

Integrate Listening & Speaking
Building 2 Midterm Answer Key

GENERAL LISTENING SECTION

Part A

1. c 2. b 3. d 4. a
5. b 6. a 7. c 8. d

Part B

9. c 10. d 11. a 12. b

Part C

13. thanks, parts
14. cultures, similarities, generations, ideas
15. places, messages

SPEAKING SKILL SECTION

Part A

16. Cultures and subcultures are always changing.
17. Hip Hop is similar to poetry in that people use language to express their ideas.
18. Many advanced countries have fewer babies being born each year.
19. It's increasingly more difficult and expensive to get an education.
20. Many places on Earth experience four distinct seasons each year.
21. In many places around the world with large deserts, sandstorms happen seasonally.
22. Greenhouse gases cover the sky like vinyl covers a greenhouse.
23. Hotter temperatures in the atmosphere cause serious changes to the environment.

Part B

24. Hip hop is a musical art form.
25. I will explain how language is part of what helped hip-hop subculture spread to many countries around the world.

Part C

26. Some countries like () Japan, (the) Republic of Korea, and () Singapore barely average one child per household.
27. () Germany, (the) US, and (the) UK have birth rates below two children.

Part D

28. Together, we call these dangerous gases "greenhouse" gases.
29. There are many other things that are constantly happening around the world that also make lots of CO₂.

INTERGREAT IT

Part A

30.
(1) gases
(2) harmful
(3) devastation
(4) agriculture
(5) industry
(6) vehicle

Part B

31. When the weather gets too hot, droughts, wildfires, and massive tropical storms happen.

32. Polar ice caps melting is causing sea levels to rise.