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1. How many seasons are there in the South of Vietnam? Which one do you prefer? Why? (Có bao nhiêu mùa ở Miền Nam Việt Nam? Bạn thích mùa nào? Vì sao?)

Key: Southern Vietnam has two seasons: wet season and dry season. However, I only like the dry season. Firstly, in the dry season, we can do many things very conveniently and comfortably such as going to school, going on picnic, traveling whenever I like, while in the wet season, rains day after day prevent us from doing many things. Secondly, the dry season is always peaceful for our living. On the contrary, floods, storms, thunders, landslides are deadly disasters which often come in the rainy season. Last of all, the dry season is the ideal time for earning-for-living activities of many people, especially the poor. In the mean time, bad phenomena of weather usually happen in the wet season, causing the life of very many people meet difficulties.

2. Which places in Vietnam do you think are the most interesting for visitors from other countries? (Bạn nghĩ nơi nào ở Việt Nam thú vị nhất cho khách nước ngoài?)

Key: In my view, two most interesting place that visitors should come in our country is Ha Long Bay. Ha Long Bay is a beautiful landscape in Northern Vietnam. That is where there are thousands of strange-shaped islands and limestone grottoes of all sizes covering a large sea zone in the Gulf of Tonkin. The sea there is very calm while the sky above is often clear and bright, making the whole panorama of Ha Long Bay strangely attractive and full of poetry.

3. Tell an experience that you never forget. (Kể về một trải nghiệm mà bạn không bao giờ quên)

Key: I never forget the moment that I received the news of my passing the university entrance examination. When I saw my name on the list of passers, I felt so happy that I was going to burst into tears. My parents were also very glad. They gave me compliments, and showed me how they were pleased about my examination result. My relatives and my friends offered me congratulations. At that time, it seemed that I had been the apple in

everybody's eyes. I felt very proud of myself and everybody felt proud of me, too. That is the sweetest memory that I have experienced in my life so far.

4. How do you spend your weekends? (Bạn thường làm gì vào cuối tuần?)

Key: At weekends, I often spend time for my favorite activities. On Saturday evening, I often go watching films in a café alone or with some of my friends. If I don't watch films, I play cards with my roommates and chat about all things that we can imagine and go to bed very late. On Sunday morning, I also get up late to relax since my busy study from Monday through Friday always makes me tired. Besides, at weekends, I often buy delicious food to enjoy and to nourish my body. On Sunday afternoon, I do nothing but relax and listen to music or watch TV. Every once a month, I return to my homeland to visit my parents, my brothers and sisters, my relatives and to ask my parents for money as well. As these routines happen repeatedly, I am always happy and pleased with weekends I have enjoyed so far.

5. Talk about your daily routine. (Kể về việc làm hằng ngày của bạn.)

Key: My days are always busy and the same. My day begins very early in the morning. I usually get up at 4.30 am. After having got up, I clear my bed, clean my face, brush my teeth and do morning exercises. At about 5.30, I wash my dirty clothes and take a bath. I often have breakfast at 6.30. After having had breakfast, I prepare my books and notebooks, and go to school. I study at school from 7.00 am to 11.00 am. I usually finish my lunch at 11.50 and then I rest and take a nap. In the afternoon, I often learn in the library from 1.30 pm till 4.30 pm. After that I go to market to buy food for dinner. I usually finish cooking for dinner at about 5.30 and have dinner until 6.00 pm. In the evening, from 6.00 pm to 7.00 pm, I often take a rest, read newspapers, and listen to music. From 7.00 pm to 9.30 pm, I am self-taught in the school library. I usually get to my living-place at about 9.45. Although my daily routine is busy, I am very pleased with it. That's all.

6. What do you like and dislike? (Bạn thích điều gì và ghét điều gì?)

Key: I like helping my friends because when I do something good for the others, I receive new exhilaration, making me feel more interested and happier. First, each help that I have given to a friend brings me a lovely memory. The friend receiving my help often offers me

a special attention in our friendship. Second, helping my friends makes my life meaningful. The more I do good things for everybody, the more I feel proud of my existence in this life.

I hate telling a lie because it brings many dangers. Firstly, telling a lie make everybody not respect us. We know that telling a lie is not good. When we do so, it means that we do not respect ourselves and thus other people also do not respect us. Moreover, telling a lie negatively affects our jobs. When everybody doesn't trust us, it is really difficult for us to deal with partners in our business.

7. Describe the room that you like best in your house. Why do you like it? (Miêu tả căn phòng bạn thích nhất trong nhà bạn. Tại sao bạn lại thích nó?)

Key: In my house, I like the living-room best because that is the place actively influencing my family. First, the living-room is where my family get together every evening to enjoy the cozy family atmosphere. At that moment, we often watch TV, my parents give us advice, and we always chat with one another very merrily. Also, the living-room is where we welcome visitors and guests. In my house, it is the ideal place to receive everybody and they always feel happy and comfortable to be in there. Moreover, the living-room is the best place to relax. It is the place that is best equipped, so we always feel pleasant and peaceful there when we have any mental problems. To sum up, the living room is the place that always brings us positive things in our life.

8. Where do you prefer living? City or countryside? Bạn thích sống ở nơi nào hơn? Thành phố hay làng quê)

Key: In my opinion, I prefer living to a city because it brings me many advantages. First, big cities bring me many good educational opportunities because educational institutions always locate in urban areas. In contrast, the countryside gives me no chance to attend higher education. Similarly, it is always easier to find a job in a city than in the countryside because industries and services concentrate in urban areas and attract all kinds of laborers. Meanwhile, labor markets in the countryside develops slowly and thus it is very difficult to apply for a job there. Moreover, big cities still give us conveniences of the modern life. On the contrary, rural areas are slow, backward before the progress of human civilization. All in all, the reasons that I have told you keeps me always loving to live in big cities.

9. How to keep healthy? (Làm sao để khỏe mạnh?)

Key: There are many ways to keep our health. First, we should eat nutritious food moderately such as meat, eggs, and vegetables. Second, we should drink nutritious beverage such as milk. Moreover, we should do morning exercises regularly. Thanks to doing body exercises every morning, we can lower the level of cholesterol in our bodies and make the organs in our bodies work well. In addition, we should also keep our mind relaxed since stressed moods always negatively affect our health. At last, we should help other people in need. The more we help the others, the more we want to be healthy to enjoy the happiness and meaningfulness of our life. To sum up, there are many ways to keep our health if we really pay attention to it.

10. Do you have any problems in learning English? How do you overcome them? (Bạn có gặp khó khăn gì trong việc học Tiếng Anh không? Làm thế nào bạn có thể vượt qua những khó khăn ấy?)

Key: When I learn English, I meet many difficulties listening. As for listening skill, I can't listen to English well. Owing to my bad English pronunciation, I can't understand much when the others speak English to me. Furthermore, linking words is another problem for me because I am not familiar with it. My bad ability of listening to English makes me find it very terrible when I encounter this subject.

However, I have got some ways to overcome difficulties in listening to English. As for listening, I will increase my time for listening to English as well as learn experience from other people. I am optimistic that, my listening skills will be improved soon.

11. What's your favorite means of transportation? Why do you like it?(Phương tiện giao thông ưa thích của bạn là gì? Tại sao?)

Key: My favorite means of transportation is the bicycle because of its conveniences. First, bicycling helps you save money. To buy a car or a motorbike, you must pay plenty of money, but you spend much less money to buy a bicycle. Also, while you must pay for gasoline to use vehicles having engines, a bicycle requires no money for gasoline at all. On the other hand, bicycling is good for your health. You sit still as riding a motorbike, but with a bicycle, you surely have chances to do body exercises regularly, keeping you

healthier and healthier. Last but not least, bicycles contribute to protect environment. Smokes from engines pollute the air day after day; bicycling produces no pollution, making our atmosphere fresh and lean. The above-mentioned explain why I like bicycling most.

12. Do you think the computer is a useful tool? How is it useful? (Bạn có nghĩ máy tính là công cụ hữu ích không? Nó hữu ích như thế nào?)

Key: I think that computers are very useful for our life in many ways. First, computers help us work conveniently and quickly. When we enter data and orders into a computer, we can get expected results almost immediately. Next, computers are useful for our study. Nowadays, with a computer connecting to the internet, we can learn a lot of things all over the world. Moreover, computers are also wonderful means of entertainment. With media soft-wares, we can enjoy all kinds of films, plays and music. Last of all, computers can serve as neat storages. On a computer we can store a lot of documents and memorial photographs safely for a long time. In short, computers have been improving our life and work better and better.

13. What are your hobbies? (Sở thích của bạn là gì?)

Key: I like traveling very much because it not only relaxes my mind, widens my knowledge, but also brings me many new friends. First, I always feel happy when traveling. Enjoying beautiful scenery everywhere, though natural or man-made, is the most effective pill to heal my mental diseases. Besides, I can learn many interesting things from traveling. The more we travel, the more we know about the world around us, which considerably contributes to our understandings. In addition, we can have interesting relationships when we travel to somewhere. Sudden friendships coming with us in our trips brings us sweet memories and warm feelings everywhere, making us not feel lonely or strange anywhere we come and visit. Briefly speaking, traveling is important and essential part of my life.

14. If you were a billionaire, what would you do?(Nếu bạn là một tỷ phú, bạn sẽ làm gì?)

Key: If I were a billionaire, I would build a vocational school for street children. The following are the reasons of my decision. First of all, street children are very poor. They have no job, no home, very little money. Their lives are unstable in streets. In addition, street children are helpless. They are put aside society. Their bad destinies are always in

danger. Finally, street children are the results of the mistakes of adults. They are innocent. Therefore, they are worth of being helped to have a chance for a better life. It is the above mentioned things that I decide to build a vocational school for helping street children when I become a billionaire.

15. Do you like pets? What kind of pets do you like best? Why? (Bạn có thích động vật không? Loại động vật nào bạn thích nhất? Tại sao?)

Key: Among kinds of pets, I like dogs best because of these following reasons. First, the dog is lovely. There are many dogs which have beautiful hair. Their faces are often very expressive. Especially you will like having a dog when you see a Japanese dog. It is very small and very cute. Second, the dog is loyal. Dogs are really effective gatekeepers for you every night and when you are away from home. Finally, the dog can bring you good luck. It is said that when a strange dog comes to your house, you may win in the lottery. It is the reasons above that I like dogs best.