

UNIT 3 PEOPLES OF VIET NAM – TEST 1

IV. Fill in the gap with “a/an/the” to complete the passage

If you are in Ha Noi and you want to have (1) overview of the ethnic groups of Viet Nam, you should visit the Museum of Ethnology. It is situated in Nguyen Van Huyen Street, Cau Giay District. The Museum is (2) valuable centre for the exhibition and preservation of the cultural heritage of (3)..... 54 ethnic groups in the whole country. There are thousands of objects and photographs representing ways of life and creative activities of these peoples. Moreover, typical houses have been taken from their original sites and rebuilt in (4)..... museum gardens. These houses model (5)..... traditional architecture of ethnic minorities. The museum also has a lot of information about all (6) different ethnic peoples in Viet Nam.

C/LISTENING: Listen and fill in the blanks

Five-coloured sticky rice is an important (1)..... dish of many ethnic minorities in the northern mountainous regions. People call the dish five-coloured sticky rice because it has five colours: red, yellow, green, purple and white. The things that create the colours are not chemicals but (2)..... roots and leaves. The five colours of the dish represent five (3)..... of life according to Vietnamese (4) : yellow is earth, red is fire, green is plants, white is metal, and purple or black is water. People believe that these five elements create (5)..... between heaven and earth. Five-coloured sticky rice is usually made and enjoyed at Tet, in (6) and ceremonies, on special occasions, and whenever the family has (7)..... .