

1. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 1

1.1 Bài tập 1

Listen to the interview with a psychologist who studies dreams. Then, choose the best answer.

1. Directed dreamers are people who
- A. wake up in the middle of a dream.
 - B. can go back to sleep after dreaming.
 - C. can control what they are dreaming.
 - D. remember what they have dreamt

2. Dr. Border is trying to find out if people can
- A. dream the same dream regularly.
 - B. talk in their sleep.
 - C. dream they are looking for each other.
 - D. meet each other in their dreams.

3. What did the experiment require the people to do?
- A. To go to a river
 - B. To sleep in the same room
 - C. To dream about a particular situation
 - D. To get to know each other better

4. What did the interviewer find interesting about the experiment?
- A. Neither of the men dreamt about the woman.
 - B. The woman only dreamt about one of the men.
 - C. Both the men had an odd dream.
 - D. All the dreamers had the same dream.

1.2 Bài tập 2

Questions 1 - 6

Listen to the talk and circle the correct answer for each question.

1. The speaker compares a solar eclipse today to a

- A. religious experience.
- B. scientific event.
- C. popular spectacle.

2. The speaker says that the dark spot of an eclipse is

- A. simple to predict.
- B. easy to explain.
- C. randomly occurring

3. With regard to an eclipse, the ancient Chinese were

- A. fascinated
- B. rational
- C. terrified.

4. For the speaker, the most impressive aspect of an eclipse is the

- A. exceptional beauty of the sky.
- B. chance for scientific study
- C. effect of the moon on the sun

5. Eclipses occur rarely because of the size of the

- A. moon
- B. sun.
- C. earth.

6. In predicting eclipses, the Babylonians were restricted by their

- A. religious attitudes.
- B. inaccurate observations.
- C. limited ability to calculate.

Questions 7 – 10

Complete the table below.

Date of eclipse	Scientists	Observation
1715	Halley	(7) who accurately predicted an eclipse
1868	Janssen and Lockyer	discovered (8)
1878	Watson	believe he had found (9)
1919	Einstein	realised astronomers had misunderstood (10)



1.3 Bài tập 3

Listen carefully to the following talk and choose the correct answer for each question.

1. What is the main purpose of this talk?

- A. To inform about the results of European settlement
- B. To criticise the Europeans
- C. To teach how to start a business
- D. To encourage people to visit museums

2. Why did the diseases not affect the Europeans?

- A. That were plenty of vaccines.
- B. They had a better diet than the natives.
- C. They knew how to prevent the diseases.
- D. They had immunity to the diseases.

3. What was unique about the items sold at the trading post?

- A. They were made from a rare cloth produced in the US.
- B. They were sold at unusually low prices.
- C. They were combinations of European and Native American art.
- D. They were Native American art that could not be traded elsewhere.

4. Where can that unique works of art be seen now?

- A. They can be seen in a museum.
- B. They can be seen at a trading post.
- C. They can be seen in the market.
- D. They can be seen on the streets.

1.4 Bài tập 4

Listen to the talk and choose the correct answer for each question.

1. Atlantis was

- A. a legendary island
- B. an island named after the ocean in which it was supposed to have been located
- C. an actual island which has disappeared
- D. both A and B

2. According to the selection, today the Atlantic is

- A. romantic rather than businesslike
- B. completely lacking in romance
- C. less important to business than in the days of the sailing ships
- D. important in world commerce

3. The Spaniards discovered that calms were most common

- A. just south of the equator
- B. just on the edge of steady trade winds
- C. in a narrow belt along the equator
- D. near the coast of South America

4. The area was perilous because

- A. ships could easily be wrecked there
- B. there was no wind
- C. ships had no power other than the wind
- D. both A and B

5. Thirst was a grave problem because

- A. the sun was often very hot
- B. the water supply was limited
- C. horses required a lot of water
- D. all of the above

6. Horses were probably thrown overboard in order to "....."

- A. conserve water
- B. lighten the ship
- C. spare them the agonies of thirst
- D. spare the men the trouble of caring for them

7. Proof of the Spaniards' placing a high value on their horses was their

- A. taking them to America
- B. crediting them with souls
- C. regretting their loss
- D. all of the above

8. The selection says that sailors called the area the "horse latitudes" because

- A. the Spaniards told them it was haunted by the ghosts of horses
- B. they regretted the loss of the horses
- C. they had dreams about the lost horses
- D. the Spaniards had named it that



1.5 Bài tập 5

Choose the correct answer A, B or C.

1. Joanne says that visitors to Darwin are often surprised by

- A. the number of young people.
- B. the casual atmosphere.
- C. the range of cultures.

2. To enjoy cultural activities, the people of Darwin tend to

- A. travel to southern Australia.
- B. bring in artists from other areas.
- C. involve themselves in production.

3. The Chinese temple in Darwin

- A. is no longer used for its original purpose.
- B. was rebuilt after its destruction in a storm.
- C. was demolished to make room for new buildings.

4. The main problem with travelling by bicycle is

- A. the climate.
- B. the traffic.
- C. the hills.

5. What does Joanne say about swimming in the sea?

- A. It is essential to wear a protective suit.
- B. Swimming is only safe during the winter.
- C. You should stay in certain restricted areas

1.6 Bài tập 6

You will hear Peter Walsh being interviewed for a job. Listen and choose the correct answer for each question.

1. How long has he been in his present job?

- A. Since 2005
- B. For about three years
- C. For three months

2. Why does he want a new job?

- A. For a change
- B. To earn more money
- C. To get promotion

3. What does he like most about his job?

- A. The right to take action and make decisions
- B. His colleagues
- C. Working conditions

4. What kind of person are they looking for?

- A. Someone prepared to work overtime
- B. Someone who is punctual
- C. Someone who wants to get on

5. What qualifications does Peter have?

- A. A degree
- B. A school leaving certificate
- C. A postgraduate diploma

1.7 Bài tập 7

Richard Murray, a zoologist and popular TV personality, has been giving a talk on "En-dangered Species of Wildlife" to members of the Young Conservationists Association in a small town in the south of England. Listen to the extract from the discussion he had with two of the young people after his talk. For questions 1-5, tick the box A, B, C or D for the answer you choose. For questions 6 and 7, tick the boxes which apply.

1. Whatever the motive for destroying wildlife, Richard Murray believes that

A. nature will correct the balance.

A	
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B. the end result is the same.

B	
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C. we shall be extinct in 20 years.

C	
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D. wildlife will continue to survive.

D	
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2. What kind of people gain from the slaughter of seals and crocodiles?

A. Food manufacturers

A	
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B. Fashion editors

B	
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C. Profiteers

C	
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D. Conservationists

D	
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3. How can the risk to wildlife be reduced?

A. Natural wastage

A	
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B. improved pesticides

B	
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C. Law enforcement

C	
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D. Public opinion

D	
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4. In certain areas, the dolphin is killed because it

- A. provides a source of food.
- B. threatens a source of income.
- C. endangers human life.
- D. pollutes fishing grounds.

A	
B	
C	
D	

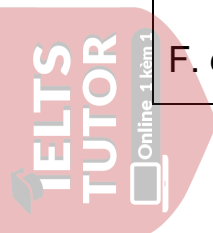
5. What does Jenny mean by the expression "a caring society"?

- A. People who suffer from anxiety
- B. People who are concerned about others
- C. People who need help and advice
- D. People who are conscientious workers

A	
B	
C	
D	

6. Which of the following may result from the use of pesticides?

- A. sterility of beneficial wildlife
- B. contamination of natural foods
- C. death from natural causes
- D. immunisation against disease
- E. pollution of the environment
- F. disease in infancy



7. In what ways do Tony and Jenny question Richard Murray's argument? They suggest that:

- A. Animals provide Certain necessities.
- B. Most pesticides are harmless.
- C. Insecticides provide valuable protection.
- D. Conservation can affect people's livelihood.
- E. Crops must be protected against pests.
- F. Conservation ignores human needs.

2. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 2

Which TWO of the following are mentioned as common mistakes?

- A) Swimmers often roll their bodies too much when breathing.
- B) Many beginners don't lift their heads high enough.
- C) They look backwards when breathing.
- D) They don't exhale sufficiently.
- E) They need to be told when to inhale.

3. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 3

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1. Which three things are affected by population growth?

- A) environment, housing and architecture
- B) jobs, housing and infrastructure
- C) jobs, transport and culture

2. What happens every 3 minutes in Australia?

- A) one person dies
- B) one person is born
- C) one person leaves the country

3. What proportion of Australians were born abroad?

4. From which two countries do most immigrants come?

4. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 4

1. The original buildings on the site were

- A) houses
- B) industrial buildings
- C) shops

2. The local residents wanted to use the site for

- A) leisure
- B) apartment blocks
- C) a sports centre

5. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 5

1. In which continent are the cave paintings that the speaker is describing?

- A) Africa
- B) Europe
- C) Asia

2. How were the painted caves discovered?

- A) By children
- B) By artists
- C) By tourists

3. How can visitors experience the cave paintings nowadays?

- A) They can't see any paintings because the caves are closed
- B) They can go on a tour of the original cave
- C) They can visit a reproduction of the original cave

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6. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 6

Choose **three** characteristics of effective teachers from the list below.

- A) They use the largest number of exercises
- B) They know how to choose examples
- C) They pick the right technique at the right moment
- D) Being older can be an advantage
- E) They are chess players
- F) They pay more attention to students

7. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 7

Listen to the following advice about how to reduce your spending.

Which TWO of the following tips are NOT given by the speaker?

- A) Don't go shopping when you've had a bad day.
- B) Don't spend what you don't have.
- C) Pay off your debts first.
- D) Look after what you own.
- E) Replace your car every four years.
- F) Buy things second-hand.

8. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 8

Now try answering A, B or C for the questions below.

1. What subject does Professor Wigen usually teach?

- A) Geography
- B) Japanese history
- C) Mapmaking

2. What will be covered in this particular class?

- A) The history and variety of maps
- B) A focus on the most unusual maps
- C) The career of famous map-makers

3. Who will teach the course?

- A) The lecturer alone
- B) The lecturer and artists on the web
- C) The lecturer and perhaps some other speakers

4. What does the final assignment involve?

- A) Creating a series of questions about a selection of maps
- B) Working with other students to collect interesting maps
- C) Analysing maps that the lecturer has chosen

9. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 9

1. Many teachers believe that

- A) plagiarism is not a big problem
- B) too many students are guilty of plagiarism
- C) many students copy each other's essays

2. Plagiarism is a problem because

- A) a student's true level of ability will not be known
- B) students have to rewrite their essays
- C) many students do not get caught

3. Teachers can spot plagiarism by

- A) using free software
- B) comparing different students' writing styles
- C) putting key words into a search engine

10. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 10

Which TWO facilities at the leisure club have recently been improved?

- A) the gym
- B) the tracks
- C) the outdoor pool
- D) the indoor pool
- E) the sports training for children

11. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 11

Which THREE of these statements are true?

- A) The smart fridge is an essential component of kitchens.
- B) It is technologically advanced in comparison with other fridges.
- C) It alerts users when foods reach their expiry date.
- D) It can help consumers when they are out shopping.
- E) It is able to make decisions about food purchases.
- F) It can tell users which foods are healthier.

12. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 12

Which TWO things should students do when applying to the course?

- A ... Understand what the course is about.
- B ... Think carefully about what they can contribute to the course.
- C ... Tell a story about an experience that they have had.
- D ... Provide a large quantity of work that shows their ability.
- E ... Show an example of their own film work if possible.
- F ... Explain why they are interested in the course.

13. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 13

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What is the probability of right-handed parents having a left-handed child?

- A) more than 10%.
- B) about 2%.
- C) about 17%.

What comparison is made between males and females?

- A) 50% of left-handed people are male.
- B) Males are less likely to be left-handed.
- C) Males are twice as likely to be left-handed.

A child's handedness can be determined for certain

- A) when the child reaches two years of age.
- B) when the child is six months old.
- C) according to which hand the child reaches with in the first year of life.



14. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 14

1. How does the first speaker describe multitasking? Choose ONE answer.

- A) it is a myth
- B) it is efficient but distracting
- C) it reduces the time that tasks take

2. Which TWO statements are true according to the second speaker?

- A) people who can multitask are more effective
- B) people should always focus on one thing only
- C) we need permission to get things done
- D) the brain is less productive when we are distracted
- E) organisations are unproductive if they are constantly on-line

15. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 15

What are the TWO main reasons why students have trouble remembering information for tests?

- A) stress
- B) nerves
- C) lack of time in the test
- D) lack of planning
- E) lack of preparation

Which TWO relaxation techniques are NOT recommended by the speaker?

- A) breathing deeply
- B) counting backwards
- C) closing your eyes
- D) visualising a relaxing image
- E) counting slowly

Which TWO habits can parents help their children with?

- A) eating properly and getting enough sleep
- B) organising their study schedules
- C) buying the right study guide
- D) breaking the exam down
- E) cramming

16. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 16

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1. A year from now, the unemployment rate will be

- A) fairly good
- B) not as high in California
- C) very high for the country as a whole

2. One problem is that

- A) employees cannot work for more than 33 hours per week
- B) employers will extend working hours instead of hiring new staff
- C) there are too many part-time workers

3. If the economy begins to improve

- A) more people will be discouraged from looking for work
- B) people will think that there are more job opportunities
- C) there will be an expansion of the workforce

17. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 17

Which TWO of the statements below agree with the speaker's advice?

How to establish a routine for your toddler:

- A) This is an easy task for most parents.
- B) The parent must establish a routine before expecting the child to follow one.
- C) Busy parents need help with their children.
- D) Parents should include the child's sleep times in their schedules.
- E) Meal times don't need to be included in parents' plans.

18. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 18

Listen to the following advice about buying train tickets in the UK, and answer the questions below.

1. If you book 12 weeks in advance, you can get a return ticket to Manchester for £ _____.

2. Which website are you advised to use when paying for your ticket?

- A) the East Coast website
- B) thetrainline.com
- C) the Ticket Alert website

3. Which TWO statements are true of the East Coast website?

- A) You pay a £1.50 booking fee.
- B) It can only be used for booking trains from London to Edinburgh.
- C) You can use it to buy train tickets for anywhere in the UK.
- D) You will not be charged for using a credit card.
- E) You can buy a "Super Advance" ticket the night before your trip.

19. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 19

How to save money and stop spending

It's impossible to stop spending completely, but you can stop _____ spending, or _____ it. You really need to set up a _____; just take a look at how much money you bring home in your _____, and write down everything you spend on a piece of paper. The aim is to get a _____ on how much money you are bringing in and where it is going. Whether you use plastic or _____, record what you bought, where you bought it, and how much you _____. At the end of the month it's a real _____. You'll see a whole lot of _____ you can do.

20. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 20

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1. Which 3 things is the speaker going to talk about?

- A) how to achieve your goals
- B) how to waste time
- C) how to deal with your boss
- D) how to deal with your advisor
- E) how to delegate
- F) how to cope with stress

2. According to the speaker, Americans are good at _____ management, but bad at _____ management.

3. Almost nobody starts with the core _____ of "why am I doing this?"



21. CHUYÊN ĐỀ 21

You will hear a conversation between Brian and his tutor.

What is Brian going to do before the course starts?

- A) attend a class
- B) write a report
- C) read a book