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Homework Zoom – Lesson : Reading & Writing

I. Complete the sentences with the words from the box.

thatched	citadel	pilgrims	obesity	spectacular
relieved	facilities	picturesque	pedestrian	underpasses

1. Hundreds of thousands of _____ flock to Jerusalem every year.
2. Vietnamese students used to study in classrooms with _____ roofs.
3. He was _____ to see Jeannie reach the other side of the river safely.
4. Hue _____ is situated on the northern bank of the Perfume River.
5. Hoi An is a _____ ancient port town, with an old quarter that dates back to the 15th century.
6. The hotel offers good sporting _____, including a 50 meters swimming pool.
7. A diet that is high in fat and sugar can lead to _____.
8. We can build more, _____ to improve the traffic flow.
9. Elevated walkways are built to improve _____ safety.
10. We had a _____ view of Megan's Bay on the tour!

II. Write the correct form or tense of the verbs in brackets.

1. By the time Alex finished his studies, he _____ (be) in London for over eight years.
2. At the moment the population of the world _____ (grow) at an increasing rate.
3. It _____ (claim) that some doctors were working 80 hours a week.
4. My mother suggested I _____ (throw) away some of the stuff in my closet.
5. While we _____ (do) the maths test, the fire alarm _____ (go) off.
6. I wish I _____ (earn) enough money to travel around the world.
7. She _____ (not set) foot in Ho Chi Minh City since she graduated from University of Economy.
8. They said they _____ (live) in Chicago for six years.
9. She suggested _____ (travel) together for safety, since the area was so dangerous.
10. It's hard for me _____ (concentrate) on working in such a noisy office.

III. Write the correct form of the words in brackets.

1. _____ is a state whereby one is unable to read and write. (literate)
2. Show teenagers that you respect their _____ by knocking on their bedroom door. (private)
3. Reality TV has been a very successful form of mass _____. (entertain)
4. The _____ needs to know what rocks the drill has reached. (geology)
5. It's difficult to _____ with a negative people who will do nothing to help themselves. (sympathy)
6. The Eiffel Tower in Paris is an instantly _____ landmark. (recognize)
7. She pretends that she knows all about the latest films and art _____, but it's all a pose. (exhibit)
8. The company produces computers in _____ with a German firm. (cooperate)
9. He is a pleasant child, but often rowdy, _____ and rough with others. (obey)
10. My biggest weakness was my lack of sympathy or _____ for incompetence. (tolerate)

IV. Mark the letter a, b, c or d to indicate that underlined part that needs correction in each of the following questions.

1. The doctor suggested that she does exercises regularly and go to bed as early as possible.
A B C D
2. I wish I can set foot on every corner of Vietnam when I reach 40.
A B C D
3. They are getting used to eating alone as their parents often come home lately.
A B C D
4. It is expected that there has been more than 5 million international tourists to visit Ha Long Bay this year.
A B C D
5. I used to having a very bad argument with my Maths teacher when I was at high school.
A B C D
6. In spite of his dropped out of Harvard in 1975, Bill Gates managed to found Microsoft with his childhood friend.
A B C D
7. The number of milk tea shops has increased considerable in Ho Chi Minh City during the last two years.
A B C D
8. If time had turned back, I would enjoy my childhood in the most fabulous way.
A B C D
9. No matter how hardly I tried, I couldn't understand the meaning of the story.
A B C D
10. Vietnamese young people prefer eating out to cook the meals on their own.
A B C D

V. Choose the correct answers to complete the passage.

As I remember, (1)_____ in the 50s and 60s, Ha Noi was not as crowded as it is today. Bicycles and cyclos were the main means of transport and the few motorbikes that were around were (2)_____ by rich people. It was rare to see cars or jeeps.

Meanwhile, the tram was the only method of public transport. An old tram station is now home (3)_____ several retail outlets that look out over the lake in Dinh Tien Hoang Street.

At that time, Hanoians always travelled by tram, not only for its (4)_____ but also the price. For just five cents you could travel one-way to it's terminus in the former Ha Dong Province, (5)_____ is now part of the expanded Ha Noi.

I still remember on (6)_____ from school, my friends and I would go to the lake to catch the tram to Botanical Garden. The sound, clang-clang, clang-clang could be regularly heard from early in the morning until late in the evening, come rain or (7)_____. Time, ... decades have passed, but there is still a clang (8)_____ in my mind from my childhood.

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| 1. a. move | b. place | c. set | d. back |
| 2. a. bought | b. owned | c. sold | d. proceeded |
| 3. a. with | b. in | c. to | d. by |
| 4. a. convenience | b. importance | c. comfort | d. condition |
| 5. a. that | b. which | c. where | d. this |
| 6. a. days out | b. out days | c. off days | d. days off |
| 7. a. light | b. rise | c. shine | d. brighten |
| 8. a. somewhat | b. somewhere | c. somehow | d. someway |