

I. Listen to the recording.

Mark the statements (1 – 6) True or False,

Italian Foods at Easter

1. Easter is the holiday when people can be with their family and enjoy holiday food. **T / F**
2. All people in the US celebrate Easter with the same kind of food. **T / F**
3. There is an Italian market in Washington D.C. that has traditional Italian Easter foods. **T / F**
4. In the middle of the Via Umbria shop there is a large chocolate cake. **T / F**
5. “Buona Pasqua” means “Happy Easter” in Italian. **T / F**
6. The Via Umbria shop has a lot of different kinds of Easter eggs. **T / F**

II. Read the text below. Choose from (A – H) the one that best fits each space (1 – 6). There are two choices you do not need to use.

Discovered Mayan Artifacts

Archaeologists have discovered about 200 Mayan artifacts in Mexico that (1) _____.

The artifacts were found inside a cave in ruins of the ancient Mayan city. Mexico’s National Institute of Anthropology and History announced the discovery during a press conference in Mexico City.

The lead researcher on the project Guillermo de Anda called the cave a “scientific treasure”. He said the artifacts appear to date back to around A.D.1000. “What we found there was incredible, and completely untouched,” he added.

The findings included bone pieces. In addition, vases, plates and (2) _____. The cave where the objects were found is part of a cave system (3) _____. The cave is about three kilometres east of the main pyramid of Kukulcan, which sits at the center of Chichen Itza. The stone city is described by the United Nations as (4) _____.

De Anda added that his team had explored about 460 metres of the cave, and is unsure how far it stretches. The team plans to continue exploring the cave. Artifacts found will not be removed, but studied inside, he said.

The team accidentally found the artifacts while exploring Chichen Itza in an effort (5) _____. A series of lakes can be seen on parts of the surface. But the archaeologists are exploring other water sites below pyramids, temples and other buildings.

The cave had been discovered by local people 50 years ago, (6) _____, de Anda says. He hopes the new discovery will help scientists better understand the history, lives and beliefs of people who lived in Chichen Itza. He says archaeologists believe there may be another undiscovered cave hidden under the pyramid of Kukulcan that could be connected to the latest find.

- A. known as Balamku or “Jaguar God”
- B. to learn more about its underground water system
- C. to find out unusual objects
- D. appear to have been untouched for 1000 years
- E. other objects were discovered
- F. but was not fully explored
- G. other animals were discovered
- H. one of the greatest Mayan centres of the Yucatan Peninsula

III. Read and complete the gaps in the text with the correct option.

Dog show

At the Westminster Dog Show in New York, fox terriers (1) _____ to win.

A dog from Brazil, who (2) _____ a big show in Europe, became America’s top dog (3) _____ Tuesday night. The (4) _____ name is King. He is 7 years old.

Fox terriers have won “best in show” 15 times at Westminster, (5) _____ dog competition in the United States. That is far more (6) _____ any other dog breed.

Judge Peter Green pointed to King (7) _____ his victory, Green is a (8) _____ person the dog world, especially for his work with terriers. He (9) _____ King as the champion at other shows.

Gabriel Rangel is King’s trainer. He said his dog looks “like a beautiful painting, a piece of art.”

“The way he stands and performs, he’s the whole package,” he (10) _____.

King has many qualities that made him a Westminster champion. He has a good coat of fur. He has a beautiful way of walking. And he has a playful (11) _____.

Tuesday night’s victory was (12) _____ “best in show” win for King.

1.	A.	continues	B.	continue	C.	continued	D.	is continuing
2.	A.	already wins	B.	already won	C.	has already win	D.	had already won
3.	A.	at	B.	on	C.	in	D.	of
4.	A.	winner	B.	winner’s	C.	winners	D.	winners’
5.	A.	the most important	B.	more important	C.	much important	D.	most important
6.	A.	than	B.	as	C.	like	D.	about
7.	A.	confirm	B.	to confirm	C.	to confirming	D.	confirms
8.	A.	well-knew	B.	good-known	C.	well-known	D.	good-knew
9.	A.	have chosen	B.	was chosen	C.	is chosen	D.	has chosen
10.	A.	added	B.	cried	C.	sang	D.	cheated
11.	A.	person	B.	personality	C.	personal	D.	personalize
12.	A.	47th	B.	the 47th	C.	47	D.	the 47s