

**FURTHER PRACTICE 2 - USE OF ENGLISH****PART I. PHONETICS****Exercise 1. Circle the word which has a different sound in the underlined part.**

1. A. <u>en</u> dangered	B. <u>ge</u> neration	C. <u>ac</u> cept	D. <u>me</u> memorable
2. A. <u>handi</u> craft	B. <u>publ</u> ish	C. <u>remi</u> nd	D. <u>histo</u> rical
3. A. <u>tablecl</u> oth	B. <u>authen</u> ticity	C. <u>throu</u> gh	D. <u>altho</u> ugh
4. A. <u>layer</u>	B. <u>frame</u>	C. <u>place</u>	D. <u>artis</u> an
5. A. <u>cultur</u> al	B. <u>scul</u> pture	C. <u>drum</u>	D. <u>museu</u> m

**Exercise 2. Circle the word which has a different stress pattern from the others.**

1. A. famous	B. village	C. workshop	D. bamboo
2. A. embroider	B. department	C. handicraft	D. opinion
3. A. business	B. experience	C. grandparent	D. chocolate
4. A. historical	B. embroidery	C. authority	D. architecture
5. A. complicated	B. experience	C. prosperity	D. traditional

**PART II. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR****Exercise 1. Fill in the blank with the correct form of the verbs from the box.**

weave	make	cast	carve
cover	draw	embroider	mould

1. Every region has a different quality of clay, varnish color, \_\_\_\_\_ and burning technique in pottery making.
2. Recently, Southeast Asia's largest bronze statue of the Buddha erected in Bai Dinh pagoda was \_\_\_\_\_ by artisans from Van Diem bronze village.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ cocoon silk was one of the women's chores 3,000 years ago.
4. At the beginning of the 20th century, Vietnamese artists used lacquering techniques to draw and \_\_\_\_\_ pictures for decorations.
5. In the early 20th century, most houses, beds, and household were \_\_\_\_\_ from bamboo and rattan.
6. With only needles and colorful rolls of thread, craftswomen \_\_\_\_\_ silk pictures, usually of natural wonders such as birds, plants, or landscapes.
7. Conical hats are \_\_\_\_\_ by using young palm leaves along a circular bamboo frame.
8. In Dong Ho Village (Bac Ninh) or Sinh Village (Hue), the painter who \_\_\_\_\_ the folk picture is a craft village farmer.

**Exercise 2. Choose the best answer (A, B, C, or D) to complete the sentences.**

1. Nowadays, Tan Chau artisans can produce silk of multiple colours \_\_\_\_\_ they can meet customers' demands.

A. so	B. so that	C. but	D. in order
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2. In 1990, due to the change of the economic situation, Dong Ho paintings were difficult to sell and many \_\_\_\_\_ quit their job.

A. craftsmanship      B. craft unions      C. craftsmen      D. crafts

3. \_\_\_\_\_ a majority of Vietnamese small and medium enterprises do not have in-house designers or specialized design staff, they have to hire freelance designers.

A. While      B. Since      C. Due to      D. Despite the fact

4. In 1990, due to the change of the economic situation, many Dong Ho cooperatives had to \_\_\_\_\_.

A. close      B. close in      C. close down      D. shut

5. The traditional craft has \_\_\_\_\_ from generation to generation.

A. passed down      B. passed      C. been passed down      D. been passed by

6. The four-ton statue of hero Tran Vu, \_\_\_\_\_ in 1667, still stands in Quan Thanh Temple.

A. to cast      B. to be cast      C. cast      D. casting

7. Now, at the age of over 80, the artisan is leaving the craft to his descendants with a desire to \_\_\_\_\_ his ancient craft.

A. preserve      B. reserve      C. change      D. consider

8. I put the scarf with my mother's \_\_\_\_\_, intending to pay for it on my way out.

A. purchases      B. material      C. objects      D. expenditures

9. In order to buy his house, he had to obtain a large \_\_\_\_\_ from the bank.

A. loan      B. finance      C. capital      D. debt

10. The ring is only made of plastic, so it's quite \_\_\_\_\_.

A. valuable      B. invaluable      C. worthless      D. priceless

11. The artisan is delighted to \_\_\_\_\_ the craft of creating prints in an old-age style to you.

A. express      B. provide      C. demonstrate      D. explain

12. She \_\_\_\_\_ her husband's job for his ill health.

A. accused      B. blamed      C. caused      D. claimed

13. In the past, local \_\_\_\_\_ were chosen to make sophisticated embroidered costumes for the Vietnamese King, Queen and other Royal family members.

A. skill workers      B. skillfully works      C. skillful artists      D. skilled artisans

14. Vietnamese traditional \_\_\_\_\_ is done with a simple hammer and chisel.

A. sculptural pieces      B. sculpture      C. sculptured feature      D. sculptor

15. Weaving mats in Dinh Yen, Dong Thap used to be sold in the "ghost" markets set up at night and operated up to early morning \_\_\_\_\_ the government built a new market five years ago.

A. when      B. until      C. after      D. as soon as

16. The bronze casting craft in Viet Nam dated back from the age of King An Duong Vuong \_\_\_\_\_ ancient bronze arrowheads were made.

A. because      B. although      C. so      D. when

17. Since changing the way of production, many craftsmen have voluntarily joined together to form \_\_\_\_\_.

A. cooperates      B. cooperation      C. cooperatives      D. cooperative

18. It was only \_\_\_\_\_ he told me his surname that I realized that we had been to the same school.

A. until      B. when      C. since      D. then

19. For that artisan, making the paintings is a career \_\_\_\_\_ it supports the life of many generations of the family.

A. because of      B. although      C. so that      D. because

20. Situated on the bank of Duong river, the village was famous for the \_\_\_\_\_ of making Dong Ho paintings.

A. manufacture      B. activity      C. craft      D. production

**Exercise 3. Give the correct form of the words in capital to complete the following sentences.**

1. There are a lot of silk \_\_\_\_\_ such as scarves, ties, and dresses in our shop.  
(PRODUCE)
2. Bat Trang is one of the most famous \_\_\_\_\_ craft villages in Hanoi. (TRADITION)
3. We are impressed by a wide \_\_\_\_\_ of lacquerwares in the showroom. (VARY)
4. Last week, we had a \_\_\_\_\_ trip to an ancient village on the outskirts of Hanoi.  
(MEMORY)
5. Obviously, our handicrafts are in \_\_\_\_\_ with those of other villages. (COMPETE)
6. The room is arranged very \_\_\_\_\_ (ATTRACT)
7. The paintings were in excellent state of \_\_\_\_\_ (PRESERVE)
8. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the new guest caused trouble to me. (ARRIVE)
9. "This is not the good essay," said the lecturer, "I find your arguments \_\_\_\_\_  
(CONVINCE)
10. In winter it is important for farmers to provide food and \_\_\_\_\_ for their animals.  
(WARM)

**Exercise 4. Find a word or a phrase that means:**

1. think of (an idea, a plan, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_
2. connect by phone: \_\_\_\_\_
3. people who do skilled work, making things with their hands: \_\_\_\_\_
4. an interesting or enjoyable place to go or thing to do: \_\_\_\_\_
5. a particular place: \_\_\_\_\_
6. make someone remember or think about something: \_\_\_\_\_
7. walk around a place to see what is there: \_\_\_\_\_
8. a thing which is skillfully made with your hands: \_\_\_\_\_
9. start something (a business, an organization, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_
10. take control of something (a business, an organization, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

**Exercise 5. Complete the following sentences using the correct form of a phrasal verb from the box.**

live on	look through	pass down	set off	turn down
close down	come back	deal with	get up	keep up with

1. They offered her a trip to Europe but she \_\_\_\_\_ it \_\_\_\_\_.
2. He has \_\_\_\_\_ the report and found nothing interesting.
3. Phong walks too fast and it's really hard to \_\_\_\_\_ him.
4. These traditional stories have been \_\_\_\_\_ from parents to children over many generations.
5. My sister is an early bird. She \_\_\_\_\_ at 7 o'clock every day of the week.

6. We'll \_\_\_\_\_ for Tay Ho village at 9 o'clock and arrive at 10 o'clock.
7. When I was a student, I \_\_\_\_\_ small allowances from my parents.
8. The government must now \_\_\_\_\_ the preservation of traditional craft villages.
9. The banks have \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of branches in villages over the last few years.
10. Many foreign tourists decided to \_\_\_\_\_ to Viet Nam for another holiday.

**Exercise 6. Complete the following sentences with suitable subordinators from the box.**

although	as soon as	because	before	so that	while
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1. The children are very excited \_\_\_\_\_ they're going to visit a craft village this weekend.
2. We will tell Alice about the trip \_\_\_\_\_ we meet her.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ it rained a lot, they enjoyed their holiday.
4. I bought a new pair of glasses \_\_\_\_\_ I can see better.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ I go out tonight, I will have to finish this essay.
6. Phong burnt his hand \_\_\_\_\_ he was cooking dinner.
7. Laura always gets up early every morning \_\_\_\_\_ she's not late for her work.
8. Mr. Harrison seems to have a lot of money \_\_\_\_\_ he lives in a luxurious house.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ I was waiting for the bus, I saw some foreign tourists.
10. They didn't win the game \_\_\_\_\_ they played very well.