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## PRACTICE TEST 9

### LISTENING

Listen to a radio presenter talking about a summer event and choose the best answer for each question

1. Who has already been asked to go to the cinema with Lee?

- A. his friend Sarah
- B. a member of his family
- C. his friends from basketball

2. Where did Lee get the tickets?

- A. A friend from school gave them to him.
- B. He won them in a competition.
- C. He got them on the Internet.

3 What do they have to pay for?

- A. snacks
- B. fizzy drinks
- C. sweets

4 They are going to see \_\_\_\_\_

- A. a film about two people in love.
- B. a new film full of action.
- C. a really funny film.

5 What time does Paula think they should meet?

- A half an hour before the film
- B an hour before the film
- C. one and a half hours before the film

**PRONUNCIATION:** Choose the word (A, B, C or D) that has underlined part is pronounced differently from the rest.

1. A. <u>s</u> wallow	B. <u>s</u> witch	C. <u>s</u> weet	D. <u>s</u> word
2. A. <u>th</u> ey	B. <u>th</u> ank	C. <u>th</u> ick	D. <u>th</u> ink

### VOCABULARY & GRAMMAR:

Choose the best option (A, B, C or D) to complete the following sentences.

1. Many rare \_\_\_\_\_ of animals are in danger of extinction.

A. species      B. classes      C. beings      D. pairs

2. Many efforts have been made to protect \_\_\_\_\_ nature.  
 A. danger      B. dangerous      C. endanger      D. endangered

3. Non-renewable energy sources are running \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. up      B. on      C. to      D. out

4. The natural environment consists \_\_\_\_\_ all natural resources.  
 A. in      B. of      C. to      D. on

5. We are proud of our \_\_\_\_\_ staff, who are always friendly and efficient.  
 A. well-done      B. well-appointed      C. well-behaved      D. well-trained

6. Their efforts were much \_\_\_\_\_ when they won 2 gold medals in bodybuilding and billiards.  
 A. considered      B. required      C. expended      D. appreciated

7. In order to make sure that these rare animals do not disappear, \_\_\_\_\_ have been made to protect the environments.  
 A. tries      B. attempt      C. labor      D. efforts

8. The number of rare animals is decreasing so rapidly that they are in \_\_\_\_\_ of becoming extinct.  
 A. risk      B. emergency      C. consequences      D. danger

## WORD FORM

*Supply the correct form of word in bracket to fill in the blank to make a meaningful sentence (0.5 points)*

1. \_\_\_\_\_ pollution is a big problem in all the countries on earth. ENVIRONMENT  
 2. The number of \_\_\_\_\_ in the Asian Games has been increasing. PARTICIPATE

## READING

*A. Read the following passage and choose the letter (A, B, C or D) to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbered blanks.*

Every ambitious athlete hopes to fulfil their dream of winning (1) \_\_\_\_\_ gold medal at the Olympics. However, not everyone can win, and often talented athletes must accept second place. A team of psychologists recently (2) \_\_\_\_\_ some research on the emotional responses of those finishing second. For certain individuals, a silver medal may exceed their expectations and so naturally they will be delighted. They may also enjoy surprising experts and journalists who believed they had absolutely no (3) \_\_\_\_\_ of achieving anything. In (4) \_\_\_\_\_, the athlete who everyone assumed would win with ease, but then suffers a narrow defeat, may not celebrate their silver medal. This reaction differs sharply (5) \_\_\_\_\_ the athlete who comes second but finished a long way behind the winner.

1. A. an      B. the      C. a      D. some

2. A. controlled      B. conducted      C. directed      D. guided

3. A. outlook      B. view      C. estimate      D. prospect

4. A. opposition      B. contrast      C. distinction      D. contradiction

5. A. from      B. in      C. on      D. at

**Read the following passage and choose the best answer for each of the following questions**

Since the world became industrialized, the number of animal species that have either become extinct or have neared extinction has increased. Bengal tigers, for instance, which once roamed the jungles in vast numbers, now number only about 2,300. By the year 2025, it is estimated that they will become extinct.

What is alarming about the case of the Bengal tiger is that this extinction will have been caused almost entirely by ***poachers*** who, according to some sources, are not always interested in material gain but in personal gratification. ***This*** is an example of the callousness that is contributing to the problem of extinction. Animals such as the Bengal tiger, as well as other endangered species, are valuable parts of the world's ecosystem. International laws protecting these animals must be enacted to ensure their survival - and the survival of our planet.

Countries around the world have begun to deal with the problem in various ways. Some countries, in an effort to circumvent the problem, have allocated large amounts of land to animal reserves. They then charge admission prices to help defray the costs of maintaining the parks, and they often must also depend on world organizations for support. This money enables them to invest in equipment and patrols to protect the animals. Another response to the increase in animal extinction is an international boycott of products made from endangered species. This has had some effect, but by itself it will not prevent animals from being hunted and killed.

Câu 1: What is the main topic of the passage?

- A. The Bengal tiger
- B. International boycotts
- C. Endangered species
- D. Problems with industrialization

Câu 2: The word “*poachers*” used in line 7 could be best replaced by which of the followings?

- A. Illegal hunters
- B. Enterprising researchers.
- C. Concerned scientists
- D. Trained hunters

Câu 3: What is an act of cruelty according to the passage?

- A. Having interest in material gain.
- B. Hunting endangered animals.
- C. Killing animals for personal satisfaction.
- D. Causing the problem of extinction. .

Câu 4: What does the word “*This*” in the first paragraph refers to in the passage?

- A. Bengal tigers
- B. Interest in material gain
- C. Killing animals for personal satisfaction
- D. The decrease in the Bengal tiger population

Câu 5: Which of the following is not mentioned in the passage as a way to protect animals from extinction?

- A. Introduce laws to prohibit the killing of endangered animals.
- B. Establish wildlife reserves.
- C. Refuse to buy animal products.
- D. Raise money to invest in equipment and patrol.

**V. ERROR IDENTIFICATION:** *Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the underlined part that needs correction.*

1. My brother does his homework when he heard the explosion last night.

A. the explosion    B. does    C. My brother    D. when

2. Our well-trained staff always are thoughtful and courteous to customers.

A. well-trained    B. always are    C. and    D. to customers

**VI. WRITING**

1. My brother is the only one that realized the danger. (*using infinitive phrases*)

=> \_\_\_\_\_

3. Alex is one of my oldest friends. He has just gone to live in Canada. (*joining the two sentences using relative pronouns*)

=> \_\_\_\_\_

9. We were very glad to know she was the last person that was sponsored.

=> \_\_\_\_\_

10. The student who is talking with my teacher over there comes from Japan.

=> \_\_\_\_\_