

## Unit 9 – MINI TEST

### I. Choose a word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from others.

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|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 1. A. <u>dis</u> aster | B. <u>harm</u> ful  | C. <u>collap</u> se | D. <u>rage</u>    |
| 2. A. <u>er</u> upt    | B. <u>dis</u> aster | C. <u>scat</u> ter  | D. <u>work</u> er |
| 3. A. <u>bur</u> y     | B. <u>evacu</u> ate | C. <u>rescu</u> e   | D. <u>mus</u> ic  |
| 4. A. <u>tor</u> nado  | B. <u>sh</u> ake    | C. <u>tr</u> ap     | D. <u>rage</u>    |
| 5. A. <u>tsun</u> ami  | B. <u>eru</u> pt    | C. <u>mud</u> slide | D. <u>fund</u>    |

### II. Choose a word that has different stressed syllable from others.

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| 1. A. damage        | B. collapse     | C. erupt        | D. affect        |
| 2. A. permanent     | B. eruption     | C. pollution    | D. disaster      |
| 3. A. station       | B. temperature  | C. illustrate   | D. volcano       |
| 4. A. tsunami       | B. thunderstorm | C. typhoon      | D. tornado       |
| 5. A. accommodation | B. evacuation   | C. contribution | D. contamination |

### III. Choose the best answer.

1. What do you think is the best \_\_\_\_ activity for teenagers..  
 A. leisurely                      B. leisure                      C. be leisure                      D. be leisurely
2. Teenagers rely on \_\_\_\_ more than in the past.  
 A. technology                      B. technological                      C. be technology                      D. technologic
3. What \_\_\_\_ do you do in your free time?  
 A. active                      B. action                      C. activities                      D. be acted
4. She \_\_\_\_ their eggs last Sunday..  
 A. collects                      B. collection                      C. collecting                      D. collected
5. You need to be \_\_\_\_ when playing with strangers.  
 A. carefully                      B. care                      C. be careful                      D. careful
6. Lan: "Most people had move to safe areas when the storm broke." Nam: " \_\_\_\_ "  
 A. Thank you.                      B. That's awful.                      C. That's a relief.                      D. Oh no! That's terrible
7. Ba: "Thousands of people died in the accident." Hoa: " \_\_\_\_ "  
 A. That's a relief!                      B. That's awful!                      C. Wow!                      D. That's great!
8. We also work as volunteers \_\_\_\_\_ an animal protection organization.  
 A. to                      B. at                      C. for                      D. in
9. Tsunami is one of \_\_\_\_\_ natural disasters.  
 A. worse                      B. worst                      C. worse than                      D. the worst
10. Many buildings \_\_\_\_\_ in the earthquake and many people have been trapped there.  
 A. collapsed                      B. collapses                      C. collapse                      D. collapsing

### IV. Choose the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined words in each of the following questions.

1. The Kope earthquake is more commonly known overseas.  
 A. abroad                      B. at sea                      C. by sea                      D. near the sea
2. It is when they hit the shallow waters near the coast that they increase in height.  
 A. not clear                      B. tidal                      C. coastal                      D. not deep

### V. Choose the word(s) OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined words in each of the following questions.

1. Hospitals have refused to take in any more injured people.  
 A. accepted                      B. disagreed                      C. believed                      D. turned down
2. The most common natural disaster in Thanh Hoa are typhoon and flood.  
 A. volcano                      B. thunderstorm                      C. cyclone                      D. drought

### VI. Read the following passage and circle the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word or phrase that best fits each of the numbers blanks.

Tornadoes are storms with very (1)\_\_\_\_\_ turning winds and dark clouds. These winds are perhaps the strongest on (2)\_\_\_\_\_. They reach speeds of 300 miles per hour. The dark clouds are shaped like a funnel — wide at the top and narrow at the bottom. The winds are strongest in (3)\_\_\_\_\_ centre of the funnel. Tornadoes are especially common in the United States, but only in certain parts. They occur mainly in the (4)\_\_\_\_\_ states.

A hot afternoon in the spring is the most likely time for a tornado. (5)\_\_\_\_\_ become dark. There is thunder, lightning and rain. A cloud forms a funnel and begins to twist. The funnel moves faster and faster. The faster the winds, the louder the noise. Tornadoes always move in a northeastern direction. They never last longer than eight hours.

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| 1. A. angry  | B. weak   | C. cruel   | D. strong |
| 2. A. space  | B. earth  | C. ground  | D. planet |
| 3. A. the    | B. that   | C. this    | D. a      |
| 4. A.unknown | B.central | C. foreign | D.farther |
| 5. A. sun    | B.sky     | C. clouds  | D.winds   |

**VII. Read the text and then choose the best answer A, B, C or D.**

Sydney is Australia’s most exciting city. The history of Australia begins here. In 1788 Captain Arthur Philips arrived in Sydney with 11 ships and 1624 passengers from Britain (including 770 prisoners). Today there are about 3.6 million people in Sydney. It is the biggest city in Australia, the busiest port in the South Pacific and one of the most beautiful cities in the world. In Sydney, the buildings are higher, the colors are brighter and the nightlife is more exciting.

There are over 20 excellent beaches close to Sydney and its warm climate and cool winter have made it a favorite city for immigrants from overseas. There are two things that make Sydney famous; its beautiful harbor, Sydney Harbor Bridge, which was built in 1932 and Sydney Opera House. It was opened in 1973.

- Where did Captain Arthur Philips arrive in 1788?  
A. South Pacific                      B. Sydney Harbor                      C. Britain                      D. Sydney
- Which of the following statements is NOT true about Sydney?  
A. Sydney is not a favourite city for immigrants from overseas.  
B. Sydney is one of the most beautiful cities in the world.  
C. Sydney is the most exciting city in Australia.  
D. Sydney is the busiest port in the South Pacific.
- The word “overseas” in the second paragraph mostly mean.....  
A. in the country                      B. homeland                      C. abroad                      D. hometown.
- The word “It” in the second paragraph refer to .....  
A. Sydney’s beautiful harbor                      B. Sydney  
C. Sydney Harbor Bridg                      D. Sydney Opera House.

**VIII. Rewrite the sentences into the passive form.**

- The children left the house. Then the house collapsed.  
→ Before .....
- Some local people took the three injured men to the hospital. After that, the ambulance came.  
→ By the time.....
- All my friends had told me it was a good film.  
→ I .....
- A local artist painted the picture.  
→The picture.....
- A mechanic is going to service our car tomorrow morning.  
→ Our car .....