**LIFEBRIDGE GR. 8 SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**TASK SHEET 2 URBAN TRANSPORT**

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| Time frame | 1 day | Total marks | / 50 |
| **Name** |  | **Date** |  |

**Instructions**

Complete this task sheet during the class discussion

What are the three main purposes for which transport is needed in a city (3)

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Give an example of each of the three types mentioned in the previous question (3)

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Explain why the moving of goods and people in a city can become a problem. List at least four potential challenges (4)

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Explain what is meant by the term “congestion” and state which parts of a city are most likely to be congested and why? (3)

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Describe three possible ways that traffic congestion in a city can be reduced and explain the advantages and disadvantages of each (9)

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Explain why transport has a possible negative impact on environment in cities. (4)

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How can the environmental impact (e.g. pollution) caused by vehicles in cities be reduced? Discuss two possible approaches and say why they work well or not. (4)

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Identify a traffic or transport problem in East London, describe the problem and say why it is a problem then suggest a possible approach to solving or reducing this problem and explain why you think it will work. Prepare a short (max 5 min) oral presentation on your findings. (20)

**DUE DATE**

**Wednesday 7 October 2020**