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Reading Practice Test 4

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Reading Passage 1

You should spend about 20 minutes on Questions 1-13, which are based on Reading Passage 1 below.



Green virtues of green sand

Revolution in glass recycling could help keep water clean

A For the past 100 years special high grade white sand dug from the ground at Leighton Buzzard in the UK. has been used to filter tap water to remove bacteria and impurities but this may no longer be necessary. A new factory that turns used wine bottles into green sand could revolutionise the recycling industry and help to filter Britain's drinking water. Backed by \$1.6m from the European Union and the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Defra), a company based in Scotland is building the factory, which will turn beverage bottles back into the sand from which they were made in the first place. The green sand has already been successfully tested by water companies and is being used in 50 swimming pools in Scotland to keep the water clean.

B The idea is not only to avoid using up an increasingly scarce natural resource, sand but also to solve a crisis in the recycling industry. Britain uses 5.5m tonnes of glass a year, but recycles only 750,000 tonnes of it. The problem is that half the green bottle glass in Britain is originally from imported wine and beer bottles. Because there is so much of it, and it is used less in domestic production than other types, green glass is worth only \$25 a tonne. Clear glass, which is melted down and used for whisky bottles, mainly for export, is worth double that amount.

C Howard Drvden, a scientist and managing director of the company. Drvden Aqua, of Bonnyrigg, near Edinburgh, has spent six years working on the product he calls Active Filtration Media, or AFM. He concedes that he has given what is basically recycled glass a 'fancy name' to remove the stigma of what most people would regard as an inferior product. He says he needs bottles that have already contained drinkable liquids to be sure that drinking water filtered through the AFM would not be contaminated. Crushed down beverage glass has fewer impurities than real sand and it performed better in trials. *The

fact is that tests show that AFM does the job better than sand, it is easier to clean and reuse and has all sorts of properties that make it ideal for other applications.' he claimed.

D The factory is designed to produce 100 tonnes of AFM a day, although Mr Dryden regards this as a large-scale pilot project rather than full production. Current estimates of the UK market for this glass for filtering drinking water, sewage, industrial water, swimming pools and fish farming are between 175.000 to 217.000 tonnes a year, which will use up most of the glass available near the factory. So he intends to build five or six factories in cities where there are large quantities of bottles, in order to cut down on transport costs.

E The current factory will be completed this month and is expected to go into full production on January 14th next year. Once it is providing a 'regular' product, the government's drinking water inspectorate will be asked to perform tests and approve it for widespread use by water companies. A Defra spokesman said it was hoped that AFM could meet approval within six months. The only problem that they could foresee was possible contamination if some glass came from sources other than beverage bottles.

F Among those who have tested the glass already is Caroline Fitzpatrick of the civil and environmental engineering department of University College London. 'We have looked at a number of batches and it appears to do the job.' she said. 'Basically, sand is made of glass and Mr Dryden is turning bottles back into sand. It seems a straightforward idea and there is no reason we can think of why it would not work. Since glass from wine bottles and other beverages has no impurities and clearly did not leach any substances into the contents of the bottles, there was no reason to believe there would be a problem,' Dr Fitzpatrick added.

G Mr Dryden has set up a network of agents round the world to sell AFM. It is already in use in central America to filter water on banana plantations where the fruit has to be washed before being despatched to European markets. It is also in use in sewage works to filter water before it is returned to rivers, something which is becoming legally necessary across the European Union because of tighter regulations on sewage works. So there are a great number of applications involving cleaning up water. Currently, however, AFM costs \$670 a tonne, about four times as much as good quality sand. 'But that is because we haven't got large-scale production. Obviously, when we get going it will cost a lot less, and be competitive with sand in price as well.' Mr Dryden said. 'I believe it performs better and lasts longer than sand, so it is going to be better value too.'

H If AFM takes off as a product it will be a big boost for the government agency which is charged with finding a market for recycled products. Crushed glass is already being used in road surfacing and in making tiles and bricks. Similarly, AFM could prove to have a widespread use and give green glass a cash value.

Questions 1-10

Reading Passage 1 has 8 paragraphs labelled A-H Which paragraph contains the following information?

Write the correct letter A-H in boxes 1-10 on your answer sheet.

NB You may use any letter **more than once**.

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| 1 | <input type="text"/> | a description of plans to expand production of AFM |
| 2 | <input type="text"/> | the identification of a potential danger in the raw material for AFM |
| 3 | <input type="text"/> | an example of AFM use in the export market |
| 4 | <input type="text"/> | a comparison of the value of green glass and other types of glass |
| 5 | <input type="text"/> | a list of potential applications of AFM in the domestic market |
| 6 | <input type="text"/> | the conclusions drawn from laboratory checks on the process of AFM production |
| 7 | <input type="text"/> | identification of current funding for the production of green sand |
| 8 | <input type="text"/> | an explanation of the chosen brand name for crushed green glass |
| 9 | <input type="text"/> | a description of plans for exporting AFM |
| 10 | <input type="text"/> | a description of what has to happen before AFM is accepted for general use |

Questions 11-14

Complete the summary below.

Choose **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** from the passage for each answer.

Write your answers in boxes 11-14 on your answer sheet.

Green sand

The use of **crushed green glass (AFM)** may have two significant impacts: it may

help to save a diminishing 11 _____ while at the same time solving a major problem for the 12 _____ in the UK. However, according to Howard Dryden, only glass from bottles that have been used for 13 _____ can be used in the production process. AFM is more effective than 14 _____ as a water filter, and also has other uses.

Reading Passage 2

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



NATURAL CHOICE Coffee and chocolate

What's the connection between your morning coffee, wintering North American birds and the cool shade of a tree? Actually, unite a lot, says Simon Birch.

When scientists from London's Natural History Museum descended on the coffee farms of the tiny Central American republic of El Salvador, they were astonished to find such diversity of insect and plant species. During 18 months' work on 12 farms, they found a third more species of parasitic wasp than are known to exist in the whole country of Costa Rica. They described four new species and are aware of a fifth. On 24 farms, they found nearly 300 species of tree when they had expected to find about 100.

El Salvador has lost much of its natural forest, with coffee farms covering nearly 10% of the country. Most of them use the 'shade-grown' method of production, which utilises a semi-natural forest ecosystem. Alex Munro, the museum's botanist on the expedition, says: 'Our findings amazed our insect specialist. There's a very sophisticated food web present. The wasps, for instance, may depend on specific species of tree.'

It's the same the world over. Species diversity is much higher where coffee is grown in shade conditions. In addition, coffee (and chocolate) is usually grown in tropical rainforest - regions that are biodiversity hotspots. 'These habitats support up to 70% of the planet's plant and animal species, and so the production methods of cocoa and coffee can have a hugely significant impact,' explains Dr Paul Donald of the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds.

So what does 'shade-grown' mean, and why is it good for wildlife? Most of the world's coffee is produced by poor farmers in the developing world. Traditionally they have grown coffee (and cocoa) under the shade of selectively thinned tracts of rain forest in a genuinely sustainable form of farming. Leaf fall from the canopy provides a supply of nutrients and acts as a mulch that suppresses weeds. The insects that live in the canopy pollinate the cocoa and coffee and prey on pests. The trees also provide farmers with fruit and wood for fuel.

Bird diversity in shade-grown coffee plantations rivals that found in natural forests in the same region,' says Robert Rice from the Smithsonian Migratory Bird Center. In Ghana, West Africa - one of the world's biggest producers of cocoa - 90% of the cocoa is grown under shade, and these forest plantations are a vital habitat for wintering European migrant birds. In the same way, the coffee forests of Central and South America are a refuge for wintering North American migrants.

More recently, a combination of the collapse in the world market for coffee and cocoa and a drive to increase yields by producer countries has led to huge swathes of shade-grown coffee and cocoa being cleared to make way for a highly intensive, monoculture pattern of production known as 'full sun'. But this system not only reduces the diversity of flora and fauna, it also requires huge amounts of pesticides and fertilisers. In Cote d'Ivoire, which produces more than half the world's cocoa, more than a third of the crop is now grown in full-sun conditions.

The loggers have been busy in the Americas too, where nearly 70% of all Colombian coffee is now produced using full-sun production. One study carried out in Colombia and Mexico found that, compared with shade coffee, full-sun plantations have 95% fewer species of birds.

In El Salvador, Alex Munro says shade-coffee farms have a cultural as well as ecological significance and people are not happy to see them go. But the financial pressures are great, and few of these coffee farms make much money. 'One farm we studied, a cooperative of 100 families, made just \$10,000 a year, \$100 per family and that's not taking labour costs into account.'

The loss of shade-coffee forests has so alarmed a number of North American wildlife organisations that they are now harnessing consumer power to help save these threatened habitats. They are promoting a 'certification' system that can indicate to consumers that the beans have been grown on shade plantations. Bird-friendly coffee, for instance, is marketed by the Smithsonian Migratory Bird Center. The idea is that the small extra cost is passed directly on to the coffee farmers as a financial incentive to maintain their shade-coffee farms.

Not all conservationists agree with such measures, however. Some say certification could be leading to the loss not preservation of natural forests. John Rappole of the Smithsonian

Conservation and Research Center, for example, argues that shade-grown marketing provides 'an incentive to convert existing areas of primary forest that are too remote or steep to be converted profitably to other forms of cultivation into shade-coffee plantations'.

Other conservationists, such as Stacey Philpott and colleagues, argue the case for shade coffee. But there are different types of shade growing. Those used by subsistence farmers are virtually identical to natural forest (and have a corresponding diversity), while systems that use coffee plants as the understory and cacao or citrus trees as the overstorey may be no more diverse than full-sun farms. Certification procedures need to distinguish between the two. and Ms.Philpott argues that as long as the process is rigorous and offers financial gains to the producers, shade growing does benefit the environment.

Questions 15-19

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

In boxes 15-19 on your answer sheet write

TRUE	if the statement agrees with the information
FALSE	if the statement contradicts the information
NOT GIVEN	If there is no information on this

15 More species survive on the farms studied by the researchers than in the natural El Salvador forests.

16 Nearly three-quarters of the Earth's wildlife species can be found in shade- coffee plantations.

17 Farmers in El Salvador who have tried both methods prefer shade-grown plantations.

18 Shade plantations are important for migrating birds in both Africa and the Americas.

19 Full-sun cultivation can increase the costs of farming.

Questions 20-23

Look at the following opinions (Questions 20-23) and the list of people below.

Match each opinion to the person credited with it.

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Write the correct letter **A-E** in boxes **20-23** on your answer sheet.

NB You can write any letter **more than once**.

20 Encouraging shade growing may lead to farmers using the natural forest for their plantations.

21 If shade-coffee farms match the right criteria, they can be good for wildlife.

22 There may be as many species of bird found on shade farms in a particular area, as in natural habitats there.

23 Currently, many shade-coffee farmers earn very little.

A	Alex Munroe
B	Paul Donald
C	Robert Rice
D	John Rappole
E	Stacey Philpott

Questions 24-27

Classify the features described below as applying to

Write the correct letter **A-C** in boxes **24-27** on your answer sheet.

24 can be used on either coffee or cocoa plantations

25 is expected to produce bigger crops

26 documentation may be used to encourage sales

27 can reduce wildlife diversity

A	the shade-grown method
B	the full-sun method
C	both shade-grown and full-sun methods

READING PASSAGE 3

You should spend about 20 minutes on Questions 27-40, which are based on Reading Passage 3 below.



Painters of time

A. The works of Aboriginal artists are now much in demand throughout the world, and not just in Australia, where they are already fully recognised: the National Museum of Australia, which opened in Canberra in 2001, designated 40% of its exhibition space to works by Aborigines. In Europe their art is being exhibited at a museum in Lyon, France, while the future Quai Branly museum in Paris, which will be devoted to arts and civilisations of Africa. Asia, Oceania and the Americas, plans to commission frescoes by artists from Australia.

B. Their artistic movement began about 30 years ago. but its roots go back to time immemorial. All the works refer to the founding myth of the Aboriginal culture, 'the Dreaming'. That internal geography, which is rendered with a brush and colours, is also the expression of the Aborigines' long quest to regain the land which was stolen from them when Europeans arrived in the nineteenth century. 'Painting is nothing without history.' says one such artist. Michael Nelson Tjakamarra.

C. There are now fewer than 400,000 Aborigines living in Australia. They have been swamped by the country's 17.5 million immigrants. These original 'natives' have been living in Australia for 50,000 years, but they were undoubtedly maltreated by the newcomers. Driven back to the most barren lands or crammed into slums on the outskirts of cities, the Aborigines were subjected to a policy of 'assimilation', which involved kidnapping children to make them better 'integrated' into European society, and herding the nomadic Aborigines by force into settled communities.

D. It was in one such community, Papunya, near Alice Springs, in the central desert, that Aboriginal painting first came into its own. In 1971, a white schoolteacher, Geoffrey Bardon, suggested to a group of Aborigines that they should decorate the school walls with ritual motifs. so as to pass on to the younger generation the myths that were starting to fade from their collective memory, they gave them brushes, colours and surfaces to paint on cardboard and canvases. He was astounded by the result. But their art did not come like a bolt from the blue: for thousands of years Aborigines had been 'painting' on the ground using sands of different colours, and on rock faces. They had also been decorating their bodies for ceremonial purposes. So there existed a formal vocabulary.

E. This had already been noted by Europeans. In the early twentieth century, Aboriginal communities brought together by missionaries in northern Australia had been encouraged to reproduce on tree bark the motifs found on rock faces. Artists turned out a steady stream of works, supported by the churches, which helped to sell them to the public, and between 1950 and 1960 Aboriginal paintings began to reach overseas museums. Painting on bark persisted in the north, whereas the communities in the central desert increasingly used acrylic paint, and elsewhere in Western Australia women explored the possibilities of wax painting and dyeing processes, known as 'batik'.

F. What Aborigines depict are always elements of the Dreaming, the collective history that each community is both part of and guardian of. The Dreaming is the story of their origins, of their 'Great Ancestors', who passed on their knowledge, their art and their skills (hunting, medicine, painting, music and dance) to man. 'The Dreaming is not synonymous with the moment when the world was created.' says Stephane Jacob, one of the organisers of the Lyon exhibition. 'For Aborigines, that moment has never ceased to exist. It is perpetuated by the cycle of the seasons and the religious ceremonies which the Aborigines organise. Indeed the aim of those ceremonies is also to ensure the permanence of that golden age. The central function of Aboriginal painting, even in its contemporary manifestations, is to guarantee the survival of this world. The Dreaming is both past, present and future.'

G. Each work is created individually, with a form peculiar to each artist, but it is created within and on behalf of a community who must approve it. An artist cannot use a 'dream' that does not belong to his or her community, since each community is the owner of its dreams, just as it is anchored to a territory marked out by its ancestors, so each painting can be interpreted as a kind of spiritual road map for that community.

H. Nowadays, each community is organised as a cooperative and draws on the services of an art adviser, a government-employed agent who provides the artists with materials, deals with galleries and museums and redistributes the proceeds from sales among the artists.

Today, Aboriginal painting has become a great success. Some works sell for more than

\$25,000, and exceptional items may fetch as much as \$180,000 in Australia.

'By exporting their paintings as though they were surfaces of their territory, by accompanying them to the temples of western art. the Aborigines have redrawn the map of their country, into whose depths they were exiled,* says Yves Le Fur. of the Quai Branly museum. 'Masterpieces have been created. Their undeniable power prompts a dialogue that has proved all too rare in the history of contacts between the two cultures'.

Questions 28-33

Reading Passage 3 has nine paragraphs A-I.

Choose the most suitable heading for paragraphs A-F from the list of headings below.

Write the correct number (i-viii) in boxes 28-33 on your answer sheet.

- 28 Paragraph A
- 29 Paragraph B
- 30 Paragraph C
- 31 Paragraph D
- 32 Paragraph E
- 33 Paragraph F

List of Headings	
i	Amazing results from a project
ii	New religious ceremonies
iii	Community art centres
iv	Early painting techniques and marketing systems
v	Mythology and history combined
vi	The increasing acclaim for Aboriginal art
vii	Belief in continuity
viii	Oppression of a minority people

Questions 34-37

Complete the flow chart below.

Choose **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** from the passage for each answer.

Write your answers in boxes **34-37** on your answer sheet.

For 34 _____, Aborigines produced ground and rock paintings.

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Early twentieth century: churches first promoted the use of 35 _____ for paintings.

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Mid-twentieth century: Aboriginal paintings were seen in 36 _____

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Early 1970s: Aboriginal painted traditional patterns on 37 _____ in one commodity

Questions 38-40

Choose the correct answer, A, B, C or D

Write your answers in boxes **38-40** on your answer sheet.

38 In Paragraph G, the writer suggests that an important feature of Aboriginal art is

- A its historical context.
- B its significance to the group.
- C its religious content.
- D its message about the environment.

39 In Aboriginal beliefs, there is a significant relationship between

- A communities and lifestyles.
- B images and techniques.
- C culture and form.
- D ancestors and territory.

40 In Paragraph I. the writer suggests that Aboriginal art invites Westerners to engage with

- A the Australian land.
- B their own art.
- C Aboriginal culture.
- D their own history.



Solution:

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| 1 D | 2 E |
| 3 G | 4 B |
| 5 D | 6 F |
| 7 A | 8 C |
| 9 G | 10 E |
| 11 natural resource | 12 recycling industry |
| 13 drinkable liquids/ beverages | 14 (real) sand |
| 15 NOT GIVEN | 16 FALSE |
| 17 NOT GIVEN | 18 TRUE |
| 19 TRUE | 20 D |

- 21 E
- 22 C
- 23 A
- 24 C
- 25 B
- 26 A
- 27 B
- 28 vi
- 29 v
- 30 viii
- 31 i
- 32 iv
- 33 vii
- 34 thousands of years
- 35 (tree) bark
- 36 overseas museums
- 37 school walls
- 38 B
- 39 D
- 40 C

Review and Explanations

1 Answer: **D**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>Q1:</p> <p>D. a description of plans to expand production of AFM</p>	<p>The factory is designed to produce 100 tonnes of AFM a day [...] So he intends to build five or six factories in cities where there are large quantities of bottles</p>
<p>+ The production of AFM appears in paragraph D.</p> <p>+ Take a look at the 1st sentence of paragraph D. It is mentioned that he intends to build five or six factories in cities which means the production is expanded.</p> <p>+ Therefore, the answer is D.</p>	

2 Answer: **E**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>Q2:</p> <p>E. the identification of a potential danger in the raw material for AFM</p>	<p>The only problem that they could foresee was possible contamination if some glass came from sources other than beverage bottles.</p>
<p>+ The keywords potential danger has the same meaning as possible contamination, which appears in paragraph E.</p> <p>+ It is mentioned in paragraph E that there is possible contamination from glass came from sources other than beverage bottles.</p>	

3 Answer: **G**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>Q3:</p> <p>G. an example of AFM use in the export market</p>	<p>It is already in use in central America to filter water on banana plantation</p>

- + The use of AFM appears in paragraph G.
- + In the 2nd sentence of paragraph G, it is mentioned the use of AFM in central America to filter water on banana plantation
- + Therefore the answer is G

4 Answer: **B**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q4: B. a comparison of the value of green glass and other types of glass	Because there is so much of it, and it is used less in domestic production than other types, green glass is worth only \$25 a tonne. Clear glass , which is melted down and used for whisky bottles, mainly for export, is worth double that amount.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + In paragraph B, the comparison between the worth of green glass and clear glass is mentioned. + It is referred that “green glass is worth only \$25 a tone”, while “Clear glass, which is melted down and used for whisky bottles, mainly for export, is worth double that amount”. + Therefore, the answer here is B 	

5 Answer: **D**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q5: D. a list of potential applications of AFM in the domestic market	Current estimates of the UK market for this glass for filtering drinking water, sewage, industrial water, swimming pools and fish farming are between 175.000 to 217.000 tonnes a year, which will use up most of the glass available near the factory.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> + The keyword “domestic market” is mentioned in paragraph D as “UK market”. + In the 2nd sentence of paragraph D, it is mentioned a list of the glass application which are filtering drinking water, sewage, industrial water, swimming pools and fish farming. + Therefore, the answer here is D. 	

6 Answer: **F**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q6: F. the conclusions drawn from laboratory checks on the process of AFM production	Among those who have tested the glass already is Caroline Fitzpatrick of the civil and environmental engineering department of University College London . We have looked at a number of batches and it appears to do the job.
<p>+ The laboratory checks is mentioned in paragraph F of the passage as tested the glass.</p> <p>+ The conclusion is drawn on the process of AFM production in this paragraph.</p> <p>+ Therefore, the answer is F.</p>	

7 Answer: **A**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q7: A. identification of current funding for the production of green sand	Backed by \$1.6m from the European Union and the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
<p>+ The funding for the production of green sand is mentioned in the 3^d sentence of paragraph A as “\$1.6m from the European Union and the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs”.</p> <p>+ Therefore, the answer for this question is A.</p>	

8 Answer: **C**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q8: C. an explanation of the chosen brand name for crushed green glass	Howard Dryden. a scientist and managing director of the company. Dryden Aqua, of Bonnyrigg, near Edinburgh, has spent six years working on the product he calls Active Filtration Media, or AFM. He concedes that he has given what is basically recycled glass a 'fancy name' to remove the stigma of what most people would regard as an inferior product

- + In paragraph C, the information about the name of the product is mentioned
- + In the 2nd sentence, it is stated that the brand name is given to the crushed green glass (AFM) to “remove the stigma of what most people would regard as an inferior product”
- + Therefore, the answer here is C.

9 Answer: **G**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q9: G. a description of plans for exporting AFM	Mr Dryden has set up a network of agents round the world to sell AFM
<p>+ In the 1st sentence of paragraph G, it is referred that “Mr Dryden has set up a network of agents round the world to sell AFM”.</p> <p>+ This means the exporting of AFM is mentioned.</p> <p>+ Therefore, the answer here is G.</p>	

10 Answer: **E**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q10: E. a description of what has to happen before AFM is accepted for general use	the government’s drinking water inspectorate will be asked to perform tests and approve it for widespread use by water companies .
<p>+ The keywords in the question “accepted for general use” have the similar meaning with “approve it for widespread use” which appears in paragraph E.</p> <p>+ In the 2nd sentence of paragraph E, it is mentioned that “the government’s drinking water inspectorate will be asked to perform” before AFM is accepted for general use.</p> <p>+ Therefore, the answer here is E.</p>	

11 Answer: **natural resource**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
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<p>Q11. natural resource</p> <p>The use of crushed green glass (AFM) may have two significant impacts: it may help to save a diminishing _____</p>	<p>The idea is not only to avoid using up an increasingly scarce natural resource , sand but also to solve a crisis in the recycling industry</p>
<p>+ The impact of the use of AFM is mentioned in paragraph B.</p> <p>+ The keyword in question 11 “save” has the same meaning as “avoid using up” and the word “diminishing” has the same meaning with “increasing scarce”.</p> <p>+ The first impact is avoid using up an increasingly scarce natural resource.</p> <p>+ Therefore, the answer is “natural resource”.</p>	

12 Answer: **recycling industry**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>Q12. recycling industry</p> <p>While at the same time solving a major problem for the _(12)_</p>	<p>The idea is not only to avoid using up an increasingly scarce natural resource , sand but also to solve a crisis in the recycling industry</p>
<p>+ The impact of the use of AFM is mentioned in paragraph B.</p> <p>+ The second impact is “solve a crisis in the recycling industry” which is mentioned in the 1st sentence of paragraph B.</p> <p>+ The word “solve a major problem” in paragraph B has the same meaning with “solve a crisis”.</p> <p>+ Therefore, the answer is “recycling industry”</p>	

13 Answer: **drinkable liquids/ beverages**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage

<p>Q13. drinkable liquids/ beverages</p> <p>However, according to Howard Dryden, only glass from bottles that have been used for_(13)_ can be used in the production process</p>	<p>He says he needs bottles that have already contained drinkable liquids to be sure that drinking water filtered through the AFM would not be contaminated</p>
<p>+ The needs for bottle for the use of the production process appears in paragraph C.</p> <p>+ In the 3rd sentence, it is mentioned that “he needs bottles that have already contained drinkable liquids”.</p> <p>+ Therefore, the answer is “drinkable liquids”.</p>	

14 Answer: **(real) sand**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>Q14. (real) sand</p> <p>AFM is more effective than_(14)_ as a water filter, and also has other uses.</p>	<p>Crushed down beverage glass has fewer impurities than real sand and it performed better in trials. *The fact is that tests show that AFM does the job better than sand</p>
<p>+ The keyword in question “AFM is more effective than” has the same meaning as “AFM does the job better than “which appears in paragraph C.</p> <p>+ It is mentioned that “AFM does the job better than sand”</p> <p>+ Therefore, the answer is “sand”.</p>	

15 Answer: **NOT GIVEN**

Keywords in questions/answers
<p>Q15.</p> <p>More species survive on the farms studied by the researchers than in the natural El Salvador forests.</p>

- + The number of species in the farms studied by the researchers is mentioned in paragraph 1.
- + However, the number of species in natural El Salvador forest is not mentioned. Therefore the answer here is NOT GIVEN.

16 Answer: **FALSE**

Keywords in Questions

Q16. Nearly three-quarters of the Earth's wildlife species can be found in shade-coffee plantations.

- + The number of wildlife species in coffee farms appears in paragraph A.
- + It is stated clearly that "coffee (and chocolate) is usually grown in tropical rainforest - regions that are biodiversity hotspots. 'These habitats support up to 70% of the planets plant and animal species". The number "70%" is equal to the phrase "nearly three-quarters" in the question. However, "these habitats" in the text is not referred to "shade-coffee plantations", but "tropical rainforest". Therefore, the answer is FALSE.

17 Answer: **NOT GIVEN**

Keywords in Questions

Q17. Farmers in El Salvador who have tried both methods prefer shade-grown plantations.

- + In the 2nd sentence of paragraph 2, it is mentioned "Most of them use the 'shade-grown' method of production, which utilises a semi-natural forest ecosystem".
- + However, there is no claim that farmers in El Salvador prefer this method of plantation.
- + Therefore, the answer is NOT GIVEN

18 Answer: **TRUE**

Keywords in Questions

<p>Q18. Shade plantations are important for migrating birds in both Africa and the Americas.</p>	<p>In Ghana, West Africa, - one of the world's biggest producers of cocoa - 90% of the cocoa is grown under shade, and these forest plantations are a vital habitat for wintering European migrant birds. In the same way, the coffee forests of Central and South America are a refuge for wintering North American migrants .</p>
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- + The keywords in the question appear in the 2nd sentence of paragraph 5.
- + It is mentioned that In West Africa and in Americas, “cocoa is grown under shade” and “these forest plantations are a vital habitat for wintering European migrant birds”
- + The word “vital” means “very important”.
- + This means Shade plantations are important for migrating birds in both Africa and the Americas.
- + Therefore, the answer is TRUE.

19 Answer: **TRUE**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>Q19. Full-sun cultivation can increase the costs of farming.</p>	<p>More recently, a combination of the collapse in the world market for coffee and cocoa and a drive to increase yields by producer countries has led to huge swathes of shade-grown coffee and cocoa being cleared to make way for a highly intensive, monoculture pattern of production known as ‘full sun’ .</p>

- + The full-sun cultivation is mentioned in the 1st sentence of paragraph 6.
- + It is mentioned that it is “a drive to increase yields by producer countries”
- + This means Full-sun cultivation can increase the costs of farming. Therefore, the answer is TRUE.

20 Answer: **D**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage

<p>Q20.</p> <p>Encouraging shade growing may lead to farmers using the natural forest for their plantations.</p>	<p>John Rappole of the Smithsonian Conservation and Research Center, for example, argues that shade-grown marketing provides ‘an incentive to convert existing areas of primary forest that are too remote or steep to be converted profitably to other forms of cultivation into shade-coffee plantations’</p>
<p>+ In the 2nd sentence of paragraph 10, it is mentioned that shade- grown marketing provides ‘an incentive to convert existing areas of primary forest into shade-coffee plantations’</p> <p>+ This means Encouraging shade growing may lead to farmers using the natural forest for their plantations. This is the opinion of John Rappole. Therefore the answer is D.</p>	

21 Answer: **E**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>Q21. If shade-coffee farms match the right criteria, they can be good for wildlife.</p>	<p>Ms Philpott argues that as long as the process is rigorous and offers financial gains to the producers, shade growing does benefit the environment .</p>
<p>+ Take a look at the last sentence of paragraph 11.</p> <p>+ The word “good for wildlife” has the similar meaning with “benefit the environment” .</p> <p>+ It is mentioned that as long as the process is rigorous and offers financial gains to the producers which means when the process match right criteria, it can be good for wildlife. This is the opinion of Stacey Philpott. Therefore, the answer is E.</p>	

22 Answer: **C**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>Q22. There may be as many species of bird found on shade farms in a particular area, as in natural habitats there.</p>	<p>Bird diversity in shade-grown coffee plantations rivals that found in natural forests in the same region.’ says Robert Rice</p>
<p>+ Bird diversity is mentioned in the 1st sentence of paragraph 5.</p> <p>+ The opinion of Robert Rice is that many species of bird is found in natural forest or natural habitat. Therefore, the answer is C.</p>	

23 Answer: **A**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q23. Currently, many shade-coffee farmers earn very little.	Alex Munro says shade-coffee farms have a cultural as well as ecological significance and people are not happy to see them go. But the financial pressures are great, and few of these coffee farms make much money
<p>+ The earnings of shade-coffee farmers are mentioned in the 1st sentence of paragraph 8.</p> <p>+ It is mentioned that Alex Munro says “few of these coffee farms make much money”. Therefore, the answer is A.</p>	

24 Answer: C

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q24. can be used on either coffee or cocoa plantations	Traditionally they have grown coffee (and cocoa) under the shade of selectively thinned tracts of rain forest in a genuinely sustainable form of farming In Cote d'Ivoire, which produces more than half the world's cocoa, more than a third of the crop is now grown in full-sun conditions.
<p>+ The coffee and cocoa plantations is mentioned in paragraph 4 and paragraph 6 with shade-grown and full-sun methods</p> <p>+ Take a look at the 2nd sentence of paragraph 4. Therefore, the answer is C.</p>	

25 Answer: B

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q25. is expected to produce bigger crops	More recently, a combination of the collapse in the world market for coffee and cocoa and a drive to increase yields by producer countries has led to huge swathes of shade-grown coffee and cocoa being cleared to make way for a highly intensive, monoculture pattern of production known as 'full sun'.

+ The keyword in question “to produce bigger crops” has similar meaning with “to make way for a highly intensive, monoculture pattern of production”, which appears in paragraph 6.

+ The method mentioned here is full sun method. Therefore, the answer is B,

26 Answer: **A**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q26. documentation may be used to encourage sales	They are promoting a 'certification' system that can indicate to consumers that the beans have been grown on shade plantations
<p>+ The documentation used to encourage sales is referred as 'certification' system, which appear in paragraph 9.</p> <p>+ The method mentioned here is “shade plantations” method. Therefore, the answer is A.</p>	

27 Answer: **B**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q27. can reduce wildlife diversity	But this system not only reduces the diversity of flora and fauna , it also requires huge amounts of pesticides and fertilisers .
<p>+ The reduce of the diversity of flora and fauna is mentioned in the 2nd sentence of paragraph 6.</p> <p>+ The method referred in paragraph 6 is the full-sun method. Therefore, the answer is B.</p>	

28 Answer: **vi**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q28. v i . T h e increasing acclaim for Aboriginal art	The works of Aboriginal artists are now much in demand throughout the world, and not just in Australia

- + The 1st sentence of paragraph A refers that “The works of Aboriginal artists are now much in demand throughout the world, and not just in Australia”.
- + The rest of the paragraph mentions the exhibitions in museums around the world.
- + Therefore, the heading for paragraph A should be vi- The increasing acclaim for Aboriginal art

29 Answer: **v**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q29. v. Mythology and history combined	All the works refer to the founding myth of the Aboriginal culture, ‘the Dreaming’ Painting is nothing without history .
<p>+ It is mentioned in the 1st sentence of paragraph B that “All the works refer to the founding myth of the Aboriginal culture, ‘the Dreaming’” and in the last sentence of paragraph B that “Painting is nothing without history”.</p> <p>+ Therefore, the heading for paragraph B should be v . Mythology and history combined.</p>	

30 Answer: **viii**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
30. viii. Oppression of a minority people	The Aborigines have been swamped by the country's 17.5 million immigrants” and “the Aborigines were subjected to a policy of ‘assimilation’
<p>+ It is mentioned in paragraph C that “The Aborigines have been swamped by the country's 17.5 million immigrants” and “the Aborigines were subjected to a policy of ‘assimilation’”.</p> <p>+ This means the Aborigines have been oppressed as minority people. Therefore, the heading for C is Oppression of a minority people.</p>	

31 Answer: **i**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
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<p>31. i. Amazing results from a project</p>	<p>Jeoffrey Bardon, suggested to a group of Aborigines that they should decorate the school walls with ritual motifs. so as to pass on to the younger generation the myths that were starting to fade from their collective memory, he gave them brushes.</p> <p>colours and surfaces to paint on cardboard and canvases. He was astounded by the result.</p>
<p>+ The information in paragraph D mentions a project of school walls decoration.</p> <p>+ In the 3rd sentence of paragraph D, it is mentioned that Geoffrey Bardon was astounded by the result of the project. Therefore, the heading for paragraph D is Amazing results from a project</p>	

32 Answer: **iv**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>32.</p> <p>iv. Early painting techniques and marketing systems</p>	<p>In the early twentieth century. Aboriginal communities brought together by missionaries in northern Australia had been encouraged to reproduce on tree bark the motifs found on rock faces. Artists turned out a steady stream of works, supported by the churches, which helped to sell them to the public, and between 1950 and 1960 Aboriginal paintings began to reach overseas museums.</p>
<p>+ The paragraph E mentions the painting techniques and marketing systems in early 20th century and between 1950 and 1960.</p> <p>+ The “encourage to reproduce on tree bark the motifs found on rock faces” and , “supported by the churches, which helped to sell them to the public” are mentioned as painting techniques and marketing systems</p> <p>+ Therefore, the heading for paragraph E is iv Early painting techniques and marketing systems.</p>	

33 Answer: **vii**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>Q33. vii. Belief in contunity</p>	<p>The central function of Aboriginal painting, even in its contemporary manifestations, is to guarantee the survival of this world. The Dreaming is both past, present and future</p>

+ In the last sentence of paragraph F, it is mentioned that “The central function of Aboriginal painting, even in its contemporary manifestations, is to guarantee the survival of this world. The Dreaming is both past, present and future”. "past, present and future" implies continuous time. Therefore, the heading for paragraph F is **vii**. Belief in contunity.

34 Answer: **thousands of years**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q34. For _____, Aborigines produced ground and rock paintings.	for thousands of years Aborigines had been 'painting' on the ground using sands of different colours, and on rock faces.
<p>+ It is mentioned the ground and rock paintings of Aborigines for thousands of years.</p> <p>+ Therefore, the answer here is “thousands of years”</p>	

35 Answer: **(tree) bark**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q35. Early twentieth century: churches first promoted the use of _____ for paintings.	In the early twentieth century. Aboriginal communities brought together by missionaries in northern Australia had been encouraged to reproduce on tree bark the motifs found on rock faces. Artists turned out a steady stream of works, supported by the churches , which helped to sell them to the public, and between 1950 and 1960 Aboriginal paintings began to reach overseas museums
<p>+ The keyword in the question “churches” appear in paragraph E.</p> <p>+ Take a look at the 2nd sentence of para E.</p> <p>+ It is mentioned that “Aboriginal communities brought together by missionaries in northern Australia had been encouraged to reproduce on tree bark the motifs found on rock faces”. Therefore, the answer is (tree) bark for paintings.</p>	

36 Answer: **overseas museums**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
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<p>Q36. Mid-twentieth century: Aboriginal paintings were seen in _____ .</p>	<p>Artists turned out a steady stream of works, supported by the churches, which helped to sell them to the public, and between 1950 and 1960 Aboriginal paintings began to reach overseas museums.</p>
<p>+ In the 2nd sentence of paragraph E, it is mentioned that between 1950 and 1960 Aboriginal paintings began to reach overseas museums.</p> <p>+ This means in the mid-twentieth century, Aboriginal paintings were seen in overseas museum. Therefore, the answer here is “overseas museum”.</p>	

37 Answer: **school walls**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>Q37. Early 1970s: Aboriginal painted traditional patterns on _____ in one commodity</p>	<p>In 1971, a white schoolteacher. Geoffrey Bardon, suggested to a group of Aborigines that they should decorate the school walls with ritual motifs. so as to pass on to the younger generation the myths that were starting to fade from their collective memory, lie gave them brushes.</p>
<p>+ It is mentioned in the 1st sentence of paragraph D of the year 1971.</p> <p>+ The word “traditional patterns” has similar meaning with “ritual motifs”.</p> <p>+ It is mentioned that “a group of Aborigines that they should decorate the school walls with ritual motifs.” Therefore, the answer here should be “school walls in one commodity”.</p>	

38 Answer: **B**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
<p>Q38. In Paragraph G, the writer suggests that an important feature of Aboriginal art is</p>	<p>Each work is created individually, with a form peculiar to each artist, but it is created within and on behalf of a community who must approve it.</p>
<p>+ It is mentioned in the 1st sentence of paragraph G that “Each work is created individually, with a form peculiar to each artist, but it is created within and on behalf of a community who must approve it”. Therefore, the answer is B. its significance to the group.</p>	

39 Answer: **D**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q39. In Aboriginal beliefs, there is a significant relationship between	An artist cannot use a 'dream' that does not belong to his or her community, since each community is the owner of its dreams, just as it is anchored to a territory marked out by its ancestors, so each painting can be interpreted as a kind of spiritual road map for that community.
<p>+ Take a look at 2nd sentence of paragraph G.</p> <p>+ It is mentioned that “each community is the owner of its dreams, just as it is anchored to a territory marked out by its ancestors”. Therefore, the answer for the question is D. ancestors and territory.</p>	

40 Answer: **C**

Keywords in questions/answers	Similar words in passage
Q40. In Paragraph I. the writer suggests that Aboriginal art invites Westerners to engage with	'By exporting their paintings as though they were surfaces of their territory, by accompanying them to the temples of western art. the Aborigines have redrawn the map of their country, into whose depths they were exiled,* says Yves Le Fur. of the Quai Branly museum.
<p>+ Take a look at the 1st sentence of paragraph I.</p> <p>+ The Aborigines is mentioned as 'By exporting their paintings as though they were surfaces of their territory, by accompanying them to the temples of western art”. Therefore, the answer here is C. Aboriginal culture.</p>	