

21st Century Communication Level 4: Unit 5 Assessment

Name: _____ Class: _____ Date: _____

VOCABULARY

Choose the correct word to complete the sentence.

1. Rice is a part of the _____ diet of many people around the world.
(a) staple (b) edible
2. People generally _____ more sugars and fats than in the past.
(a) harvest (b) consume
3. The test revealed that the children suffered from vitamin _____.
(a) suffering (b) deficiency
4. Education programs have an impact on improved _____ in meals families prepare.
(a) nutrition (b) transformation
5. The price of new types of grain needs to be _____ to the cost of traditional ones.
(a) stable (b) equivalent

6. Complete the sentences using the words.

agriculture	alleviate	diverse	breakthrough	ingenuity
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1. Is it true that the area of land available for _____ is shrinking in most countries?
2. With fewer companies controlling farming, the range of vegetables will be less _____.
3. I heard they've had a _____ in their search for a solution.
4. New products entering the market show the _____ of smaller companies.
5. If we can improve farming methods more widely, it will help _____ hunger.

Complete the sentence with the correct form of the word in parentheses.

7. In the end, its popularity with the _____ (*consume*) will determine if we continue production.
8. Advertising campaigns failed to persuade people it was fit for human _____ (*consume*).
9. The new seeds are more expensive than the old ones and the quality is not _____ (*equivalence*).
10. Using pesticides to increase the size of the _____ (*harvest*) affected insect life in the region.
11. Lack of exposure to sufficient food variety can lead to vitamin _____ (*deficient*).

LISTENING COMPREHENSION

12. Listen to a talk about traditions. Choose the correct answers to the questions.

1. Which of the following is a suitable title for the talk?
 - (a) Maintaining traditions over time
 - (b) Adapting traditions in modern times
2. Who takes part in this traditional meal?
 - (a) All local residents and visitors
 - (b) Only local farmers and their families
3. Which of these is essential to make the meal?
 - (a) cheese
 - (b) wood
4. Why does Josefina like taking part in this?
 - (a) It brings her family closer together.
 - (b) It brings many visitors to their town.
5. Why is it likely to continue for many years?
 - (a) The ingredients are all grown locally.
 - (b) There's a long waiting list of people who want to help organize it.

COMMUNICATION SKILL

13. Match the statement or question to the most suitable response.

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| 1. I don't think I can do this. | ● | ● | a. Yes you can. It's relatively simple. |
| 2. Apparently the company is going to hire new people. | ● | ● | b. Well, I'm not sure that I believe that. |
| 3. Do you think I will get the job? | ● | ● | c. Yes, with all this new business, I think it's highly likely. |
| 4. According to this article, insect-based foods are the future. | ● | ● | d. Well, research suggests that consumer habits are very hard to break. |
| 5. Why aren't more people buying these insect burgers? | ● | ● | e. It's possible. You have the right experience. |

PRONUNCIATION SKILL

Listen and choose if the numerical expression is neutral or emphasized.

14. He started working on this project about four months before me.
(a) neutral (b) emphasized
15. The famine affected thousands of people.
(a) neutral (b) emphasized
16. We'll need at least three bags to carry all that.
(a) neutral (b) emphasized
17. I've cut down to just one cup of coffee a day.
(a) neutral (b) emphasized
18. The project will take nine years to complete.
(a) neutral (b) emphasized

SPEAKING

19. Read and answer the question below.

Have your eating habits changed since you were a child? Talk about your own experience and give two examples.