

TEXT 1

Reading Text 1 and answer questions 1- 16. (51 marks)

1. B. Kaitlyn's online learning experience
2. C. (verb) to be as good as
3. Google Hangout Meet, Zoom, Microsoft Teams, Jamboard, BigBlueButton (audio-conferencing system)
(5 marks, 1 mark each)
4. (4 marks, 1 mark each) (i) NG, (ii) F, (iii) F, (iv) T
5. The situation / fact* that students are not paying attention / not responding / not focusing / being distracted → (must be a noun phrase)*
6. D. had been using
7. (3 marks, 1 mark each)
 - i. operated, ii. Adopted, iii. adapted
8. D. I and IV. (1 mark, NOT 2 marks)
9. (1 mark) [To* show the families are facing financial difficulties / problems] and
(1 mark) [thus cannot afford to provide a good condition for online learning] → (must begin with 'to')*
10. (3 marks, 1 mark each)
 - i. mixture, ii. Period, iii. appliances
11. (4 marks, 1 mark each)
 - A. (the number of) students who have been put out of schools
 - B. (the number of) students at HKUGA College
 - C. (the number of) students (who were) polled in the survey by the Society for Community Organization
 - D. (the number of) students at SKH Kei Oi Primary School
12. (5 marks, 1 mark each)
 - (i) conducted, (ii) revealed / found (said → no marks)
 - (iii) mode / way, (iv) speed / lack
 - (v) self-disciplined
13. D. Online learning – Opportunities and Challenges
14. (6 marks, 1 mark each, capital/small letters are both acceptable)
 - i. F, ii. B, iii. C, iv. A, v. D, vi. E

15. (5 marks, 1 mark each, circling instead of underlining is acceptable as long as the correction is accurate)

i. steady, ii. used, iii. different, iv. difficulties, v. irreplaceable

16. (8 marks, 1 mark each)

i. F, ii. C, iii. B, iv. E, v. G, vi. A, vii. D, viii. H

END OF PART A

TEXT 2

Reading Text 2 and answer questions 17- 34. (42 marks)

17. A. a student

18. cheongsam

19. containers

20. B. break down

21. [cancelled]

22. (6 marks, 1 mark each, circling instead of underlining is acceptable as long as the correction is accurate, entering a tick in all lines are NOT acceptable)

i. dining, ii. plastic, iii. $\sqrt{\quad}$, iv. half, v. increasing / high, vi. frustration

23. B. industrial sites

24. get / collect plastics (directly) from homes and recycle / sort waste before taking it to recycling plants

25. (6 marks, 1 mark each, circling instead of underlining is acceptable as long as only the correct answer is chosen)

i. at, ii. therefore, iii. getting worse, iv. sorted, v. growing, vi. located in

26. C. polyfoam boxes

27. [cancelled]

28. He means that they prefer recycled / recyclable products / things.

29. tolerant / favourable / appreciate (support → NO marks)

30. (2 marks, 1 mark each)

i. discounts, ii. rental service

31. (6 marks, 1 mark each) (i) F, (ii) T, (iii) T, (iv) F, (v) T, (vi) NG
32. (10 marks, 1 mark each) (i) B, (ii) C, (iii) A, (iv) E, (v) D, (vi) strive, (vii) combat, (viii) sustainable, (ix) lags, (x) account
33. (1 mark) [The stance: yes / no] + [a reasonable justification] (no stance → no marks)
34. (2 marks, 1 mark each) (i) negative, (ii) positive

END OF PART B1

TEXT 3

Reading Text 3 and answer questions 35 - 48. (36 marks)

35. (2 marks, 1 mark each) (i) a tiring (or busy) week / a week without much rest, (ii) being promoted / moving to a higher level / upgrading
36. (3 marks, 1 mark each) (i) scant, (ii) startling, (iii) inspired
37. (the) new players'
38. (the scenic) Po Kong Village Cricket Ground
39. domestic helpers
40. (3 marks, 1 mark each) scrub(bing), shop(ping), look(ing) after kids
41. (The domestic helpers are physically) strong.
42. C. scared
43. (6 marks, 1 mark each) (i) mostly / mainly, (ii) many, (iii) dared, (iv) boss / employer / host, (v) mandated, (vi) living
44. (4 marks, 1 mark each) (i) [cancelled], (ii) energy-sapping, (iii) relaxing, (iv) time-consuming, (v) worthwhile
45. C. respectable and rich
46. D. successfully
47. Some employers are kinder / better than the others. (not in a complete sentence → no marks)
48. (10 marks, 1 mark each) (i) 52, (ii) 59, (iii) captain and founder, (iv) leader, (v) cook(ing) and clean(ing), (vi) carry(ing) heavy shopping, (vii) look(ing) after three small kids, (viii) go (out) to church, (ix) going/goes/go picnic, (x) dancing/dances/dance (with Arimas)

TEXT 4

Reading Text 4 and answer questions 49 - 61. (34 marks)

49. serving a jail sentence

50. (2 marks, 1 mark each) (i) vulnerable, (ii) [cancelled], (iii) verdict

51. (1 mark) [content: life as a domestic helper is even worse than a prisoner's] and

(1 mark) [must be in a complete sentence structure]

52. (6 marks, 1 mark each) (i) introduced, (ii) activists, (iii) judicial, (iv) option, (v) judgement, (vi) against

53. (5 marks, 1 mark each) (i) F, (ii) T, (iii) F, (iv) NG, (v) F

54. (4 marks, 1 mark each) (i) experience, (ii) obligation, (iii) curfew, (iv) pleas

55. time to see a doctor [must be in a noun phrase structure]

56. (1 mark) [stance: yes / no] and [a sensible reason]

57. (1 mark) [What are the grievances: Grievances are the ill-treatments, poor living conditions or rights abuses faced by the domestic helpers in Hong Kong.] and

(1 mark) [Why will Carrie Lam understand them: Since Carrie Lam is also a woman, she has better understanding / empathy towards women's plights.]

58. A. a newspaper

59. (7 marks, 1 mark each)

(i) explore (physical and verbal) abuse experience of foreign domestic helpers (in Hong Kong),

(ii) examine the association between the/their (abuse) experience and depression level,

(iii) the presence of (physical and verbal) abuse,

(iv) are correlated / related to depression,

(v) (comprehensive) abuse reporting mechanism,

(vi) NGOs, police and work agencies,

(vii) abuse cases were underrepresented

60. A. how future research should be conducted.

61. the abuse cases were not reported/ underreported (to any formal organizations).

END OF PART B2