Unit 8 TOURISM

VOCABULARY

- Tourism
- Compound nouns

PRONUNCIATION

Tones in asking for information

GRAMMAR

Articles: other uses

SKILLS

- Reading for general and specific information about a tourist attraction
- Talking about one's choice of holiday
- Listening for specific information about the benefits of tourism to an area/ country
- Writing a paragraph about the negative effects of tourism on an area/country

COMMUNICATION

Discussing a place/country you would like to visit on holiday

I. Choose the word (A, B, C or D) whose stress is different from the others.

1.	A. confusion	B. motorway	C. scenery	D. pyramid
2.	A. preservation	B. expedition	C. speciality	D. stimulating
3.	A. affordable	B. corporation	C. remarkable	D. magnificence
4.	A. excursion	B. exotic	C. breathtaking	D. imperial
5.	A. characteristic	B. magnificent	C. subordinate	D. accessible

II. Choose the word (A, B, C or D) whose underlined part is pronounced differently.

1.	A. affordable	B. cosmologist	C. ordinary	D. fortunately
2.	A. breathtaking	B. cathedral	C. underneath	D. southerner
3.	A. scenery	B. exotic	C. attractive	D. contribute
4.	A. magnificence	B. definitely	C. inventively	D. significant
5.	A. stalagmite	B. sightseeing	C. tiredness	D. motorway

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III. Choose the correct form of the words (A, B, C or D) to complete the sentences.

1. The street food here was so delicious and _____ so I ate a lot.

   A. afford B. affordable C. afforded D. affording

2. Nha Trang is one of the most famous _____ attractions in Viet Nam.

   A. tour B. tourism C. tourist D. touring

3. All my family members enjoy _____ abroad.

   A. travelling B. travel C. to travel D. to travelling

4. It's such an _____ location I've ever visited.

   A. exciting B. excited C. excitement D. excitable

5. Khang always hopes to go on a _____ with Dan.

   A. cycler B. cycled C. cyclic D. cycling

IV. Choose the best word or phrase (A, B, C or D) to complete each sentence.

1. Dan prefers staying at a hotel with a _____ but Khang does not.

   A. swim lake B. swim pool C. swimming lake D. swimming pool

2. Should we have a _____ go with us during the trip?

   A. tour guard B. tour introducer C. tour director D. tour guide

3. Unless you have a driving _____, you won't be allowed to drive a car.

   A. license B. allowance C. certificate D. permit

4. When you arrive at the airport, come to the _____ desk to show your ticket before getting on the plane.

   A. check-out B. check-in C. check-into D. check-out of

5. Liz dropped her clutch on the plane so she decided to contact the _____.

   A. customer B. customs C. custom D. customer's

6. Would you like to go on a wildlife _____ to Tanzania with me?

   A. safari B. high-trekking C. bush walking D. expedition

7. She won't participate in the tour with us. She has a _____ sick so she can't go by coach.

   A. car B. coach C. vehicles D. transport

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8. I dream of an adventure to _____ Amazon.

A. an B. θ C. a D. the

9. Have you ever been to London, the _____ land of Sherlock Homes?

A. mythical B. fabulous C. imaginary D. legendary

10. The plane is going to _____ so I have to end the phone.

A. take up B. take off C. take out D. take over

11. Bill hasn't _____ his mind about what he should bring with him on the trip to Russia.

A. come into B. made up C. gone through D. thought of

12. The souvenirs at this shop are affordable so I buy a lot without _____ the bank.

A. damaging B. destroying C. breaking D. cracking

13. Since the seaside city was _____ on television last year, more and more tourists have come there to enjoy the breathtaking view.

A. aired B. exposed C. announced D. revealed

14. Our flight was planned to start at 5 p.m., but it was _____ until 8:30 p.m. because of mechanical problems.

A. cancelled B. stopped C. delayed D. paused

15. A pile-_____ has just happened near the hotel. A lot of cars have been seriously damaged.

A. off B. on C. in D. up

V. Choose the best response (A, B, C or D) to complete each conversation.

1. - _____

- No, it's not.

A. Shall we go swimming this weekend?

B. Is this your cup of tea?

C. Would you like some tea?

D. Did you travel to Tokyo last month?

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2. - What's the matter?

- _____

A. It's such a mysterious castle.

B. The taxi is coming.

C. I have jet lag.

D. My mother has just called me.

3. - _____

- Poor you.

A. I don't know where to go on a summer vacation.

B. There must be a hotel near here.

C. I've just had an exciting trip to Dam Sen Park.

D. My purse got lost.

VI. Read the passage and choose the correct answers (A, B, C or D) to fill in the blanks.

One of my worst airport experiences is when I 1. _____ to Los Angeles for the summer. My flight to the City of Angels went off without a 2. _____ and the vacation was a blast. Things started going downhill on the last day. The nightmare began as I arrived 3. _____ Los Angeles International airport. A Hollywood superstar was arriving at the same time. Fans and paparazzi that were surrounding him blocked the entrance for ten minutes. I made it inside the airport only to find out my flight had been delayed. 4. _____ extreme weather in Chicago, my destination, I had to wait at the airport for hours. To make the matter worse, it was a very hot day and the AC wasn't helping much. After four hours, the regular flight schedule resumed. 5. _____, the check-in process went smoothly. Needless to say, I had never been happier to finally take my seat on the airplane.

1.	A. am travelling	B. travel	C. travelled	D. will travel
2.	A. trouble	B. problem	C. hitch	D. difficulty
3.	A. in	B. at	C. to	D. on
4.	A. Because of	B. Since	C. Although	D. Despite
5.	A. Thanking	B. Thanks	C. Thankful	D. Thankfully

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VII. Read the passage and choose the correct answers.

Tourism plays an important part in the development of every country's economy. Tourism's positive economic impacts include jobs creation. Jobs such as tour guides, or hotel employees, etc. are a direct result of tourism. The increase in the number of tourists in a country also creates more jobs in retails, food production and transportation, etc. In addition, tourists spending money while travelling help stimulate the economy as it increases foreign exchange and results in local people spending more money. The development of tourism also encourages investment from big corporations and provides opportunities for other small businesses. This will generate more tax revenue which in turn can be used by government to improve public infrastructure such as road, hospitals, and schools, etc.

1. What is tourism important for?
   A. The development of every country's politics.
   B. The development of every country's economy.
   C. The development of every country's diplomacy.
   D. The development of every country's defence.
2. What kinds of job are a direct result of tourism?
   A. Tour guides, hotel employees...
   B. Drivers, shopkeepers...
   C. Cooks, waiters...
   D. Artisans, engineers...
3. Why do tourists spending money while travelling help stimulate the economy?
   A. Because it increases the value of money and results in local people spending less money.
   B. Because it increases the value of money and results in international people spending more money.
   C. Because it increases foreign exchange and results in local people spending less money.
   D. Because it increases foreign exchange and results in local people spending more money.

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4. What can the development of tourism encourage?

   A. Investment from big corporations.

   B. Investment from small corporations.

   C. Investment from international businesses.

   D. Investment from local businesses.

5. What is tax revenue used?

   A. To improve governmental infrastructure.

   B. To improve governmental superstructure.

   C. To improve public infrastructure.

   D. To improve public superstructure.

VIII. Choose the underlined word or phrase (marked A, B, C or D) in each sentence that needs correcting.

1. Perhaps I go to a seaside resort eating seafoods and doing sightseeing all day.
   A B C D

2. Nothing made my heart beat faster than hearing wolves howled at night.
   A B C D

3. Hotels and resorts usually full of customers in peak seasons.
   A B C D

4. Liz prefers holiday accomodations like mountains and forests to beaches
   A B C D
   and rivers.

5. Khang and Dan have planned to travel to USA this Christmas.
   A B C D

6. We will have a three-weeks holiday next month. What are you going to do?
   A B C D

7. He cannot contact with his wife because she is going on camping now.
   A B C D

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