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PART ONE: LANGUAGE TASKS (12pts)

Task One: Fill in the gaps with words from the box below. There are 2 extra words: (4pts)

pollute / warmer / previously / passengers / sunny / prevent / facilities / competitive / accommodation / hordes

With tourism in 2023 having surpassed previous records, frustration in Europe is growing. This past year witnessed anti tourism demonstrations in many cities throughout Europe. In July, protesters in Mallorca, Spain, conducting a "summer of action" greeted **(1)** at the airport with signs reading tourism kills Mallorca. In Venice, local authorities introduced temporary checkpoints to **(2)** day trippers from crowding especially busy areas. Now, they are trying to limit the **(3)** of visitors that clog streets, diminish housing supplies, **(4)** waters, turn markets and monuments into no-go zones, and generally make life miserable for residents. The reasons for this modern explosion in tourism are numerous. Low-cost airlines like easyJet, Ryanair and Vueling expanded dramatically in the 2000s, with **(5)** ticket prices driving up passenger numbers. Over the last decades, **(6)** has been made less expensive. Rising prosperity in countries like China and India has turned their burgeoning middle classes into avid holiday makers. Even climate change plays a role, as **(7)** temperatures extend summer seasons and open up **(8)** inaccessible areas.

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Task Two: Put the bracketed words in the correct tense and/or form: (4pts)

Royal Caribbean's newest and largest cruise ship, the Icon of the Seas, embarked on its maiden voyage from Miami on Saturday, January 27, 2024, **(1) (mark)** the start of a new era of opulence and capacity in the cruise industry. The 1198-foot vessel, spanning an impressive 365 meters, **(2) (dazzle)** spectators with a spectacular display of fireworks as it departed from the bustling Port of Miami for a seven-day journey around the Eastern Caribbean region. For years, Royal Caribbean, a major player in the cruise industry, **(3) (position)** itself to capitalize on the surging popularity of cruises, attracting **(4) (travel)** seeking a blend of comfort, entertainment, and exotic destinations. However, amidst the current excitement and anticipation surrounding this colossal cruise liner, concerns **(5) (raise)** by environmentalists regarding its **(6) (environment)** impact. The Icon of the Seas is powered by liquefied natural gas, a choice hailed by some for its much **(7) (low)** carbon footprint compared to traditional fuels. Yet, activists fear that the vessel, along with other upcoming giant cruise liners, may **(8) (unfortunate)** contribute to atmospheric methane levels.

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Task Three: Express the following sentences differently beginning as indicated: (4pts)

1) He prefers playing basketball to watching the game on TV.

   → **He would rather**.....

2) She regrets she didn't register the lost luggage at the airline office.

   → **If only** .....

3) The World Anti-Doping Agency regularly tests athletes for illicit use of steroids. → **Athletes** .....

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4) The goalkeeper couldn't catch the shot because it was very powerful.

   → **It was such** .....

5) Despite having so many world class players, PSG is unable to win against the top teams. → **Although** .....

   .....

6) Many people travel to foreign countries in search of doctors with high skills.

   → **Many people travel to foreign countries in search of** ..... **doctors**.

7) The journalist asked: "Where will the 2028 Olympics be held?"

   → **The journalist wanted to know**.....

8) I can't do much exercise because I don't have enough time.

   → **If** .....

PART TWO: WRITING TASKS (8pts)

Task One: Reorder the following items to get a meaningful paragraph: (2pts)

a) The striker scored the trophy winning goal against Nigeria
b) as well as for the nation on home soil at the 2023 Afcon.
c) Sebastien Haller, the cancer survivor, became Ivory Coast's Africa Cup of Nations hero.
d) to cap an epic comeback on a personal level

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Task Two: There is one mistake in each of the following sentences. Find it and correct it in the table below: (2pts)

1) Mass tourism is seen as a factor of acculturation in the worse sense of the term.
2) Huaorani guides accompany visitors in hikes and teach them about medicinal plants.
3) Mike Hudson upcycled his white van into a flat studio.
4) South Korea has joined others Asian nations in the lucrative business of medical tourism.

	Mistake	Correction
Sentence 1		
Sentence 2		
Sentence 3		
Sentence 4		

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Task Three: Fill in the gaps with words of your own: (ONE word per gap): (4pts)

Sports tourism is a specialized form of travel that involves individuals or groups traveling **(1)** a destination primarily to engage in or witness sports-related activities. This can include **(2)** major sporting events, participating in amateur or **(3)** sports tournaments, training at specialized sports facilities, or engaging in adventure sports such **(4)** rock climbing, rafting, or scuba diving. Sports tourism offers a unique way to experience different cultures, **(5)** new people, and challenge oneself **(6)** and mentally while creating memorable experiences. It also has significant economic and social benefits, promoting local businesses and generating **(7)** for the destination while fostering a sense of community **(8)** enhancing the well-being of individuals involved.

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