PART I: VOCABULARY

UNIT 1: HOME LIFE

READING

1. **biology** (n) /baɪˈɒlədʒɪ/ : the scientific study of living things (sinh vật học)

bio'logical (a) bi'ologist (n)

2. **care** (v, n) <u>about</u> / <u>for</u> /keə(r)/ : be worried about/ interested in sth/sb (quan tâm)

'caring (a) : chu đáo

3. close-knit (a) /kleus'nɪt/ : having very close relationship with each other

(quan hệ khăng khít)

4. **confide** (v) <u>in</u> sb /kən'faɪd/ : trust, believe

'confidence (n) / kpnfidens/ belief in oneself and one's activities

'confident (self-'confident) (a) : tự tin

confi'dential (a) : intended to be kept secret (kín, bí mật)

5. household chores (n) /'haʊshəʊld tʃɔːz/: jobs around the house (việc nhà)

6. **mischief** (n) /'mistʃif/ : bad behavior of children that is not very serious

mischievous (a) /'mistfivəs/ = naughty (tinh nghịch)

7. **obey** (v) /ə'beɪ/ : do what you are told to do (vâng lời)

obedience (n) /əˈbiːdiəns/

(dis)obedient (a) to sth/sb

8. **pressure** (n) /'pre[ər/ : worries because you have too much to deal with

pressure/pressurize(v) sb into sth/doing sth: use force/ influence to make sb do sth

9. **responsibility** (n) /rɪspɒnsə'bɪlətɪ/: having the job or duty of dealing with sb/sth

≠ irresponsibility

(ir)res'ponsible (a) to sb for sth

10. **secure** (a, v) <u>against</u> / <u>from</u> sth /sɪ'kjʊə(r)/: safe, free from danger (an toàn)

≠ insecure (a)

security (n)

11. **share** (v) sth with sb //eə(r)/ : tell, have, use, do or pay sth together with another

share (n) : a part or amount of sth (phần)

12. **solution** (n) <u>to</u> st /sə'lu:[n/ : a way of solving a problem (giải pháp)

= answer

solve (v) /splv/ : giải quyết

13. **support** (v, n) /sə'pɔːrt/ : help/encourage sb/sth by saying/showing

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that you agree with them/it

= back sb/sth

supporter (n)

supportive (a) of sth : giving help,encouragement,sympathy (ung hộ)

<u>to</u> sb (He was strongly supportive of my career.)

(They were all extremely supportive to me.)

supporting (a) /səˈpɔːrtɪŋ/ : helping to show that something is true

(There was a wealth of supporting evidence.)

14. **willing** (a) to do sth /wilin/ : ready or pleased to do sth

un'willing (a)
'willingness (n)

NOTE:

Your <u>home</u> is the place that you live in, especially with your family, even if it is not a house.

Your *home* is also the place where you feel that you belong to.

A <u>house</u> is just a building that is made for people to live in, usually for one family.

SPEAKING

15. **duty** (n) /'dju:tɪ/ : nhiệm vụ

be on / off duty : be working/not working at a particular time

(What time does she go off duty?)

dutiful (a) = obedient

16. **interest** (n) <u>in</u> sth /'ɪntrəst/ : sth that you enjoy doing/learning about (sở thích)

17.

interest (v) (The subject of the talk interests me greatly.)

interested (a) (*I'm interested in swimming.*)

interesting (a) (It's interesting that my family chose DaLat for a

holiday.)

18. **secret** (n, a) / siːkrət/ : known about by only a few people; kept hidden

from others (bí mật)

LISTENING

19. **crowded** (a) with sb/sth /'kraudid/ : having a lot of people; full of something

≠ uncrowded

crowd (n, v)

re'serve (n)

20. **flight** (n) /flait/ : a journey made by air, especially in a plane

fly (v)

21. **leftovers** / 'leftəʊvə(r)z / : food has not been eaten at the end of a meal

22. **reserve** (v) /rɪˈzɜːv/ = book (ask for a seat, table, room...

to be available for sb at a future time (đặt trước) : a supply of sth that is available to be used in the

future or when it is needed

WRITING

- 1. Let sb/sth do sth = allow / permit sb to do sth (Don't let her upset you. Let your body relax.)
- 2. Be allowed/ permitted + to-inf
- 3. Allow + V-ing
- 4. have to + bare-inf (→obligation)
- 5. want + sb + to-inf

NOTE: Compare allow, permit and let.

• Allow can be used in both formal and informal English.

The passive form **be allowed to** is especially common.

- <u>Permit</u> is a formal word and is usually used only in written English.
- <u>Let</u> is an informal word, and very common in spoken English.

<u>Let</u> cannot be used in the passive:

His parents won't allow him to stay out late.

Visitors are not allowed /permitted to smoke in this area.

Smoking is not allowed /permitted.

I'm not allowed to smoke in my bedroom.

My dad won't <u>let me smoke</u> in my bedroom

Phrasal verbs & Idioms

be under pressure : chịu sức ép come up : happen

crowd around/round : gather in large numbers around sb/sth

give sb a hand (with sth) = help sb (with sth)

in reserve : available to be used in the future or when needed

join hands : work together in doing sth

spread out : stretch your body or arrange your things over

a large area

take care of sb = care for sb (chăm sóc)

take responsibility for : chiu trách nhiệm

work on sth : try hard to improve or achieve sth

UNIT 2: CULTURAL DIVERSITY

READING

1. **approval** (n) for sth/from sb /ə'pruːvl/ = agreement to sth

approve (v) <u>of</u> sb/sth : ủng hộ, tán thành

≠ disapprove of sb/sth

2. **concern** (n, v) /kən'sɜːn/ : sth that is important to a person, an

organization

concerned (a) : worried and feeling concern about sth

concerning (prep) : about sth; involving sb/sth

(We are given little information concerning matters of national

security.)

3. **contract** (v) /kən'trækt/ : make a written legal agreement with sb to do

sth

contract (n) /'kpntrækt/ : an official written agreement (hợp đồng)

contractual (a) /kən'træktʃʊəl/

4. **counterpart** (n) /'kaʊtəpaːt/ : người cùng thời, đối tác

5. **decide** (v) sth /dɪ'saɪd/ : quyết định

decision (n) on sth /dɪ'sɪʒn/ ≠ indecision (sự do dự, sự thiếu quả quyết)

decisive (a) /dɪ'saɪsɪv/ ≠ indecisive (quyết định, quyết đoán)

(decisive victory, factor, person)

decided (a) 1. = clear, unquestionable (decided difference)

2. = determined (of a person) having clear

opinions

(kiên quyết, không do dự) (a decided man)

≠ undecided

6. **determine** (v) /dɪˈtɜːmɪn/ : discover the facts about sth (xác đinh)

determi'nation (n) : sự xác định, sự quyết tâm

determined (a) : quyết tâm

7. **diversity** (n) /dar'v3:sətɪ/ = variety (the wide variety of sth)

diverse (a)

di'versify (v)

8. **maintain** (v) /meɪn'teɪn/ : make sth continue at the same level /standard

'maintenance (n) : sự duy trì

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9. **marry** sb (v) /'mærɪ/ : become the husband or wife of sb

marriage (n) / mærɪdʒ/

marital (a) : connected with marriage or with the

relationship

between a husband and wife

(marital difficulties/breakdown/status)

married (a) : having a husband or wife (a married

man/woman)

10. **oblige**, 'obligate (v) /ə'blaɪdʒ/ : force sb to do sth by law (bắt buộc)

obligation (n) / pbli geɪʃn/

obligatory (a) /əˈblɪgətɔːri/ = compulsory; 'mandatory

≠ non-compulsory, voluntary, optional

obliged (a) to sb for (doing) sth : grateful to sb

(I'm much obliged to you for helping us.)

obliging (a) = helpful

(They were very obliging and offered to wait for us.)

11. **partnership** (n) /'pɑːtnəʃip/ : a relationship b/w two people,organizations.

(Marriage should be an equal partnership.)

partnership with sb/sth (the school's partnership with parents)

partnership between A and B (a partnership b/w the United States and

Europe)

12. **precede** (v) /prɪ'siːd/ : happen before sb/sth in order

(in the moments which immediately <u>preceded</u> the earthquake)

precede sb + adv./prep. : go in front of sb

(She <u>preceded</u> him out of the room.)

≠ follow

'precedence (n) <u>over</u> sb/sth : quyền ưu tiên

(Environmental concerns must be given <u>precedence</u> over commercial interest.)

13. **sacrifice** (v) sth <u>for</u> sth /'sækrɪfaɪs/ : give up sth important to do sth more important

sacrifice (n)

sacrifice (n) to sb : vật cúng tế

(They offered <u>sacrifices</u> to the gods.)

sacrificial (a) : offered as a sacrifice

SPEAKING

14. **generation** (n) /dʒenə'reɪ[n/ : all the people born at the same time (thế hệ)

'generate (v) : phát ra, tạo ra

15. independent (a) of / from /indɪ'pendənt/ : free from, not controlled by another (độc lập)

≠ dependent (a) on sb/sth

dependable (a) /dr'pendəbl/ = reliable

≠ unreliable

independence (n)

16. life (n) - lives (pl.n) /laif/ : cuộc sống

live (v) /liv/

be alive (a) /ə'laiv/ : đang sống (She was still alive.)

live (a) /laiv/ : sống, thực (~ show, fish)

lively (a) = animated (sôi nổi) (~ child, party)

17. nursing home (n) /'nɜːsin həʊm/ : a small private hospital, especially one where

old people live and are cared for

LISTENING

18. **altar** (n) /ˈɔːltə(r)/ : a table where religious ceremonies are

performed (bàn thờ)

19. **ancestor** (n) /ˈænsestər/ = forebear (ông bà tổ tiên)

ancestral (a) /æn'sestrəl/

'ancestry (n) / 'ænsestri/ : the family/ the race of people that you come

from

20. **banquet** (n) /'bænkwit/ : a formal dinner for a large number of people

(đại tiệc)

21. **blessing** (n) /'blesin/ : a prayer asking for God's help and protection

(lời chúc)

bless (v) sb/sth : cầu xin, cúng

22. **ceremony** (n) /'serəməni/ : a formal public or religious event (nghi lễ)

ceremonial (a) /seri'məʊniəl/ : relating to; used in a ceremony

(ceremonial occasions)

ceremonious (a) / serə məʊniəs/ : behaving; performed in an extremely formal

way

* Master of Ceremonies (M.C.) : a person who introduces guests/entertainers at

a formal occasion.

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23. **pray** (v) to sb for sb/sth /prei/ : speak to God to give thanks or to ask for help

prayer (n) BrE /preə(r)/; NAmE /prer/ : lời cầu nguyện/ người cầu nguyện

24. **schedule** (v) /'ʃedjuːl, 'skedʒʊl/ : arrange for sth to happen at a particular time

(tổ chức)

schedule (n) : timetable

25. **wedding** (n) /'wedin/ : a marriage ceremony (lễ cưới)

wedded (a) to sth : trung thành, gắn bó với

(He is wedded to his work.)

wed (v) : marry (They were wed/wedded in London.)

(Will you wed your daughter to him?)

NOTE:

Marriage is the word for the state of being married to somebody.

It can also be used for the ceremony, with the same meaning as wedding.

The man who is getting married is the **bridegroom**, the woman is the **bride**.

Other important people at the ceremony are the **best man** and the **bridesmaids**.

A wedding can take place in church (a church wedding) or in a registry office.

A couple celebrates their *silver wedding* when they have been married for 25 years, their *golden wedding* after 50 and their *diamond wedding* after 60.

WRITING

26. attar oil (n) /'ætər ɔil/ : tinh dầu được làm từ cánh hoa hồng

27. **cover** (v) sth with sth /'knvər/ : put sth on sth (bao phů)

28. **protect** (v) <u>from</u> /prə'tekt/ : keep sb/sth safe; to defend sb/sth (bảo vệ)

protection (n) protective (a)

29. **sew**-sewed-sewn (v) /səʊ/ : join pieces of cloth using a needle and thread

(may vá; khâu)

30. **shape** (v) sth into sth /[eip/ : make sth into a particular form (làm thành

hình)

31. **spirit** (n) /'spɪrɪt/ : tinh thần

spiritual (a) /'spɪrɪtʃʊəl/

32. **symbol** (n) /'sɪmbl/ : a sign, object, etc. that represents sth

'symbolize (v) /'simbəlaiz/ = represent (tượng trưng)

sym'bolic (a)

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33. **trim** (v, n, a) /trim/ (v): cut into good shape (cắt tỉa)

(n): an act of cutting a small amount off sth

(a): neat and well cared for (sạch sẽ, ngăn nắp)

Phrasal verbs & Idioms

be blessed with sth : have sth that you feel is special or lucky

be married (to sb) : having a husband or wife

get married (to sb) : kết hôn

be attracted to : bị hấp dẫn, lôi cuốn

be concerned with : đề cập đến

be concerned about / for : worried and feeling concern about sth/sb

be concerned in : có dính líu, có trách nhiệm

believe in sth : tin vào

believe in sb : feel that you can trust sb that they will be successful

decide on : choose sth from a number of possibilities

NOTES:

UNIT 3: WAYS OF SOCIALISING

READING

1. accept (v) /ək'sept/ : agree to sth (chấp nhận)

≠ reject ; refuse

acceptance (n)

acceptable (a) to sb ≠ unacceptable

2. approach (n, v) /ə'prəʊt[/ : come near to sb/sth in distance or time

(tiếp cận)

(a new approach to language teaching)

approachable (a) : friendly/ easy to talk to (thân thiện, dễ tiếp cận)

≠ unapproachable

3. **attention** (n) /ə'tenʃn/ : chú ý

attentive to s/th (a) ≠ inattentive

4. attract (v) sb/sth (to sth) /ə'trækt/ : thu hút; lôi cuốn

(What first attracted me to her was her sense of humour.)

(He hoped this strategy would <u>attract</u> foreign investment by multinationals.)

(Babies are attracted to bright colors.)

(Despite all her denials, she was still violently attracted to him.)

attraction (n)

attractive (a) : good-looking (a stunningly attractive man)

attractiveness (n) /ə træktɪvnəs/ : the quality of being pleasant to look at

5. **choice** (n) /t[ɔis/ : a thing or person which is chosen (sự chọn

lưa)

choose - chose - chosen (v)

choice (a) : (especially of food) of high quality

(được chọn kỹ)

6. **communicate** (v) with sb/sth /kə'mju:nikeit/:share & exchange information, ideas with sb

communi'cation (n) with sb : sư giao tiếp

com'municative (a) ≠ uncommunicative

7. **formality** (n) /fɔːˈmæləti/ : nghi thức ngôn ngữ, nghi thức ứng xử

≠ infor'mality (thân mật, không nghi thức)

'formal (a) : officia

'formalize (v) : make a(n) arrangement/plan/relationship

official

8. **instance** (n) /'instans/ : a particular example or case of sth

for instance = for example

9. **jump up and down** (IDM) : be very excited/enthusiastic about sth

10. **polite** (a) /pə'lait/ = 'courteous (lịch sự)

≠ rude, impo'lite, discourteous

(dis)courtesy (n) /dis'k3:təsɪ/ = (im)politeness

11. **signal** (n) for sth /'signl/ : tín hiệu (when I give the signal, run!)

signal (v) to sb : ra dấu (she was signaling that sth was wrong.)

sign (n) /sain/ : dấu/kí hiệu

(~ of improvement, ~ of life, traffic ~)

sign (v) : kí tên (I forgot to sign the cheque.)

12. **socialize** (v) / ˈsəʊ[əlaiz/ : meet and spend time with people

society (n) /səˈsaɪəti/ 'social (a) /ˈsəʊʃl/

'sociable (a) / ˈsəʊʃəbl/ = gregarious(of people) enjoying spending time

with other people

13. **verbal** (a) /'vɜːbl/ : spoken, not written (hữu ngôn)

≠ non-verbal

'verbalize (v) : express your feelings/ideas in words

SPEAKING

14. **compliment** (n, v) sb on sth /'kpmpliment/: nhận xét, khen ngợi

to pay somebody a compliment = to praise them for sth

complimentary (a) /kpmpli'mentri/ : biểu hiện sự khen ngợi (a ~ remark, review)

15. **terrific** (a) /təˈrifik/ : extremely nice or good; excellent

≠ terrible (very unpleasant)

16. **decent** (a) /'di:snt/ : treating people with respect (tử tế)

(Everyone said he was a <u>decent</u> sort of guy.)

≠ in'decent

17. **kid** (v) /'kid/ = joke (tell sb/sth that is not true as a joke)

18. **tune** (n) /tjuːn/ : giai điệu

tuneful (a) : having a pleasant tune/sound

≠ tuneless

LISTENING

19. **absolute** (a) /'æbsəluːt/ : complete; total (tuyệt đối)

20. **argue** (v) /'ɑːgjuː/ : angrily say that you do not agree with sb about

sth

argument (n) : cuôc tranh luân

We had an argument with the waiter about the bill.

She got into an argument with the teacher.

arguable (a) ≠ unarguable

This report contains many <u>arguable statements</u>.

arguably (adv)

21. **chit-chat** (n, v) = chat /'t[ɪt t[æt/ : conversations that are not important

22. install (v) /in'sto:l/ : put a new program onto a computer/ fix

equipment, furniture into position so that

it can be used (lắp đặt)

installation (n)

23. **marvel** (n) /'mg:vəl/ : wonderful person or thing

marvel (v) at sth /marvel that... | + speech : to be very surprised or impressed by sth

marvellous (a)

24. **maximum** (n, a) /'mæksɪməm/ : the greatest amount or level of sth (tối đa)

≠ minimum

maximize (v) ≠ minimize

25. **object** (v) to sb / sth /əb'dʒekt/ = protest sth (be against sb /sth) (phản đối)

object (n) /'pbd3Ikt/ : đối tượng, mục đích

ob'jector (n) to sth : a person who objects to sth

ob'jective (a) : khách quan ≠ subjective

26. **regulate** (v) /'regjʊleit/ : control sth by using laws or rules (qui định)

regu'lation (n)

(ir)regular (a) : (bất) theo qui tắc

27. the shank of (the evening) /[æŋk/ : the early part of (the evening) (lúc sẩm tối)

28. **startle** (v) /'staːtl/ : surprise sb suddenly that slightly shocks or

frightens them (làm giật mình)

'startling (a) : extremely unusual and surprising

WRITING

29. **abrupt** (a) /ə'brʌpt/ : sudden and unexpected (bất ngờ, đột ngột)

30. **apologize** (v) to sb for sth /ə'pplədʒaiz/: say sorry to sb for sth you have done (xin lỗi)

a'pology (n)

offer/make/demand/accept an apology

apolo'getic (a) /əpɒlə'dʒetik/ : hối lỗi, ân hận

(I wrote him an apologetic letter.)

apolo'getically (adv)

31. **departure** (n) /di'pɑːtʃə/ : leaving a place (khởi hành)

depart (v) ≠ arrive

32. **farewell** (n)/ fee wel/; NAmE / fer wel/: the act of saying goodbye to sb (tam biet)

33. **interrupt** (v) /intəˈrʌpt/ : make sb stop saying or doing sth (làm gián

đoạn)

interruption (n)

34. **observe** (v) /əb'zɜːv/ : obey a law, rule, etc. (tuân theo)

35. **permit** (v) /pə'mit/ : allow sb to do sth (cho phép)

per'mission (n)

permit (n) /'pɜːmit/ : giấy phép

36. **regret** (n, v) /ri'gret/ : sự hối tiếc, nỗi ân hận

regretful (a) : cảm giác hối tiếc (a ~ look, smile)

regrettable (a)

(It is regrettable that the police were not informed sooner)

37. **sorrow** (n) /ˈsɔrəʊ/ : a feeling of great sadness (đau khổ)

Phrasal verbs & Idioms

close at hand : near (*There are good cafes and a restaurant close at hand.*)

get off : xuống (xe, tàu, ngựa...)

≠ get on

get through sth : thông qua (đạo luật...); liên lạc qua (điện thoại)

respond to sb with sth = reply to sb with sth

stick to sth : theo, tuân thủ

pay attention to sth : chú ý

point at / to sb/sth : chỉ tay vào ai/cái gì

talk over sth = talk about = discuss sth

tune in (to sth) : to listen to a radio programme/ watch a programme

be in/out of tune (with sb/sth) : to be/not be in agreement with sb/sth

turn up : 1. to happen, especially by chance (of an opportunity)

: 2. to arrive (of a person)

:3. to appear (to be found by chance)

(Don't worry about the letter. I'm sure it'll turn up.)

work out = solve (to find the answer to sth)

NOTES:

UNIT 4: SCHOOL EDUCATION SYSTEM

READING

1. **academic** (a) /ækə'demɪk/ : có tính học thuật academic year (n) = school year

(The students return in August for the start of the new academic year).

academically (adv) / ækə demikli/

2. **category** (n) / 'kætəgəri/ : phạm trù, loại, hạng

(The results can be divided into three main categories.)

3. **compulsory** (a) /kəm'pʌlsəri/ = mandatory (bắt buộc)

≠ voluntary; optional

(It is <u>compulsory</u> for all motocyclists to wear helmets.)

compel (v) /kəm'pel/ : force sb to do sth

compulsion (n)

(They may <u>compel</u> a witness's attendance at court by issue of a summons.)

4. core (a) /kɔː(r)/ : most important; main or essential

5. **curriculum** (n) /kə'rɪkjələm/ : chương trình môn học

curricula (pl.n) /kəˈrɪkjələ/

curricular (a) (She's involved in many <u>extra-curricular</u>

activities.)

curriculum vitae (CV) (n) / kə'rıkjələm 'viːtaɪ/: lý lịch

6. **nursery** (n) /'ns:səri/: school for children between the ages of about 2 and 5

7. **kindergarten** (n) /'kındəga:tn/ : school to prepare children aged five for school

8. **primary school** (n) /'prameri/ : school for children between the ages of 6 and

11

9. **secondary school** (n) /'sekəndri/ : school for young people between the ages of

11 and 16 or 18

10. **tertiary** (a) /*ts:[əri/ : third in order, rank or importance

tertiary education : university or college level

11. education (n) /edʒu'keɪ[n/ : nền giáo dục

educate (v) /'edʒukeɪt/

(Children need to be educated on the dangers of drug-taking)

educated (a) : được giáo dục

educational (a) : thuộc ngành giáo dục, có tính giáo dục

(Watching television can be very educational.)

educative (a) : that teaches sth

(the educative role of the community)

12. information (n) on/about sth /Infə'meɪ[n/: thông tin

(Give me further <u>information</u> on the diet.)

informative (a) /ɪn'fɔ:mətɪv/ : providing useful or interesting information

(The approach in this article was interesting and informative for people of all ages.)

informant (n) /tnem:cf'nı/ : informer

Inform (v) sb (of/about sth)

13. **subject** (n) /'sʌbdʒɪkt/ : chủ đề

(A magazine article on the subject of space

travel.)

: môn học (English is my favourite subject.)

subject (v) sth /səb'dʒekt/ : chinh phục

(The invaders quickly subjected the local tribes.)

subject (a) to /'sʌbdʒɪkt ; 'sʌbdʒekt/ : lệ thuộc, phải chịu

(Flights are <u>subject</u> to delay because of the fog.)

14. **semester** (n) /sɪˈmestə(r)/ : one of the two periods that the school/college

year

is divided into (học kỳ)

NOTE:

• **semester**: a half-year term in a school /university, especially in North America, typically lasting for fifteen to eighteen weeks.

- term: each of the periods in the year, alternating with holiday or vacation, during which instruction is given in a school, college, or university, or during which a law court holds sessions.
- In England, schools provided by the government, where people do not have to pay, are called **state schools**. The term **public school** describes very expensive schools of a high academic standard which are for the children of very rich people often of a high social class. **Private school** or **independence school** is more general terms for schools where people have to pay.
- In the US, Scotland and Australia, **public schools** are free schools provided by the government.

SPEAKING

15. **level** (n) /'levl/ : trình độ học vấn 16. **grade** (n) /greid/ : mức điểm, lớp học

17. **similar** (a) <u>to</u> /'similər/ : giống với

(His composition is <u>similar</u> to mine.)

similarity (n) /simə'lærəti/ (<u>similarities</u> <u>in</u> ages and background)

18. different (a) from /'difrent/ : khác với

(His composition is different from mine.)

difference (n) /'difrəns/ (Tell me the <u>difference</u> <u>between</u> level and grade)

differ (v)

A differs from B Ex: French differs from English in this respect.

A and B differ (from each other) Ex: French and English differ in this respect.

differ between A and B Ex: Ideas on childcare may differ considerably between the parents.

LISTENING

19. **tearaway** (n) /'teərəwei/ : a person who behaves in a wild or reckless

manner (người hùng hổ và vô trách nhiệm)

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20. **disruptive** (a) /dis'rʌptiv/ : phá vỡ; gây rối

(She had a <u>disruptive</u> influence on the rest of the class.)

disrupt (v) sth

disruption (n) (to sb/sth)

21. **methodical** (a) /mi'θɔdikl/ : có phương pháp

22. **struggle** (v) <u>for</u> / <u>against</u> sth /'strʌgl/ = fight <u>for</u> / <u>against</u> sth

(đấu tranh ủng hộ/ chống lại)

struggle (n) = fight

23. **boarding school** (n) /'bɔ:dɪŋ sku:l/ : a school where children can live during the

school year (trường nội trú)

Phrasal verbs & Idioms

be divided into : được chia thành

be made up of = be composed of (bao gồm)

consist of = comprise= be comprised of

go through sth = go over sth (examine sth carefully)

inform on sb : tố cáo

on the whole : in general (nhìn chung)

take an/ the exam : dự thi

sit (for)

UNIT 5: HIGHER EDUCATION

READING

1. accommodation (n) /əˌkpməˈdeɪʃn/ : a room/ group of rooms/building in which sb

may live or stay

accommodate (v) sb

2. **amaze** (v) /ə 'meɪz/ : surprise sb very much

amazing (a) (That is an <u>amazing</u> performance.)

amazed (a) at/by sth (I was amazed at her knowledge of literature.)

amazingly (adv) (The meal was <u>amazingly</u> cheap.)

amazement (n)

3. **apply** (v) to sb <u>for</u> sth /ə'plaɪ/ : put oneself formally as a candidate for a job

apply sth to sth : use (áp dụng)

(This rule can't be applied to every case.)

: make a formal request (yêu cầu)

(You should apply to the publishers for permission to reprint that book.)

application (n) /æplɪ'keɪʃn/ : formal (often written) request for sth (đơn)

(I wrote 5 applications for a job but got nothing.)

application form (n) : mẫu đơn

applicant (n) / æplɪkənt/

(Successful applicants will receive notification within the week.)

4. **blame** (n) /bleɪm/ : responsibility for doing sth badly/ wrongly

(The government has to take the <u>blame</u> for the riots.)

~sb <u>for</u> sth / sth <u>on</u> sb (v) : đố lỗi, quy trách nhiệm

(She doesn't blame anyone for her father's

death.)

blameless (a) /'bleiml əs/ = innocent (vô tội)

blameworthy (a) /'bleimw3:rði:/ : đáng trách

5. **campus**(n) /'kæmpəs/ : building of a university/ the land around them.

live <u>on</u> campus : sống ở khu vực trong trường campus life (n) : cuộc sống ở trường đại học

6. **challenge** (v, n) /'tʃæləndʒ/ : thách thức

(The role will be the biggest <u>challenge</u> of his career.)

(This discovery <u>challenges</u> traditional beliefs.)

challenging (a) : thử thách (~ job/ year/ test)

7. **creative** (a) /kri:'eitiv/ (She's very creative—she writes poetry and

paints.)

cre'ation (n) : hành động sáng tạo crea'tivity (n) : khả năng sáng tạo cre'ator (n) : người sáng tạo

create (v)

8. daunt (v) /dɔ:nt/ : làm nản lòng

daunting (a) (She has the <u>daunting</u> task of cooking for 20 people every

day.)

9. **impression** (n) /im'pre[n/ (His speech made a strong impression on his

audience.)

impressive (a) : ấn tượng

impressed (a) impress sb with sth

10. **provide** (v) /prə'vaid/ = supply (cung cấp)

~ sb with sth, ~ sth for sb (They <u>provide</u> us <u>with</u> various materials.)

(They <u>provide</u> various materials <u>for</u> us.)

provision (n) /prə'vɪʒn/ = supply
11. require (v) /rɪ'kwaɪə/ : yêu cầu

(The situation <u>requires</u> that I should be there.)

requisite (a) / rekwizit/ : necessary for a particular purpose

(She lacks the <u>requisite</u> experience for the job.)

requirement (n)

meet the requirements (Students who fail to <u>meet the requirements</u> of the course will fail.)

12. **scary** (a) /'skeərɪ/ : sợ hãi

13. **term** (n) /tɜːm/ : one of the three periods in the school year

SPEAKING

14. **identity** (n) /ai'dentəti/ : nhân dang

identity, identification (ID) : giấy chứng minh nhân dân

identify (v) / ai'dentifai/

identical (a) : similar in every detail

15. **reference** (n) /'refərəns/ : sự tham khảo

reference letter : thư giới thiệu

16. **admit** (v) sb to/into sth /ə'mit/ : allow sb to become a member of a club, a school

or an organization (nhận vào, cho vào)

admission (n)

LISTENING

17. **proportion** (n) /prə'pɔ:ʃn/ : sự tương ứng, tỉ lệ proportional (a) / prə'pɔ:ʃnl/ : cân xứng, tương ứng

18. majority (n) /mə'dʒɔrəti/ : phần lớn, đa số

≠ minority /maɪˈnɒrəti/ : thiếu số

19. **tutorial** (a) / tju:'tɔ:riəl/ : thuộc về hướng dẫn tutor (n) /'tju:tə/ : người hướng dẫn, gia sư

tutor (v) sb in sth

20. **available** (a) <u>for</u> / ə'veiləbl/ : sẵn có (để dùng)

(The tickets are <u>available</u> for you)

21. **rural** (a) / ru ərəl/ : thuộc vùng nông thôn

≠ urban

22. **thoroughly** (adv) /'θʌr əli/ : very much/ completely (kỹ lưỡng, hoàn toàn)

23. **undergraduate** (n) / \nnd='græd\zu=t/:a university student who who is studying for their

first degree

WRITING

24. **to be ready + to do sth** : sẵn sàng làm việc gì (*I am ready to supply any information about myself if necessary*)

25. **tuition fee** (n) / tju'ɪ[n fi:/ : money you pay to be taught (học phí)

26. **proficiency** (n) / prə'fɪ[nsi/ : sư thông thao

proficient (a)

Phrasal verbs & Idioms

admit sb to/into sth : allow sb to become a member of a school

be afraid of = be frightened of

be excited about : feeling/showing happiness and enthusiasm

break into : xông vào (nhà); ngắt (lời); cắt ngang (câu chuyện)

deal with sb/sth 1. đối phó, xử lý (How would you deal with an armed burglar?)

2. giao thiệp (I hate dealing with large impersonal companies.)

3. bàn về, đề cập (The next chapter deals with verbs.)

explain sth to sb : giải thích

fill sth in/out = write (to fill in a form)(điền vào, làm đầy)

find out : get some information about sth/sb by asking, reading, etc.(tim ra)

get on well with = get along with sb (hoà thuận, ăn ý)

make use of sth/sb : tận dụng, lợi dụng

take part in = participate in / join in sth

UNIT 6: FUTURE JOBS

READING

1. **aspect** (n) /'æspekt/ : khía cạnh

(We should look at every <u>aspect</u> of the problem.)

2. **express** (v) /ɪk'spres/ : show /make known a feeling, an opinion

(Teenagers often have difficulty expressing themselves.)

expression (n) expressive (a)

3. **enthusiasm** (n) <u>for</u> sth /ɪn'θju:ziæzəm/ : sự nhiệt tình

(He has a real enthusiasm for the work.)

enthusiast (n) : person who is very interested in sth

enthusiastic (a) \underline{about} /ɪnˌθjuːziˈæstɪk/

enthusiastically (adv)

4. **keenness** (n) /'ki:nəs/ = eagerness

keen <u>on</u> sth = very interested <u>in</u>

keenly (adv) = eagerly

5. **prepare (v)** /pri'peə(r)/ : chuẩn bị (~ for the question / interview)

prepared (a)

well-prepared ≠ ill-prepared

preparation (n) / prepəˈreɪʃn/

6. **qualification** (n) /kwplrfr'kersn/ : ability;quality that you need to do a job;

activity (năng lực chuyên môn)

qualify (v) /'kwplrfar/ : give sb the skills; knowledge to do sth

(This training course will qualify you for a better

job.)

≠ disqualify sb for sth

qualified (a) <u>for</u> : có đủ khả năng, trình độ chuyên môn qualifications [usually plural] (*Br E*) : an official record showing that you

have finished a training course or have the necessary skills,

etc.

7. **recommendation** (n) /rekəmen'dei[n/ : thư giới thiệu

recom'mend (v) sb/sth to sb/sth

8. **résumé** (n) / rezjumeɪ/ = CV(bản tóm tắt)

9. **shortcoming** (n) /'so:tk\min/ = defect

(a fault in sb's character, a plan, a system)

(sự thiếu sót)

10. **stress** (v,n) /stres/ : căng thẳng

stressful (a)

11. **vacancy** (n) /'veɪkənsi/ : job/room that is available for sb

(vị trí/ chổ bỏ trống)

vacant (a)

12. **concentrate** (v) on /'kpsntreɪt/ : spend more time doing one particular thing

than others

(I can't concentrate on my studies with such

noise.)

concentration (n) : sự tập trung

13. **dress neatly** (v) : dress formally (ăn mặc chỉnh tề) a neat dress (n) : một bộ quần áo giản dị, trang nhã

14. **make an effort** : try to do sth

(I will make every effort to arrive on time.)

15. **reduce the feeling of**... /rɪˈdjuːs/ : giảm bớt cảm xúc về điều gì...

reduction (n)

16. **congratulate** (v) sb on /kən'græt[uleɪt/ : chúc mừng

(I congratulate them on their results.)

congratulations (n) to sb

17. 'interview (n) (v) : (cuộc) phỏng vấn

'interviewer (n) interview'ee (n)

18. **honest** (a) / pnɪst/ : thật thà, lương thiện, thành thật, chân thật

≠ dishonest honestly (adv) honesty (n)

SPEAKING

19. **fantastic** (a) /fæn'tæstik/ : extremely good; excellent

20. **fascinating** (a) /'fæsɪneitɪŋ/ : extremely interesting and attractive

fascinate (v)

fascination to/ for sb

21. imagine (v) /ɪ'mædʒɪn/ : tưởng tượng

imagination (n) /ɪˌmædʒɪˈneɪʃn/

imaginative (a) /r mædʒɪnətɪv/ : having/ showing new and exciting ideas

(giàu trí tưởng tượng) (a ~ writer)

imaginary (a) : existing only in your mind or imagination

(giả tưởng, không thật) (~ number: số ảo)

22. **irrigation** (n) /rri'ger[n/ : the practice of supplying water to an area

irrigate (v) /'irigeit/

23. **rewarding** (a) /rr'wo:dɪŋ/ : providing satisfaction

(hữu ích, đáng xem,đáng đọc)

24. **employ** (v) /Im'ploɪ/ : give sb a job to do for payment

employee (n) /m'ploɪiː/ / emploɪ'iː/ : a person who is paid to work for sb

employer (n) : a person that pays people to work for them

employment (n) : work when it is done to earn money

unemployed (a) = jobless

25. advertise (v) / ædvərtaɪz/ : tell the public about a product/a service in

order

to encourage people to buy/use it

advertisement (n) /əd'va:tismənt/ = ad, advert (informal)

NAmE / ædvər taızmənt/

advertising (n) / ædvərtaɪzɪŋ/ : the activity and industry of advertising things

to people on TV, in newspapers, on the Internet, etc.

advertiser (n) / ædvərtaɪzər/ : a person or company that advertises

LISTENING

26. **workforce** (n) /'wa:kfo:s/ : all the people who work for a particular

company,

organization (lực lượng lao động)

27. retail (n) /'rɪ:teɪl/ : bán lẻ

≠ 'wholesale

28. **service** (n) /'s3:vɪs/ : dich vu

29. manufacturing (n) /mænjə'fækt[ərɪn/ : sư sản xuất, chế tao

manufacture (v) : make goods in large quantities, using

machinery

manufacturer (n) = maker

30. **popular** (a) / 'pppjulə/ : liked/ enjoyed by a lot of people (phố biến)

popularity (n) : tính phổ biến, được quần chúng ưa thích

31. **nine out of ten** : chín trong số mười (người/ vật)

Phrasal verbs & Idioms

be fond of = be keen on

concentrate on = pay attention \underline{to} , focus \underline{on}

jot sth down = write sth quickly (ghi lại tóm tắt)

move in : dọn nhà (đến chỗ ở mới)

≠ move out

relate to : be connected with sth/sb (Wealth is seldom related to happiness.)

(có liên quan, gắn liền với)

take care of sb/sth = look after sb/sth

NOTE:

• Work [uncountable]:

- the job that sb does, especially in order to earn money.

Ex: It's very difficult to find work at the moment.

- **Employment** [uncountable, countable] (rather formal):
 - work, especially when it is done to earn money;
 - the state of being employed or the situation in which people have work.

Ex: Only half the people here are in paid employment.

• Career [countable]:

 the job or series of jobs that sb has in a particular area of work, usually involving more responsibility as time passes.

Ex: He had a very distinguished career in the Foreign Office.

- Profession [countable]:
 - a type of job that needs special training or skill, especially one that needs a high level of education.

Ex: He hopes to enter the medical profession.

Occupation [countable] (rather formal): a job or profession.

Ex: Please state your name, age, and occupation.

- **Trade** [uncountable, countable]:
 - a job, especially one that involves working with your hands and requires special training and skills.

Ex: Carpentry is a highly skilled trade.

NOTES:

UNIT 7: ECONOMIC REFORMS

READING

1. adopt (v) /ə'dɒpt/ : take and use sth (chấp nhận)

adoption (n)

2. **consumer** (n) /kən'sju:mə/ : người tiêu dùng

consume (v) /kən'sju:m/ : dùng; tiêu thụ (thực phẩm)

consumption (n) /kən'sʌmpʃn/

3. **commit** (v) oneself to st/doing sth : cam kết làm gì

(Both sides committed themselves to settle the dispute

peacefully)

commitment (n) /kə'mitmənt/ : sự cam kết

4. **dominate** (v) /'dɒmineɪt/ : trội hợn, thống trị

domination (n) : sự thống trị, ưu thế

dominant (a) : more powerful, important, noticeable than

others

5. **dissolve** (v) /dɪ'zɒlv/ : tan rã, giải tán

dissolution (n)

6. **economy** (n) /i:'kɒnəmi/ : kinh tế; sự tiết kiệm (thì giờ, tiền của...)

economic (a) /,i:kə'nɒmɪk/ ~ growth (sự tăng trưởng kinh tế)

economical (a) /,i:kə'npmɪkəl/ : tiết kiệm (an ~ car)

7. **encourage** (v) /ɪnˈkʌrɪdʒ/ : ~ sb in sth (khuyến khích; cổ vũ)

≠ discourage s/o from s/th

courage (n) /'kʌrɪdʒ/ : can đảm (keep up one's ~: giữ vững can đảm)

encouragement (n) /In'k Λ rId χ mənt/ : $\sim to$ sb (khích lệ; cố vũ)

≠ discouragement

8. **inflate** (v) /in'fleit/ : gây lạm phát

inflation (n)

: sự lạm phát

9. **initiate** (v) /ɪ'nɪʃieɪt/ : to start sth

initial (a) : happening at the beginning; first

initiation (n) /ɪ,nɪʃɪ'eɪ∫n/ : sự khởi xướng (an ~ ceremony: lễ kết nạp)

initiative (n) /ɪ'nɪʃətɪv/ : sáng kiến

10. intervene (v) / ,intə'vi:n/ : can thiệp

intervention (n)

11. invest (v) /in'vest/ : đầu tư

investment (n)

12. **priority** (n) /praɪˈɒrəti/ : ~ <u>over</u> sb / sth (sự ưu thế về cấp bậc)

prioritize (v) /praɪ'prətaɪz/ : dành ưu tiên

13. **productivity** (n) /,prpdʌkˈtɪvəti/ : khả năng sản xuất

productive (a) /prə'dʌktɪv/ : sản xuất nhiều; có năng suất

(They work hard, but their efforts are not very

productive)

produce (v) /prə'dju:s; prə'du:s/ : sản xuất, chế tạo

produce (n) : nông sản production (n) /prə'dʌkʃn/ : sự sản xuất product (n) /'prɒdəkt/ : sản phẩm

14. **shortage** (n) /'ʃɔ:tɪdʒ/ : not enough of sth (sự thiếu)

15. **stagnant** (a) /'stægnənt/ : not active; not developing (trì trệ)

16. **subsequent** (a) /'sʌbsɪkwənt/ : xảy ra sau

17. **subsidy** (n) /'sʌbsədi/ : sự bao cấp, tiền trợ cấp

subsidize (v) /'sʌbsɪdaiz/

18. **substantial** (a) /səb'stænʃl/ = considerable (lớn lao; đáng kế)

19. **renovation** (n) /,renə'veɪ∫n/ : sự nâng cấp, sự cải tiến to be under renovation : đang được hồi phục lại renovate (v) /'renəveɪt/ : đổi mới, sửa chữa lai

20. **reform** (v, n) /rɪˈfɔːm/ : cải cách (*land ~: cải cách ruộng đất*)

to reform a constitution : sửa đổi một hiến pháp

21. **do'mestic** (a) : thuộc hoặc ở trong một nước

22. **living standard** (n) : tiêu chuẩn sống

SPEAKING

23. **achieve** (v) /ə'tʃi:v/ : gain sth, usually by effort or skill (đạt được)

achievement (n) : thành tích, thành tựu

24. drainage (n) /'dreɪnɪdʒ/ : sự rút nước

drain (v) off / away : rút, tháo, tiêu (nước)

25. **health** (n) /hel θ / : sức khoẻ

healthy (a) /'hel θ i/ : khoẻ mạnh ($a \sim child/animal/tree$) healthful (a) /'hel θ ful/ : good for your health (bổ dưỡng)

26. irrigation (n) /,ɪrɪˈgeɪ∫n/ : sự tưới (đất, ruộng)

irrigate (v) /'ırıgeıt/

27. **professional** (a) /prəˈfeʃənl/ : chuyên nghiệp; nhà nghề

≠ non-professional; amateur

28. **positive** (a) /'ppzətɪv/ : rõ ràng (a positive ~: một chứng cớ rỗ ràng)

to be positive about sth : quả quyết về một cái gì

29. **sensitivity** (n) /,sensə'tɪvəti/ : sự nhạy bén

sensitive (a) /sensətiv/ : nhạy cảm ($a \sim child$: một đứa bé dễ xúc động)

sensible (a) of sth : hiểu; nhận biết được

(He is sensible of your kindness)

LISTENING

30. **discover** (v) /dɪsˈkʌvə/ : find or learn st that nobody had found before

discovery (n) : sự khám phá

discoverable (a)

31. discourage (v) /dɪsˈkʌrɪdʒ/ : làm mất hết can đảm, làm chán nản

~ sb from doing sth: can ngăn (ai làm việc gì)

discouragement (n)

Vocabulary(1st term) - English 12

Phrasal verbs & Idioms

be aware of : có kiến thức, nhận thức về ai/cái gì

believe sb : feel certain that sb is telling you the truth (tin)

believe in sb = trust sb that they will be successful (đặt tin tưởng vào)

believe in sth : feel certain that sb/sth exists

(Do you believe in God?)

believe in doing sth : think that sth is good, right/acceptable (tán thành,ủng hộ)

(I don't believe in hitting children.)

carry out : tiến hành, thực hiện

call for sth = demand sth (đòi hỏi, yêu cầu)

32. **illegal** (a) /i'li:gəl/ : bất hợp pháp, trái luật

≠ legal

33. **rational** (a) /'ræ∫ənl/ : có lý trí rationality (n) /,ræ∫ə'nælɪti/ : sự hợp lý

WRITING

34. **increase** (v,n) /'Inkri:s/ = rise (v,n)

≠ decrease (v,n); decline (v,n)

35. **steady** (a) /'stedi/ : đều đặn

steadily (adv)

36. **dramatic** (a) /drə'mætik/ : sudden and often striking (đôt ngôt, đầy kich

tính)

(He recalled his dramatic escape from the building.)

dramatically (adv) (Things have improved dramatically since your last visit.)

NOTES:

UNIT 8: LIFE IN THE FUTURE

READING 1. **breath** (n) /breθ/ : hơi thở (take a deep ~: hít một hơi dài) breathe (v) /bri:ð/ : thở ra (~ a sigh: thở dài) breathless (a.) : hết hơi, không kip thở (The climb left me breathless./ She was breathless with shock.) breathlessly (adv) breathlessness (n) / breθləsnəs/ : difficulty in breathing 2. contribute (v) /kən'trɪbju:t/ to sth : đóng góp /ˈkɒntrɪbjuːt/ ≠ distribute sth to sb/sth (The organization distributed food to the earthquake victims.) contribution (n) to sth/doing sth contributor (n) to sth /kən trɪbjətə(r)/ contributory (a) 3. **corporation** (n) /,kɔ:pə'reɪ∫n/ = Corp. (tập đoàn) /ˈkɔːpərət/ corporate (a) /dɪ'pre∫n/ 4. **depression** (n) : 1. sadness (sự chán nản) : 2. a period when there is little economic activity and many people are poor or without job (thời kỳ suy thoái) depress (v) : làm nản lòng depressed (a) (Trade is depressed.) (She felt lonely and depressed.) : làm giảm, yếu đi depressive (a) (depressive illness) depressing (a) 5. **disappear** (v) : biến mất /,disə'piə/ ≠ appear (v) ≠ appearance disappearance (n) 6. **electronic** (a) /,ılek'trɒnık/ (~ calculator: máy tính điện tử) electric (a) /i'lektrik/ : chạy bằng điện (~ generator: máy phát điện) : liên quan tới điện (~ engineer: kỹ sư điện) electrical (a) /ɪ'lektrɪkəl/ electricity (n) /ɪ.lek'trɪsɪti/ : điện electrician (n) electrify (v) 7. **efficiently** (adv) /ɪˈfɪʃəntli] : in a good way, with no waste of time/money/

≠ inefficient

: very big

/i'fi∫ənsi/

/hju:dʒ/

efficiency (n)

efficient (a)

8. **huge** (a)

energy

9. influence (n) /'influence on sb/sth : anh hưởng

influence (v) sb/sth

influential (a) /influ'enfl/ in sth

10. **invention** (n) /ɪn'venʃn/ : (the act of inventing sth) phát minh

invent (v)

inventive (a) = imaginative

inventor (n)

11. **optimistic** (a) /,pptɪ'mɪstɪk/ about st : expecting good things to happen

optimist (n) /'pptɪmɪst/ : người lạc quan

12. **pessimistic** (a) /,pesɪ'mɪstɪk/ : bi quan pessimist (n) /'pesɪmɪst/ : kẻ bi quan

13. **terrorist** (n, a) /'terərɪst/ (n): kẻ khủng bố

(a) : ~ acts / movements / organizations những hành động / phong trào / tổ chức khủng bố

terrorism (n) /'terərizəm/ : sự khủng bố

terrorize (v) /'terəraiz/

14. **threaten** (v) /'θretn/ : đe dọa

threat (n)

threateningly (adv)

SPEAKING

15. **celebrated** (a) /'selibreitid/ = famous

celebration (n) /,selɪ'breɪʃn/ : hoạt động nhân dịp lễ kỷ niệm

celebrate (v) /'selibreit/ : show that a day or an event is important (kỷ

niệm)

16. **declare** (v) /dɪ'kleə/ : tuyên bố (~ war: tuyên chiến)

declared (a) /dr'kleəd/ : công khai declaration (n) /,deklə'reɪʃn/ : lời tuyên bố

17. **fatal** (a) /'feɪtl/ to sb/sth : causing or ending in death

(a fatal accident/ illness)

fatality (n) /fə'tælətɪ/

fate (n) /feɪt/ : số mệnh

LISTENING

18. **centenarian** (a, n) /,sentɪ'neərɪən/ : sống trăm tuổi; người sống trăm tuổi

19. **curable** (a) /ˈkjuərəbl/ : chữa khỏi được bệnh

≠ incurable

cure (v, n) /kjʊə(r)/

20. **eradicate** (v) /ɪ'rædɪkeɪt/ = wipe out (destroy completely, put an end to

sth)

e'radicable (a) : able to be eradicated or rooted out

eradi'cation (n)

e'radicator (n) / I'rædɪkeɪtə(r) / : người nhổ rễ, chất để tẩy

21. **eternal** (a) /i:'tə:nl/ : bất diệt (the Eternal: thượng đế)

eternity (n) : time that has no end

22. **expectancy** (n) /ɪksˈpektənsi/ : mong chờ

life expectancy : tuối thọ

23. **incredible** (a) /ɪnˈkredəbl/ : unbelievable (không thế tin được)

incredibly (adv) /in'kredəbli/

WRITING

24. **competition** (n) /,kpmpɪ'tɪ∫n/ ~ between / with sb for sth (cuộc thi, cạnh tranh)

compete (v) /kəm'pi:t/ ~ against / with sb in / for sth

competitive (a) /kəmˈpetɪtɪv/ (~ sports: những cuộc đua tài thể thao)

com'petitor (n)

25. **desire** (n, v) /dɪˈzaɪə/ : mong muốn, khát khao

desire sb to do sth : yêu cầu ai làm việc gì

26. harmony (n) /'ha:məni/ : hài hoà, cân đối

harmonious (a) /ha:'məʊnɪəs/ : friendly, peaceful and without disagreement

27. violent (a) /'vaɪələnt/ : mãnh liệt

violence (n) /'vaɪələns/

Phrasal verbs & Idioms

bring sth about : make sth happen (làm xảy ra)

= cause sth

bring sth back : (1) make sb remember sth/think about it again

(làm nhớ lại, gợi lại)

: (2) return sb/sth (đem trả lại)

contribute to sth = play a part in (góp phần)

cut down on sth = reduce

be in harmony with : hoà thuận với, hoà hợp với

≠ be out of harmony with

run on : sử dụng (nhiên liệu); xoay quanh (một vấn đề)

run out of sth : 1. use up one's supply of sth (can kiệt)

2.= expire (become no longer valid) (hết thời hạn)

stop off : đỗ lại, nghỉ lại (trong cuộc đi)

thanks to sb/sth : nhờ có ai/cái gì

wipe sth out = destroy sth completely (xóa sạch)

be wiped out = be exhausted

NOTES: