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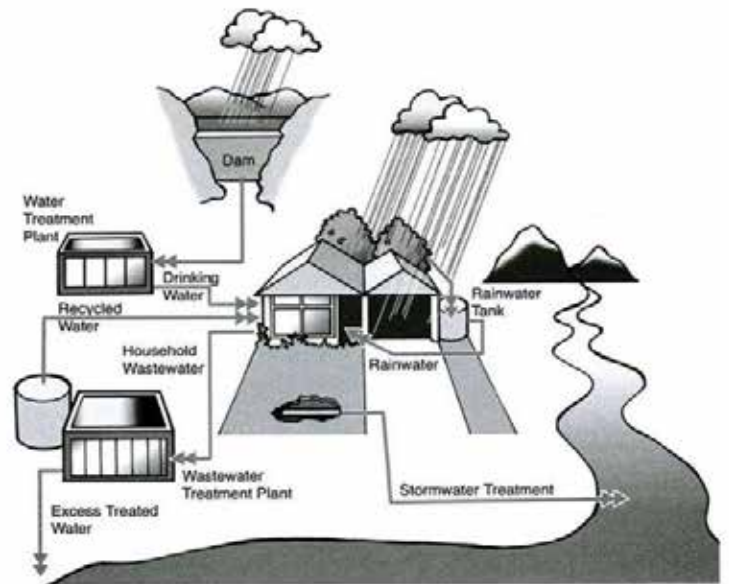**Task 1:** *The diagram below shows how rainwater is reused. Summarize the information by selecting and reporting the main features and make comparisons where relevant.*

Word Count: 157

Show, provide information

Drinking water , rain water

The illustration provides information about several different methods of utilizing rainwater for residential usage.

Overall, *it can be clearly seen that* the process consists of multiple steps and loops, *starting with water collection and ending with* treated wastewater flowing into rivers.

Reservoir = lake

The cycle commences when rainwater is gathered in either an artificial reservoir or open water tanks in each residence. The lake water is then pumped into a water purification plant to be cleansed and made into drinking water while the amount stored in household storages can be used directly for domestic usage.

Household = residence

Purification = treatment = cleanse

The procedure continues when household wastewater is gathered in a treatment factory, where it is recycled and filtered to return to its cleansed state *before being pumped back into the water supply system* to be used by families. In the following step, *having been treated*, the excess clean water then flows into rivers together with treated stormwater accumulated through storm drains around the area.

Các từ nối (cohesive devices) được sử dụng:

Overall: nói chung
The cycle commences when: quy trình bắt đầu khi
Then: tiếp theo
The procedure continues when: quy trình tiếp tục khi
In the following step: vào bước tiếp theo

Cấu trúc hay:

It can be clearly seen that
Starting with water collection and ending with
Before being pumped back into the water supply system
Having been treated

Từ vựng học thuật:

Utilize: sử dụng
Loop: vòng lặp
Artificial: nhân tạo
Filtered: lọc

Task 2: *It is not necessary to travel to other places to learn about other cultures. We can learn from books, films and the internet. To what extent do you agree or disagree?*

Word count: 362

Travel = visit

With the recent advancement of technology, travelling internationally has become a common phenomenon to the majority of human beings. Nevertheless, there have been some claims that *in order to learn about other cultures*, one does not need to physically visit other areas or countries but can study via books, films and the Internet. Personally, *I partly agree with this statement for several reasons.*

Books, films, internet => media   *learn from= study via*

It cannot be denied that anyone can study about other cultural features through various media. First and foremost, books and films are excellent sources of ideology and customary values of one country to others and can be enjoyably consumed by a variety of age groups from small children to the elderly. Furthermore, with the advent and evolution of the Internet, a number of online tools have been invented that can boost the spread of the world's culture. For example, vivid pictures, immersing videos and even virtual reality tours can be found for free on the internet to experience different traditional events, daily lives in other nations and different people's views of the world.

On the other hand, learning remotely cannot totally replace the full experience of travelling and living in a different culture. *The most important reason is that* a person can only totally understand another way of life when they experience it first hand, living and encounter it in their surroundings. To elaborate, various aspects of cultures such as cuisine, communication and lifestyle can unquestionably be observed remotely but it is nearly impossible to fully grasp. Additionally, there are certain customs which need a long-term resident to completely appreciate. For instance, East Asian parents tend to take care of their children way into their adult-hood which is strange to Westerners, however, *if they live in this area for a long time, it will be clear that* it is generally beneficial to secure millennials' future and help them get higher education, their own home and family.

To recapitulate, utilizing various media such as books, movies or online resources does provide people with knowledge about cultures other than their own, nonetheless, visiting other countries will help travelers to gain more insights and discover much more than they do sitting in their room.

Các từ nối (cohesive devices) được sử dụng:

Nevertheless = however = nonetheless: tuy nhiên
First and foremost: đầu tiên
Furthermore = Additionally: thêm vào đó
On the other hand: ngược lại thì
To elaborate: nói sâu thêm
For example = for instance: ví dụ
To recapitulate: kết luận lại

Cấu trúc hay:

In order to learn about other cultures,
Personally, I partly agree with this statement for several reasons
The most important reason is that
If they live in this area for a long time, it will be clear that

Từ vựng học thuật:

Common phenomenon: hiện tượng bình thường
Ideology: lý tưởng
Customary value: giá trị văn hóa
Advent and evolution: sự bắt đầu và phát triển
Vivid: sống động
Immersing: thu hút
Virtual reality: thực tế ảo
Cuisine: ẩm thực
Unquestionably: không thể tranh cãi được, chắc chắn
Millennial: thế hệ trưởng thành vào thế kỷ 21