Grade 9 – Review Grammar – Unit 2

I. Choose the best one (A, B, C or D) to complete the sentence.

1. Villagers are more kind, friendly and warm-hearted than city _____.
   A. dwellers B. foreigners C. beginners D. movers
2. You can see the _____ of the suburbs in Ho Chi Minh City with many apartment buildings, supermarkets, shopping centres, and schools.
   A. urban area B. convenience C. urban sprawl D. living condition
3. Dong Khoi Street is the main shopping street in the _____ of downtown in Ho Chi Minh City.
   A. mind B. heart C. head D. spot
4. It is considered that life in a city is wonderful and _____.
   A. funny B. boring C. enjoyable D. helpful
5. No city in America has _____ monuments and museums into one area as Washington, DC.
   A. as much B. such many C. as many D. a few
6. My passport _____ last month, so I will have to get a new one.
   A. elapsed B. expired C. ended D. terminated
7. The department is also deeply _____ in various improvement schemes.
   A. connected B. entailed C. involved D. implied
8. His answer was so confused that I could hardly make any _____ of it at all.
   A. interpretation B. meaning C. intelligibility D. sense
9. The main attraction of the job was that it offered the _____ to do the research.
   A. possibility B. proposal C. opportunity D. prospect
10. I wish you'd tell me what I _____ do in this difficult situation.
    A. shall B. would C. should D. ought
11. A competitor may submit any number of entries _____, each one is accompanied by a packet top.
    A. supposing B. notwithstanding C. assuredly D. provided
12. They always kept on good ___ with their next-door neighbours for the children's sake.
    A. friendship B. relations C. will D. terms
13. He earns his living by _____ old paintings.
    A. reviving B. restoring C. reforming D. replenishing
14. Hotel rooms must be _____ by noon, but luggage may be left with the porter.
    A. vacated B. evacuated C. abandoned D. left
15. The majority of nurses are women, but in the higher ranks of the medical profession women are in a _____.

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A. rarity B. minority C. scarcity D. minimum

II. Complete each of the following sentences with comparatives or superlatives. Add "the" where necessary.

1. This is **(good)**_____ food I've ever eaten in this country.
2. Peter's new haircut is **(trendy)**_____ than the previous one.
3. The building looks much **(nice)**_____ in green than the previous white.
4. I had to drive my car along **(narrow)**_____ road in the region.
5. Nam's house is **(far)**_____ from the city centre than my house.
6. In my opinion, living in the city is **(hard)**_____ than living in the country.
7. I think this is **(noisy)**_____ part of the city.
8. This place was (dangerous)_____ than we thought.
9. Could you show me the way to **(near)**_____ bus stop?
10. The trip to Nha Trang City was **(interesting)**_____ for us.

III. Give the correct form of the word in capital.

1. Ha Noi, _____ the Old Quarter, become a perfect city for walking with handicraft shops, street food, etc. **ESPECIAL**
2. Ha Long Bay, which means descending dragon, is the _____ heritage of the world with 1,6000 limestone islands. **NATURE**
3. Below Sa Pa are _____ rice terraces in the endless valley. **PICTURE**
4. Besides the beach, the main _____ in Da Nang is the Museum of Cham Sculpture with the world's largest collection of Cham artefacts. **ATTRACT**
5. Hue becomes one of the most _____ destinations for travelers to Viet Nam with the number of three million tourists a year. **POPULARITY**
6. Hoi An used to be one of the _____ ports of Southeast Asia, which were used by the Japanese, Portuguese, Dutch, French and Chinese merchants. **BUSY**
7. Nha Trang, a _____ coastal city in Central Viet Nam, is generally recognized as Viet Nam's main beach destination. **DELIGHT**
8. Formerly known as Saigon, Ho Chi Minh City is a metropolis which is still young but very _ _____. **DYNAMIST**
9. The Mekong Delta is well-known for its busy waterways with many rivers, canals and streams _____ through the region. **FLOW**

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10. Phu Quoc Island is the _____ place for riding, snorkeling, scuba diving, and relaxing.

IDEA

IV. Complete each of the following sentences using the correct form of a phrasal verb from the box.

showed round	**put down**	**grew up**	**turned off**	**thought over**
turned down	**look up**	**look forward to**	**lived up to**	**get on with**

1. Miss Diep didn't know the correct spelling so she had to _____ it in the dictionary.
2. She's _____ it _____ and has made up her mind; she's going to take the job in New York.
3. Can you _____ your name, telephone number and email address _____ in the book, please?
4. My hotel was amazing and it _____ all my expectations.
5. Mark was born in the East End, but he _____ in the West End.
6. The guide _____ us _____ the historic parts of the city.
7. He doesn't know why she _____ his invitation to the party.
8. Vinh is very friendly. He _____ most of my friends.
9. We are all _____ seeing our grandparents again.
10. Miss Hang _____ the Music _____ and went to bed because it was quite late.

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C. READING

I. Read the text, and fill in the blanks with the suitable words.

and	**can**	**busier**	**located**	**However**
described	**Therefore**	**According**	**makes**	**more**

City is often (1)_____ as a large and a highly populated area. (2)_____, city life is living in a large populated, technologically advanced area. (3)_____ to World Health Organization, 54% of the world's population lived in urban areas by 2014. A city is technologically (4)_____ advanced and complex than the countryside. Therefore, there are many advantages in living in a city. Technology (5)___ our lives easy in a City. Cities have many facilities like high-quality hospitals, educational institutes, banks, shops (6)_____ other business institutes. This makes our life easy as we (7)___ access the facilities provided by these institutes and organizations without delay. Moreover, many employment opportunities are available in the City as many major business institutes, factories are (8) _____ here. City life also gives us access to developed infrastructure facilities, like water, electricity, telecommunication and transportation facilities.

(9)_____, we can also notice a difference in the behavior of the people living in the city. City dwellers tend to be (10)_____, ambitious and distant compared to the village folk.

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II. Read the passage, and choose the correct answer A, B, C or D for each question.

With a (1)_____ of about 2.6 million people, Vancouver is the largest City in Western Canada. Vancouver is in the Southwest of Canada, and it is only a few hours of driving away from the American (2)_____.

Vancouver is popular because it (3)_____ so many things. It is a huge, modern City. On the other hand, it is also one of North America's most beautiful areas. The natural beauty (4)_____ Vancouver is famous all around the world.

Vancouver is right next to the Rocky Mountains, so it is a wonderful place for skiing and snowboarding. Those aren't the only winter sports you can do there. If you can (5)_____ a winter sport, then you probably do that sport in Vancouver. After all, the 2010 Winter Olympics were there. Vancouver is also great for hiking, jogging, and skateboarding. It even has beaches. The beaches aren't the (6)_____ in the world, but they arc clean and pretty.

(7)___ place that you have to visit in Vancouver is Stanley Park. This is a public park that is a stone's throw from (8)_____. However, the park is completely surrounded by the Pacific Ocean. The nature in Stanley Park is beautiful. It is close to downtown, but it feels like it is 100 kilometres away. The park also has playgrounds, gardens, beaches, tennis courts, and even an (9)_____.

Vancouver is something for everybody. It is no (10)_____ that people think it is one of the world's best cities.

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1.	A. number	B. exist	C. control	D. population
2.	A. area	B. border	C. region	D. place
3.	A. includes	B. insists	C. combines	D. consists
4.	A. around	B. over	C. on	D. upon
5.	A. repeat	B. tell	C. name	D. separate
6.	A. good	B. best	C. better	D. well
7.	A. Another	B. Others	C. Other	D. Anothers
8.	A. mountain	B. hill	C. village	D. downtown
9.	A. quarter	B. effort	C. aquarium	D. notice
10.	A. wonder	B. cause	C. true	D. fact

III. Read the following passage and write T (True) or F (False) for each statement.

London is the biggest city in Britain. More than 7 million people live and work there. It is one of the most important cities in the world. It is a centre for business and for tourism. London consists of three parts: The City of London, the East End and the West End. In the City of London there are many banks, offices and Stocks Exchange. In the West End we can see many historical places, parks, shops

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and theatres. It is the world of rich people and money. The East End is the district where working people live and work. The Port of London is also there. You can have a very good time in this city. You can visit different cinemas, theatres and museums. The "Odeon" is one of the most famous cinemas of the country. The most famous museums are: The British Museum and the Tate Gallery. There are many shops in London. Oxford Street is London's main shopping centre. People from all over the world buy clothes, shoes, toys and souvenirs there. The street is more than a mile long. The best known departments are Selfridges and John Lewis. The largest park in London is Hyde Park with its Speaker's Comer. Sit on the green grass and try England's favourite food – fish and chips.

	True (T)	**False (F)**
1. There are lots of theatres, parks and historical places in the City of London.		
2. The Port of London is in the East End of London.		
3. Working people live and work in the West End of London.		
4. The "Odeon" is a famous museum in London.		
5. People go to Oxford Street to buy clothes and souvenirs.		
6. People from all over the world don't buy clothes, shoes, toys and souvenirs in London.		

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