UNIT 6: OUR TET HOLIDAY

A. PHONETICS

I. Choose the words into two groups (/ s / and / ʃ /).

	/ s /	/ ʃ /		/ s /	/ ʃ /
Special			summer		
sure			spring		
school			success		
wish			blossoms		
should			sound		
show			smile		
dish			person		
shopping			rubbish		
rooster			rice		

II. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

1. A. bread B. coffee C. meat D. tea
2. A bath B. bathe C. great D. make
3. A. leave B. read C. ready D. week
4. A. hungry B. pupil C. Sunday D. up
5. A. but B. come C. so D. much

B. VOCABULARY & GRAMMAR

I. Choose the word that is different from the rest in each group by circling A, B, C or D.

1. A. ill B. sick C. sad D. unwell
2. A. doctor B. nurse C. dentist D. teacher
3. A. tablet B. chocolate C. medicine D. pill
4. A. virus B. flu C. headache D. stomachache
5. A. couching B. sneezing C. disease D. runny nose

II. Choose the best answer.

1. Hoa doesn't have ..... friends in Ha Noi.
   A. much B. lots C. a lot D. any
2. How ..... is it from your house to school?
   A. often B. many C. far D. distance
3. How old will you ..... on your next birthday?
   A. be B. are C. am D. is

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4. What ..... lovely living room!
   A. a B. an C. the D. -
5. The apartment at number 79 is ..... of the three ones.
   A. good B. the best C. best D. better
6. American students take part ..... different activities at recess.
   A. at B. on C. to D. in
7. ..... do you study in the library after school? - Once a week.
   A. How often B. How far C. How many D. How long
8. Many young people enjoy ..... community service.
   A. do B. to do C. doing D. does
9. ..... is your telephone number?
   A. When B. Which C. What D. How
10. Her birthday is ..... Friday, August 20th.
   A. at B. on C. in D. of
11. ..... you have a test tomorrow morning?
   A. Will B. Do C. Are D. does
12. She will have a party ..... her birthday.
   A. for B. on C. in D. to
13. What's your .....?
   A. birthday B. day of birth C. date of birth D. birth of day
14. Will he be free? - .....
   A. No, he won't B. No, he doesn't C. No, he isn't D. No, he will
15. We will ..... our old friends next Sunday.
   A. to meet B.meet C. meeting D. meets
16. ..... you like a cup of tea?
   A. Would B. Will C. What D. does
17. He looks different ..... his father.
   A. at B. with C. from D. to
18. Students have two ..... each day.
   A. 20 - minutes breaks C. 20 - minute breaks
   B. 20 - minute break D. 20 minutes break
19. The United States' Library of Congress is one of the ..... libraries in the world.
   A. larger B. largest C. larger than D. large
20. ..... novels are very interesting.
   A. These B. This C. That D. It

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III. Use *"should + verb"* to make the sentences.

Ex: I have a stomachache. (go to the doctor)

→ *You should go to the doctor.*

1. I feel very tired. (take a short rest)

_____

2. Hoa has a bad cold. (stay in bed)

_____

3. Minh's room is very dirty, (clean it every day)

_____

4. We'll have an English test tomorrow. (learn your lessons carefully)

_____

5. Nga has a headache. (take an aspirin)

_____

6. My teeth aren't strong and white. (brush them regularly)

_____

IV. Give the correct form of the verbs.

1. They_____ (do) it for you tomorrow.
2. My father_____ (call) you in 5 minutes.
3. We believe that she_____ (recover) from her illness soon.
4. I promise I_____ (return) from school on time.
5. If it rains, he_____ (stay) at home.
6. _____ (take) me to the zoo this weekend?
7. I think he _____(not come) back his hometown.

V. Using "should" or "shouldn't" to make the correct sentences.

Ex: - You ***shouldn't study***. (You/study) so hard. Have a holiday.

- I enjoyed that play. We ***should go***. (We/go) to the theatre more often.

1. _____ (You/park) here. It's not allowed.
2. What_____(I/cook) for breakfast this morning?
3. _____ (You/wear) a raincoat. It's raining outside.
4. _____ (You/smoke). It's bad for you.
5. _____ (We/arrive) at the airport two hours before the flight.
6. _____(I/send) now or later?
7. Do you think _____(I/apply) for this post?
8. What do you think_____ (I/write) in this space on the form?
9. _____ (I/eat) any more cakes. I've already eaten too much.
10. This food is awful._____ (We/complain) to the manager.

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C. READING

I. Fill in the blank with a suitable word.

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I think Tet holiday is the (1) _____ important celebration in Vietnam because it is an occasion for family-reunion, for human love and for better hope. All of (2)_____ seem to forget the hatred, bad lucks and then try to be nice (3) _____ others. Everyone is eager to take (4) _____ in many special activities, which are expected to bring (5) _____lucks and success in the New Year. Tet is also the time for us to relax and enjoy our special foods, (6) _____ atmosphere (7) _____a hard-working year.

II. Frank is cooking. Give the useful advice using "you should" or "you shouldn't" and notes in the box.

Don't leave the beef in the oven for more than one hour.
Cut the onions as thin as possible.
Use fresh herbs and fresh vegetables.
Don't put in too much salt and chilies.
Wait until the water boils before you put the vegetables into it.
Heat the oven before you put the beef in.
Cut the beef into a lot of equal slices.

1. You shouldn't leave the beef in the oven for more than one hour.
2. _____ _____the onions as thin as possible.
3. _____ _____fresh herbs and fresh vegetables.
4. _____ _____in too much salt and chilies.
5. _____ _____ until the water boils before you put the vegetables into it.
6. _____ _____ the oven before you put the beef in.
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D. WRITING

I. Make the correct sentences using suggestions.

1. She/ hope/ that/ Mary/ come/ party/ tonight.

   _____
2. I/ finish/ my report/ 2 days.

   _____
3. If/ you / not/ study/ hard/,/ you/ not/ pass/ final/ exam.

   _____
4. You/ look/ tired,/ so/1/ bring/ you/ something/ eat.

   _____
5. you/ please/ give/ me/ lift/ station?

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E. LISTENING:

Exercise 1: Listen and tick T or F

	T	F
1. Phong is the first person on the show.	_____	_____
2. This year, Tet is in February.	_____	_____
3. People have a lot of firework at Tet.	_____	_____
4. Phong loves eating good food during Tet.	_____	_____
5. Next, the interview will talk to a person from Japan.	_____	_____

Exercise 2: Listen and choose the best answers.

1. We'll buy a branch of _____.
   A. Apricot blossoms B. peach blossoms C. rose
2. We'll _____ Chung cake at home.
   A. Buy B. take C. make
3. I'll buy some new clothes for you and _____
   A. Your brother B. your sister C. your dad
4. We should wait until the _____ to buy fruits.
   A. 28th B. 29th C. 30th
5. Don't forget to buy some _____ for us.
   A. Chocolate B. chocolate biscuits C. biscuits

F. SPEAKING: TET HOLIDAY

1. Write a short paragraph (60-80 words) to describe the wonder you would like to visit.

You should use the given cues:

- When is Tet holiday?
- What will you do before Tet holiday?
- What will you do at Tet?
- Do you love Tet? Why/ why not?
- What about you?

Sample writing

Now I'll tell you about our Tet holiday. Tet is the time when the Lunar calendar year begins which usually fall between Mid-January to mid-February.

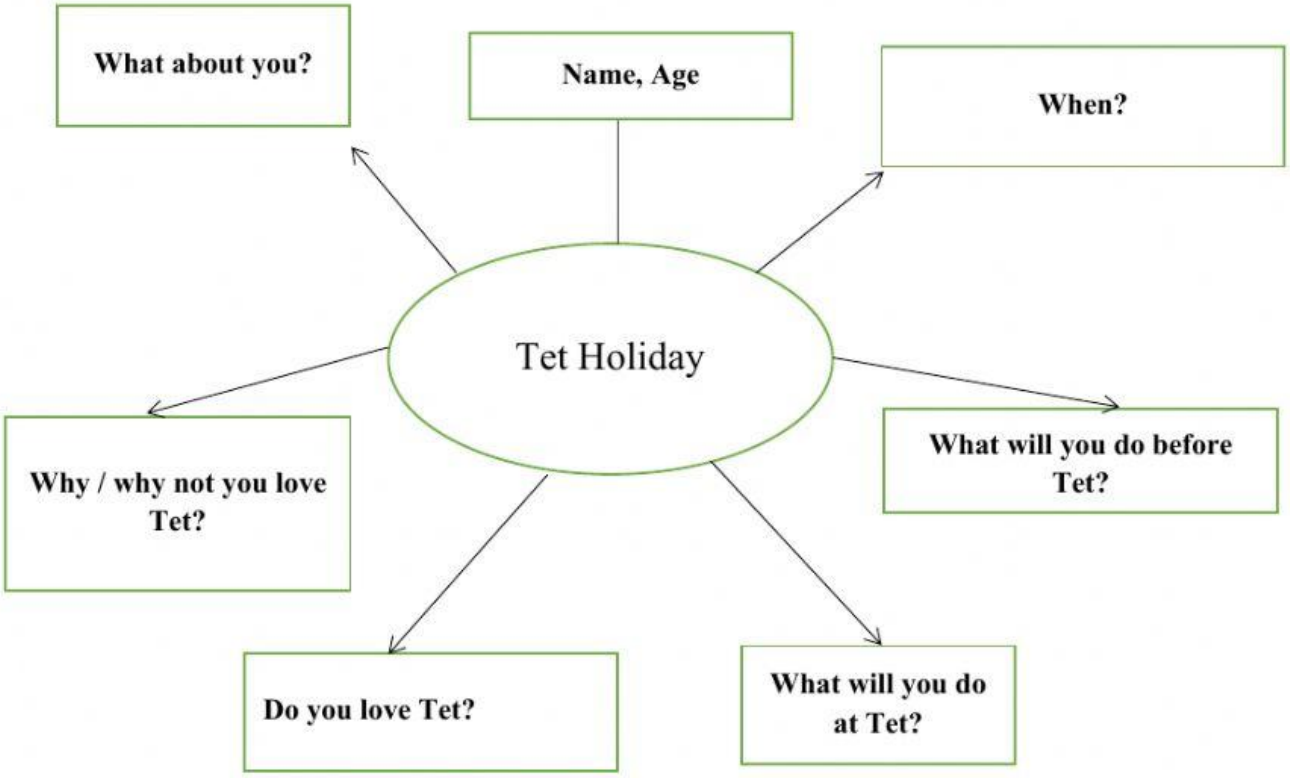
Before Tet, my parents and I will go to the flower market. We will buy some flowers and a branch of peach blossoms. My mum will cook special food for the family. On New Year's Eve, we will have a late dinner and watch fireworks on TV. Our family will go to the pagoda on the first day of Tet. We will pray for health and happiness. Then we will visit our grandparents and relatives. I really love Tet because our family has a lot of wonderful time together.

What about you?

How is your Tet?

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What about your new year?



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