

ENGLISH TEST 2 GRADE 8: 4/3/2023

I. Listen and write True (T) or False (F)

1. Approximately 330 to 360 million people speak English as their first language.
2. There are 3.8 million in New Zealand.
3. Other countries do not use English as their primary and official languages.
4. India has the largest number of second-language speakers of English.

II. Listen and complete the sentences.

1. It's very easy and interesting to learn English by listening to your favourite _____
2. Watching English movies and TV shows also help to _____ how you speak
3. It's relaxed, and the _____ is easy.
4. Reading is as _____ as listening when learning English

III. Circle the correct answers:

1. English is the _____ language of many countries such as the US, the UK, and Australia.
A. international
B. usual
C. popular
D. official
2. If people didn't throw rubbish in the street, it _____ attractive.
A. will look
B. would look
C. looked

D. was looking

3. We went out _____ it was raining.

A. although

B. because

C. in spite of

D. despite

4. Poisonous _____ from factories can kill a lot of wildlife animals.

A. things

B. animals

C. chemicals

D. nations

5. Find the word which has different sound in the part underlined.

A. state

B. parade

C. accent

D. station

6. When the policeman came there, the robber _____

A. was left

B. has left

C. left

D. had left

7. My brother and I _____ a white tiger already.

A. have seen

B. has seen

C. see

D. are seeing

8. Hundreds of people were made _____ after the flood.

A. homeless

B. helpless

C. careless

D. endless

9. A. Would you mind if I moving this chair

B. Would you mind moving this chair?

C. Would you like a cup of coffee?

D. Will you close the window, please?

– I'd prefer you didn't

10. Circle the incorrect part:

I will (A) call (B) the office if (C) I were (D) you.

IV. Choose A, B, C or D that best answers the question about the passage.

Water _____ (1) happens _____(2) toxic substances enter water bodies such as lakes, rivers, oceans and so on, getting dissolved in them, lying suspended in the water or depositing on the bed. This degrades the quality of water. Not _____(3) does this spell disaster for aquatic ecosystems, the pollutants also seep through and reach the groundwater, which might end up in our households as contaminated water we use in our daily activities, including drinking. Water pollution can be _____ (4) in a number of ways, one of the most polluting being city sewage and industrial waste discharge. Indirect sources _____ (5) water pollution includes contaminants that enter the water supply from soils or groundwater systems and from the atmosphere via rain.

1. A. pollution B. polluted C. pollute D. polluting

2. A. what B. when C. why D. while
3. A. both B. only C. well D. either
4. A. cause B. caused C. causing D. causes
5. A. for B. in C. at D. of

V. Read the paragraph and choose the best answer.

A hundred thousand people were killed and half a million homes destroyed as a result of an earthquake in Tokyo in 1923. The earthquake began a minute before noon when the habitants of Tokyo were cooking their midday meals. Thousands of stoves were overturned as soon as the earth began to shake. As a result, small fires broke out everywhere and quickly spread. The fire engines were prevented from going to help because many of the roads had cracked open. It was impossible to use fire-fighting equipment as most of the water pipes had burst. Consequently, over ninety percent of the damage was caused by fire rather than by the collapse of buildings.

1. When did the Tokyo earthquake happen?
 - A. in 1923
 - B. in 1924
 - C. in 1925
 - D. in 1926
2. How many people were killed in the earthquake?
 - A. a hundred billion
 - B. a hundred million
 - C. a hundred thousand
 - D. a thousand.
3. How many homes were destroyed in the earthquake?
 - A. a million

B. half a million

C. a hundred

D. a thousand

4. What were overturned as soon as the earth began to shake?

A. a thousand of stoves

B. a hundred of stoves

C. a million homes

D. thousands of stoves

5. How many percent of the damage was caused by the collapse of buildings?

A. about 80 %

B. over 90 %

C. nearly 90%

D. 90%

Vi. Do as directed in bracket:

1. Global warming has caused many natural disasters. (Using “ passive” to rewrite the sentence)

Many natural disasters.....

2. We didn't go to the beach because it rained. (Make question for the underlined words)

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3. Noise pollution / big cities / can / lead / hearing / problems. (Rearrange words)

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4. you/ finish/ your homework/ yet ? (Building the sentence)

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