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Part:1 Writing

Question 1

Video games are very popular among teenagers and can be a fun way to relax and learn new skills, but they can also have negative effects if used too much.

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Write an essay of at least 120 words in paragraphs. In your response, you should include:

- 1. Give your opinion about whether video games are good or bad for teenagers.
- 2. Give two advantages and two disadvantages of playing video games.
- 3. Suggest ways to play video games in a safe and balanced way.

(The Writing part is assessed using the rubric, not a fixed answer.)

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Task Completion	Structure	Grammar	Vocabulary	Spelling and Punctuation	Total
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Part 2: Grammar

Read the text and choose the correct word(s) to complete the sentences.

Last year, many students in our school (1) _____ part in community projects to help people in need. Some students collected food parcels and donated clothes to local charities. Others (2) _____ in cleaning

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public places and planting trees in different locations around the city. Last month, our class started a project to support a small charity that provides meals for workers. We (3) _____ more than fifty food boxes so far.

Our teacher (4) _____ that every contribution makes a difference and that we should continue helping others. She also told us that if we (5) _____ together, we would achieve more. Many students said they give their time to help others because they care about their community. As a result, many people were helped by the kindness and effort of the students. These experiences have taught us the importance of giving, sharing, and working together.

1	a. take	b. have taken	c. took
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2	a. participate	b. participated	c. have participated
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3	a. prepared	b. prepare	c. have prepared
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4	a. says	b. said	c. is saying
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5	a. work	b. worked	c. will work
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Part 3: Reading text 1

Read the text and choose the correct answer. Choose A, B or C.

Why Plants Need Light and Darkness

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Plants need both light and darkness to grow properly. During the day, plants use sunlight to produce nutrients through a process that depends on chlorophyll, the green substance in their leaves. When plants grow without enough light, chlorophyll does not develop properly, so the leaves may look pale and weak.

In dark conditions, plants often grow in a different way. They try to reach for light by stretching upward very quickly. As a result, their stems become long and weak because they grow too fast without enough strength. Scientists explain that darkness also helps plants measure time and seasons. The length of night can trigger certain processes, such as flowering and changes in growth.

Today, natural darkness is sometimes interrupted by artificial light from cities, street lamps, and buildings. This light can disrupt the normal growth cycle of plants. When darkness is reduced, plants may become confused about when to grow, rest, or produce flowers. Over time, these changes can affect how plants develop and survive in their natural environment.

Maintaining a balance between light and darkness is very important for ecosystems. When this balance changes, it can influence how plants grow and how nature remains in harmony.

1. According to the text, what happens to chlorophyll in plants grown without light?

A It does not develop properly

B It becomes greener

C It increases quickly

2. According to the text, why can interrupted darkness delay a plant's growth cycle?

A Plants cannot absorb nutrients at night

B Plants use darkness to measure time and seasons

C Plants lose energy in low light

3. In paragraph 2, what does <i>trigger</i> mean?	
A	Stop something completely
B	Cause something to start
C	Observe something carefully

4. What is the main purpose of the text?	
A	To describe types of plants
B	To compare natural and artificial light
C	To explain how darkness influences plant growth

5. Which environmental issue discussed in the text affects plant growth beyond natural habitats?	
A	Lack of rainfall
B	Artificial lighting in cities
C	Soil erosion

Part 4: Reading text 2

Read the text and choose the correct answer. Choose A, B or C.

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Strong Leaders

A strong leader is essential for any team that wants to achieve its objective. A leader does not simply tell people what to do. Instead, they guide the team by choosing a clear method, organising each task, and helping members understand their roles. These qualities help the team feel confident, especially when they face a challenge. When everyone understands the plan, the team works smoothly and produces better results.

In many school projects, the leader explains the steps and checks that everyone has the knowledge they need. Last term, our class worked on a science project about how plants grow in different conditions. The leader, Zayed, was calm and organised. He discussed the plan with his group and made sure each person had a clear role. One student collected data, another prepared the materials, and a third wrote the observations. They succeeded because they communicated well and respected each other's ideas and contributions.

If Zayed didn't guide his team carefully, they wouldn't achieve strong results. If team members worked alone, they wouldn't complete the project successfully. These examples show that teamwork depends on clear guidance. A leader with a strong vision helps the group stay focused and work together.

In the end, a good leader supports the team without doing the work for them. When leaders care about their team and make fair decisions, everyone benefits. A well-led team can create new ideas, solve problems, and complete any project on time.

1. According to the text, what does a strong leader do for the team?

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| A | Avoids making plans |
| B | Chooses a clear method and organises tasks |
| C | Gives orders without guiding the team |

2. According to the text, why did Zayed's team succeed?

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| A | They followed only the teacher's instructions |
| B | They communicated well and respected each other's ideas |
| C | They worked alone most of the time |

3. In paragraph 4, what does "vision" most nearly mean?

A	The ability to see clearly
B	A type of school project
C	A clear idea about what the team wants to achieve

4. What would most likely happen if a team had no leader?

A	The team would always finish the project faster
B	The team might lose focus and struggle to reach their goal
C	The project would become easier to complete

5. What is the main purpose of the text?

A	To tell a story about a science project on plants
B	To explain the importance of strong leadership in teamwork
C	To explain how teachers choose team leaders

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