

NAME:..... DATE:

INSTRUCTOR:..... CITY:

a) Answer the questions:

1. Do you feel safe in your city? Are there enough policemen to protect the citizens?

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2. Has the new generation been prepared to make wise choices? Why or why not?

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3. What do you do to get rid of any pain? Justify why you do that.

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4. How do your actions affect your family?

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5. Do you agree that problems refine people?

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b) Complete the sentences – rewrite the sentences and complete them:

1. I am not able to ..., because of my ...

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2. He has been saving ..., because he wants ...

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3. She got rid of ..., however she ...

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4. They forgot to ..., but they promised ...

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c) Translate into English:

1. Por que ela despreza aquele agiota?

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2. É minha obrigação ajudar toda a família.

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3. É provável que ele não venha, então, não se preocupe com isso.

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4. Em sua opinião, o que é ganância?

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d) Write a question for each sentence:

1. They learned from their parents how to go through difficult times.

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2. People work a lot, because they want lots of money.

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3. He forgot to invite us for the party and I don't know why.

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4. I need to improve my network, if I want to be the next manager.

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e) Listening:

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f) Complete with – what, where, when, why, how, who:

1. are humans resistant to change?
2. kind of petty sabotages do kids like to practice?
3. are you “guilty” of foot-dragging?”.
4. provides the food in your house?
5. would you reward your children for doing their tasks?
6. have you gone lately?
7. is the busiest person at your home?
8. was the last time you made a long journey?
9. can you improve your English pronunciation?
10. have you been doing to expand your circle of friends?

g) Reading and Comprehension:

What is the difference between *need*¹ and *greed*²? According to Anurag Jangde – Associate Consultant, “Need is all that is required to support life (protection) and living (food, shelter³, clothing, Education, transport, communication, health management)”. What about greed? Jangde says: “Greed is the surplus⁴ of all minimal needs but with no end to acquisition and possession”. In other words, greed is an excessive desire for more than is needed or deserved, especially of money, wealth, food, or other possessions.

¹ need = necessidade

² greed = ganância

³ shelter = abrigo/refúgio

⁴ surplus = excedente

I don't know if Jangde is right or not, but there is a saying that helps us to understand a little more about these words: "*Earth provides enough to satisfy every man's needs, but not every man's greed.*"

Some people change when they achieve a certain level of prosperity. Many of them don't recognize their change, but their prosperity can bring real challenges while getting rich, and as a result of greed, they can lose their generosity.

Money in and of itself is not an evil, but it is the love of money that is the root of all evil. Any decision to take from others or to enrich yourself at the expense of others is an example of greed and is something that should be avoided at all costs.

Answer:

1. In your own words, what is the difference between *need* and *greed*?

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3. Do you agree that some people change when they achieve prosperity? Justify.

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4. What should be avoided at all costs?

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5. Have you ever wondered "What do I want?" "What do I really need?" / What is the difference between both questions?

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