

Lesson 16 – Transport – Vocabulary (part 3)



Exercise 1

Translate the following words and expressions

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Exercise 2.

Fill in the gaps in the text with suitable words

unparalleled estimated operate track allocate scale
holistic approach unmanned aircraft collaborating

Boeing has announced that it is 1. _____ with artificial intelligence (AI) technology leader, SparkCognition, to deliver 2. _____ system traffic management solutions.

Boeing and SparkCognition will use artificial intelligence and blockchain technologies to 3. _____ unmanned air vehicles in flight and 4. _____ traffic corridors and routes to ensure safe, secure transportation. 5. _____ by some analysts at \$3 trillion, the urban aerial mobility opportunity will lead to the creation of the largest new market in our lifetimes. The world's number one aviation leader partnering with the world's most innovative industrial AI company means that 6. _____ experience in

safety, innovation, 7. _____, and reliability will be brought to bear to address this monumental opportunity. “By taking a 8. _____ that combines Boeing’s strength in technological innovation with new business models and nontraditional partnerships, we are laying the foundation for the future commercial mobility ecosystem,” said Steve Nordlund, who will lead Boeing NeXt in addition to his role as vice president of Boeing HorizonX. “We are shaping the physical and connectivity infrastructure to ensure new air vehicles safely 9. _____ in the global air space”.



Exercise 3

Choose the most suitable word to fill each space

1. A hundred years ago, most people travelled _____ foot, by train, pr on horseback.
 - a) By
 - b) On
 - c) With
 - d) To
2. _____ had made it possible to travel rapidly over long distances.
 - a) Tracks
 - b) Lines
 - c) Ways
 - d) Railways
3. Bicycles were also becoming _____ after the invention of the air-filled tire.
 - a) Popular
 - b) Invented
 - c) Then
 - d) Handlebars
4. Buses, trams and _____ railways had already been invented.
 - a) Metro
 - b) Buried
 - c) Underground

- d) Submerged
5. Cities all over the world had traffic _____.
- a) Blocks
 - b) Sticks
 - c) Knots
 - d) Jams
6. There were very few private cars, and city _____ were still full of horses.
- a) Streets
 - b) Pavements
 - c) Lawns
 - d) Carts
7. What a difference a hundred years have _____!
- a) Taken
 - b) Done
 - c) Made
 - d) Got
8. _____ we have got used to the problem of private cars.
- a) Presently
 - b) Nowadays
 - c) Then
 - d) later
9. Some cities are so noisy and _____.
- a) Even
 - b) Polluted
 - c) So
 - d) Poisoned
10. In many places _____ have been banned from the city centre.
- a) Vehicles
 - b) Traffic
 - c) Transport
 - d) Trips
11. Perhaps _____ then there will be only personal helicopters.
- a) Cars
 - b) By
 - c) Even
 - d) Transport
12. There may be no need to _____ to work or school in the future, since everyone will have a computer at home.
- a) Have
 - b) Transport
 - c) Decide
 - d) Commute
13. There might even be more people walking and horse-riding, for pleasure and _____.
- a) Exercise
 - b) Keep fit
 - c) Energy
 - d) Healthy



Exercise 4

Choose the right answer

Where is the nearest filling station?

will be marked with crowds and frequent traffic jams

than the recent sights of platforms crowded with disconsolate commuters

there are many startups and established aerospace companies competing to develop

in the first six months of the year,

are at the scene of a head-on

was among the cars involved in the pile-up,

I have been here and there,

He was walking to and fro,

1. Cargo shipping has seen positive growth _____ with 254.8 million tonnes handled via the country's seaports, up 17 per cent on last year.
2. nervously looking at his phone every second.
3. A poorly considered or mistakenly implemented railway timetable can have serious consequences, worse even _____ who wait for trains that run late or never come at all.
4. We have run out of gas. _____
5. Although _____ electric vertical take-off and landing taxis – including Uber, Airbus and Boeing – Kitty Hawk and Joby are among the furthest along.
6. Four weekends in front of us _____ on our roads.

7. A six-vehicle crash blocked the A2 for around 30 minutes. A Lamborghini sports car _____ which happened at Watling Street.
8. Emergency services _____ **collision** in Polegate this afternoon (Saturday).
9. _____ but I like being home most of all.

Exercise 5



Complete each sentence with a suitable phrasal verb

takes up put out headed for put up try out
 pick up showing off looking forward keep up

1. I'm really _____ to going to vacation in Spain next week.
2. I can't wait to _____ my new car!
3. Why are you always _____ your yacht? You had better sell it and give money to charity.
4. A fire engine was able to _____ the fire despite all the difficulties.
5. _____ me _____ tomorrow at 7 pm. I'll be waiting for you.
6. How can you _____ with all those traffic jams, exhaust fumes and noise?
7. We _____ the airport after dealing with all our duties.
8. Useless stuff _____ most of space in your garage. Why don't you throw it away?
9. I can't _____ with you! Slow down!