

	THE FIRST SEMESTER TEST	<u>The Supervisor's Signature</u>	Paper No.:
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I. Listen and choose the best answer: (1pts)

- What does Greg do?
A. He's a teacher. B. He's a student. C. He's an interviewer. D. He's a pupil.
- What does Greg do to keep fit?
A. He goes swimming at a pool. B. He goes swimming at the beach.
C. He writes letters. D. He sits at the beach.
- How often does Alice walk?
A. every day B. every week C. 2 days a week D. every morning
- What does Tom usually do at home?
A. He goes bowling. B. He does exercise. C. He watches TV. D. He reads books.

II. Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C or D) that best fits the space in each sentence: (2.5pts)

- _____ is an event where people show paintings, drawings, or sculptures to the public.
A. Quiz show B. Art exhibition C. Sports center D. Stadium
- _____ is a TV program in which people answer questions to win prizes.
A. Carnival B. Quiz show C. Amusement park D. Studio
- _____ is an area of land that is higher than the land around it, but not as high as a mountain.
A. Stone B. Valley C. Castle D. Hill
- Tony really enjoys _____. She wants _____ for a newspaper in the future.
A. write/ work B. writing/ working C. to write/ to work D. writing/ to work
- This castle is made _____ stone and wood.
A. by B. with C. from D. in
- Every morning, he has to _____ at 5.30 a.m. _____ some chores.
A. wake up/ do B. wake up/ to do C. wake up/ doing D. waking up/ do
- In the past, people _____ grass to make their wedding rings. Over the years, this tradition _____.
A. used/ changed B. have used/ has changed C. used/ has changed D. use/ change
- Dan nguyet* and *sao truc* are _____ instruments from Vietnam.
A. musical traditional B. traditional music C. traditional musical D. tradition musical
- Do you visit the _____ when you travel to China?
A. Great Wall B. Disneyland C. Leaning Tower D. Oak Stadium
- When I was a child, my grandma would often _____ me bedtime stories.
A. tell B. say C. practice D. argue

III. Complete the sentences with the correct forms of words: (1pts)

- Gina's _____ routine begins at 6 a.m. (day)
- The wedding ring is the _____ of the love between the bride and the groom. (symbolize)

17. For summer _____, my parents would always take us to our favorite beach. (vacate)
 18. Alnwick Castle is one of the _____ castles in England. (large)

IV. Read the passages. Then decide which answer A, B, C or D best fits each space: (1.5pts)

Mr. Shaw (19) _____ physics at the University of Hong Kong and lectures mostly to third-year students. The students like him a lot (20) _____ he explains how things work in simple language. Mr. Shaw says that he often learns a lot (21) _____ his students. His wife is an (22) _____ teacher in a secondary school. In her (23) _____, she shows her pupils (24) _____ to write short stories and describes people and scenes she knows in her stories.

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| 19. A. teaches | B. learns | C. does | D. makes |
| 20. A. because | B. so | C. and | D. but |
| 21. A. in | B. with | C. from | D. to |
| 22. A. England | B. young | C. English | D. America |
| 23. A. lectures | B. lessons | C. books | D. room |
| 24. A. what | B. where | C. when | D. how |

V. Read the passage:

A. Decide the sentences True or False: (1pts)

Worried about your speaking skill for studying abroad?
 Worried about TOEFL and IELTS score?
 Why not enroll now?
 We offered well-qualified local teachers and experienced native teachers who can help you overcome all worries.
 * Morning and evening classes
 * Air-con rooms
 * All levels
Start 10 July 2018
 Contact: Mr. John and Ms. Katherine for free consultancy
REA INSTITUTION
 24 Trần Phú Street – Ward 1 – NT
 Tel: 058 158 003
LOOK NO FURTHER

25. We have to pay for fee for asking information on course in REA Institution. _____
 26. Courses start in June. _____
 27. This institution offers courses with all levels. _____
 28. We can study with well-qualified teachers here. _____

B. Choose the best answer to each of the following questions (0.5 pts)

29. Who will consult you about the course in Rea Institution?
 A. Mr. John B. Ms. Katherine C. Mr. John and Ms. Katherine D. no one
 30. How many type of classes are offered in Rea Institution?
 A. 1 B. 2 C. 3 D. 4

VI. Use the suggested words to arrange the complete sentences: (0.5 pts)

31. and ducks/ he feeds the chicken/ In the morning,/ their eggs /and collects.
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 32. women couldn't/ and they had to/ In the past,/ wear long skirts/wear pants.

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VII. Rewrite the following sentences in another way so that it means almost the same as the sentence printed before it: (2pts)

33. She did her homework and then she watched TV.

Before _____

34. Maria is seeing the new art exhibition. She is so excited about it.

Maris is so excited _____

35. It rained, so the children went home.

Because _____

36. People play the sarangi with a bow.

The sarangi _____

The end