics in the second semester of 11th grade

// 3 sentences for each word

// 2 sentences for each grammar point

I) Word form

1) **weigh (v)**

1st) A healthy adult usually weighs 60 kilograms or more.

2nd) My friend weighs 70 kilos.

3rd) How much does a normal baby weigh?

2) weightless (adj)

1st) Air is weightless.

2nd) Humans are weightless in space.

3rd) Astronauts work in weightless conditions.

3) weight (n)

1st) Allancia has a weight problem.

2nd) Meat is sold by weight.

3rd) Some people tend to gain weight easily.

4) participate (v)

1st) I am going to participate in Ho Chi Minh City April Olympiad in Informatics.

2nd) Benjamin Qi participated in the 31st International Olympiad in Informatics and attained first place individually.

3rd) I wish to have a chance to participate in VOI (Vietnam Olympiad in Informatics).

5) participant (n)

1st) Gennady Korotkevich was an active participant in IOI for 6 consecutive years.

2nd) Participants in the contest have to complete 3 problems each day.

3rd) The average age of study participants was 26 years.

6) participation (n)

1st) Bui Hong Duc had active participation in the IOI for 2 successive years.

2nd) Bui Hong Duc's participation in the IOI helped Vietnam gain 2 prestigious gold medals.

3rd) USA delegation's visa issues prevented active participation in the 29th IOI held in Iran.

7) success (n)

1st) Le Duy Thuc had much success in obtaining the First Prize in VOI.

2nd) His success in VOI has brought reputation to Binh Duong Province.

3rd) USACO Guide has achieved considerable success in competitive programming community.

8) succeed (v)

1st) Mai Vinh Hien succeeded in achieving a silver medal in 2019.

2nd) My plan succeeded.

3rd) William Lin succeeded in getting into MIT.

9) successful (adj)

1st) Evan Chen was successful in obtaining a gold medal in International Mathematics Olympiad.

2nd) Hoang Dao is not successful at getting high scores.

3rd) Quang is successful at doing volunteer in Gau Trang Team.

10) successfully (adv)

1st) I had already successfully completed VUS courses.

2nd) Companies have to be able to compete successfully in international markets.

3rd) They successfully defended their championship title.

11) gymnast (n)

- **1st)** Young gymnasts have to train for up to five hours a day.
- **2nd**) She was a promising young gymnast until she injured her back.
- **3rd**) He swung down from the tree like a gymnast.

12) gymnastic (adj)

- 1st) He sustained an injury during her gymnastic routine.
- **2nd**) She is now president of the gymnastic federation in Ukraine.
- **3rd**) The only access to the towers was by way of a single rope which they had to climb in a gymnastic fashion.

13) gymnasium (n) = gym

- **1st)** The school has recently built a gymnasium.
- **2nd**) That muscular man goes to the local gymnasium three times a week.
- **3rd**) A gymnasium is a place where people can do weightlifting.

14) gymnastics (n)

- **1st**) Gymnasts do gymnastics on a regular basis.
- 2nd) He does gymnastics at school.
- **3rd**) Gymnastics is a sport that helps people become more flexible.

15) conquer (v)

- **1st**) France conquered Indochinese Peninsula in the 20th century.
- 2nd) Gennady Korotkevich conquered all competitors in IOI for many years.
- **3rd**) The only way to conquer a fear is to face it.

16) conquest (n)

- **1st**) An example of a conquest is an army taking over a town in a war.
- **2nd**) An example of a conquest is a man getting to sleep with a beautiful woman.
- **3rd**) French conquest of Vietnam started in 1858.

17) conqueror (n)

- **1st**) Qin Shi Huang (i.e. Tần Thủy Hoàng in Vietnamese) was a brutal conqueror of a unified China.
- **2nd**) Napoleon Bonaparte was an ambitious conqueror in the 19th century.
- **3rd**) The disease was introduced by the Spanish conquerors in the sixteenth century.

II) Write

1) Relative Clause

- 1st) Defining: The man who is wearing a blue uniform is our school's janitor.
- **2nd**) Non-defining: Nathan Wang, who is an 11th-grade student of Monta Vista High School, is the Coordinator and Webmaster of <u>USACO Guide</u>.

2) Reduced Relative Clause: (to V/ to be V3)

- 1st) The first person to attain the gold medal for Vietnam in IOI is Viet Nguyen Tuan.
- **2nd**) The last student to be awarded the first prize in that competition is Quang.

3) Reduced Relative Clause: (V_ing/ ed)

- **1st**) Siyong Huang, being a two-time USACO Finalist, scored 717 out of 1000 in Platinum division in the most recent contest (2021 February Contest).
- **2nd**) The problems written by Benjamin Qi were complicated.

4) Cleft Sentence

- 1st) It was Darren Yao who is the author of the textbook "An Introduction to USACO."
- **2nd**) It was "Euclidean Geometry in Mathematical Olympiads" that was written by Evan Chen.

5) Passive of reporting verb

- 1st) US Open contests are believed to be way harder than normal USACO contests.
- **2nd**) The Guide is said to be carefully written by top USACO contestants, including two-time IOI winner and USACO Problemsetter Benjamin Qi.

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