

e. Those are terraced fields, Ally. Farmers grow rice there.

A. b-e-a-c-d

B. b-a-e-c-d

C. e-b-a-c-d

D. a-b-c-d-e

READING

Exercise 1: Look at the sign or the notice. Choose the best answer (A, B, C or D) for these questions.

	1. A. You must not use a mobile phone here. B. You must not use a camera here. C. Dogs can't be entered. D. You can't come into.
CREATIVE WRITING CONTEST <i>Language: English</i> <i>Topic: A country trip</i>	2. A. A candidate has to write about a country in English. B. A candidate has to write about trip to the country. C. A candidate has to write about a country friend. D. A candidate has to talk about a country picnic.
	3. A. Recycle bottles and cans only. B. Recycle paper only. C. Reduce bottles only. D. Reduce paper only.
	4. A. You must cut down the trees. B. You can cut down the trees. C. You mustn't cut down the trees. D. You should cut down the trees.
	5. A. You should not make this place tidy. B. Putting unused things into the garbage dump is necessary. C. Recycling is very important to protect the environment. D. You shouldn't throw your garbage here.

Exercise 2: Read the following advertisement/ notice/ flyer/ announcement and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks

1

Discover Vietnam's Rich Culture!

Vietnam is a beautiful country with many interesting ethnic groups. Did you know there are 54 different groups? Each group has its own special traditions, clothes, and music. Come and learn about them! You can see colourful festivals and hear unique sounds, like the (1) _____. Travel with us to discover the amazing diversity (2) _____ Vietnam. Experience the friendly people and rich history. Start (3) _____ your adventure today and make (4) _____ memories!

1. A. ethnic group

B. bamboo flute

C. Rong house

D. wooden hut

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| 3. | A. to plan | B. planning | C. plan | D. plans |
| 4. | A. any | B. an | C. many | D. a |

2

Play Traditional Games!

Do you want to have (1) _____ and learn English? Join our exciting new class: "Play Traditional Games!" We'll explore fun Vietnamese games like Marbles and Mandarin Square Capturing. (2) _____ are these games? They are (3) _____! Learn new words, practice speaking, and make new friends. Come and play (4) _____ us! Sign up today!

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| 1. | A. bad | B. fun | C. sad | D. angry |
| 2. | A. Why | B. Who | C. What | D. Where |
| 3. | A. wonder | B. wonderfully | C. wonderful | D. wondered |
| 4. | A. at | B. on | C. in | D. with |

Exercise 3: 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.

1

Communal House (Rong House)

The Rong House can only be found in villages to the north of the Central Highlands, especially in Gia Lai and Kon Tum provinces. It is a large, imposing, beautifully decorated stilt house built (1) _____ the middle of the village. It is where community activities take place, meetings, wedding ceremonies, or praying ceremonies. It is also the place for reception of guests. The Rong House of each ethnic group has its own architectural style, design, and decor. Yet there are shared (2) _____. In the village, it is often the biggest house roofed with yellow-dried thatch leaves and having 8 big wood columns. The rafters are decorated with patterns of bright colours, depicting religious scenes, legendary stories about ancient heroes, stylized animals, and other familiar things of the village life. The most (3) _____ of the decor of the Rong House is the (4) _____ of the brilliant God of Sun. The Rong House is a (5) _____ of the culture of Central Highlanders, an age-old and stable culture. The bigger the house, the wealthier the village is. It is a (6) _____ of the whole village.

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| 1. | A. on | B. at | C. in | D. under |
| 2. | A. designs | B. cultures | C. customs | D. features |
| 3. | A. distinguished | B. distinction | C. distinctive | D. distinctly |
| 4. | A. painting | B. photo | C. image | D. portrait |
| 5. | A. signal | B. symbol | C. sign | D. scene |
| 6. | A. design | B. respect | C. proud | D. pride |

2

Viet Nam is a multi-nationality country with 54 ethnic (1) _____. The Viet (Kinh) people account (2) _____ 87% of the country's population and mainly inhabit the Red River delta, the central coastal delta, the Mekong delta and major cities. The other 53 ethnic (3) _____ groups, totalling over 8 million people, are scattered over mountain areas (covering two-thirds of the country's territory) spreading from the North to the South. Among ethnic minorities, the largest ones are Tay, Thai, Muong, Hoa, Khmer, and Nung with a (4) _____ of around 1 million each, while the smallest are Brau, Roman, Odu with several hundred people each.

A number of ethnic minorities had mastered some farming techniques. They grew rice plants in swamped paddy fields and carried out irrigation. Others (5) _____ hunting, fishing, collecting and lived a semi-nomadic life. (6) _____ group

has its own culture, diverse and special. Beliefs and religions of the Vietnamese ethnic minority groups were also disparate from each other.

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| 1. | A. groups | B. team | C. minorities | D. majorities |
| 2. | A. in | B. for | C. of | D. at |
| 3. | A. large | B. majority | C. small | D. minority |
| 4. | A. religion | B. inhabitants | C. population | D. people |
| 5. | A. did | B. went | C. made | D. used |
| 6. | A. Some | B. Each | C. Lots of | D. Any |

Exercise 4: Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.

❶ In Viet Nam, a market is a trading place, but many markets are not only about buying and selling things. They reflect the life of the community. A traditional market is a social gathering point for people of all ages and it is a new and exciting experience for children, a trading place for local craftsmen, and a chance for young people to meet. People go to the traditional market not only to buy and sell things but also to eat, drink, play games, and socialize. For example, if you go to Sa Pa Market, which is the highlands in the north of Viet Nam, you can see people wearing their nicest clothes and spending all day long at the market. They buy things, play the flute, dance, and sing. This is also a time to meet, make friends or look for lovers. That is why this kind of gathering is also called "Love Market". Some other countryside markets in the Mekong Delta are held on boats. Most of the goods are sold at a floating market. The most exciting time is in the early morning when boats arrive loaded up with agricultural products.

1. In Viet Nam, all markets are _____.
A. only trading places B. only about buying things
C. only about selling things D. not only about buying and selling things
2. A traditional market is a social gathering point for _____.
A. young people B. people of all ages C. local craftsmen D. children
3. What can people do at the traditional market?
A. Sell and buy things only.
B. Buy and sell things, eat, drink and play games.
C. Buy things and eat.
D. Buy and sell things, eat, drink, play games and socialize.
4. What do the ethnic people who go to Sa Pa Market do?
A. They wear their nicest clothes, buy things, play the flute, dance and sing.
B. They ride on a horse and sing.
C. They drink a lot of wine and dance.
D. They buy the nicest clothes at the market and look for lovers.
5. Some of the markets in the Mekong Delta are held _____ are called floating markets.
A. along the roads B. on the paddy fields C. on boats D. in the morning

❷ Bamboo is engraved in Vietnamese culture and daily life, providing protection, and representing resilience. Bamboo can be manipulated in any shape or form to assist in the simplest or most complex of functions. Here in Vietnam, and