

MID – TERM TEST 1

1. Listen to the conversation about living in the countryside in Japan. Circle A, B or C to answer each question. You will listen TWICE.

1. Where is Sam living now?
A. in England B. in Japan C. in Europe
2. What does he like about the village?
A. the mountains B. the ocean C. the pollution
3. How does he feel about the people in the village?
A. difficult B. friendly C. easy
4. Which among these is true about Sam's attitude towards the weather in the village?
A. He likes it very much.
B. He thinks it is comfortable.
C. He hates it.
5. What is the most unusual about the village in Sam's opinion?
A. There are many snakes.
B. All snakes are green.
C. Snakes like to stay in his office.

2. Listen to a talk about teenagers and technology. Fill each of the gaps with no more than TWO words. You will listen TWICE.

1. Nowadays teenagers can be called a _____.
2. Teenagers like _____ friends on the Internet.
3. Teenagers can _____ what time to do something.
4. Playing computer games makes teenagers _____ less on their lessons in class.
5. The parents of these teenagers are finding ways to _____ their children's interest in technology.

3. Choose one word for each blank to complete this passage:

spirits

place

southern

dress

ethnic

part

The Hmong people are an (1) _____ group existing in several countries. They are believed to have come from (2) _____ China. The Hmong are known in China as the Miao. One

Festive Holiday the Hmong celebrates is the Hmong New Year. It takes (3) _____ in November and December, usually at the end of the harvest season. Historically, the Hmong New Year celebration was created to give thanks to ancestors and (4) _____ as well as to welcome in a new beginning. During the New Year's celebration, Hmong (5) _____ in traditional clothing and enjoy Hmong traditional foods, dance, music, bull fights, and other forms of entertainment.

4. Choose the best answer to complete each sentence:

1. You _____ to prepare the meal. I have done for you already.
A. don't have B. have C. haven't D. must not
2. My grandparents look _____ the house while my parents go to work and we go to school.
A. for B. at C. after D. up
3. She is one of _____ most popular singers now.
A. a B. an C. 0 D. the
4. The Thai hold many festivals and _____ with alternating songs every year.
A. costumes B. religions C. ceremonies D. ancestors
5. The wall is _____ painted with blue, red and white.
A. colourful B. colourfully C. colour D. coloured
6. Parents have a big _____ on the children.
A. role B. efficient C. effect D. research
7. He is _____ on beer.
A. addicted B. fond C. hooked D. interested
8. He is _____ the cattle at the pasture.
A. flying B. caring C. herding D. harding
9. My dad doesn't mind _____ me from school every day.
A. pick up B. picked up C. to pick up D. picking up
10. We will go on holiday with some friends of _____.
A. our B. us C. we D. ours
11. There are _____ ethnic groups in Vietnam.
A. 45 B. 54 C. 49 D. 53

5. Complete sentences/ put questions:

1. He/ spend/ two/ month/ build/ this house/ last year.

2. Could you please give me your phone number? MIND

3. My mother cooks better than my father. AS

4. It took me three days to paint this picture.

5. She has stood near the Queen Tower.

6. Her son went to English club twice a week.

6. Word form

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| 1. _____ rice cake is the traditional food of Tet Holiday in Vietnam. | STICK |
| 2. We should maintain and protect the _____ values. | CULTURE |
| 3. People gather at _____ house every weekend. | COMMUNITY |
| 4. It was a(n) _____ trip. I will always remember it. | FORGET |
| 5. She sings _____ than me. | BAD |

7. Give the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

1. His new novel (publish)..... in two months .
2. I (visit)Singapore two years ago.
3. Look at those black clouds. It (rain).....
4. We are tired of (work)..... for low salary.
5. This is the second time you (break).....a cup.

8. Find the word which has different sound in the underlined part in each line.

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| 1. A. <u>s</u> ound | B. cl <u>ou</u> d | C. <u>fo</u> und | D. fav <u>ou</u> rite |
| 2. A. <u>w</u> hat | B. <u>wh</u> ere | C. <u>wh</u> o | D. <u>w</u> hen |
| 3. A. craft <u>s</u> | B. stop <u>s</u> | C. open <u>s</u> | D. month <u>s</u> |

4. A. wanted B. washed C. watched D. stopped