

A Pronunciation

1 Circle the word with the underlined part pronounced differently in each group. Then practise saying the words aloud.

- | | | | | |
|---|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| 1 | A. receive | B. staircase | C. communal | D. culture |
| 2 | A. school | B. chemistry | C. chaotic | D. children |
| 3 | A. keep | B. know | C. kitchen | D. keen |
| 4 | A. guest | B. tiger | C. age | D. gathering |
| 5 | A. girl | B. village | C. game | D. garden |



2 Match the sentences with the correct sounds. Some sounds can be used more than once.

A. /k/ B. /g/ C. /s/ D. /j/

- | | | |
|---|---|----------------------|
| 1 | My mother is collecting vegetables in the <u>garden</u> . | <input type="text"/> |
| 2 | My father came downstairs to greet our <u>guests</u> . | <input type="text"/> |
| 3 | They've opened a good <u>school</u> for our children here. | <input type="text"/> |
| 4 | The <u>gong</u> is a popular musical instrument of the Ede. | <input type="text"/> |
| 5 | The red colour symbolises <u>good</u> luck to the Hoa. | <input type="text"/> |



B Vocabulary & Grammar

1 Write the words and phrases from the box under the correct pictures.

waterwheel
pagoda

loom
silver jewellery

costume
lion dance



1. _____



2. _____



3. _____



4. _____



5. _____



6. _____

2

Write the correct word or phrase from the box next to each sentence.

folk songs
open fireclothing
staircaseguests
crops

1. You weave it to make a costume. _____
2. You climb it to enter a stilt house. _____
3. You harvest them after growing and caring for them. _____
4. You sing them at a traditional festival. _____
5. You welcome them at your house. _____
6. You sit around it to keep warm. _____



3

Underline the correct word or phrase to complete each sentence.

1. I love the (*peaceful / noisy*) life of the ethnic minorities living in the mountains.
2. The (*loom / waterwheel*) helps carry water from streams to the villages.
3. Minority girls often wear silver (*jewellery / things*).
4. Most minority households have a (*loom / machine*) for weaving clothing.
5. The Khmer do farm work and produce (*handicrafts / handy products*).



4

Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to complete each sentence.

1. Khmer men teach their children how to _____ fish at an early age.
 A do B catch C raise D eat
2. The elders often pass on their _____ to the young through stories and activities.
 A traditions B rules C legends D music
3. The mountain people in the Central Highlands use natural _____ to build a Rong house.
 A trees B posts C leaves D materials
4. Minority women often go to the mountains to _____ plants for food and medicine.
 A collect B see C look D raise
5. Many minority groups _____ cows and buffaloes for a living.
 A feed B herd C raise D milk



5

Choose the correct question for the underlined phrase about the Katu ethnic group in Viet Nam.



1

There are about 74,000 Katu people.

A. How many Katu people are there?

B. Where do the Katu people live?

C. What are the Katu people like?

D. When do the Katu people celebrate?

2

They live mainly in Thua Thien – Hue and Quang Nam Provinces.

A. How many provinces do they live in?

B. Where do they live?

C. What do they do there?

D. Why do they live there?

3

The Katu are very friendly and simple.

A. What are the Katu like?

B. Where are the Katu from?

C. How many Katu people are there?

D. What do the Katu eat?

4

Their traditional dances are the tung tung for males and the ya yá for females.

A. What are their traditional dances?

B. When do they dance?

C. Who performs the dances?

D. Why do they dance?

5

They hold the rice spirit feast just before planting and harvesting rice.

A. What do they hold?

B. When do they hold the rice spirit feast?

C. Where do they hold the feast?

D. Why do they hold the feast?

6

Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to complete each sentence.



1

The Tay serve this kind of cake with _____.

A. a lot of honey

B. some honeys

C. a honey

D. honeys

2

The air _____ thinner when you go higher up the mountains.

A. become

B. becomes

C. became

D. becoming

3

In our area, _____ not much land for growing crops.

A. there are

B. it has

C. it is

D. there is

4

_____ provide free Khmer language classes.

A. Those temples

B. The temple

C. A temple

D. A few temple

5

Do you have _____ about ethnic minority groups in Viet Nam?

A. a few books

B. a lot of books

C. any books

D. any book