

Test For Unit – Grade 7

UNIT 9 - FESTIVAL AROUND THE WORLD

Test 1

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

Question 1. A. give B. gift C. display D. firework

Question 2. A. dance B. decorate C. gray D. parade

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.

Question 3: A. criminal B. physician C. skyscraper D. average

Question 4: A. decrease B. estate C. happen D. today

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 5. She wore a beautiful traditional _____.
A. firework B. parade C. display D. costume

Question 6. Festival of lights is a _____ festival in India.
A. religious B. culture C. nation D. religion

Question 7. The festival is _____ every year at the end of October.
A. taken B. held C. made D. done

Question 8. _____ the cats in the garden? – Yes, _____.
A. Is – it is B. Are – the cats are
C. Are – they are D. Do – they do

Question 9. People _____ the festival by throwing water to wish everyone happiness.
A. celebrate B. have C. organize D. complete

Question 10. _____ the girl in the fitting room?
A. Do B. Does C. Is D. Are

Question 11. _____ they watch fireworks display last night?
A. Will B. Did C. Can D. Are

Question 12. Mark: “Did you go anywhere last weekend, Trang?” Trang: “_____.”
A. I don’t know B. I went to my uncle’s house
C. I was busy D. Let’s go to the cinema

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.

SPRING FESTIVAL INVITATION

The town’s Cultural Department is (13) _____ to host a wonderful Spring Festival next weekend. Details include:

- The festival will (14) _____ at the central park.
- Activities include music, games, and (15) _____ performances by local artists.
- Entrance is free, (16) _____ all visitors must their attendance beforehand.

Question 13. A. gladly B. gladness C. glad D. gladden

Question 14. A. take part B. take off C. take after D. take place

Question 15. A. lively B. live C. living D. lives

Question 16. A. but B. so C. in D. however

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions 17.

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This year, our school organized a cultural festival. Everyone was excited about it, but _____.

- a. It started raining heavily.
 - b. The weather was imperfect for the event.
 - c. Many performances were cancelled because of the rain.
- A. a-b-c B. b-a-c C. c-a-b D. a-c-b

Question 18. Choose the sentence that can end the text in question 19.

- A. The festival had to be cancelled, and everyone was disappointed.
- B. Half of the crowd came back home.
- C. The weather still rain until today.
- D. Despite the rain, everyone still enjoyed the festival.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each numbered blank from 19 to 24.

Songkran is a water festival to mark the beginning of the New Year in Thai Buddhist calendar. Although the festival (19) _____ on April 13 and usually lasts three days, festivities can start earlier than that.

Water plays a major (20) _____ in the festival. Water is the symbol of power (21) _____ it washes away the (22) _____ year and get people ready for the new year. People use water to clean homes. They also pour water on Buddha statues and the hands of elders. In the street, there is a giant (23) _____ water fight with people throwing buckets of water at each other.

Songkran is also a time for family reunion. Many Thai people travel home for the holiday, (24) _____ with their family, and enjoy water events in their hometown.

- Question 19.** A. is B. finishes C. ends D. begins
Question 20. A. role B. repair C. half D. act
Question 21. A. so B. although C. because D. despite
Question 22. A. previous B. annoy C. current D. next
Question 23. A. huge B. frightening C. soldier D. friendly
Question 24. A. depart B. gather C. study D. fight

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is closest in meaning to the original sentence in each of the following questions.

Question 25. Whose luggage is this?

- A. Who is this luggage belong to?
- B. Who does sell this luggage?
- C. Who does this luggage belong to?
- D. What is the price of this luggage?

Question 26. It took us three months to prepare for this festival.

- A. The festival lasted three months.
- B. We spent three months to prepare for this festival
- C. We spent three months in preparing for this festival
- D. We spent three months preparing for this festival.

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the sentence that is made from the given cues in each of the following questions.

Question 27. It/ be/ orginally/ provide people / cosmetics/ use/ mud/ area.

- A. It originally provided people cosmetics used in the area with mud.
- B. It was originally to provide people with cosmetics using mud in the area.

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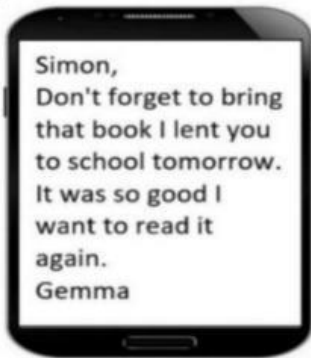
- C. It was originally providing people cosmetics using mud from the area.
- D. It originally provides people with cosmetics use mud in the area.

Question 28. *She/ participate/ Boryeong Mud Festival/ three/ year/ ago.*

- A. She participated Boryeong Mud Festival three years ago.
- B. She participated Boryeong Mud Festival three times year ago.
- C. She participates Boryeong Mud Festival three times years ago.
- D. She participated Boryeong Mud Festival three times in a year ago.

Read the following sign or notice and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 29: What is Gemma asking Simon to do?



- A. Return a book to the library
- B. Read a book again
- C. Bring a borrowed book to school tomorrow
- D. Buy a new book for school

Question 30: Which of the following items is NOT included in the half-price sale?



- A. Shoes
- B. Dresses
- C. T-shirts
- D. Pants

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.

The Pacific Rim Whale Festival

Every year, about 20,000 grey whales swim past the west coast of Vancouver Island. The whales travel from Mexico to the Arctic and back again. The whole trip is about 16,000 kilometres. Every March, the people who live around the Pacific Rim National Park have a festival to celebrate the whales' journey. The festival is the Pacific Rim Whale Festival. The whales travel very close to the shore as they swim north. This allows people to gather together to watch the whales from land and from boats.

Nanaimo Bathtub Race

On the east coast of Vancouver Island, you can see people moving through the water in a strange type of boat. In the Nanaimo Bathtub Race, all the boats are made from bathtubs. The city of Nanaimo is home to the oldest and most famous bathtub boat race in the world. Today, Nanaimo World Championship Bathtub Race is a serious sport that attracts many racers and visitors from around the world.

Question 31. What is the main idea of the text?

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- A. Vancouver Island has many interesting tourist attractions.
- B. People in Vancouver enjoy festivals throughout the year.
- C. Nanaimo is famous for its bathtub factories.
- D. The Pacific Rim Whale Festival celebrates the grey whales' journey.

Question 32. Which word is OPPOSITE in meaning to “oldest” in the text?

- A. Youngest
- B. Biggest
- C. Latest
- D. Shortest

Question 33. Which word is CLOSEST in meaning to “journey” in the text?

- A. Adventure
- B. Goal
- C. Game
- D. Voyage

Question 34. According to the reading, why is it easy for people to see the whales?

- A. The people use binoculars.
- B. The whales swim close to land.
- C. The people are also swimming in the water
- D. They fly over the whales in helicopters.

Question 35. Which of the following is NOT true according to the text?

- A. The Pacific Rim Whale Festival takes place in April.
- B. The Nanaimo Bathtub Race involves boats made from bathtubs.
- C. Grey whales swim about 16,000 kilometres every year.
- D. The Nanaimo Bathtub Race attracts participants from around the world.

Question 36. What is special about every boat in the race?

- A. Each boat can carry three people
- B. Every boat is made from a bathtub.
- C. Every boat gets a safety inspection
- D. All the boat have sails.

Four phrases/ sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.

Christmas is almost here. Holiday music fills the air. Colourful lights shine brightly in windows. The stores are crowded with people buying last-minute gifts. (37) _____. Another tradition is snow. Christmas in the northern part of the world comes a few days after the start of winter. So, in many places, a blanket of clean white snow covers the ground on Christmas Day. (38) _____. Of course, many places do not get snow in December. In fact, they may be very warm at that time of year. People who like snow – (39) _____ - dream of having a white Christmas. American songwriter Irving Berlin captured these feelings in his song “White Christmas”. “White Christmas” is one of the most popular songs of all times. (40) _____. Perhaps the most famous version was sung by Bing Crosby. Songwriter Irving Berlin was Jewish. He did not celebrate Christmas as a religious holiday. But in his Christmas song, he shares a message of peace and happiness which all people can joy.

So from all of us - to all of you - we wish the happiest and most joyful holiday.

- A – All these are Christmas traditions
- B – but live where it is warm
- C - This is what is meant by a “White Christmas”
- D - Hundreds of singers and musicians have recorded it

Question 37

Question 38

Question 39

Question 40