

Câu 6: The phrase "*these signals*" refers to _____.

- A. sounds B. marks C. sensors D. series

Câu 7: According to the passage, sound-on-film guaranteed synchronization because the recording was _____.

- A. read by an optical sensor B. inserted beside the image on the film
C. marked on the gramophone D. made during the film of the picture

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that best combines each pair of sentences in the following questions from 8 to 9.

Câu 8: I was busy yesterday. I couldn't complete my homework.

- A. Had I had more time yesterday, I could have completed my homework.
B. Only if I had more time yesterday, I could complete my homework.
C. Much time though I had yesterday, I could have completed my homework.
D. As soon as I didn't have more time yesterday, my homework couldn't be completed.

Câu 9: My brother was too weak. He couldn't take part in the marathon last week.

- A. So weak was my brother that he couldn't compete in the marathon last week.
B. But for my brother's weakness, he couldn't have played a part in the marathon last week.
C. Such weak was my brother that he couldn't fight other competitors of the marathon last week.
D. Had my brother been too weak, he could have joined the marathon last week.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions from 10 to 11.

Câu 10: The country's continued prosperity is dependent on the opportunities and achievements of all its residents.

- A. insecurity B. wealth C. poverty D. inflation

Câu 11: I know she's upset but it's time for her to pull herself together and stop crying.

- A. calm herself down B. control her emotions and behave calmly
C. make herself motivated D. become very angry

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the rest in each of the following questions from 12 to 13

Câu 12: A. dead B. heat C. seat D. preach

Câu 13: A. developed B. visited C. remarked D. matched

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the rest in the position of the main stress in each of the following questions from 14 to 15

Câu 14: A. master B. struggle C. commit D. random

Câu 15: A. environmental B. agricultural C. international D. multicultural

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to each of the following questions from 16 to 18.

Câu 16: The disabled man used to go swimming with his friends in the afternoons.

- A. The disabled man didn't go swimming with his friends in the afternoons.
- B. The disabled man usually goes swimming with his friends in the afternoons.
- C. The disabled man got used to go swimming with his friends in the afternoons.
- D. The disabled man usually went swimming with his friends in the afternoons.

Câu 17: "I will let you know the answer by the end of this week," Webber said to Juana.

- A. Webber promised to give Juana the answer by the end of the week.
- B. Webber suggested giving Juana the answer by the end of the week.
- C. Webber insisted on letting Juana know the answer by the end of the week.
- D. Webber offered to give Juana the answer by the end of this week.

Câu 18: My classmate paid for her travel in advance, but it wasn't necessary.

- A. My classmate might not have paid for her travel in advance.
- B. My classmate may not have paid for her travel in advance.
- C. My classmate couldn't have paid for her travel in advance.
- D. My classmate needn't have paid for her travel in advance.

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to show the underlined part that needs correction from 19 to 21.

Câu 19: We spent tens of millions of dong on rent every month, and on top of that is the staff payroll.

- A. staff
- B. spent
- C. and
- D. of

Câu 20: I scanned some photos I'd taken, so that I could send it to a friend in Australia.

- A. that
- B. some
- C. in
- D. it

Câu 21: Electric devices such as computers contain circuits that send currents between internal components and develop voltages.

- A. components
- B. that
- C. Electric
- D. as

Mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 22 to 36.

Câu 22: Counter-urbanisation has caused many negative effects, _____?

- A. has it
- B. hasn't it
- C. does it
- D. doesn't it

Câu 23: My parents _____ a lot of their time writing letters before they started using social media 2 months ago.

- A. had wasted
- B. have wasted
- C. has wasted
- D. were wasted

Câu 24: She was very fascinated by a pair of _____ shoes in West Lake shopping Mall.

- A. French new purple
- B. purple new French
- C. new French purple
- D. new purple French

Câu 25: She walked home by herself, _____ she knew that it was dangerous.

- A. despite
- B. in the event that
- C. however
- D. although

Câu 26: Migrants may lose their cultural identity _____.

- A. before they will become assimilated into the new community
- B. while they had become assimilated into the new community
- C. as soon as they became assimilated into the new community
- D. when they become assimilated into the new community

die out within minutes. Unlike tornadoes, which are associated with clouds, dust devils form on days when clear skies **prevail**. Further, these whirlwinds form from the ground upward, exactly the opposite of tornadoes. Because surface heating is **critical** to their formation, dust devils occur most frequently in the afternoon, when surface temperatures are highest.

Dust devils form when the hot surface of the earth warms the air above it. When the air near the surface is considerably warmer than the air a few tens of meters overhead, the layer of air near Earth's surface becomes unstable. In this situation, warm surface air begins to rise, causing air near the ground to be drawn into the developing whirlwind. A light wind will start this rising air to rotate, and once the rotation has begun, it becomes faster due to the same physical principle that causes ice-skaters to spin faster as they pull their arms closer to their body. As the inwardly spiraling air rises, it carries sand, dust, and other loose debris tens of meters into the air. It is this material that makes a dust devil visible. Occasionally, dust devils form above ground covered with vegetation. Under these conditions, the vortices may go undetected unless they interact with objects at the surface.

Most dust devils are small and short-lived; consequently, they are not generally destructive. Occasionally, however, these whirlwinds grow to be 100 meters or more in diameter and over a kilometer high. Larger and more vigorous dust devils have a longer lifetime than smaller ones. One large dust devil, with a height of about 750 meters, lasted for seven hours as it traveled 64 kilometers in western Utah. With winds that whirl at speeds that may reach 100 kilometers per hour, such large dust devils can do considerable damage.

Câu 39: The phrase "**their more destructive cousins**" in the paragraph refers to _____.

- A. whirlwinds B. tornadoes C. dust devils D. arid regions

Câu 40: The word "**prevail**" in line 7 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. increase B. dominate C. return D. appear

Câu 41: The word "**critical**" in line 8 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. useful B. unique C. opposed D. essential

Câu 42: According to the first paragraph, tornadoes and dust devils differ in all of the following respects EXCEPT _____.

- A. their size and duration
B. the weather conditions that favor their formation
C. how often they occur in populated areas
D. how they form

Câu 43: Why does the author mention **ice-skaters** in the second paragraph?

- A. To explain the effect of wind on the rotation of ice-skaters
B. To emphasize that whirlwinds move independently
C. To compare the direction of movement in a skater's rotation to the direction of a whirlwind's movement
D. To explain the motion of dust devils in familiar terms

Câu 44: According to the second paragraph, what makes the situation in which a dust devil forms unstable?

- A. The fact that a layer of cool air is above a layer of warm air.
B. The movement of air tens of meters above Earth's surface.
C. The tendency of dust and other debris to be drawn into the air.
D. The fact that winds tend to disturb the warm surface air.

Câu 45: In the third paragraph, why does the author mention a large dust devil in western Utah?

- A. To suggest that there is little difference between a large dust devil and a tornado.
B. To argue that western Utah tends to have unusually large dust devils.

- C. To illustrate the relationship between size and duration of dust devils.
- D. To give an example of a large dust devil that was originally misclassified as a tornado.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct word from 46 to 50

In the U.S., (46)_____ the dialogue of inclusion is relatively advanced, even the mention of the word “diversity” can lead to anxiety and conflict. Supreme Court justices disagree on the virtues of diversity and the means for achieving it. Corporations spend billions of dollars to attract and manage diversity both internally and externally, (47)_____ they still face discrimination lawsuits, and the leadership ranks of the business world remain predominantly white and male.

It is reasonable to ask what (48)_____ diversity does us. Diversity of expertise confers benefits that are obvious you would not think of building a new car without engineers, designers, and quality-control experts but what about social diversity? What good comes from diversity of race, ethnicity, gender, and sexual orientation? Research has shown that social diversity in a group can cause discomfort, rougher interactions, a lack of trust, greater perceived interpersonal conflict, lower communication, less cohesion, more concern about disrespect, and (49)_____ problems. So, what is the upside?

The fact is that if you want to build teams or organizations capable of innovating, you need diversity. Diversity enhances creativity. It encourages the search for novel information and perspectives, (50) _____ to better decision making and problem solving. Diversity can improve the bottom line of companies and lead to unfettered discoveries and breakthrough innovations. Even simply being exposed to diversity can change the way you think.

- Câu 46:** A. which B. where C. when D. whose
- Câu 47:** A. consequently B. because C. despite D. yet
- Câu 48:** A. good B. useful C. kind D. characteristic
- Câu 49:** A. another B. others C. the other D. other
- Câu 50:** A. taking B. reaching C. putting D. leading

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2	C	7	B	12	A	17	A	22	B	27	D	32	C	37	A	42	C	47	D
3	C	8	A	13	B	18	D	23	A	28	B	33	B	38	A	43	C	48	A
4	C	9	A	14	C	19	B	24	D	29	B	34	D	39	B	44	A	49	D
5	B	10	C	15	A	20	D	25	D	30	A	35	A	40	B	45	C	50	D