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**BÀI TẬP PTNL ENGLISH GRADE 9**  
**UNIT 6: Vietnamese lifestyle: Then and now**

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**VIETNAMESE LIFESTYLE:  
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**LANGUAGE FOCUS**

**PRONUNCIATION**

I. Listen and circle the words you hear. Then listen and repeat. (16)

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|--------------|-----------|------------|---------|
| 1. A. flow   | B. frow   | 2. A. flag | B. frag |
| 3. A. flying | B. frying | 4. A. flat | B. frat |
| 5. A. flocks | B. frocks |            |         |

II. Read the sentences. Pay attention to the underlined words. Then listen, check, and repeat. (17)

- I got these beautiful flowers from my daughter.
- What about the influence of social media on your friends?
- The durian's smell, not flavour, is stronger than other fruit.
- A frightening explosion followed blind flashes.
- Sitting next to me on my flight to Dubai is a freaky man.



**VOCABULARY & GRAMMAR**

III. Match the phrases and the pictures.



A. extended family

B. traditional costume

C. note taking

D. learning facilities

E. open-air market



**IV. Circle the incorrect word / phrase in each sentence.**

1. People now are not as friendly as they were in the past because they don't have much time to communication with one another.  
 A B C D
2. It is not very hard to do housework now since we have a lot of home facility to help.  
 A B C D
3. I enjoy going to air open markets where people talk to one another, and they sometimes bargain.  
 A B C D
4. Life becomes stressfuler in the modern time, and many people are suffering from stress-related problems.  
 A B C D
5. Thanks to technology, communication is now much easier and more conveniency than in the past.  
 A B C D
6. Our generation is luckier than our grandparents' since we now have access to variety sources of entertainment.  
 A B C D
7. My grandparents often tell us stories about past when life, as they think, was quite simple and peaceful.  
 A B C D

**V. Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to complete the sentences.**

1. The relationship among members in our family is quite \_\_\_\_\_. We can express our opinions and our parents listen to us.  
 A. stressful      B. convenient      C. democratic      D. modern
2. My father is a \_\_\_\_\_ man. No matter how busy he is, he always tries to spend the weekend with us.  
 A. family-oriented      B. important      C. independent      D. rich

3. I have become more \_\_\_\_\_ since I moved away from home to study abroad. I've learnt to do things by myself.  
A. creative                      B. free                      C. convenient                      D. independent
4. Children now have more \_\_\_\_\_ to decide their lives than in the past.  
A. power                      B. opportunities                      C. freedom                      D. things
5. Many people in the countryside now own a motorbike, which makes \_\_\_\_\_ to nearby places for entertainment and shopping easier.  
A. walk                      B. transport                      C. way                      D. travel
6. In an extended family, there are more than two \_\_\_\_\_ living together.  
A. people                      B. generations                      C. grandparents                      D. families
7. The Internet allows people to \_\_\_\_\_ their own interests in different ways.  
A. pursue                      B. do                      C. get                      D. feel

**VI. Write the correct form of the verbs in brackets to complete the sentences.**

1. Anne promised \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) late for the visit to the Old Part of Budapest.
2. Do you fancy \_\_\_\_\_ (do) a project on the traditional costumes of the Ede ethnic minority group?
3. I suggested \_\_\_\_\_ (pick) up the traditional cloth-dyeing class which teaches us how to dye cloth using the forest plants.
4. After weeks of talk, my parents decided \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) me a laptop for my studies.
5. Do you mind \_\_\_\_\_ (not touch) the exhibits in the museum?
6. During the course, we learnt \_\_\_\_\_ (survive) in forests.
7. When I heard the stories of the expeditor, I could not help \_\_\_\_\_ (feel) respect for him.

**VII. Complete the sentences with the correct answer A, B, C, or D.**

1. After some research, we all agreed \_\_\_\_\_ the ancient town of Hoi An for our visit.  
A. choosing                      B. to choose                      C. going                      D. to go
2. We must try to avoid \_\_\_\_\_ those mistakes in the future.  
A. repeating                      B. to make                      C. correcting                      D. to find
3. During the history lesson, our teacher suggested \_\_\_\_\_ a quiz on the history of our school.  
A. doing                      B. to do                      C. do                      D. did



4. Do you \_\_\_\_\_ not talking loud on the bus? It's against the bus regulations.  
A. try                      B. agree                      C. know                      D. mind
5. We have \_\_\_\_\_ to visit Thanh Chuong Viet Palace.  
A. fancied                      B. suggested                      C. decided                      D. enjoyed
6. My sister is going on a charity tour to Cao Bang. She \_\_\_\_\_ to open a small library for children there.  
A. avoids                      B. tells                      C. fancies                      D. plans
7. I was surprised that Mike \_\_\_\_\_ participating in the Debate Contest.  
A. planned                      B. avoided                      C. persuaded                      D. tried



**READING**

VIII. Read the passage and choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D.

Back in the 19<sup>th</sup> century, on the Iowa frontier, most homes had to produce nearly all their own needs. They lived on farms that raised much of their own food, and children became an important part of the family team. They learned to contribute to the family's survival at an early age. They gathered eggs, worked in the garden, carried in wood and water and perhaps cared for younger brothers and sisters. As girls got older, they learned to cook, sew, preserve food for the winter, do the washing and care for the sick. Boys helped their father with the livestock, planting and harvest, hunting, and maintenance of buildings and fences. Their opportunities for education were limited to whatever a nearby school offered. When there were heavy demands for their help on the farm, like during corn picking, older boys had to stay at home to help.

However, life for Iowan children has changed a lot. It has become much easier in many ways. And with the invention of computers, the internet and cell phones, children have greater opportunities to connect with friends and the outside world.

**Note:** Iowa is a state in the upper Midwestern region of the United States of America.

1. In the 19<sup>th</sup> century, most Iowan families on the frontier \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. did business                      B. produced their own food  
C. had few children                      D. took good care of their children
2. Iowan girls learned to \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. preserve food                      B. hunt  
C. knit gloves                      D. maintain buildings

