# **UNIT 6 | SOCIAL ISSUES**

# A. VOCABULARY (TỪ̈́VỤ̈́NG)

Unit opener							
No	Words		Transcription	Meaning			
1	disease	(n)	/dɪˈziːz/	bệnh tật			
2	homelessness	(n)	/ˈhəʊmləsnəs/	tình trạng vô gia cư			
3	hunger	(n)	/ˈhʌŋɡə/	nạn đói			
4	racism	(n)	/ˈreisizəm/	nạn phân biệt chủng tộc			
5	unemployment	(n)	/ˌʌnɪmˈplɔɪmənt/	tình trạng thất nghiệp			

### Lesson 6a

No	Words		Transcription	Meaning	
6	conduct	(v)	/kənˈdʌkt/	tiến hành (nghiên cứu)	
7	crisis	(n)	/ˈkraɪsɪs/	khủng hoảng	
8	life-threatening	(adj)	/laɪf 'θret <sup>ə</sup> nɪŋ/	đe doạ tính mạng	
9	malaria	(n)	/məˈleəriə/	bệnh sốt rét	
10	non-profit	(adj)	/nɒn ˈprɒfɪt/	phi lợi nhuận	
11	nutrition	(n)	/njuːˈtrɪʃ <sup>ə</sup> n/	(vấn đề) dinh dưỡng	
12	scale	(n)	/skeIl/	quy mô	
13	tuberculosis	(n)	/tjuːˌbɜːkjəˈləʊsɪs/	bệnh lao	
14	bullying	(n)	/ˈbʊliɪŋ/	(vấn đề) bắt nạt, ăn hiếp	
15	crime	(n)	/kraIm/	hành vi phạm tội, tội ác	
16	depression	(n)	/dɪˈpreʃən/	chứng trầm cảm	
	gender	(n)	/ˈdʒendər ˌINI	bất bình đẳng giới	
17	inequality		ˈkwɒləti/		
18	healthcare	(n)	/'helθkeə/	sự chăm sóc sức khoẻ	
19	obesity	(n)	/əʊˈbiːsəti/	bệnh béo phì	
20	pollution	(n)	/pəˈlu:ʃ <sup>∍</sup> n/	ô nhiễm	
21	poverty	(n)	/ˈpɒvəti/	sự nghèo đói	

#### Lesson 6c

No	Words		Transcription	Meaning
22	fill out	(phr v)	/fīl aʊt/	điền thông tin (vào mẫu đơn)
23	fill up	(phr v)	/fɪl ʌp/	làm đầy, đổ đầy

# Lesson 6d

No	Words		Transcription	Meaning	
24	cash	(n)	/kæ∫/	tiền mặt	
	equal (to sb/	(adj)	/ˈiːkwəl/	bằng nhau, ngang nhau, bình đẳng	
	sth)			(với ai), bằng (với cái gì)	
25	shelter	(n)	/'∫eltə/	chỗ ở, chỗ trú	
	$\rightarrow$ shelter (sb	(v)	/'∫eltə/	cung cấp chỗ trú ẩn, bảo vệ, che	
	from sth)		_	chở (ai đó) khỏi (cái gì đó)	
26	stamp	(n)	/stæmp/	(thực phẩm) tem phiếu	
27	training	(n)	/ˈtreɪnɪŋ/	khoá đào tạo, huấn luyện	

# **CULTURE CORNER C**

No	Words		Transcription	Meaning
	3D (three-	(n)	/θridi: (¦θri:daɪˈmenʃənəl)	công nghệ 3D
	dimensional)		tek'nɒləʤi/	
28	technology			
29	model	(n)	/ˈmɒdəl/	mô hình / mẫu
30	remotely	(adv)	/rI'məʊtli/	từ xa
31	trial	(n)	/traɪəl/	(phiên bản) thử nghiệm
	VR (Virtual Reality)	(n)	/vi:ɑ: ('v3:ʧuəl ri'æləti)	công nghệ thực tế ảo
32	technology		tek'nɒləʤi/	

# CLIL C (PSHE)

No	Words		Transcription	Meaning
33	access (to sb/ sth)	(n)	/ˈækses/	sự tiếp cận (với ai/ cái gì)
34	cooperation	(n)	/kəʊˌɒp <sup>ə</sup> rˈeɪʃ <sup>ə</sup> n/	sự hợp tác
35	economy	(n)	/I'kɒnəmi/	nền kinh tế
36	funding	(n)	/ˈfʌndɪŋ/	sự tài trợ, tiền tài trợ
37	humanitarian aid	(n)	/hjuːˌmænɪˈteəriən eɪd/	viện trợ nhân đạo
38	overcome	(v)	/,əʊvəˈkʌm/	vượt qua
39	strengthen	(v)	/ˈstreŋθ <sup>ə</sup> n/	làm cho vững mạnh

\* WORD FORMATION

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disease	(n)	/dɪˈziːz/	bệnh tật	
→ diseased	(adj)	/dɪˈziːzd/	bị bệnh, mang bệnh	
homeless	(adj)	/ˈhəʊmləs/	vô gia cư, không nhà ở	
$\rightarrow$ homelessness	(n)	/ˈhəʊmləsnəs/	tình trạng vô gia cư	
race	(n)	/reis/	chủng tộc	
→ racism	(n)	/'reIsIz <sup>ə</sup> m/	nạn phân biệt chủng tộc	
→ racist	(n)	/'reIsIst/	người phân biệt chủng tộc	
$\rightarrow$ racist	(adj)	/ˈreɪsɪst/	mang tính phân biệt chủng tộc, có	
		• • •	suy nghĩ phân biệt chủng tộc	
employment	(n)	/Im'plɔɪmənt/	công việc, tình trạng có việc làm	
$\rightarrow$ unemployment	(n)	/ˌʌnɪmˈplɔɪmənt/	tình trạng thất nghiệp	
$\rightarrow$ unemployed	(adj)	/ˌʌnɪmˈplɔɪd/	thất nghiệp	
≠ employed (by sb)	(adj)	/Im'plɔɪd/	có việc làm, được (ai đó) nhận vào	
			làm	
profit	(n)	/ˈprɒfɪt/	lợi nhuận	
→non-profit	(adj)	/nɒn ˈprɒfɪt/	phi lợi nhuận	
→ profit	(n)	/ˈprɒfɪt/	lợi nhuận	
$\rightarrow$ profitable	(adj)	/ˈprɒfɪtəbəl/	mang lại lợi nhuận, có lợi	
nutrition	(n)	/njuːˈtrɪʃən/	(vấn đề) dinh dưỡng	
→ nutritious	(adj)	/njuːˈtrɪʃ.əs/	nhiều dinh dưỡng, bổ dưỡng	
$\rightarrow$ nutrient	(n)	/'nju:triƏnt/	chất dinh dưỡng	
$\rightarrow$ malnutrition	(n)	/ˌmælnjuːˈtrɪʃən/	bệnh suy dinh dưỡng	
bully	(v)	/ˈbʊli/	bắt nạt, ăn hiếp	
$\rightarrow$ bully	(n)	/ˈbʊli/	kẻ bắt nạt	
→bullying	(n)	/ˈbʊliɪŋ/	(vấn đề) bắt nạt, ăn hiếp	
crime	(n)	/kraIm/	hành vi phạm tội, tội ác	
$\rightarrow$ criminal	(n)	/ˈkrɪmɪnl/	tội phạm	
depression	(n)	/dI'pre∫ <sup>ə</sup> n/	chứng trầm cảm	
→ depressed	(adj)	/dI'prest/	trầm cảm, buồn nản	
obesity	(n)	/əʊˈbiːsəti/	bệnh béo phì	
→ obese	(adj)	/əʊˈbiːs/	béo phì, thừa cân	
pollute	(v)	/pəˈluːt/	gây ô nhiễm	
$\rightarrow$ pollution	(n)	/pəˈluːʃ∍n/	ô nhiễm	

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$\rightarrow$ pollutant	(n)	/pəˈluːtənt/	chất gây ô nhiễm	
poor	(adj)	/pɔː(r)/, /pʊə(r)/	nghèo	
→ poverty	(n)	/ˈpɒvəti/	sự nghèo đói	
equal (to sb/ sth)	(adj)	/'iːkwəl/	bằng nhau, ngang nhau, bình đẳng	
			(với ai), bằng (với cái gì)	
≠ unequal (in sth)	(adj)	/ʌnˈiːkwəl/	bất bình đẳng, không ngang bằng	
_	_		(trên khía cạnh nào đó)	
$\rightarrow$ equality	(n)	/ˈdʒendər I	sự bình đẳng giới	
		'kwɒləti/		
$\rightarrow$ inequality	(n)	/ˌɪnɪˈkwɒləti/	bất bình đẳng giới	
train	(v)	/treIn/	đào tạo, huấn luyện	
→ training	(n)	/ˈtreɪnɪŋ/	khoá đào tạo, huấn luyện	
→ trainer	(n)	/ˈtreɪnər/	Huấn luyện viên	
remote	(adj)	/rɪˈməʊt/	ở xa, từ xa	
→ remotely	(adv)	/rɪˈməʊtli/	từ xa	
cooperate (with (v)		/kəʊˈɒpəreɪt/	hợp tác (với ai/ cái gì)	
sb/sth)				
$\rightarrow$ cooperation	(n)	/kəʊˌɒp <sup>ə</sup> r'eı∫ <sup>ə</sup> n/	sự hợp tác	
economy	(n)	/I'kɒnəmi/	nền kinh tế	
$\rightarrow$ economical	(adj)	/ˌiːkəˈnɒmɪkl/	tiết kiệm, ít tốn kém	
$\rightarrow$ economics	(n)	/ˌiːkəˈnɒmɪks/	Kinh tế học	
fund	(v)	/fʌnd/	tài trợ, cấp vốn	
→ funding	(n)	/ˈfʌndɪŋ/	sự tài trợ, tiền tài trợ	
strengthen	(v)	/ˈstreŋθ <sup>ə</sup> n/	làm cho vững mạnh	
$\rightarrow$ strength	(n)	/streŋ $ heta/$	sức mạnh	

#### GRAMMAR

#### 1. Danh động từ (V-ing)

Danh động từ (Gerund) là hình thức động từ được thêm -ing và được sử dụng như một danh từ. a. Danh động từ có thể đóng vai trò như một chủ ngữ trong câu.

- Winning this race is a big achievement for my brother.
- b. Danh động từ có thể đóng vai trò như một tân ngữ trong câu:

- sau một số động từ như: avoid, consider, dislike, forgive, imagine, involve, practise, suggest, mind, risk, recommend, deny, delay, postpone, etc.

• I *suggest joining* the art club at school.

- sau một số động từ hoặc giới từ: apologise for, concentrate on, help with, complain about, dream of, insist on, rely on succeed in, focus on, cany on, etc.

• I don't know why you **insist on talking** about it.

- sau một số cụm từ: can't help, can't stand, spend (time), feel like, it's (not) worth, it's no use/good, look forward to, be busy, (be) get used to, have difficulty/trouble, have a good time, etc.

• Lily can't stand working in an office

#### 2. Câu hỏi đuôi

Câu hỏi đuôi trong tiếng Anh (**tag question**) là một câu hỏi ngắn được đặt ở cuối câu. Loại câu hỏi này thường được dùng khi người nói không chắc chắn về tính đúng sai của một mệnh đề nào đó, vì vậy được sử dụng để kiểm chứng cho mệnh đề được đưa ra.

- Mệnh đề khẳng định, câu hỏi đuôi phủ định:
  - He is looking for a job, isn't she?
- Mệnh đề phủ định, câu hỏi đuôi khẳng định: The bus isn't coming, is it?

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Nếu câu không có động từ *to be*, trợ động từ hay động từ tình thái, chúng ta dùng **don't**, **doesn't** cho thì hiện tại đơn và **didn't** cho thì quá khứ đơn.

Calvin works at the employment centre, doesn't he?

You **signed** up for the medical volunteer programme, **didn't you**?

Trong câu hỏi đuôi, chúng ta **xuống giọng** (↘) khi chắc chắn với câu trả lời và **lên giọng** (↗) khi không chắc chắn và muốn tìm câu trả lời.

Monica is joining the volunteer group, **isn't she**? (**\)** (Chắc chắn.)

They collected all the donations, didn't they? (>) (Không chắc chắn.)

# Một số dạng câu hỏi đuôi khác.

• I am → aren't I?

I'm on the food collection committee, aren't I?

Câu mệnh lệnh khẳng định→ will you?

Have a seat in the waiting room, will you? (một lời mời)

• Câu mệnh lệnh phủ định → won't you?

Write your name down in this application, won't you? (một yêu cầu lịch sự)

• Don't → will you?

**Don't** forget to write your email address on the job application, **will you**?

• Let's → shall we?

*Let's* go to the charity event, *shall we*?

Have (got) vật sở hữu → haven't + chủ ngữ?

You've (got) the blankets for the shelter, **haven't you**?

- Câu có từ phủ định (never, none, nobody, no one, nothing, etc.) sẽ có câu hỏi đuôi khẳng định.
   You've never volunteered at the homeless shelter, have you?
- there + be  $\rightarrow$  be + there?

There are lots of people at the medical centre, aren't there?

Nobody/No one → trợ động từ thể khẳng định + they?

Nobody complains about working late at the fundraising event, do they?

everyone, someone, anyone, these, those → trợ động từ phủ định + they?

*Everybody* enjoyed collecting blankets for the shelter, *didn't they*?

• this, that, everything, something, nothing –  $d\hat{o}ng t\hat{u}$  + it?

That's the new free medical centre, isn't it?

# C. EXERCISE (BÀI TẬP)

#### **• PHONETICS**

I. Choose the words whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others in each group.

<b>1. A.</b> ec <u>o</u> nomy	<b>B.</b> p <u>o</u> verty	<b>C.</b> m <u>o</u> del	<b>D.</b> overc <u>o</u> me
<b>2. A.</b> ob <u>e</u> sity	<b>B.</b> <u>ge</u> nder	<b>C.</b> depr <u>e</u> ssion	D. acc <u>e</u> ss
<b>3. A.</b> c <u>a</u> sh	<b>B.</b> sm <u>a</u> rt	<b>C.</b> b <u>a</u> lance	<b>D.</b> st <u>a</u> mp
<b>4. A.</b> f <u>u</u> nding	<b>B.</b> h <u>u</u> manitarian	<b>C.</b> h <u>u</u> nger	<b>D.</b> <u>u</u> nderground
<b>5. A.</b> cr <u>i</u> sis	<b>B.</b> k <u>i</u> ss	<b>C.</b> ch <u>i</u> ld	<b>D.</b> l <u>i</u> fe
<b>6. A.</b> str <u>e</u> ngthen	<b>B.</b> tub <u>e</u> rculosis	<b>C.</b> sel <u>e</u> ct	<b>D.</b> r <u>e</u> sident
7. A. nutrition	<b>B.</b> j <u>u</u> ngle	<b>C.</b> <u>u</u> gly	<b>D.</b> l <u>u</u> cky
<b>8. A.</b> repl <u>a</u> ce	<b>B.</b> r <u>a</u> cism	<b>C.</b> cooper <u>a</u> tion	<b>D.</b> equ <u>a</u> l
<b>9. A.</b> shel <u>t</u> er	<b>B.</b> threa <u>t</u> en	<b>C.</b> ques <u>t</u> ion	<b>D.</b> pover <u>t</u> y

<b>10. A.</b> w <u>a</u> r	<b>B.</b> organise	<b>C.</b> <u>a</u> pply	<b>D</b> . hurric <u>a</u> ne					
II. Choose the word whose main stressed syllable is placed differently from that of the other in								
each group.								
<b>11. A.</b> disease	<b>B.</b> healthcare	0	8					
<b>12. A.</b> racism	<b>B.</b> nutrition	1 0	<b>D.</b> homelessness					
<b>13. A.</b> pollution	<b>B.</b> malaria	<b>C.</b> depression	<b>D.</b> digital					
<b>14. A.</b> hunger	<b>B.</b> measure	<b>C.</b> replace	<b>D.</b> crisis					
<b>15. A.</b> technology	<b>B.</b> monument	<b>C.</b> employment	<b>D.</b> equality					
<b>2</b> WORD FORMATIO	N							
Complete the sentence	es with the correct for	m of the words.						
1. She described the	ne problem of	in the city. (hon	ne)					
2. The authorities	are taking steps to com	ibatin this	city. (race)					
3. We are firmly co	ommitted to reducing_	(emplo	y)					
4. The doctor disc	overed that his heart w	as (dis	sease)					
5. Drug manufactu	ring is the most	business in Ame	erica. <b>(profit)</b>					
6. Raw vegetable s	alads are very	(nutrit	ion)					
	ordered the							
8. He was	because he h	ad not passed the exam	ninations. (depressed)					
9. She was not just	t overweight; she was c	linically	. (obesity)					
	e is a and	•						
-	comes in at the do							
			g on terms.					
(equal)	•	v 1						
	nd more time and mone	ey on	our staff. <b>(train)</b>					
	o ask for your							
			inning a home. (economy)					
<b>8</b> FURTHER PRACTION		<b>v</b>						

FURTHER PRACTICE
 UNIT OPENER
 I. Vocabulary
 1. Write the suitable word/phrase for each picture.



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#### 2. Complete the sentences with the words in exercise I.

- **1.** The only way to solve \_\_\_\_\_\_ is to provide more homes.
- 2. Hundreds of refugees collapsed from \_\_\_\_\_\_ and thirst.
- 3. Smoking can increase the risk of developing heart \_\_\_\_
- **4.** \_\_\_\_\_\_ broke out between the two countries after a border dispute.
- 5. We are bringing in measures to combat \_\_\_\_\_\_ in football.
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_ is a very real problem for graduates now.

#### II. Pronunciation

1. Put the words into the correct column. Then practise saying them with a partner.

that	bathtub	math	thing	feather	breathe
this	toothpick	tooth	thanks	think	birthday
bathe	these	clothing	them	father	healthy
smooth	other	clothes	the	fifth	they
thirty	something	either	their	mother	thin
Thursday	anything	weather	there	teeth	athlete
three	brother	breath	they're	tenth	another
thumb	thirteen	earth	those	ninth	north

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#### 2. Say these sentences out loud.

The **voiceless TH sounds** are in **blue**. Use only air to make these sounds.

The **voiced TH sounds** are in **green**. Use air and your voice to make these buzzing sounds.

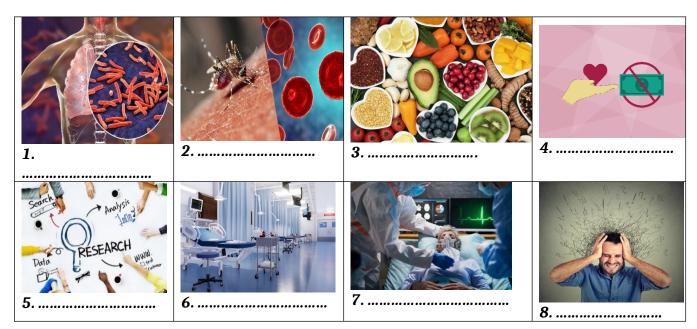
1) I **th**ink it is **Th**ursday.

- 2) It is his **th**irteen**th** bir**th**day today.
- 3) You can clean your tee**th** with a thin too**th**pick.
- 4) They should ask their father or their mother.
- 5) **The other clothes are new**.
- 6) There is another feather over there.
- 7) That thing is bigger than that other thing.
- 8) Those three boys will be three this Thursday, October ninth.
- 9) There is something in that dog's mouth.
- 10) My brother said the weather is warmer in the south than in the north.

<mark>LESSON 6A. READING</mark> I. VOCABULARY

# 1. Fill in each gap with the correct word in the following table.

a. non-profit	e. medical facilities
b. crisis	f. tuberculosis
c. nutrition	g. malaria
d. conduct (research)	h. life-threatening



# 2. Read and match the statements with the issues

a. depression <b>b. obesity</b>	<ol> <li>People gain weight when they eat more calories than they burn through activity.</li> <li>In Africa, some families don't have enough money to meet their basic needs like food, clean water, and a safe place to live.</li> </ol>
c. bullying	3. It's important to know that everyone, no matter if they're a boy or a girl, should have the same chances and opportunities.
d. poverty	4. I observed a man taking something without permission, and it appeared to be an act of stealing.
e. crime	5. Many unemployed workers are not <i>getting</i> medical care <i>due</i> to <i>cost reasons</i> .
f. healthcare	6. Some children might say they feel "unhappy" or "sad". Others might say they want to hurt or even kill themselves.
g. pollution	7. A number of air pollutants pose severe health risks and can sometimes be fatal, even in small amounts.
h. gender inequality	8. Remember, kindness and respect make our schools and communities better places for everyone.

#### II. Reading comprehension

#### A. Read the passage and choose the correct answer for each question.

The Trump campaign ran on bringing jobs back to American shores, although mechanization has been the biggest reason for manufacturing jobs' disappearance. Similar losses have led to populist movements in several other countries. But instead of a pro-job growth future, economists across the board predict further losses as AI, robotics, and other technologies continue to be ushered in. What is up for debate is how quickly this is likely to occur.

Now, an expert at the Wharton School of Business at the University of Pennsylvania is ringing the alarm bells. According to Art Bilger, venture capitalist and board member at the business school, all the developed nations on earth will see job loss rates of up to 47% within the next 25 years, according to a recent Oxford study. "No government is prepared," *The Economist* reports. These include **blue and white collar jobs**. So far, the loss has been restricted to the blue-collar variety, particularly in manufacturing.

To combat "structural unemployment" and the terrible blow, it is bound to deal the American people, Bilger has formed a nonprofit called Working Nation, whose mission it is to warn the public and to help make plans to safeguard them from this worrisome trend. Not only is the entire concept of employment about to change in a dramatic fashion, the trend is **irreversible**. The venture capitalist called on corporations, academia, government, and nonprofits to cooperate in modernizing our workforce.

To be clear, mechanization has always cost us jobs. The mechanical loom, for instance, put weavers out of business. But it also created jobs. Mechanics had to keep the machines going, machinists had to make parts for them, and workers had to attend to them, and so on. A lot of times those in one profession could pivot to another. At the beginning of the 20th century, for instance, automobiles were putting blacksmiths out of business. Who needed horseshoes anymore? But they soon became mechanics. And who was better suited?

Not so with this new trend. Unemployment today is significant in most developed nations and it's only going to get worse. By 2034, just a few decades, mid-level jobs will be by and large **obsolete**. So far, the benefits have only gone to the ultra-wealthy, the top 1%. This coming technological revolution is set to wipe out what looks to be the entire middle class. Not only will computers be able to perform tasks more cheaply than people, **they**'ll be more efficient too.

Accountants, doctors, lawyers, teachers, bureaucrats, and financial analysts beware: your jobs are not safe. According to *The Economist*, computers will be able to analyze and compare reams of data to make financial decisions or medical ones. There will be less of a chance of fraud or misdiagnosis, and the process will be more efficient. Not only are these folks in trouble, such a trend is likely to freeze salaries for those who remain employed, while income gaps only increase in size. You can imagine what this will do to politics and social stability.

(Source: https://bigthink.com/)

Question 1: Which of the following could be the main idea of the passage?

A. Many jobs will disappear in the future.

**B.** AI will replace the workers' positions in almost jobs.

C. Manufacturing jobs are predicted to be the first ones to disappear.

**D.** Changing jobs is not a new trend in the future.

Question 2: It can be inferred from paragraph 2 that "blue and white collar jobs" are related to

# A. people whose uniforms' colors are blue and white.

**B.** people who are distinguished by the colors of their collars.

**C.** people who do physical work in industry and who work in an office.

**D.** people (mainly women) who do low-paid jobs, for example in offices and restaurants.

Question 3: The word "irreversible" in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.

A. impermanent B. remediable C. reparable D. unalterable

**Question 4:** According to the passage, which of the following is **NOT** true about jobs in the future?

A. AI, robots and technologies continuously used will put more labourers out of their jobs.

**B.** Every country has applied many policies to prepare for the massive loss of jobs in the next 25 years.

**C.** Many different organizations are called to cooperate in renovating the workforce.

**D.** Working Nation is an organization founded to warn the public and make plans to save people from job loss.

Question 5: According to paragraph 4, what is the advantage of mechanization?

A. Although mechanization drives people out of work, it also creates more jobs.

**B.** People can change their jobs to be more suitable with the society.

**C.** People will no longer need the useless like horseshoes.

**D.** Workers will spend less time on manufacturing with the help of machines.

**Question 6:** The word "**obsolete**" in paragraph 5 could be best replaced by \_\_\_\_\_.

A. outdated B. modern C. fashionable D. adventurous

Question 7: What does the word "they" in paragraph 5 refer to?

A. people B. tasks

C. computers D. the entire middle class

Question 8: Why does the author mention in the last paragraph that accountants, doctors,

lawyers, teachers, bureaucrats, and financial analysts are not safe jobs?

A. Because they are easy to make mistakes or misdiagnosis in doing their jobs.

**B.** Because the salaries paid for these jobs may be frozen in the future.

**C.** Because computers are likely to analyze and process a great amount of data with high accuracy.

**D.** Because these jobs directly influence politics and social stability.

# B. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer for each question.

Men have always played critical roles in the women's movement. But there is still a long way to go because despite all the progress made, men still dominate positions of power. And, as a string of recent harassment scandals has shown, the behaviour of some men has had profound effects on women's careers, their success and their lives. The good news, as we mark International Women's Day, is that many men are acknowledging the importance of playing their part to make gender equality a reality. A new study by Ipsos Mori has found that while a third of British men think they are being expected to do too much to support women's equality, far more – half – do not. In fact, three in five men in Britain agree that gender equality won't be achieved unless they also take action to support women's rights.

Despite attempts in some quarters to paint gender equality as a zero-sum game, there are plenty of win-win propositions for these men to advocate. Better parental leave for fathers would be a good start. Government policy needs to catch up with this new reality, and the evidence is clear that, unless paternity leave is non-transferable and well paid, **uptake** will be low. Sweden and Norway show us that the introduction of the "daddy quota" – the period of parental leave reserved specifically for fathers – has a positive effect on male take-up of parental leave, and then on men's long-term involvement in household work and childcare. This reaps economic dividends, as women's talents are no longer lost to the labour force, and having an involved father has a positive effect on children's wellbeing.

Globally, three-quarters (72%) agree that employers should make it easier for men to combine childcare with work. Businesses need not fear: research links flexible working to increased productivity, as better work-life balance leads to happier, more effective workers. Women gain from having flexible partners, too. A study of German couples found that having a partner who works flexibly boosted the wages of men and women, with the effect most **pronounced** for mothers. Conversely, women whose partners work very long hours are significantly more likely to quit the labour force – taking their talent and experience with **them**.

(source: https://www.theguardian.com/)

Question 1: Which best serves as the title for the passage?

**A.** Gender equality is not a "women's issue". **B.** Shifting from one gender sphere to another.

**C.** How to effortlessly tackle gender inequality. **D.** Gender equality and women empowerment.

Question 2: According to paragraph 1, how is the current situation of gender equality movement?

A. There are many men who are proud feminists and dedicated activists.

**B.** It is just treading water for a long time since the beginning of movement.

**C.** The quantitative differences have yet turned into qualitative change.

**D.** The recent evidences display a hint of retrogressing development.

Question 3: The word "uptake" in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_A. consumptionB. utilisationC. ceremony

**D.** manipulation

**Question 4:** According to paragraph 3, which characteristic of gender movement acts as an incentive for male involvement?

A. One gender's gain or loss is exactly balanced by the loss or gain of the other.

**B.** The outcome is beneficial for both parties – genders – involved in the process.

**C.** It is initially tough and dire but becomes smooth as they progress.

**D.** It is practically a dead-end which can instigate the male's competitiveness.

<b>Question 5:</b> The word " <b>pronounced</b> " in paragraph 4 is closest in meaning to				
<b>A.</b> faint	<b>B.</b> noticeable	<b>C.</b> expressive	<b>D.</b> thick	

Question 6: The word "them" in paragraph 4 refers to \_\_\_\_\_.A. linksB. partnersC. menD. women

**Question 7:** Which of the following statements is TRUE, according to the passage?

**A.** "Daddy quota" is the scheme drafted by the Japanese employers.

B. There are still voices claiming the rigidly win-or-lose nature of gender movement.

**C.** There are already as many women as men in the corridors of power.

**D.** Every person concurs with the idea that paternal life and work can go hand in hand. **Question 8:** What does the writer want to imply?

**A.** Gender equality and women's empowerment do not mean that men and women become the same.

**B.** Progress on gender equality is picking up and we are about to achieve a gender-equal world.

**C.** Women and girls continue to suffer discrimination and violence in every part of the world.

**D.** To make equality a reality we need to draw more male feminists into the gender conversation.

LESSON 6B. GRAMMAR

### I. Gerunds

### Exercise 1: Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets.

- 1. She likes (paint) \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2. I can't bear (listen) \_\_\_\_\_\_to loud music
- 3. He enjoys (play) \_\_\_\_\_tennis
- 4. Leila dreams of (set) \_\_\_\_\_up her own business
- 5. He is interested in (emigrate) \_\_\_\_\_\_to Canada
- 6. Are you good at (dance) \_\_\_\_\_.
- 7. She is crazy about (read) \_\_\_\_\_romantic poems
- 8. I can't help (laugh) \_\_\_\_\_\_ when I watch Mr. Bean
- 9. We should avoid (throw)\_\_\_\_\_ garbage in public places.
- 10. You should give up (smoke) \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 11. (cook) \_\_\_\_\_\_is one of her hobbies.
- 12. (cycle) \_\_\_\_\_\_ is fun.
- 13. (Get) \_\_\_\_\_a good job is not easy.
- 14. (Find) \_\_\_\_\_\_ a parking space is quite difficult in this area.
- 15. (drive) \_\_\_\_\_\_ becomes more and more expensive.
- 16. No (smoke) \_\_\_\_\_ in this area.
- 17. (work) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_overtime is quite common in this company.
- 18. (eat) \_\_\_\_\_\_ fruits and vegetables is good for your health.
- 19. (make) \_\_\_\_\_\_ fun of other people is not nice.
- 20. (learn) \_\_\_\_\_about other cultures makes people more tolerant.

# Exercise 2: Choose the best option (A, B, C or D) to complete each of the following questions.

1. She should avoidother people's feeling.				
A. hurting	B. to hurt	C. hurt		D. hurts
2.He is expectinga trip to Ha Long Bay.				
A. make	B. to make	C. making	D. made	
3.Students stopped noise when the teacher came in.				
A. make	B. to make	C. makiı	ng D. made	
4. She couldn't bear tears when she saw the film "Romeo and Juliet".				
A. shed	B. to shed	C. shedd	ling D. sheds	

5. Ann likes	but she hates ur	).	
A. cook/ washir	•	B.to cook/ wash	
C. cooking/ was	shed	D. cooking/ was	hing
6. I enjoy	to classical music.		
A. listening	B. to listen	C. listens I	D. listen
7. They postpone	an Element Scho	ol for the lack of fin	nance.
A. built	B. to build	0	D. builds
	him. He never allows any	•	
•	B. to advise/ to give	C. advising/ givin	ng D. advising/ to give
9.Are his ideas wor A. listen		Clistoping	Distand
111 1101011	ls me in the stree	0	D. listened
A. meet	B. to meet		D. meeting
	ds keeps	c. met	D. meeting
A. stopping	-	C. stopped	D. stop
	is used to up ea		r
	B. to get	C. get	D. got
13. Don't forget	her message whe	en you see her.	2
A. give	B. to give	C. giving	D. gave
14. I can't help	his opinions.		
A. consider	B. to consider	C. considering	D. considered
15.You should try	any shirts you	want to buy.	
A. wear	B. to wear	C. wearing	D. wears
16. He used to fall a	sleep without	. his shoes off.	
A. take	B. to take	C. taking	D. taken
17. Would you min	d your address on	the back of this che	eck?
A. write	B. to write	C. writing	D. written
18. I can't help	for her acceptance.		
	B. waiting	C. wait	D. waited
19. Don't be afraid	of that animal.		
A. touch	B. touches	C. touching	D. to touch
20. I am accustome	d to on my own.		
A. living	B. to live	C. live	D. lives
21. They are lookin	g forward to your	news.	
A. hear	B. to hear	C. hearing	D. heard
22. American wom	en have got used toin	dependently recen	
A. live	B. to live	C. living	D. lives
II. TAG QUESTION	S	0	
Exercise 1: Choos	se the best option (A, B, C or	D) to complete ea	ch of the following questions.
1. Let's go to the pa	arty,?		
A – will we	B – shall we	C – don't we	D – do we
	named Faifo, ?	0	
A – isn't it 3 They are going to	B – was it o attend the meeting,?	C – is it	D – wasn't it
	s attenu me meening, :		

<ul> <li>4. You've got a car,?</li> <li>A - do you B - have you C - haven't you D - don't you</li> <li>5. He won't tell her,?</li> <li>A - will he B - does he C - won't he D - doesn't he</li> <li>6. Switch on the television,?</li> <li>A - do you B - doe't you C - will you D - don't you D - doe't you</li> </ul>	A – aren't they	B – will they	C – are they	D – won't they
5. He won't tell her, ? A - will heB - does heC - won't heD - doesn't he6. Switch on the television, ?	4. You've got a car, ?			
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6. Switch on the television,?	5. He won't tell her,?			
/	A – will he	B – does he	C – won't he	D – doesn't he
A de vou D de n't vou C will vou D 't	6. Switch on the television,	?		
A - uo you $B - uon t you$ $C - will you$ $D - won t you$	A – do you	B – don't you	C – will you	D – won't you
7. We took this one last holiday,?				
A – didn't we B – did we C – didn't they D – did they	A – didn't we	B – did we	C – didn't they	D – did they
8. He would rather stay in, ?	8. He would rather stay in,	?		
A – would he B – wouldn't he C – shouldn't he D – don't he	A – would he	B – wouldn't he	C – shouldn't he	D – don't he
9. I'm wrong, ?	9. I'm wrong,?			
A – do I B – aren't you C – am not I D – aren't I	A – do I	B – aren't you	C – am not I	D – aren't I
10. There'll be lots to see in New York, ?	10. There'll be lots to se	e in New York,?		
A – aren't there $B - isn't it C - won't there D – will there$	A – aren't there	B – isn't it	C – won't there	D – will there

# Exercise 2: Fill in each gap with the correct tag question.

1. Mike likes the new employee,?	
2. Your younger sister would rather go out on weekends,	?
3. They must complete that task today,?	
4. I wish to leave early,?	
5. They don't like working overtime,?	
6. Turn down the volume,?	
7. I don't think he will believe you,?	
8. You missed another deadline yesterday,?	
9. This morning, that man must have stolen your wallet,?	
10. Your crush won't come to the party,? (male crush)      11. Somebody left the door open.	
12. She never stays up late,?	
13. You read a lot of books. You must like reading a lot,?	
14. Let's eat out,?	
15. When we entered the room, nothing was there,?	
16. When we go to the museum doesn't matter,?	
17. We had better lock all the doors,?	
18. Don't turn on the TV when I'm working,?	
19. Our mother is sick,?	
20. When he first moved here, he was really friendly,?	
LESSON 6C. LISTENING	
<b>1.</b> Listen to a radio programme and put the events in order.	
A. They went to art trade shows and exhibitions to show their work	
B. Joel and his friend perfected their style of sketching. <u>0</u>	
<b>C</b> . They provided artwork to websites, magazines and advertising agencies	
D. They put together a portfolio of their artwork	
E. They worked on a project creating artwork for a local band's website and album co	over
F. Their work was recommended by different companies.	
2. Listen again and decide if the sentences are true or false. Correct the false senten	ces.
0. Joel is a self-employed artist. True	

0. Joel is a self-employed artist. <u>True</u>

1. Joel has been working for himself for the last six months.

- 2. He set up his own business on his own. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Joel and his friend studied the same subject at university.
- 4. Joel sketches his illustrations using only pencil. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. The subjects he mainly focuses on in his artwork are people he knows personally. \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. He sketches the people in his illustrations in a realistic way.
- 7. Joel and his friend have a particular or unique style. \_\_\_\_\_
- 8. Joel and his friend showed their work to companies only on the internet.
- 9. Joel paid a company to create a website for him. \_\_\_\_\_
- 10. According to Joel, advertising is not important if you have talent. \_\_\_\_\_

#### 3. Listen to a short talk and choose A, B, C or D to fill in the gaps.

Imagine that you have an opportunity to move into one of a number of open positions in your organization. Perhaps you are (1) \_\_\_\_ two different positions and you have to decide which one you want. So how do you choose the right one for you?

Having options is great: What a wonderful confidence booster! However, there's also a lot of pressure (2) \_\_\_\_\_ to decide which option is best.

To make the right choice, you have to decide what factors are most important to you in a new job, and then you have to choose the option that best addresses these factors. (3) \_\_\_\_\_, this operates on two levels - on a rational level and on an emotional level. You'll only truly be (4) \_\_\_\_\_ with your decision if these are aligned. You should analyze your options on both levels. First, you have to look at things rationally, looking at the job on offer, and also at the things that matter to you. Then, once you've understood your options on a rational (5) \_\_\_\_\_, look at things on an emotional level and think about what your emotions are telling you.

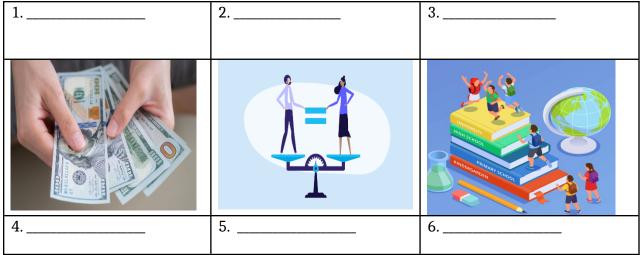
Question 1: A.	awarded	<b>B.</b> offered	<b>C.</b> insisted	<b>D.</b> provided
Question 2: A.	try	<b>B.</b> tried	<b>C.</b> trying	<b>D.</b> to try
Question 3: A.	However	<b>B.</b> But	<b>C.</b> Since	<b>D.</b> Whichever
Question 4: A.	pleasant	<b>B.</b> cheerful	<b>C.</b> happy	<b>D.</b> miserable
Question 5: A.	rank	<b>B.</b> stage	<b>C.</b> point	<b>D.</b> level

#### LESSON 6D SPEAKING

#### I. Vocabulary

**1**. Look at the pictures and complete the gaps with the words in the box.





# II. Work in pairs. Read the following ways to help citizens in need. Then choose a way and discuss with your partner.

#### 1. Give Cash with Care:

When you want to help, giving a little bit of money can make a big impact. Find a trustworthy charity and donate your spare change or organize a small fundraiser at school. Every penny counts!

### 2. Promote Equal Treatment:

Treat everyone the same way, no matter where they come from or what they look like. Be a friend to everyone, and stand up against unfairness. Everyone deserves kindness and respect.

#### 3. Support Shelters:

Gather items like clothes, blankets, and canned food to give to shelters. These places help people who don't have homes. Even a small donation from each student can add up to make a big difference.

#### 4. Talk About Food Stamps:

Learn about food stamps and how they help families get the food they need. Talk to your friends and teachers about it. If more people understand, we can help make sure everyone has enough to eat.

# 5. Share Skills through Training:

Share what you know! Organize small workshops or lessons for others. Teach something you're good at, like drawing, playing an instrument, or even computer skills. Helping others learn can make them feel more confident and capable.



#### LESSON 6E WRITING

I. Rewrite the sentences using the given words.

- 1. of /the /primary/ of /childhood/ One/ obesity/ is /an/ causes / unhealthy/ diet. /
- 2. poor/ cannot / to/ pay/afford /for/ healthcare. / The /
- 3. problem/ is / we /need / The/more/ employment/ opportunities. / that/
- 4. helped /collecting /with /blankets/ for/ the /shelters. / You/
- 5. quality /of /air/ The /getting/ is/ the/ main /worse/cause /of /many/ diseases. /
- 6. children/ really /keen /on / Many/ fastfood/ and /fizzy /drinks. / are /
- children / exercise. /prefer /playing /computer/ games /and /watching /Most /TV /to/ doing/ physical/
- 8. should/nutrion/classes/for/parents/provide/and/children./We/
- 9. encourage/ way /of /solving /the /One/problem/ is /to / active /lifestyle. /
- 10. should / and /provide/ better/ Governments /healthcare/ education. /
- II. Write an essay (150-180 words) about fighting bullying in school.



