

MegaGoal Book 3 Unit 1: Connected by Technology

Vocabulary

Question type: Matching Questions

Match each definition in Column 1 with a word or phrase in Column 2.

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>
1. Someone who likes to be alone is a ____	A. funny
2. Someone who does not get upset easily is ____	B. adventurous
3. Someone who makes other people laugh is ____	C. laid back
4. Someone who doesn't like to plan things is ____	D. straightforward
5. Someone who is not afraid to tell the truth is ____	E. loner
6. Someone who is practical and realistic is ____	F. spontaneous
7. Someone who likes to do exciting things is	G. down-to-earth

Grammar

Question type: Fill in the Blank

Fill in the blank with the correct form of *do*, *have*, or *be*.

8. _____ you still go to the gym every day?

9. Jenna _____ been studying in the library since this morning.

10. Fahd _____ like talking on the phone. He would rather send text messages.

11. Jack _____ using my computer yesterday. Now, it's not working properly.

12. We _____ been chatting online for two hours.

Question type: Transformation

Change each sentence to a *yes/no* question.

13. I sent her a message yesterday.

_____?

14. Matt has turned off the computer.

_____?

15. We are driving to school today.

_____?

Reading

Question type: Multiple Choice

Read the text and answer the questions. Choose the best answer to each question.

Is Email Good for Social Relationships?



Most people think email is a helpful invention. It allows friends and family who are far apart to keep in touch with each other easily. Before email, it was more difficult to stay in touch with friends who lived far away. Long distance telephone calls were expensive. And letters took so long to send and receive that they didn't let people "talk" to each other. Most people agree that email has been very helpful

in allowing people to remain friends with people they do not see very often.

However, some people think that email is changing people's social networks. In the past, a person's friends usually lived nearby. Often your best friend was your next-door neighbor. This is because you could see and talk to this person quickly and easily. When you needed help, it was easy to walk next door. This is not the case anymore. Now, when you need help, it is just as easy to email a friend about a problem.

Some people are afraid that this is harmful to local communities. People who live near each other do not know each other as well as they used to. In the U.S., there are groups who are trying to change this trend. These groups are trying to organize community events to get people together and make life in neighborhoods more like it used to be. These people don't think email is a bad thing. They just want to make sure that people interact with each other in real life, too.

16. Email helps people _____.
A. call people who are far away
B. keep in touch with people who live far away
C. meet their neighbors
D. do their shopping
17. Email does not help people _____.
A. learn to do new things
B. shop online
C. stay in touch with old friends
D. become friends with their neighbors
18. In the past, people's best friends usually _____.
A. had fewer problems
B. had more problems
C. lived nearby
D. lived far away

19. Which sentence does the writer probably agree with?
- A. People should use email to keep in touch with old friends but still try to make new friends in their community.
 - B. People should email only people who live nearby and write letters to people who live far away.
 - C. People should only have close friends who live nearby.
 - D. People should only have close friends who live far away.
20. Some groups are trying to _____.
- A. stop people from using email
 - B. stop people from talking to people on the street
 - C. help people get to know their neighbors
 - D. help people learn to write letters

Listening

Question type: True/False

Listen to the text and answer the questions. Write T or F at the end of each question/ statement.

21. Blended courses combine F2F and email, social networking, or synchronous e-learning.
22. Working adult students prefer F2F courses.
23. Some students prefer F2F courses because they believe that face-to-face instructions and interaction with peers contribute to effective learning.
24. Online students object to communicating with instructors by email.
25. In order for online courses to be successful, students need to have a positive attitude to technology and appropriate computer skills.

Form, Meaning and Function

Question type: Multiple Choice

Choose the best answer to fill in the blank in each question.

26. Using translation technology is _____ way of communicating than using a common language.

- A. a less popular
- B. the most popular
- C. the least popular
- D. a popular

27. The Khalifa Tower in Dubai is 830 meters tall. It is _____ man-made building in the world.

- A. the most
- B. taller than
- C. the tallest
- D. tall