2. My grandfather owns a valuable collection of stamps.	**(collect)**
3. Spring coming, the hills are colorful with many species of wild flowers blooming.	**(color)**
4. Each nation tries to work hard to protect the world peace.	**(peaceful)**
5. Riding a camel is the most exciting activity I have ever experienced.	**(ride)**
6. Nomads usually move to get food and find lands to farm.	**(farmer)**
7. Country children often react less quickly to technical development than city children.	**(develop)**
8. You must drive carefully on the city roads or you will take high risk of getting accidents.	**(care)**
9. During my stay in the village, I was friendly with several local farmers.	**(friend)**
10. Local people in the village often wear their traditional costumer during the festivals.	**(tradition)**

C. COMMUNICATION

Exercise 16: Choose the word or phrase (A, B, C, or D) that best completes each of the following exchanges.

1. **Ba:** "Why don't we take a trip to my home town?"
   Nam: "_____"
   A. Yes, we do. B. That's a good idea. C. Not at all. D. You're welcome.

2. **Lan:** "What are you doing there?"
   Nam: "_____"
   A. Lots of things. B. Good idea. C. Ok. D. Not at all.

3. **Nick:** You've made new friends?
   Aly: "_____"
   A. Yes, I did. B. Yeah- right on the first day.
   C. Yes, please. D. You're welcome.

4. **Lan:** "Have you ever ridden a cart?"
   Nam: "_____"
   A. Yes, we do. B. That's a good idea. C. No, but I'd like to. D. Not at all.

5. **Nick:** "How is your stay there?"

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Nam: "_____"

A. Yes, please. B. So exciting. C. Never mind. D. Sure

Exercise 17: Choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D) to arrange the following sentences into a meaningful conversation.

1. **a. Brian:** Me too, Ally. City life is too noisy for me.

b. Ally: And look at all the green fields! It's so peaceful.

c. Ally: It's so quiet here, Brian. I love the fresh air!

A. a-b-c B. c-a-b C. c-b-a D. a-c-b

2. **a. Brian:** That's true. And everyone is so friendly in the village.

b. Ally: Not really. We can get fresh food from the farm here.

c. Brian: Do you ever miss the shops in the city, Ally?

A. a-b-c B. c-a-b C. b-a-c D. c-b-a

3. **a. Brian:** Me too, Ally. It's much quieter than the city, isn't it?

b. Ally: It's so lovely here, Brian. I really enjoy the peaceful countryside.

c. Ally: It's a great place to live, especially with all the fresh food from the farms.

d. Brian: Yes, and the air feels so much cleaner here.

e. Ally: Definitely! And I love waking up to the sound of birds instead of traffic.

A. b-a-e-d-c B. a-b-c-d-e C. b-e-a-d-c D. c-a-b-e-d

D. READING

Exercise 18: Read and choose the correct words to complete the passage.

cheaper ***gardens*** ***peaceful***

raise ***environment*** ***vehicles***

Living in the countryside brings us many benefits. First of all, the (1) environment in the countryside is less polluted than in the city. You can enjoy fresh air, clean rivers, and (2) peaceful life there. Second, there are no traffic jams because the main (3) vehicles are bikes, electric motorbikes or walking. Besides, everything in the countryside is (4) cheaper and healthier than in the city. Farmers often grow clean vegetables in their (5) gardens. They also (6) raise poultry and pigs for meat. It is great to live in the countryside.

Exercise 19: Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct word that best fits each of the numbered blanks.

❶ Viet Nam is famous for its countryside and traditional village life. In a Vietnamese village, people live (1)_____ to nature and are more self-sufficient. They grow their own vegetables and raise their own animals. There are also (2)_____ rice fields where farmers work hard to produce the staple food of the country.

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