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Section A: Jobs & 21st Century Professions (15 points = 1.5)

1. Complete the sentences with the following words. (10 items – 0.05 each = 0.5 pts)

Words: *chef, singer, pilot, lawyer, mechanic, dentist, vet, babysitter, influencer, programmer*

- a. A _____ is a professional who designs, writes, and tests computer programs to create apps, software, and digital solutions for many different purposes.
- b. A _____ is a trained worker who carefully repairs, maintains, and checks cars, motorcycles, and other vehicles to make sure they function safely.
- c. A _____ is a responsible person who looks after children at home, helping them with meals, activities, and basic routines while their parents are away.
- d. A _____ is an animal health specialist who examines, treats, and protects pets or farm animals when they are sick or injured.
- e. A _____ is a creative person who produces digital content, such as videos and photos, and shares it online to engage and entertain followers.



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f. A _____ is a skilled cooking expert who prepares meals, creates recipes, and manages food preparation inside restaurants or hotel kitchens.

g. A _____ is a trained aviation professional who uses technical knowledge and navigation skills to fly airplanes safely from one destination to another.

h. A _____ is a legal professional who represents people in court, defends their rights, and gives specialized advice about legal matters.

i. A _____ is a medical specialist who examines, cleans, and treats teeth, helping people maintain good oral health and solve dental problems.


j. A _____ is a talented performer who uses their voice to sing songs, entertain audiences, and sometimes write their own music.

2. Read and write who this person is, according to the description. ((10 items – 0.05 each = 0.5 pts)

a. This professional studies the Earth's physical structure, analyzes rocks and minerals, and investigates natural processes such as earthquakes and volcanoes to better understand the planet: _____.

b. This specialist works with mental and emotional health, evaluating people's behaviors and thoughts to help them manage stress, anxiety, and other psychological challenges _____.

c. This person installs, repairs, and maintains electrical systems in homes and buildings, ensuring everything works safely and efficiently to prevent accidents _____.

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d. This individual uses professional cameras and lighting equipment to capture high-quality images for events, advertisements, magazines, or artistic projects_____.

e. This expert examines historical documents, analyzes past events, and studies ancient civilizations to understand how societies have changed over time_____.

f. This worker is trained to operate an airplane, navigate long flights, communicate with control towers, and ensure the safety of passengers while traveling_____.


g. This skilled craftsman builds, repairs, and designs wooden structures such as furniture, doors, and house frames using tools like saws, drills, and hammers_____.

h. This medical professional prepares medications, advises patients on how to take them safely, and ensures prescriptions are correct and properly measured_____.

i. This tradesperson installs and repairs water pipes, drainage systems, and household fixtures to make sure water flows correctly in kitchens, bathrooms, and buildings_____.

j. This language specialist converts written or spoken information from one language to another, making sure the meaning remains accurate and culturally appropriate_____.

3. Read the text and select the best option (10 items – 0.05 each = 0.5 pts).


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Working in the New Era

In the modern world, many people are choosing to work in several different occupations at the same time, combining traditional jobs with new forms of employment. The beginning of the new millennium has created an enormous number of possibilities for young people, offering work opportunities that did not exist in the past. Decades ago, most workers followed a very predictable routine: they usually worked in a company or office from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., five days a week, and they were expected to wear formal clothing and maintain a long-term contract with their employer.

However, today the job market looks very different. A large number of occupations no longer require special uniforms, physical offices, or permanent contracts. Thanks to technology and global communication, people can now work from their homes for companies located in other cities, or even in completely different countries. Some modern jobs require only a cell phone, an Internet connection, and a great deal of creativity. Other jobs depend on artistic skills, a strong personal style, or even a good sense of rhythm and performance.

Additionally, new ways of earning money have appeared. Many people work by delivering food or packages using a bicycle, motorcycle, or car, while others create digital content, design online products, or start small businesses from their homes. Going to university continues to be an excellent path for building a professional future, but it is no longer the only option. Today, with talent, dedication, and a simple cell phone, many people are able to build successful careers in the new era of work.

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3.1 According to the text, what was a typical characteristic of traditional jobs in the past?


- a) Employees usually followed a fixed office schedule and wore formal clothing.
- b) Workers often changed cities every month.
- c) People mostly worked online from different countries.
- d) Employees were encouraged to avoid long-term contracts.

3.2 What major change has the new millennium brought to the job market?

- a) It made most traditional jobs disappear completely.
- b) It created flexible work opportunities, including remote jobs in different cities or countries.
- c) It forced all companies to eliminate technology.
- d) It required everyone to work longer hours than before.

3.3 Which type of job mentioned in the text requires minimal equipment?

- a) Jobs performed in medical laboratories.
- b) Jobs that use heavy industrial machinery.
- c) Jobs that only need a cell phone, an Internet connection, and creativity.
- d) Jobs that require strict dress codes.

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3.4 What does the text imply about university education today?

- a) It remains valuable, but it is no longer the only path to achieving professional success.
- b) It is now required for every part-time job.
- c) It guarantees people a permanent contract.
- d) It has become unnecessary for all professions.

3.5 Which example from the text illustrates a modern way of working?


- a) Working only in one location for your entire life.
- b) Working nine hours in a corporate office every day.
- c) Wearing formal suits as a daily requirement.
- d) Delivering food or packages using a bicycle, motorcycle, or car.

3.6 What does the text suggest about creative jobs in the new era?

- a) They must be performed inside large corporations.
- b) They require expensive uniforms and advanced tools.
- c) They are disappearing due to technological changes.
- d) They depend heavily on creativity, artistic skills, or personal expression.

3.7 Why do many modern occupations not require special uniforms or offices?

- a) Workers refuse to use technology.
- b) Remote work allows people to complete tasks from flexible environments.

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- c) Offices are illegal in many countries.
- d) Employers want workers to work outdoors.

3.8 What is one advantage of remote work mentioned in the text?


- a) Workers can be employed by companies in other regions or countries without moving.
- b) Remote workers receive free housing from employers.
- c) People no longer need to communicate digitally.
- d) Remote work is only possible for scientists.

3.9 What does the text highlight about modern delivery work?

- a) It must be done in groups of three or more.
- b) It requires a university degree in logistics.
- c) It can be done using simple forms of transportation like bicycles or motorcycles.
- d) It is only legal in large cities.

3.10 What general message does the text give about success in the new era?

- a) Success depends entirely on having a traditional career.
- b) Success can come from talent, creativity, flexibility, and even a simple cell phone.
- c) Success is available only to people who work in offices.
- d) Success is impossible without formal uniforms.

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4. **Read the text and** write **T** for true or **F** for false according to the reading. (10 items – 0.05 each = 0.5 pts).

Reading: AI Careers in the Future

In recent years, Artificial Intelligence (AI) has become one of the most important areas of technological development, and experts believe it will create thousands of new jobs in the future. AI refers to computer systems that can learn, make decisions, and solve problems in ways that are similar to human thinking. Because this technology is expanding rapidly, companies all over the world are searching for people who understand how AI works and how to use it responsibly.

One of the most promising future jobs is the **AI Specialist**, a professional who designs intelligent systems, trains computer models, and improves the accuracy of machine learning programs. These specialists may work in hospitals, helping doctors analyze medical data, or in transportation companies developing safer self-driving cars. Another growing occupation is the **AI Ethics Advisor**, a person who makes sure that technology is created fairly, without discrimination or misuse. This job is becoming essential as AI systems begin to influence decisions related to hiring, education, and public safety.

Working with AI does not always require being a computer expert. New careers such as **AI Assistants Trainers** teach intelligent programs how to understand human language, emotions, and cultural differences. For example, these trainers may test chatbots, improve virtual assistants, or help robots interact politely with people. As AI becomes more common in everyday life, jobs that blend human creativity with technology will become even more valuable.



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Although university studies in engineering or computer science are helpful, many of these future jobs can also be learned through online courses, workshops, and hands-on practice. What matters most is curiosity, problem-solving skills, and a willingness to learn new technologies. AI will not replace humans completely; instead, it will create new opportunities for people who want to collaborate with intelligent machines and shape the future of work.

- a. The text explains that AI systems can learn and make decisions in a way that resembles human thinking. _____
- b. According to the reading, AI Specialists mainly focus on repairing computers and fixing software errors. _____
- c. Hospitals and transportation companies are two places where AI Specialists may work in the future. _____
- d. AI Ethics Advisors make sure AI technologies do not create unfair or discriminatory situations. _____
- e. The reading states that everyone working with AI must have a university degree in engineering. _____
- f. AI Assistant Trainers help intelligent systems understand how to communicate and respond appropriately to people. _____
- g. The text suggests that online courses and workshops can help people prepare for new AI-related jobs. _____
- h. According to the passage, AI will eventually replace all human workers in every profession. _____
- i. Curiosity and problem-solving abilities are described as valuable skills for future jobs involving AI. _____



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j. The reading suggests that combining human creativity with AI technology will become less important in the future. _____

Section B: Weather & Natural Events (15 points = 1.5)

5. Describe the weather in each situation. Use complete sentences and appropriate vocabulary. (0.5 pts – 0.1 each)

a. You look outside and see dark clouds covering the entire sky.

_____.

b. The wind is extremely strong, and trees are bending from side to side.

_____.

c. The temperature has dropped suddenly, and small ice pellets begin falling.

_____.

d. The sun is shining brightly, and the air feels very hot and dry.

_____.

e. You hear loud noises in the distance right after a flash of light.

_____.



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6. Complete the definitions using more detailed explanations. (0.4 pts – 0.08 each)

a. A **tornado** occurs when

_____.

b. A **flood** happens when

_____.

c. A **drought** is a natural event in which

_____.

d. Thunder is the sound produced when

_____.

e. A **snowstorm** is a severe weather condition characterized by

_____.

7. Fill in the blanks with the correct word. Use each word only once. (0.4 pts – 0.04 each)

Words: hailstorm, lightning, scorching, blizzard, thunder, tornado, overcast, drought, downpour, windy

a. After several months without rain, the region experienced a severe

_____.

b. The sky was completely _____, making the afternoon feel gray and gloomy.

c. A sudden flash of _____ lit up the entire night sky.

d. The temperature was _____, making it difficult to walk outside.

e. A powerful _____ destroyed several houses in the countryside.



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- f. The loud sound of _____ followed the bright flash seconds later.
- g. The storm quickly turned into a _____ with heavy snow and strong winds.
- h. Rain fell so heavily that it felt like a _____.
- i. The students struggled to walk because it was extremely _____.
- j. The car's roof was damaged during a violent _____ with falling ice.

8. Choose the correct option. These questions require interpretation of weather conditions. (0.1 pts – 0.01 each)

8.1 When temperatures rise to extremely high levels, we experience a

- A. Heatwave B. Fog C. Frost D. Glacier

8.2 A tool that is most useful during a thunderstorm is a

- A. Flashlight B. Sunglasses C. Thermometer D. Fan

8.3 You would expect a **drought** to affect

- A. Water supplies B. Airplanes C. Snowfall D. Volcanoes

8.4 If lightning strikes repeatedly, it may

- A. Form clouds B. Start fires C. Cause earthquakes D. Create fog

8.5 A **snowstorm** is more likely to occur in

- A. Tropical climates B. Very cold regions C. Desert areas D. Rainforests

8.6 The force of strong winds can result in

- A. Landslides B. Tides C. Solar storms D. Heatwaves

8.7 A **downpour** means that

- A. Rain is light and gentle B. Rain is extremely heavy C. There is no rain
D. It is snowing



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8.8 In a **hailstorm**, you would expect

- A. Ice falling from the sky B. Dust rising C. Lava flowing D. Warm winds

8.9 During an emergency practice at school, you usually hear

- A. Music B. An alarm C. Lightning D. Birds

8.10 If the ground begins shaking suddenly, people should respond to a

- A. Blizzard B. Hurricane C. Earthquake D. Heatwave

9. Rewrite the scrambled sentences in the correct order. Make sure they are grammatically accurate. (0.1 pts – 0.01 each)

a. possible / seldom / Medellín / snowstorm / a / is / in

b. emergency / during / follow / must / you / plan / an

c. coming / storm / strong / a / is / There

d. tomorrow / weather / unpredictable / be / the / might

e. falling / The / shaking / are / trees / are / winds / because / strong



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f. prepared / always / remain / for / natural / should / people / events

g. cloudy / extremely / today / is / It

h. lightning / after / appears / usually / thunder

i. the / evacuate / officials / instructed / town / to / residents

j. stay / safe / indoors / storm / a / during / to / recommended / is

SECTION C – Touristic Places & City Vocabulary (10 points = 1.0)

10. Read each description carefully and identify the correct place. Write the complete word or phrase. (0.4 pts – 0.04 each)

a. This is a large public space where people can relax, walk their pets, exercise, or enjoy nature; it often includes trees, benches, fountains, and playgrounds. It is a _____.

b. This building contains many stores, restaurants, entertainment areas, and sometimes cinemas; families visit it to shop, eat, and spend the afternoon. It is a _____.



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c. Here, visitors can observe historical objects, artwork, sculptures, and cultural exhibits that represent the history and identity of a city or country. It is a _____.

d. People come to this place to buy groceries, fresh produce, packaged food, and household products. It usually has aisles and shopping carts. It is a _____.

e. This is the location where public transportation such as buses or trains arrives and departs; travelers wait here to go to different destinations. It is a _____.

f. Students attend this institution to learn subjects such as math, languages, science, and technology; it has classrooms, teachers, and sports areas. It is a _____.

g. This is a place where people enjoy meals, sit at tables, listen to music, and choose from a menu presented by a waiter. It is a _____.

h. Fans gather in this large open-air structure to watch sports matches, concerts, and important public events. It is a _____.

i. This quiet public building contains shelves of books, study spaces, and computers for research, reading, and learning. It is a _____.

j. Visitors come here to view artwork, photography, sculptures, or exhibitions that showcase artistic talent. It is an _____.



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11. Write detailed descriptions of each place using complete sentences. Include what people can do there, who usually goes, and the general atmosphere. (0.2 pts – 0.1 each)

a. A swimming pool:

b. A supermarket:

12. Read the short text and answer the questions in complete sentences. (0.4 pts – 0.08 each)

My Afternoon in Medellín

“Yesterday, I visited several popular places in Medellín. First, I went to the Explora Park, where I explored interactive science exhibits and saw the aquarium. Then, I walked to the Botanical Garden, a peaceful place filled with plants, orchids, and outdoor art. Later, I took the metro to a shopping mall near the stadium, where I had lunch and watched people playing soccer in the distance. At the end of the day, I visited a museum located across from a quiet library to learn more about local history.”

a. Which place did the writer visit first?



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b. What did the writer do at the Explora Park?

c. How does the writer describe the Botanical Garden?

d. Where did the writer have lunch?


e. What place was located across from the quiet library?

13. Read the text and select the best option (10 items – 0.05 each = 0.5 pts).

The Great Wall of China

The Great Wall of China is one of the most famous wonders of the world and a symbol of Chinese history. It was built over many centuries, beginning more than 2,000 years ago, to protect ancient China from invasions by northern armies. The wall stretches across mountains, deserts, and valleys, making it one of the longest structures ever created by humans.

Many parts of the Great Wall were constructed using stone, bricks, and packed earth. Soldiers once guarded the wall day and night, sending signals with smoke or fire to warn other watchtowers of danger. Today, the Great Wall is no longer used for protection. Instead, it has become a major tourist attraction

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visited by millions of people every year. Visitors can walk along restored sections and admire the incredible views of the landscape surrounding it.

The Great Wall is not just a physical structure—it represents the strength, determination, and creativity of the people who built it. Because of its historical importance and impressive size, it remains a symbol of cultural pride for China and a source of wonder for visitors from all over the world.

1. Why was the Great Wall originally built?


- a) To decorate the mountains of China
- b) To protect China from northern invasions
- c) To attract tourists from other countries
- d) To separate cities from farms

2. When did the construction of the Great Wall begin?

- a) Around 500 years ago
- b) About 1,000 years ago
- c) More than 2,000 years ago
- d) In the 20th century

3. Which landscapes does the Great Wall cross?

- a) Only forests
- b) Only beaches
- c) Mountains, deserts, and valleys
- d) Cities and neighborhoods

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4. Which materials were used to build different parts of the wall?

- a) Glass and plastic
- b) Stone, bricks, and packed earth
- c) Wood and bamboo
- d) Metal and concrete

5. How did soldiers send warnings along the wall?


- a) By writing letters
- b) By using drums
- c) By sending smoke or fire signals
- d) By drawing maps

6. What is the Great Wall used for today?

- a) Military defense
- b) Growing crops
- c) Mining and construction
- d) Tourism and cultural visits

7. What do visitors usually do at the Great Wall?

- a) Walk along restored sections
- b) Go swimming in lakes nearby

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- c) Take classes on Chinese cooking
- d) Study ancient languages

8. What does the Great Wall represent according to the text?

- a) Wealth and luxury
- b) Strength, determination, and creativity
- c) Modern technology
- d) Daily life in ancient China

9. Why is the Great Wall important to Chinese culture?

- a) It was the first building ever built in China
- b) It helped the country win many wars
- c) It is a symbol of national pride and history
- d) It is the tallest structure in the world

10. Why do people from around the world feel amazed when they see the Great Wall?

- a) Because it is brightly painted
- b) Because it has many restaurants along it
- c) Because of its enormous size and historical importance
- d) Because it is located in a large city