

PRACTICE TEST 2

Part I. Look and read. Choose the correct words and write them on the lines

factory/suburbs/environment/commercial centre/shopping centre/continent/car park/library/

1. You can borrow books or study there: _____.
2. The area outside the city center where people live: _____.
3. An area where there are company offices and banks in a town: _____.
4. The air, land and water around us: _____.
5. A place where goods (washing machines, furniture, etc.) are made: _____.

Part II. Choose the correct answer to complete the sentence.

1. It's a good idea in theory, but it's going to be hard to put it into _____.
A. trial B. examination C. practice D. test
2. Thanks for the meal. _____, how's your brother getting on?
A. By the way B. Moreover
C. To put it another way D. For example
3. She often _____ her own clothes.
A. makes B. does C. produces D. cuts
4. It wasn't an awful experience. It was the worst thing _____ has ever happened to me.
A. what B. why C. that D. which
5. A good _____ of English will help you find a job more easily.
A. condition B. expectation C. satisfaction D. knowledge
6. It is raining hard. We had better _____ at home tonight.
A. to stay B. staying C. stay D. to be staying
7. The computer's memory is the place where information _____ and calculations are done.
A. kept B. keep C. are kept D. is kept
8. I like his essay because it's very _____.
A. imaginary B. imaginative C. imagination D. imaginable
9. As an _____, Mr. Pike is very worried about an increase in teenager crimes.
A. educate B. educational C. education D. educator
10. With greatly increased workloads, everyone is _____ pressure now.
A. under B. above C. upon D. out of

Part III. Choose sentences (A-J) to complete the following conversation.

A	B
1. I have spots.	A. Wear a sun hat.
2. I get sunburnt.	B. Wear warm clothes and drink hot water.
3. I have toothache.	C. Eat less junk food.
4. I feel sad.	D. Go outside and play with friends.
5. I'm putting on weight.	E. Stay at home and take a rest.
6. My eyes are getting weaker.	F. Stop eating too many sweets.
7. I feel tired.	G. Spend less time on computer.
8. I have a cold.	H. Don't shout, sing or chew gum.
9. I have a temperature.	I. Cool down your room.
10. I have a sore throat.	J. Wash your face regularly.

Part IV. Read and choose a word from the box. Write the correct word next to numbers 1-10.

oldest	best	age	for	her	and	loves	mother's
is	have	carefully	to	lives	mine	but	outside

Of all my relatives, I like my aunt Emily the (1) _____. She's my (2) _____ youngest sister. She has never married and (3) _____ alone in a small village near Bath. She's fifty years old, (4) _____ she's quite young in spirit. She has a fair complexion, thick brown hair and dark brown eyes. She has a kind face, and when you meet (5) _____, the first thing you notice (6) _____ her smile. Her face is a little wrinkled now, but I think she is still rather attractive. She is the sort of person you can always go to if you (7) _____ a problem and she's extremely generous. She likes reading (8) _____ gardening, and she still goes (9) _____ long walks over the hills. I hope I'm as active as she is when I'm at her (10) _____.

Part V. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer to each of the questions.

The idea of a driverless car is not new. Now there are already cars on the road that can park themselves. But a truly self-driving car, one that can drive itself, is being tested by scientists and engineers.

Self-driving cars have already tested on public roads. These cars not only record images of the road, but their computerised maps view road signs, find alternative routes and see traffic lights even before they are seen by a person. By using radars and cameras, the cars can analyse information about their surroundings faster than a human can.

In some of the tests, the car learns the details of a road by driving on it several times, and when it is time to drive itself, it can identify when there are pedestrians crossing and then stops to let them pass by. Self-driving cars could make transport safer for all of us by eliminating the cause of most of today's accidents.

Although self-driving cars may seem far off, some people believe that there will be driverless cars in showrooms in about 10 years.

1. What is the main idea of the passage?

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| A. Self-driving car: a far off image | B. The prospect of driverless cars |
| C. Computerised maps in cars | D. Safer transport in the future |

2. Now there are already cars on the road that can _____.
A. park themselves
B. record images of the road
C. learn the details of a road
D. actually drive themselves
3. How can the tested cars analyse information about their surroundings?
A. By viewing road signs.
B. By seeing traffic lights quickly.
C. By using radars and cameras.
D. By driving on it several times.
4. The underlined word "them" in the passage refers to _____.
A. tests
B. details
C. times
D. pedestrians
5. In about a decade's time, we may see _____.
A. self-driving cars being tested
B. driverless cars in a far-off place
C. self-driving cars in showrooms
D. much safer cars

Part VI. Rewrite each sentence so that the meaning stays the same.

1. Keeping the environment clean is very important.
It's
2. You'll certainly meet lots of people in your new job.
You are
3. "I'm working in a restaurant, and I don't care much for it." she said.
She said
4. In spite of the bad weather, they had a wonderful holiday.
Although
5. They suggested banning advertisements on TV.
They suggested that

Part VII. Write a paragraph (about 100 - 120 words) about your future job.

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