

UNIT 1: MY HOBBIES -3

A. PHONETICS

I. Find the word which has different sound in the underlined part.

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| 1. A. <u>bird</u> | B. <u>girl</u> | C. <u>f</u> irst | D. <u>s</u> ister |
| 2. A. <u>burn</u> | B. <u>sun</u> | C. <u>h</u> urt | D. <u>t</u> urn |
| 3. A. <u>nurse</u> | B. <u>picture</u> | C. <u>s</u> urf | D. <u>r</u> eturn |
| 4. A. <u>neighbor</u> | B. <u>favorite</u> | C. <u>c</u> ulture | D. <u>t</u> ourist |
| 5. A. <u>hobby</u> | B. <u>h</u> our | C. <u>h</u> otel | D. <u>h</u> ot |

II. Put the word into the correct column according the underlined part.

Camera	bird	learn	first	final
culture		natural	heard	sir
signal	birthday	again	word	world
yesterday	neighbor	turn	third	assistant

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III. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

1. Sally and her family love (**go**) _____ to the park in the summer.
2. Her mum likes (**lie**) _____ on the blanket and loves (**read**) _____ her favourite magazines.
3. Anna's family (**like**) _____ the park because they love (**be**) _____ outdoors.
4. I enjoy (**collect**) _____ dolls and it becomes my pleasure.
5. We love (**watch**) _____ new films, and we (**go**) _____ to watch a new Hollywood film next weekend.

6. My brother hates (**do**) _____ the same things day after day.
7. Our uncle (**play**) _____ badminton once a week.
8. I (**collect**) _____ a lot of stamps from foreign countries so far.
9. In 2100, people (**travel**) _____ in flying cars.
10. I'm so hungry, Mum.
- I (**make**) _____ you some sandwiches.

B. READING

I. Read the text and choose the correct answer.

If you enjoy cycling for pleasure, doing it in London can be a shock. There are not enough lanes especially for bikes, and making your way through the traffic can be very risky. But if you have great passion, cycling in London can be exciting, and **it** is an inexpensive way of keeping fit if you live there. Some cyclists don't mind spending a lot of money on expensive bikes. However, if you just want a basic bike that is only for occasional use, there are many cheap choices. Several markets have cheap bikes on sale which may not be impressive to look at but should be satisfactory. You should buy a cycling helmet if you want to cycle in London. Wearing a cycling helmet is not compulsory in Britain, but it is a good idea to wear one for protection.

1. What is the main idea of the passage?
A. Cycling helmets B. Cheap bicycles
C. Bicycle markets D. Cycling in London
2. According to the passage, cycling in London is
A. easy B. difficult C. tiring D. boring
3. The word “**it**” in line 3 refers to
A. cycling B. passion C. excitement D. doing exercise
4. The difficulty of cycling in London is described in lines
A. 2 B. 5 C. 5-6 D. 8-9
5. According to the passage, all the followings are true **EXCEPT** that
A. It is compulsory to wear a helmet when cycling in Britain.
B. Some bikes in London are cheap.
C. There are not many lanes especially for bikes.
D. Some cyclists don't want to buy expensive bikes.

III. Choose the most suitable word for each space.

What do you like doing best (1) _____ your spare time? My cousin Paul likes going (2) _____ in the country and (3) _____ photos. Sometimes he (4) _____ with his friends, and they (5) _____ at the park or at the beach. They always (6) _____ a good time. His brother Chris isn't (7) _____ on walking. He spends most of the (8) _____ at home.

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| 1. A. for | B. when | C. in | D. at |
| 2. A. for walks | B. walks | C. a walk | D. to walk |
| 3. A. making | B. having | C. taking | D. doing |
| 4. A. travels | B. gets up | C. sees | D. goes out |
| 5. A. enjoy | B. have fun | C. hobby | D. go |
| 6. A. have | B. make | C. do | D. like |
| 7. A. interested | B. out | C. decided | D. keen |
| 8. A. other | B. time | C. people | D. money |

IV. Complete the second sentence so that it has the same meaning as the first one.

1. We all find painting interesting because it's a creative activity.

→ We all think _____

2. When did you start your hobby?

→ How long _____

3. It took me three hours to make this pottery jug.

→ I spent _____

4. My father likes to do gardening at the weekend.

→ My father enjoys _____

5. Why don't we go swimming this afternoon?

→ What about _____