

I. Circle A, B, C, or D to show the word which has a different vowel sound in each line.

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| 1. A. salt | B. spot  | C. corn   | D. caught |
| 2. A. dear | B. near  | C. year   | D. please |
| 3. A. burn | B. birth | C. search | D. was    |
| 4. A. hear | B. fare  | C. care   | D. share  |
| 5. A. won  | B. run   | C. told   | D. club   |

II. Fill in the blanks with the words/phrases from the box. There are more words/phrases than needed.

hobby                      age                      disabled                      cooking                      constructed (**kiến tạo**)  
playwright (**nhà soạn kịch**)                      speciality                      comedies                      poet                      artists  
bestsellers                      voluntary service

1. Is your best friend the same ..... as yours?
2. After retiring, my grandmother became involved in ..... in the local community.
3. I prefer to see ..... at the theatre because they make me laugh.
4. My brother and I have the same ..... We like to collect stickers.
5. Her mother is a ..... person. I sometimes help her with the housework.
6. Molière is a famous French ..... One of his most popular plays is *The Miser*.
7. The Imperial Academy – the first university in Viet Nam – was ..... under Emperor Ly Nhan Tong in 1076.
8. John Keats was a British ..... His most famous poem is *To Autumn*.
9. Airport bookshops often sell ....., the most famous and widely read books.
10. Five-coloured sticky rice is a ..... in the mountainous regions of North Viet Nam.

### III. Read the passage and choose the correct option for each blank.

Sandwiches are common in many countries. But (1) \_\_\_\_\_ did this strange name come from? The Earl of Sandwich (1718 - 1792) was an Englishman. He liked (2) \_\_\_\_\_ cards. One night he played for hours and got very hungry. (3) \_\_\_\_\_ he didn't want to stop his card game. He asked for some roast meat (4) \_\_\_\_\_ two pieces of bread. (People bake roast meat in the oven or a stove). He ate the food (5) \_\_\_\_\_ he played cards. People gave his name (6) \_\_\_\_\_ this new kind of food.

Pizza is (7) \_\_\_\_\_ international food. A baker probably (8) \_\_\_\_\_ the pizza in Naples, Italy. It was about the same time (9) \_\_\_\_\_ the first sandwich. "Pizza" means "pie" in Italian. People (10) \_\_\_\_\_ the name "pizza pie" for a long time. Now it is just "pizza".

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|-----|------------|--------------|------------|-------------|
| 1.  | A.what     | B.when       | C.where    | D.how       |
| 2.  | A.play     | B.played     | C.plays    | D.playing   |
| 3.  | A.So       | B.Moreover   | C.But      | D.Because   |
| 4.  | A.for      | B.between    | C.on       | D.among     |
| 5.  | A.while    | B.until      | C.after    | D.before    |
| 6.  | A.to       | B.for        | C.from     | D.with      |
| 7.  | A.other    | B.another    | C.others   | D.the other |
| 8.  | A.did      | B.discovered | C.invented | D.found     |
| 9.  | A.than     | B.as         | C.like     | D.from      |
| 10. | A.was used | B.have used  | C.use      | D.used      |

### IV. Choose the best option A, B, C or D to finish the sentences:

1. We must be quick. There's \_\_\_\_\_ time left.

- A.little      B.few      C.much      D.more

2. He made the soup by mixing \_\_\_\_\_ meat with some rice.

- A.little      B.few      C.a little      D.a few

3. Luckily I \_\_\_\_\_ few mistakes in my last exam.

- A.make      B.made      C.have made      D.am making

4. You look very \_\_\_\_\_. I'm sure you play sports regularly.

- A.thin      B.fat      C.fit      D.well

5. Hamlet is an example of a \_\_\_\_\_. It has an unhappy ending.

- A.tragedy      B.character      C.comedy      D.play

6. I \_\_\_\_\_ such nice and enthusiastic volunteers before.

A.never meet      B.have never met      C.never met      D.will never meet

**7. I want to pass the test, \_\_\_\_\_ I'm studying hard.**

A.but                      B.because                      C.so                      D.although

**8. Paul is similar to his brother in their interest \_\_\_\_\_ horse riding.**

A.to                      B.with                      C.for                      D.in

**9. I am not ready yet and \_\_\_\_\_.**

A.she is too              B.she is not              C.so is she              D.she isn't either

**10. The play was very long, but there were two \_\_\_\_\_.**

A.intervals              B.rests                      C.interruptions              D.gaps

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## **VII. Write complete sentences, using the words and phrases given.**

**1. How much/ needed/ good meal/ Tokyo /?**

\_\_\_\_\_?

**2. Vacations/ supposed/ be/ time/ relaxing /.**

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**3. This weather/ not suitable/ camping holiday /.**

\_\_\_\_\_.

**4. John/ be/ good football/ hopeless/ become/ coach /.**

\_\_\_\_\_.

**5. easy/ start/ diet/ but/ much harder/ keep/ to it /.**

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