# UNIT 1 – LEISURE ACTIVITIES

## A. PHONETICS

**I Find the word which has a different sound in the underlined part.**

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | A. <u>ea</u>r | B. cl<u>ea</u>r | C. h<u>ea</u>r | D. b<u>ea</u>r |
| 2. | A. m<u>ou</u>se | B. c<u>ou</u>ld | C. w<u>ou</u>ld | D. p<u>u</u>t |
| 3. | A. <u>s</u>ure | B. <u>s</u>ort | C. <u>s</u>oy | D.<u>s</u>oon |
| 4. | A. work<u>ed</u> | B. watch<u>ed</u> | C. need<u>ed</u> | D. walk<u>ed</u> |
| 5. | A. b<u>ea</u>t | B. h<u>ea</u>t | C.ch<u>ea</u>t | D. br<u>ea</u>k |

**II Read aloud the following words. Pay attention to the clusters /br/ and /pr/.**

| /br/ | /pr/ |
|---|---|
| bracelet | produce |
| broadcast | promote |
| bring | prime |
| brother | spray |
| briefing | spring |
| brochure | apricot |
| breakfast | president |
| brown | provoke |

## B. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

**III Which verb do the nouns below go with? Put the nouns in the correct columns.**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| *jogging* | *the guitar* | *yoga* | *volleyball* | *gymnastics* |
| *diving* | *video games* | *fishing* | *climbing* | *weightlifting* |
| *fencing* | *bowling* | *hockey* | *shopping* | *handicrafts* |
| *horse riding* | *ice-skating* | *golf* | *puzzles* | *archery* |

| play | do | go |
|---|---|---|
| | | |

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**IV Fill in the blank with a suitable phrase, based on the photo.**

1. Ms. Jane likes …….. in the park after her working hours.



2. The two children of the Smiths often …….. in their summer holiday.



3. My close friend really enjoys ……..



4. She spends quite a lot of free time ……..



5. My father's is very much interested in …….. at weekends.



6. Girls often fancy …….. in order to release stress.



**V Choose the best answer (A, B, C or D).**

1. Ann finds books ……. because she can learn many things from them.
   A. are useful B. be useful C. useful D. being useful
2. Louise are very fond ……. going camping with friends at weekends.
   A. about B. of C. in D. with
3. She has decided to ……. swimming because it is very good for her health.
   A. take in B. take up C. take to D. take with
4. It is very …….to watch these movies. I think you should watch them.
   A. entertaining B. entertained C. entertainment D. entertain
5. I don't feel like ……. shopping now. I need to have some sleep to feel better.
   A. going B. to go C. go D. to going
6. That dress looks so ……. I want to buy it. Do you think it is nice?
   A. fancy B. funny C. crazy D. noisy
7. I love being outdoors, but today I ……. staying at home.

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A. want B. don't mind C. like D. prefer

8. Teenagers often prefer travelling with their friends ……. travelling with their parents.
   A. from B. than C. as D. to
9. She loves winter sports, so I think she should go ……. this winter.
   A. swimming B. hiking C. ice-skiing D. jogging
10. About favorite leisure activities, she and I share many things in …….
    A. similarity B. general C. common D. the same

**VI Fill in the blank with the most suitable preposition.**

1. Mai is really interested ……. building sand castles when she is on the beach.
2. I think that she is fond ……. listening to pop songs.
3. You can't believe it! He is crazy ……. that weird singer band.
4. It is very worrying that many teenagers get hooked ……. the Internet.
5. My little sister is keen ……. listening to Nursery songs on Youtube.

**VII Fill in the blank with the correct form of the given word.**

1. My younger brother gets ……. on computer games. hook
2. When my work is ……., I usually listen my favorite song. stress
3. It is very ……. to go out and do some shopping with your close friends. relax
4. Jenny is a ……. girl, and she has many good relationships. social
5. There are a lot of interesting extra-curriculum…….for students active

in my school.

**VIII Fill in the blank with the correct form of the given word.**

1. What he deteststo do is going to work at weekends. .....
   A B C D
2. All the girls in my class area big fan of SNSD girl-band. .....
   A B C D
3. Going fishing alone is one of my Dad's favorite leisure activity. .....
   A B C D
4. She sings that song muchmore better than I do. .....
   A B C D
5. I think that she wouldn't mindto go to the night party with you, surely. .....
   A B C D

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## C. READING

**IX Read the passage.**

**1**

**Fill in the blank with a suitable word**



Ethan and Noah are brothers. They look(1) ..... each other but they are quite different in some ways. Noah likes to stay inside. He likes to watch television, and he watches several shows every day. He spends about two hours (2) ..... television each day. He also likes (3)..... video games. He also loves (4)..... the Internet. He likes chatting with his friends and playing games online. In contrast, Ethan likes to spend time outside. He likes to swim in a pool which is not far (5)..... his house. He goes to the pool several times each week, sometimes everyday. He swims (6)..... about an hour. He walks there and back. Sometimes he runs all the (7)..... there! On some days, Ethan plays basketball with his friends. Ethan (8)..... watch much television. He spends most of his day on his feet.

**2**

**Decide if the statements are true (T) or false**

1. The brothers are similar in terms of their appearance. .....
2. Noah likes doing outdoor activities. .....
3. Noah often spends time with electric or technological devices. .....
4. Ethan goes swimming very often. .....
5. Ethan always walks to the swimming pool. .....

**X Read the passage. Fill in the statements with a suitable word/phrase from the passage.**

A favourite winter activity is skating. But before you go skating on a pond or lake, there are a few safety tips you should know. The ice should be at least 6 inches thick. Never skate alone. Never assume the ice is safe, and do not go out onto the ice after an animal or toy. Always be familiar with the area where you want to skate, and be sure it is well-lit if you go skating at night. The safest place to go skating is on a skating rink. Some cities have outdoor skating rinks. And most cities have an indoor skating rink you can use for a small fee.

When you go skating for the first time, make sure you wear warm socks, a warm hat, and lots of layers of clothing. Most rinks have hot drinks and snacks, but you can also bring your own snacks. Weekends are usually the busiest time of the week to go skating. Weekday nights are usually less crowded. Evening skating can be a lot of fun for the whole family. Most rinks have floodlights. At night, the rink is lit up and bright.

1. The thickness of the ice should be ..... as minimum.
2. When you go for night skating, it is essential that the skating area is .....
3. To be safest, you shouldn't go out of the .....
4. You need to pay a ..... to use indoor skating rink.
5. You should wear ..... clothes when going skating.
6. If you forget to bring foods and drinks, you may get ..... at the rinks.
7. If you don't like having many people at the rink, you can go at .....
8. Evening skating can be a good activity for the whole .....

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## D. WRITING

**XV Rewrite the following sentences based on the given words.**

1. I am interested in going camping with my close friends.

→ ..... (fancy)

2. She can't bear talking with him about what he likes.

→ ..... (detest)

3. Watching historical films is very interesting to my younger brother.

→ ..... (enjoy)

4. It is not a problem to me whether I have to pick her up to the cinema or not.

→ ..... (mind)

5. Mr. Pike is a big fan of water polo.

→ ..... (fond)

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