

ANSWER KEY**I. READING COMPREHENSION****A. True / False****(2 marks)**

1. **False.** "But it turns out" donating" electronic equipment causes big problems."
2. **False** "Poor countries simply accumulate the dangerous hazards of electronic waste...hazardous waste."
3. **True.** "After some initial use recyclers resell parts,"
4. **False** "There is an immediate need for collaboration between industry, government, environmental groups, and citizens"

B. INFORMATION TRANSFER**(3.5 marks)**

5. Inadequate environmental regulations
6. Accumulation of electronic waste
7. No recycling
8. Downstream cost
9. More than 1,000 different toxic substances harmful to human beings and the environment.
10. Substances leak and can eventually pollute groundwater
11. E-waste burns, releasing carcinogenic substances into the air

C. MULTIPLE CHOICES**(1.5 marks)**

12. c. pretext of
13. a. destroying
14. .b. participation

D. EQUIVALENT SENTENCES**(1 mark)**

15. "The lifespan of a computer has shrunk from four five years to about two years."
16. "E-waste is the fastest growing portion of waste in developed countries."

II. LINGUISTIC COMPETENCE**E. VOCABULARY IN CONTEXT****(2.5 marks)**

17. Growth
18. Ecological
19. Consumer
20. Damaging / damageable
21. Provide

F. VERB TENSES / FORMS**(2 marks)**

22. found
23. were / had been
24. Collecting
25. To recycle

G. REFORMULATION**(2 marks)**

26. Old electronic equipment was being sent...
27. You are not allowed to dump your waste here!
28. Awa: "I like electronics and I'm quite ready now to work in the industry."
29. In spite of being an ecologist, he didn't...

H. QUESTIONS**(1.5 marks)**

30. What will I have to speak to the authorities about?
31. How often did they use to collect waste?

III- WRITING**(4 marks)**Content: **(2.5 marks)**;Cohesion/coherence: **(1.5 marks)**