READING PASSAGE 2

You should spend about 20 minutes on Questions 14-26, which are based on Reading Passage 2 on the following pages.

Questions 14-20

Reading Passage 2 has seven paragraphs, A-H.

Choose the correct heading for paragraphs A and C-H from the list of headings below.

Write the correct number, i-xi, in boxes 14-20 on your answer sheet.

List of Headings

- i Scientists' call for a revision of policy
- ii An explanation for reduced water use
- iii How a global challenge was met
- iv Irrigation systems fall into disuse
- v Environmental effects
- vi The financial cost of recent technological improvements
- vii The relevance to health
- viii Addressing the concern over increasing populations
- ix A surprising downward trend in demand for water
- x The need to raise standards
- xi A description of ancient water supplies

14 Paragraph A

Example	Answer	
Paragraph B	iii	

- 15 Paragraph C
- 16 Paragraph D
- 17 Paragraph E
- 18 Paragraph F
- 19 Paragraph G
- 20 Paragraph H

Questions 21-26

Do the following statements agree with the information given in Reading Passage 2?

In boxes 21-26 on your answer sheet, write

YES if the statement agrees with the claims of the writer if the statement contradicts the claims of the writer NOT GIVEN if it is impossible to say what the writer thinks about this

- 21 Water use per person is higher in the industrial world than it was in Ancient Rome.
- 22 Feeding increasing populations is possible due primarily to improved irrigation systems.
- 23 Modern water systems imitate those of the ancient Greeks and Romans.
- 24 Industrial growth is increasing the overall demand for water.
- 25 Modern technologies have led to a reduction in domestic water consumption.
- 26 In the future, governments should maintain ownership of water infrastructures.



