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READING SKILL

Tricks for Reading Exams

“ทำทัน” สำคัญเท่า “ทำถูก”

1. อ่านคำถามก่อน
2. หา Main Idea คร่าว ๆ จาก Paragraph แรก และ สุดท้าย
3. โฟกัสที่เรียงตามลำดับเนื้อเรื่อง
4. ตัด Choice ที่ผิด

4.1 Too broad

<----- กว้างเกินไป ----->

4.2 Too narrow

-----> แคบเกินไป <-----

4.3 Not mentioned

X ไม่กล่าวถึง

4.4 Mentioned but wrong

กล่าวผิด X

4.5 Exaggerating

^เวอร์เกินไป^

0%

No

Never

1%

Only

Just

100%

Always

Every

All



ADVERTISEMENT

DIRECTIONS: Read the following advertisement and choose the best answer for each question.



Are you in need for financial help? MONEY 123 is a registered financial company. We currently offer loans to any interested person or company at 3% interest for loans in the range of \$2,000 to \$10,000,000. If you are in need of financial assistance, do contact us now via email for more details.

Email: money123@hotmail.com

Website: www.moneymeansthebest.com

CONTACT US WITH THE REQUIRED INFORMATION BELOW.

Amount needed: _____

Duration: _____

Full name: _____

Country: _____

Contact Address: _____



10. What does the company mentioned in the ad do?

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| 1. Register new businesses | 2. Provide financial advice |
| 3. Set interest rates | 4. Lend money |

11. What information is **NOT** needed for those wanting to make a contact with this company?

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| 1. Amount of money | 2. First and last name |
| 3. Name of country | 4. Identification number |

PRODUCT / SERVICE REVIEW

DIRECTIONS: Read the following restaurant review
and choose the best answer for each question.



Brawn, Chicago

Reviewed by Edward S.

7 February 2023

GREAT FOOD, POOR SERVICE

I came here for dinner with my family for the first time. This was a very nice restaurant with international cuisine. The Thai dish that we ordered was tasty with lots of flavor.

The service was below standard, though.



We called to book a table for four. But when we arrived at 7.00 p.m., we had to wait almost 15 minutes before our table was ready. Actually, the restaurant was only half full, so there was no reason to make us wait at all. Worse than that, they didn't seem to care about us waiting for so long.

After ordering the main dishes, it took more than 20 minutes for them to arrive. That means we had to wait for more than half an hour before we could start our meal.



After dinner, I ordered a cup of hot coffee. When I tasted it, it was too terrible to drink. I asked the waiter if I could change or return it, but he just said no. He didn't offer to help or take it off our bill. When we left, we decided not to leave a tip.

Although the food was great, our experience at Brawn was quite disappointing. We decided never to come back again.

12. The main purpose of the passage is to _____.

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| 1. report bad news | 2. describe a place |
| 3. promote a business | 4. complain about a service |

13. How did the family find the Thai dish they ordered?

1. Adequate

2. Impressive

3. Unoriginal

4. Unacceptable

14. Which of the following statements is **TRUE** according to the passage?

1. The writer went to the restaurant with three other people.

2. The writer waited for the main dishes for just a few minutes.

3. All the dishes normally served in the restaurant are Thai dishes.

4. All tables were available when the writer arrived at the restaurant.

15. How did the writer feel about his beverage?

1. It tasted very bad.
2. It looked unhealthy.
3. It was too hot to drink.
4. It seemed too expensive.

16. It can be inferred that the writer did not leave a tip because _____.

1. he found the food improperly cooked
2. he did not want to visit the restaurant again
3. he was dissatisfied with the restaurant's service
4. he did not want to pay for an overcharge on the bill

17. What is the tone of the passage?

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| 1. Critical | 2. Sincere |
| 3. Amiable | 4. Pessimistic |

VISUAL

DIRECTIONS: Study the following visual
and choose the best answer for each question.



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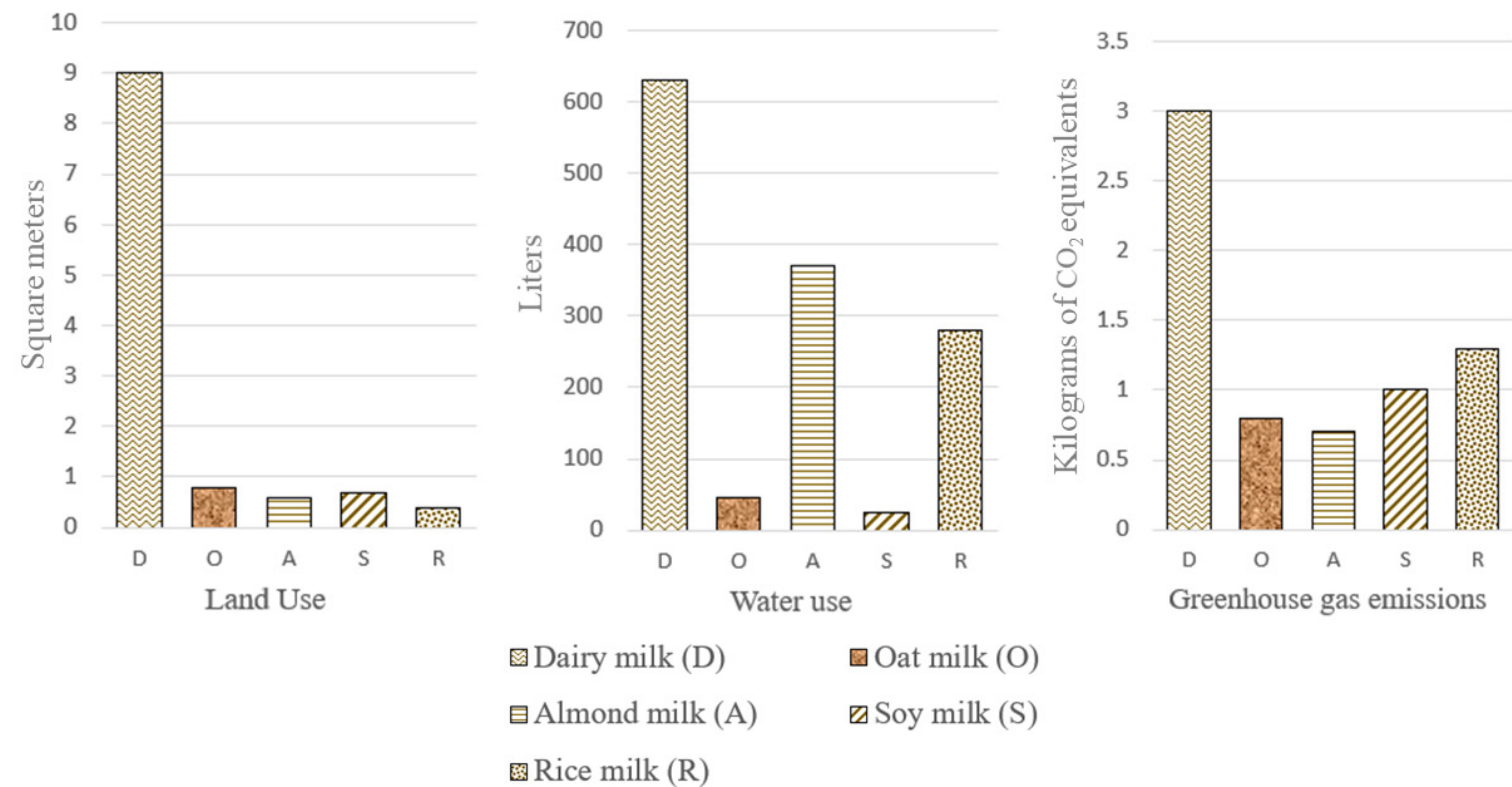


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Visual 1



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WITH ADDITIONAL CALCULATIONS FOR PLANT BASED MILKS PROVIDED BY J.POORE

18. The three bar charts compare _____.

1. measures of different types of milk
2. carbon footprints left by milk products
3. the environmental impacts of milk options
4. milk footprints from different types of plant-based milk

19. Which plant-based milk emits the highest amount of greenhouse gas?

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| 1. Dairy milk | 2. Rice milk |
| 3. Soy milk | 4. Oat milk |

20. Which of the following is **NOT** true according to the passage?

1. Soy milk has greater impact on the environment than rice milk.
2. Among plant-based milks, water use is highest for almond and rice milks.
3. Production of dairy milk emits more CO₂ than that of oat and soy milk together.
4. Producing one liter of dairy milk uses more land than producing one liter of oat milk.



GENERAL ARTICLE

DIRECTIONS: Choose the best answer.

Passage 1

- (1) The province expects a tourism windfall related to Blackpink member Lalisa “Lisa” Manoban. Lalisa, named for the Buri Ram native’s real name, Lalisa Manoban, is the title track of her first solo album bearing the same name. The frenetic number features countless costume changes, including one elaborate Thai-themed outfit using Phanom Rung Historical Park as a set.
- (2) Tourism officials in Buri Ram are banking on the popularity of the K-pop star – a Buri Ram native – to spur domestic visitor demand in the fourth quarter. Ratpacha Teerapattharakit, president of the Buri Ram Tourism Association, said tourism in the province has directly benefitted from Lisa’s first solo music video, which features her home town’s Phanom Rung Historical Park.



- (3) In addition to Thai traditional headgear – an element of the video that’s already gone viral – the “standing meatballs” shops where customers have to stand to eat at Buri Ram railway station have proved popular with locals after Lisa mentioned she wanted to eat this street food when she returns home.
- (4) Ms. Ratpacha said there have been many inquiries about Lisa-inspired tour packages, so the association plans to introduce a three-day, two-night program next month to Phanom Rung. The packages will feature visits to standing meatball shops and community-based tourism to Lisa’s home district of Satuek.



(5) “We expect Phanom Rung will be crowded with locals dressed like Lisa, as happened a few years ago with a Thai period drama set in Ayutthaya that spiked tourism receipts there,” she said.

21. According to the passage, which of the following statement is **TRUE**?

1. Lisa’s home district is near Satuek.
2. Lalisa Manoban is a Buri Ram native.
3. Lisa’s hometown is in Phanom Rung Historical Park.
4. Lisa never eats street food when she returns home.

22. According to the passage, what is the main idea of the first paragraph?

1. One of the most popular provinces in Thailand
2. Tourists' favourite attraction in Phanom Rung
3. Expected tourism boost in the province due to Blackpink's Lisa
4. The origin of Blackpink's Lalisa "Lisa" Manoban's name



23. Which of the following tourist attraction does **NOT** directly benefit from Lisa's first solo music video?

1. Ayutthaya Historical Park
2. Community-based tourism
3. Phanom Rung Historical Park
4. The standing meatball shops

24. Based on this passage, what can be implied about Lisa?

1. Amateur

2. Ordinary

3. Admirable

4. Beautiful

25. From the passage, what is the main role of the tourism association?

1. Supervising staff

2. Managing budgets

3. Administering first aid

4. Planning tourism campaigns



26. Which of the following would be the best title for this article?

1. Lisa's first solo music video
2. Buri Ram in tune with K-pop star
3. The new album by Blackpink's Lisa
4. Lisa of Blackpink: a Buri Ram native

27. What is the writer's tone in the passage?

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| 1. Serious | 2. Excited |
| 3. Nostalgic | 4. Optimistic |



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