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MIDTERM TEST (SEMESTER 2)

Time: 45 minutes

GRADE: 9

Full name:.....

Class: .....

A. WRITTEN TEST (45 minutes; 8 points)

I. LISTENING (2 points)

Task 1: Listen to Kiko giving advice on how to learn vocabulary effectively. Fill in the blank with NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER. You will listen TWICE.

1. Learners should base on……. to guess the meaning of new words.
2. It's required from 10 to……. times of repetition to memorize a new word.
3. New words should be written down on an……. for later review.
4. To check the usage of a words, learners can use the webpage…….
5. Learners should ……. a new word with the known ones.

Task 2: Listen to a man and a woman talking about their sightseeing tour. Choose 3 places that they will visit. You will listen TWICE.

A. art museum
B. Indian restaurant
C. zoo
D. shopping centre
E. beach

II. READING (2 points)

Task 1. Read the passage. Circle the best option (A, B or C).

A Healthy Life?

Many health experts believe that children and young people today are more (1) ……. than they used to be. So why has this happened?

One reason is bad eating habits. Many of young people don't have a healthy diet. They eat too much fast food (2) ……. hamburgers and pizza and not enough fruit and vegetables. In the US. Many children have eaten fast food regularly since they were very young. In fact, almost one-third of American children aged four to nineteen have been eating fast food nearly all the time. They also don't (3) ……. exercise and spend too much of their time watching TV, surfing the Internet, or playing computer games.

So how can you change your habits if you have been following an unhealthy lifestyle for a long time? First, change your (3) ……. and eat more fruit and vegetables. Next, find an activity you enjoy. Why not try something different like rock climbing, surfing, or hiking? Many young people have found that became (4) ……. and healthy can be a lot of fun.

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1.	A. healthy	B. unhealthy	C. unhealthily
2.	A. such	B. like	C. as
3.	A. do	B. make	C. bring
4.	A. stressed	B. obese	C. fit

Task 2. Read the text below and answer the questions.

Travel and tourism are very important to millions of people over the world. In every country you can find people that work in travel and tourism. Some countries need the money from tourism to help their people survive. It is necessary for these places that travel, and tourism continue to expand and bring money to their regions.

However, travel and tourism have negative aspects. Planes, buses, boats, and other means of transportation that carry travelers and tourists cause pollution. Moreover, some people do things on a holiday they would never think of doing at home. For example, many travelers use a lot of water and electricity when they stay in hotels.

They forget to turn off the lights or even leave televisions and air conditioning units on when they leave the room. On top of that, it is often difficult or impossible for travelers to recycle items, so they end up leaving large amounts of waste behind. That's why it is important for people to travel wisely and respect the places they visit.

There are ways you can travel and be environmentally friendly. Here are some tips to help you:

1. Don't throw rubbish on streets, beaches or in the countryside.

2. Don't use too much water or electricity.

3. Taste the local and national dishes of the country.

4. Buy local products or souvenirs.

5. Don't buy any products made from endangered species; sea turtle shells or bags made from reptiles or other animals.

1. Why is tourism important to some countries?

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2. What do many people use a lot when staying in hotels?

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3. Why do some tourists end up leaving large amounts of waste behind?

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4. What shouldn't you do to be environmentally friendly? Mention two ideas.

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III. WRITING (2 points)

Task 1. Rewrite the following sentences based on the given words.

1. If he's not at the library now, there's a possibility that he's reading in the classroom.
   ..... (MIGHT)
2. He makes a lot of mistakes in pronunciation. His foreign friends often don't understand him.
   .....(IF)
3. Last year I visited a town. They filmed "A little girl" there.
   .....(WHERE)
4. "You should eat more nutritious food instead of fast food", said my mom
   "If I ..... (WERE)

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Task 2. Write a paragraph (100 -120 words) about the bout the negative effects of tourist. You can use the following ideas as cues.

Negative effect: quality of life of the local community is changed

- Changes in lifestyle change
- Changes in cultural and traditional practice
- Changes in physical structure

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IV. LANGUAGE FOCUS (2 points)

Task 1. Choose the word with a different way of pronunciation in the underlined part. Circle A, B or C.

1. A. polluted B. visited C. preserved
2. A. unusual B. insurance C. impression

Task 2: Find the word which has a different stress pattern from the others.

1. A. recipe B. ingredient C. benefit
2. A. discover B. fantastic C. tourist

Task 3. Circle the mistake in the following sentences.

1. If you don't have breakfast in the morning, you couldn't be able to work efficiently.
   A B C
2. If she used English in her daily conversation, her English won't be so rusty now.
   A B C
3. Lily has a friend who daughter is a chef at a famous restaurant.
   A B C
4. The world's highest mountain, the Mount Everest, is in the Himalaya.
   A B C

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Task 4. Choose the best option to complete each sentence. Circle A, B, or C

1. Fast food is not healthy because it contains a lot of artificial flavours and…….
   A. preserve B. preservation C. preservatives
2. Mummy, can you give me a……. of garlic, please?
   A. clove B. bar C. teaspoon
3. When you…….a chicken, you cook it in an oven or over a fire without liquid
   A. roast B. steam C. fry
4. I applied for ……. job last week. ……. job involved driving a van around the country.
   A. the - the B. the - a C. a - the
5. Excuse me, how much is a ……. ticket to New York?
   A. ticket return B. return ticket C. returning ticket
6. More and more foreigners like travelling to Vietnam because things are……. here.
   A. affordance B. affordable C. afford
7. It's not easy to……. A foreign language if you don't use it regularly.
   A. challenge B. simplify C. master
8. Keiko is from Japanese, and she can speak English. Therefore, she is a…….
   A. non-native English speaker B. native English speaker C. English non-native speaker

D. SPEAKING TEST (2 points, approximately 3-5 minutes/ one pair of students)

* Notes:

- Students can record mp4 files and upload on google drive, then copy link into the answer sheets.

Task 1. Now let's talk about travelling. Are you ready?

1. Do you like travelling?
2. When you visit new places, what do you like to do?
3. What places would you like to visit in the future?
4. Where would you recommend a foreigner to visit in your country?

Task 2. Now talk about your favourite food. You have 1 minute to prepare

You can use the following questions as cues.

- What is the food?
- How is it made?
- Why is it your favourite food?

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